

## Christian Scientists Buy Historic Mansion

Will Remodel Langley Rayner Home on Oak Street For Use as Christian Science Church, Property Has Been In Rayner Family for 109 Years

First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Mason bought the Langley Rayner home at the corner of Oak and Barnes street a few days ago. The site has been in the Rayner family for 109 years. The present brick house was built in 1868. It has been remodeled twice and in 1916 was virtually rebuilt.

Plans for remodeling the stately old home into a church edifice are still incomplete, reported Miss Kathryn Hubbard of Holt, clerk of the church organization.

The present church building at 502 Park street was traded in on the deal for the Rayner mansion. The Christian Scientists will continue to use the Park street building for the present, and Mr. and Mrs. Rayner will reside in the Rayner home until their smaller house is completed on East Ash street near Rayner park.

A. O. Greenough of Dansville was the broker in the sale of the Rayner house to the Christian Scientists.

For a number of years Christian Scientists held services on the second floor of the building now occupied by the Mills store on Jefferson. In October, 1940, the members of what was then the Christian Science Society bought the former Kellogg residence at 302 Park street, where services have been held for almost nine years.

Last year the Christian Science Society became the First Church of Christ, Scientist. Growth of the society and church made the present building inadequate. Church membership runs between 50 and 60 with 100 in Sunday school classes.

The church had been considering the construction of an auditorium north of the present church, using the deal end of Oak street for an auditorium and converting the present church into a Sunday school. An architect drew plans for such a development. They were discarded, however, in favor of the purchase of the Rayner house.

John Rayner, great-grandfather of Langley Rayner, bought the site for the family home on the corner of Barnes and Oak in 1840. Then there was only a cluster of log cabins and small frame houses in Mason. In 1868, the present brick house was built and built to last. The solid masonry walls are as stout and true as they were when the John Rayner family moved into the new house in 1870. Much of the original paneling and woodwork is still in place.

William Rayner, son of John remodeled the house about 1898 and William's son, Robbins, made extensive improvements in 1916. Langley Rayner is the son of Robbins. He and his wife were married there in 1945.

The first Rayner home, built in the 1840's, is located at 725 East Ash. Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bement, who owned the house for the past 21 years, recently sold it to Mr. and Mrs. Donald Cady.

## Bike Riders Hope To Smash Records At Skeeter Hill

Motorcycle riders will come from far and near Monday to try to smash speed and climbing records at Skeeter Hill.

The race course up the big hill three miles east of Mason on M-36 has been toughened this spring. The track has been widened and improved.

There will be speed and tourist races in addition to the climbing. The main events are scheduled to start at two o'clock.

Gold stamps given on all purchases, Sunoco Station, corner of Columbian and Cedar, Mason. 21wl

## Navy Veteran Will Give Mason Memorial Address

Rev. Carl Biggs, pastor of the North Avenue church, will give the memorial address at Mason services Monday. He served in the navy during World War II.

Memorial services will begin at 11 o'clock at the Legion Memorial building. Services there will be followed by a parade to the memorial plaque on the court house lawn and thence to Maple Grove cemetery.

At the court house memorial and again at the cemetery tribute will be paid to the war dead.

In the parade will be the Mason school band, Boy Scouts, Legion Auxiliary, Blue Star Mothers and veterans of the Spanish American War, World War I and World War II.

Services at the Legion Memorial building will be opened by a prayer said by Rev. Marshall W. Simpson of the Presbyterian church. Then will come a band selection, followed by the recitation of the Gettysburg Address by

## Fruit Unharmed By Cold Wave

Tree fruit escaped unscratched from the frost Tuesday and Wednesday night.

Apples were hurt some in the cold wave of two weeks ago but peaches, plums and cherries were far enough along to escape frost damage. Prospects are good for all tree fruits, growers said Thursday morning.

Strawberries were hurt by the frost this week. Some tomato plants were also nipped. The mercury registered 31 at Mason Wednesday morning.

## Hallie Harkness Denies Using Cash Of School District

Claims Pages Are Missing From Official Records Of Driver School District

If there is a shortage in the funds of the Driver school district in Lansing township, he is not to blame for it, Hallie Harkness told a circuit court jury at Mason Wednesday. He denied using \$5,833.62 to purchase his farm near Eaton Rapids or for any other purpose.

## Guilty!

After deliberating 30 minutes the jury returned a verdict of guilty against Hallie L. Harkness. He was remanded to the custody of the sheriff to await sentence.

pose, he told the jury from the witness stand.

Harkness testified that sheets are missing from the Driver school district records. If they were found, he declared, the alleged shortage might be explained.

Jurors must follow through a maze of confusing accounting practices to reach a verdict. Harkness told the jurors that school funds and his own funds were handled jointly on occasion, and that money which belonged to him was used to pay school district bills and money from the school district was used mistakenly in his own account. Never was there a time, though, Harkness testified, when there was a shortage in school funds while he was treasurer. At all times, he insisted, every penny of Driver school district money was available to the district.

The static, however, charged Harkness with taking \$5,833.62 on about January 24, 1945, when he completed a deal for the purchase of his farm near Eaton Rapids.

Originally there were three counts in the warrant. Two were ordered quashed by Judge Marvin J. Salmon after hearing motions by Defense Attorney Barnard Pierce and Prosecutor Charles R. MacLean Tuesday morning. Harkness went to trial with but many adjustments between stores and business places.

## Treasurer 18 Years

Harkness was treasurer of the Driver school district for 18 years. During that period he was employed as an accountant at the Olds Motor Works in Lansing. Prior to going to Lansing he worked for the Standard Oil Co. at Mason. He had also farmed near Mason. For years he was widely known as a semi-pro baseball pitcher.

**CAR LEAVES CURVE**

Aubrey F. Arwood of Lansing was unhurt at 6:40 Wednesday morning when his car left the Harp road curve on US-127 north of Mason. The car went into the ditch and overturned.

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SAVING LIVES is easy through the Red Cross mobile blood bank.

Every person carries an extra pint of blood in his body, doctors explain, and 34 of those pints were donated by Mason residents when the mobile Red Cross unit converted the Legion Memorial building into a hospital last Thursday.

The picture shows Lee Sanborn giving his pint while Miss Vida Fontana, R. N., regulates the flow. Sanborn served in General Patton's Third Army and saw a lot of action but last Thursday was his first experience in giving blood. He didn't mind it a bit, he said.

Fifty people offered to donate blood but the offers of only 34 were accepted. There were 16 rejections for a variety of medical reasons but chiefly on the score of low hemoglobin. That's a condition common in the spring of the year, nurses explained.

Those who volunteered as donors were Al Rice, Porter Field, Donald Densmore, Ralph Swinehart, John Shepard, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lori, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Jewett, Mrs. Clarence Elifert, Mrs. Robert Seyfarth, Mr. and Mrs. James Clotta, Fred Silsby, Harlan Hall, Edward J. Soper, Donald R. Edgington, Harold Haase, Carl Barto, James Kramer, Mrs. George McArthur, James H. Van Der Ven, Mrs. David Bennett, Mrs. Norman Dart, Mrs. Gretchen Schnepp, Lester Smalley, Scott Hammann, Lee Sanborn, Charles Swartout, Mrs. Gordon Kennedy, Sam Cotton, Ray Abel, Mrs. Hugh Corne, Mrs. Stanley Holmes, Dr. Robert Azelton, Mrs. Raymond McLean, Nelson Brown, Frank Evans and Mrs. Marie Collins.

Springer is now back in the cage. He is serving a year on a parole violation charge. His term started last December 29.

Sinclair, doing a year on a morals charge, was on parole from Jackson. His escape may cause him to be sent back to prison after his jail term is completed.

Moore and Sinclair made their escape from the Ingham jail by fashioning a key out of a steel bunk brace. Moore said he found the key on a window ledge in the hospital cell where he and Sinclair were locked. Moore said the cell had been left on the ledge by a plumber sent in to make repairs to the toilet. Sinclair said that the cell was passed into the hospital cell by Springer. Moore denied that any visitor or inmate had helped in the escape.

There are no keyholes on the inside of the hospital cell lock or the inside of other cells. On the hospital cell door is a port which may be opened for passing food back and forth or through which prisoners inside and visitors outside may converse. The lock on the port was broken. The sheriff said the knob which secures the cover on the porthole was broken when Victor Vercryssen occupied the cell and had not been repaired. With the knob broken, Moore on the inside could reach his arm through the opening and fit his improvised key to the lock from the outside of the door.

The line of march is from the school to the cemetery where Rev. Harry Cummings of Dansville will give the invocation. Levant R. Wheaton, former minister, and now English teacher at Starr Commonwealth at Albion will speak. The boys' quartet from the Commonwealth, under the direction of Miss Bessie Vosse, will provide a program of musical selections, followed by the VFW ritual. Wives of veterans will have refreshments waiting at the school when the parade returns.

The afternoon program will be headed by a two-hour show sponsored by the Dexter Trail Stock Horse club from 1 to 3 p.m. At 3 p.m. the Dansville Merchants will play the Dansville Veterans in a baseball game.

Afternoon events are also scheduled for children, including races and horseshoe-pitching contests.

The event is being sponsored by the Mason Kiwanis club but is open to the public. There'll be a dinner at 6:30 with the Abrams lecture booked for 8:00. Tickets are being sold for the dinner and lecture at \$1.50 or for the lecture alone for 50c.

Abrams is head of the Abrams Aerial Survey Corporation of Lansing. He has specialized in aerial photography and contour mapping. He invented the Abrams contour finder, the mechanical triangulator and other instruments used in aerial photography and survey work.

Born in Tekonsha in 1895, Abrams served as a marine corps aviator in World War I. He flew with the U. S. Air Mail service when it was first launched in 1920. He has directed the mapping of

large areas in the United States, Central and South America, and the West Indies by air. He has served on military missions to European countries and has represented the United States at many international meetings of scientists. He was an observer with the U. S. air force in "Operation Grid" in Alaska last year.

Abrams is credited with having invented a contour finder, a stratosphere called the Explorer, a 16 mm. combat gun camera, as well as stereoscopes and height finders.

The Abrams manufacturing company has made torpedoes assessing equipment, anti-fogging device for optical sights, navy radar cameras, sun compasses, stereoscopes, intervalometers, photogrammetric instruments and laboratory equipment for the air force and atomic energy commission alpha counters.

Since the war Abrams has visited 58 countries. He has visited the capital of every country in the western hemisphere. There are only a few places in the world he has not visited.

Tickets for the dinner and for the lecture and the showing of the pictures will be placed on sale by the end of the week.

## Special Election June 6 For Rebuilding Township Hall Destroyed by Fire

Ingham Township Voters Are Asked To Raise \$9,400 by Taxes To Go With \$10,000 For Building Fire Station and Town Hall

Ingham township voters will be asked to decide on Monday, June 6, what they want to do about rebuilding the town hall at Dansville. The building was destroyed by fire February 7, 1947.

The specific proposal which will be placed before the electors is to raise \$9,400 by a special tax on the 1949 roll. The township has about \$10,000 on hand. The election will be held at the V. F. W. hall.

While there has been no decision reached, town board members said, on the plans for the building it was indicated that the Onondaga town hall may be used for a pattern.

That is a one-story building with a stage and auditorium and equipped with a kitchen. The Ingham building will also house a fire truck.

The township bought a fire truck, using part of the insurance money collected on the old building.

The action of the town board in calling the election was taken Wednesday night following the filing of a petition signed by 25 freeholders.

George Vogt, Jr., township clerk, said the board will likely use the present site.

The town hall which was destroyed two years ago was built in 1902. It was a two-story brick structure which cost \$5,000. The replacement cost at the time of the fire was estimated at \$25,000.

The branch library, which was housed in the town hall, was destroyed along with dishes, silver and utensils belonging to community organizations.

On July 7, 1947, at a special election Ingham voters turned down a proposal to bond the township for \$30,000 to be used with fire insurance money to build and furnish a town hall. The vote was 90 to 72. On increasing the tax limit to pay off the bonds the vote was 85 against and 67 for. The vote at that election favored erection of the building, if it were built, on the village site instead of the township site. The vote on that proposal was 78 in favor of the village site to 49 in favor of the township location.

Services for Mr. Snow will be held Friday at two o'clock in the Jewett chapel in Mason. Rev. E. J. Cross, former pastor of the Aurelius Baptist church, will officiate with burial in Maple Grove.

Military rites will be conducted by Browne-Cavender post of the American Legion, of which Mr. Snow was a member. Pallbearers will be John Potter, Origin Moore, Ivan Potter, Harry D. Willett, Charles Cooley and Erwin Rhines.

They served with Mr. Snow in the 339th Infantry, Polar Bear Division, in Russia in World War I.

Mr. Snow was born in Eaton County May 19, 1892, the son of Clyde H. and Emma E. Bearse Snow. He attended the Aurelius Center school and Mason high school. He bought the farm on Ferris road just before his marriage to Goldie Vanhorn in 1920. Since then that was where Mr. and Mrs. Snow lived and where their children grew up.

Besides the widow there remain two children, Mrs. Doyle (Virginia) Lott of Lansing and Bernadine Snow of Holt, a grandson, three brothers and a sister. The brothers are Clyde Snow of Aurelius, Clarence Snow of Capae and Burdette Snow of Holt. The sister is Mrs. Clara Converse of Jackson.

**One Day Short**

Correspondents and advertisers are asked to mail in copy a day early next week because of the Memorial Day holiday on Monday. Stores, postoffice, banks and county offices will be closed. Publication of the Ingham County News will be "Thursday as usual."

One group of spring hats, 1/2 price. The Paristyle Shoppe, Mason. 21wl

## Abrams Will Show Flight Pictures Here



Jane Garcia, 13, will appear in Mexican costume in a dance in front of the court house Saturday afternoon from 2:45 to 3:00. Special Latin-American music will be played. The Garcia girl is a pupil at the Mason school.

Cotton dresses, better cottons and house dresses, \$2.95 up. The Paristyle Shoppe, Mason. 21wl

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corner of Ingham court and Jefferson and suited to be taken to East Lansing.

Although money is taken away from prisoners and kept in the turnkey's office, both Moore and Sinclair had money in their possession, Moore told the sheriff. Moore had four dollar bills in his shoe when he left the jail, he said. Moore refused to say who had handed him the money or to say whether or not he had it when he entered jail back in January.

After the taxi ride to East Lansing, Moore said, he called a man in Flint and then he and Sinclair took a bus to Grand Rapids. There the two parted, Moore going on to Muskegon.

Never Was Trusty

Moore was not and never had

been a trusty at the jail, Sheriff MacDonald declared. He said that Moore had not had the run of the place and had never been outside the cage or the hospital cell without a guard. Two or three times Moore, under guard, had been permitted to make telephone calls and had been permitted to confer with his attorney. That privilege is granted all prisoners, the sheriff remarked.

Sheriff MacDonald said that Moore was placed in the hospital cell to help take care of Ver- crosse in January. The sheriff praised Moore for the help given with Ver- crosse. However, no promises or favors of any kind had been given for the service, the sheriff declared. Moore corroborated the statement, adding that he had got beyond expecting favors from anyone.

Sheriff was transferred from the cage to the hospital cell on his complaint that he didn't feel well.

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## Mason Drops Tilt To Oriole Champs

Mason high school lost a good chance to at least share a chunk of the Capital Circuit baseball crown by falling before Charlotte Friday 5-4. Mason will meet Charlotte again on Memorial Day at Charlotte in the season's finale.

The Orioles are as good as on the Capital Circuit throne. They meet Eaton Rapids Friday and will not lose a game. They must wind up against Mason Monday.

Bob Brown was too much for the Bulldogs in the Charlotte game. The ace Charlotte lefty held Mason to two hits, both singles, and was never in trouble. Denny Stole and Merritt Snyder were the only two men to get the stick on the ball.

Charlotte had an easy time with the offerings of Ron Stole. The Orioles whacked out a total of 10 hits, two of them for extra bases.

In the second frame Charlotte scored two runs on an error, a walk and a single. In the fourth inning the Orioles added two more runs on two hits and an error. In the seventh inning the Orioles came up with their last run on two hits and an error.

Bob Brown not only pitched a good game but banged out two hits in three trips to the plate. One of them was a booming triple. Every man in the Oriole lineup smacked out at least one hit.

Mason's usually tight defense will be plenty of holes in it Friday. The Bulldogs committed five mistakes. Charlotte played errorless ball.

**Alaiedon Center**

Mrs. Elmer C. Brown

Alaiedon Center Mother's club met at the home of Mrs. Dolly Swain of Willoughby road Friday evening for its final meeting. Miss Dorothy Rozen and Miss Parks of Hall Memorial library were guest speakers. The group purchased an electric record player for the school. Ice cream and cake were served by the hostess.

JoAnn Swain is among the Mason seniors who went on the class trip to Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brown and family spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Kendall of Phillips road.

Max Hawley, Mason cab driver, said he had no suspicions when Moore and Sinclair walked to his taxi stand Tuesday night of last week. The two men were well dressed and had luggage, with them, Hawley stated.

"They told me their car had broken down and that they must reach Detroit," Hawley explained. "They wanted me to take them to the East Lansing bus station where they would catch a bus for Detroit. They said nothing on the way that would lead anyone to believe that they had escaped jail. The taxi charge was \$3.60."

## Tri-County Opener Is Halted by Rain

Rain spoiled the opening game of the Tri-County baseball league at Mason Sunday. The rain which had drizzled down off and on, set in for sure in the fourth inning.

Mason was playing Stockbridge at the county park diamond. The visitors were leading 1 to 0.

The game will be played later as part of a double bill, Manager Jack Betcher reported.

This coming Sunday the Mason Merchants will go to Webberville.

All Mason players are asked to report at the Simone store at 12:30 for the trip.

**CLAIM BEST GARDEN**

Neighbors of Cordie Bashford, 122 East Elm, are making claims that the Bashford garden ranks No. 1 this spring. It was put in early and has escaped frost damage.

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or Mr. and Mrs. Charles Haviland and son. The birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Glen Stevens, Clyde Wilber and Donald Haviland were honored.

Mrs. Charles Haviland attended the funeral for her uncle, Daniel Webster of Jackson, Monday afternoon.

John Miller was a Monday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Archie

Haus.

Mrs. Grace Strobel and daughters were in Mason Monday and called at the Lawton Benient

home.

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Usher, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Usher and District of Day City and Mrs. Lotta Onley called in the afternoon.

Pleasant View and Mt. Pleasant schools closed Friday with a picnic.

They also went through Miller's

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## Big Week for Mason Seniors, Commencement Next Thursday

Baccalaureate Exercises At Mason Presbyterian Church Sunday, Graduate Outdoors

Returning from the lake cruise to Toronto and Niagara Falls, Wednesday Mason seniors will continue their final

fling at high school this next week.

Seniors will be the guests of the junior class at the annual junior-senior reception to be held in the school gymnasium Friday night.

Baccalaureate will be in the Mason Presbyterian church, with Rev. Henry Liddlecoat of the Mason Methodist church preaching

the sermon, Sunday evening. The topic is "Like Ships." Other ministers will participate in the service. Class night will be held in the school auditorium Tuesday night.

On Wednesday morning, the seniors will have breakfast together in the Presbyterian church parlor. The big event, commencement, is next Thursday night, June 2, at Athletic field. In case of bad weather, commencement will be switched to the school auditorium.

The outdoor commencement will be the first in the history of the school. The class numbers 86, the biggest by far to graduate from Mason.

Dr. Russell H. Selbert, professor of history at Western Michigan college, Kalamazoo, is to give the commencement address.

On the list to receive diplomas are Donna Acheson, Alberta Adams, Carolyn Allen, Jim Armstrong, Eleanor Austin, George Barker, Beverly Barry, Marilyn Benham, Joyce Becher, Sheldon Bibbins, Marian Burns, Barbara Carpenter, Barbara Clark, Ida Colby, Orey Cornell, Rev. Crawford, Arlene Crosby, Kay Curtis, Faith Dakin, Kenneth A. Darling, Louis Denning, Bill Dolbec, Bob Eames.

Mervin Everitt, Marshall Fairbotham, Franklin Felters, Marjorie Fineout, George Fish, Harry Freeman, Basil Fruin, Ann Gahrchrist, Mary Hall, Ken Harling, Bette Hill, Dale Hill, Betty Hinkle, Rebecca Holmes, Raymond Holmes, Larry Howe, Loretta Howe, Joyce Huber, Roger Hummel, Dallas Hyde, Kathleen Ireland, Don Jennings, Joe Johnson.

Nancy Johnson, Evelyn Klon, Stanley Kranz, Mary Lehman, La Verne Lenon, Norman Lindsay, Bob Lyons, Mary Menovics, Bonnie Mizer, Paul Mudgett, Pat Mulholland, Elaine Nesbitt, Dean Orr, Joyce Owen, Joan Parsons, Margaret Peasley, Bob Phillips, Don Redmond, Kay Ried, Robert Ridges, Bill Roggoff, Joan Rusch, Ted Reeve.

Bernadene Shaw, Evelyn Smith, Margaret Smith, Ray Sridar, Merritt Snyder, Paul Snyder, Jim Soper, Nancy Sperry, Ron Stoltz, Jo Ann Swain, Olga Tabachik, Helen Terhorst, Beverly Underwood, Ruth Vander Ven, Margaret Watt, Don Wiley and Don Willett.

Joan Rusch is president of the class and also its valedictorian.

Ann Gilchrist is the salutatorian.

Nancy Cummings of Dansville will be a speaker. Miss Berta Voss, music director of the Starr Commonwealth at Albion, will direct the boys' quartet. Levant R. Wheaton, English teacher at Starr Commonwealth and former minister will speak.

After the VFW ritual the parade will march back to the school. Wives of veterans will serve refreshments at the school.

PROGRAM FOR THE AFTERNOON

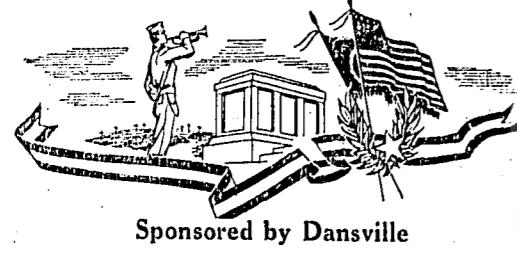
1 p. m. to 3 p. m.—Program by the Dexter Trail Stock Horse Club

3 p. m.—Baseball game between the Dansville Merchants and Dansville Veterans.

Horseshoe Pitching Tournament

Races for Children

Prizes will be given for decorated bicycles and events



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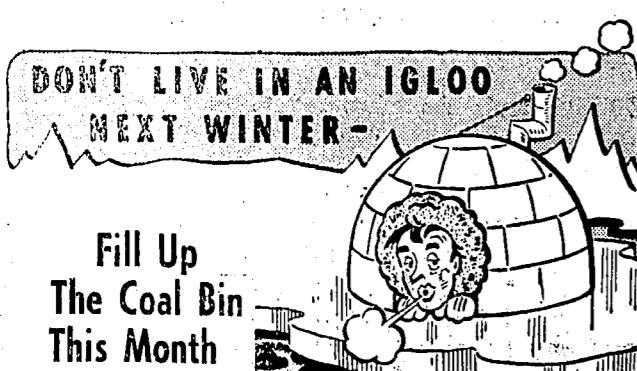
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the sermon, Sunday evening. The topic is "Like Ships." Other ministers will participate in the service. Class night will be held in the school auditorium Tuesday night.

On Wednesday morning, the seniors will have breakfast together in the Presbyterian church parlor. The big event, commencement, is next Thursday night, June 2, at Athletic field. In case of bad weather, commencement will be switched to the school auditorium.

The outdoor commencement will be the first in the history of the school. The class numbers 86, the biggest by far to graduate from Mason.

Dr. Russell H. Selbert, professor of history at Western Michigan college, Kalamazoo, is to give the commencement address.

On the list to receive diplomas are Donna Acheson, Alberta Adams, Carolyn Allen, Jim Armstrong, Eleanor Austin, George Barker, Beverly Barry, Marilyn Benham, Joyce Becher, Sheldon Bibbins, Marian Burns, Barbara Carpenter, Barbara Clark, Ida Colby, Orey Cornell, Rev. Crawford, Arlene Crosby, Kay Curtis, Faith Dakin, Kenneth A. Darling, Louis Denning, Bill Dolbec, Bob Eames.

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Bernadene Shaw, Evelyn Smith, Margaret Smith, Ray Sridar, Merritt Snyder, Paul Snyder, Jim Soper, Nancy Sperry, Ron Stoltz, Jo Ann Swain, Olga Tabachik, Helen Terhorst, Beverly Underwood, Ruth Vander Ven, Margaret Watt, Don Wiley and Don Willett.

Joan Rusch is president of the class and also its valedictorian.

Ann Gilchrist is the salutatorian.

Nancy Cummings of Dansville will be a speaker. Miss Berta Voss, music director of the Starr Commonwealth at Albion, will direct the boys' quartet. Levant R. Wheaton, English teacher at Starr Commonwealth and former minister will speak.

After the VFW ritual the parade will march back to the school. Wives of veterans will serve refreshments at the school.

PROGRAM FOR THE AFTERNOON

1 p. m. to 3 p. m.—Program by the Dexter Trail Stock Horse Club

3 p. m.—Baseball game between the Dansville Merchants and Dansville Veterans.

Horseshoe Pitching Tournament

Races for Children

Prizes will be given for decorated bicycles and events



Dr. Russell H. Selbert

## Harkness

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his roll of bills that he discovered he had mistakenly deposited the \$13,083.07 school district check in his own personal account.

Prosecution witnesses included Hubert S. Sellers, Lansing township treasurer; Ernest Poerch, bank employee; Lytle B. Austin, county treasurer; Robert Blanding, bank employee; Mrs. Platte, who sold the farm to Harkness; Jack McMaster, who succeeded Harkness as school treasurer in 1946; K. L. Draventraut, school board secretary; Leon Smith, school district treasurer; (who succeeded McMaster); Joseph Pearce, state police detective; William G. Pearce, CPA; Durward A. Rainsberger, employed as accountant by Pearce; and Alton J. Stroud, county school superintendent.

Records Are Showed

Pearce, head of the Pearce accounting firm, produced a summary of receipts and disbursements which showed school district receipts of \$31,013.71 and bank deposits of \$25,489.40 for the school year ending June 30, 1945, and receipts of \$36,364.38 and deposits of \$36,055.07 for the school year ending June 30, 1946. That left \$5,823.62 unaccounted for during the two years, Pearce testified. The shortage was subsequently reduced to \$5,524.31, Pearce said.

Harkness On Stand

Harkness took the stand late Wednesday forenoon. He said he bought the Eaton Rapids farm in 1944 and moved his family there. He remained at the home at 106 North Alger street, west of Lansing, during the week because of gas rationing. He said he kept his school account books at the farm because the school check book was too bulky to carry around. He used his own cash to pay district bills, he testified, later recovering from the district fund.

He related that he used his own cash reserves to pay the salary of teachers during the holiday break in 1933 when school funds were unavailable.

The former school treasurer, testifying about the check of \$13,983.07 and his safety box cache, declared that he treated the \$6,500 he claimed he had in cash as school district money when he discovered that the big check had been put in his own account.

Harkness insisted that his daughter entered many transactions in the school district books and that all the pages upon which she wrote are now missing from the ledgers. The daughter, Mrs. Mildred Whittum, took the stand and testified that she wrote many of the orders in the district books.

A daughter-in-law, Mrs. Richard Harkness, testified that she had seen Mrs. Whittum working on school district records, entering orders.

Character witnesses for Harkness Wednesday afternoon were John F. Bell of Lansing, and Clifford Wilson, Roy Henning, Thomas Long and Clarence Whipp of Eaton Rapids.

Order Books Seen

Thursday morning Floyd C. Easterbrook, secretary of the school board testified about his checking the books. He was followed by three character witnesses

for Harkness, Leo J. Ruggles, L. H. Morgan and L. C. Church of Lansing.

Testimony of rebuttal witnesses brought the purchase order books of the school district into court records for the first time. K. L. Draventraut, school board secretary; Leon Smith, school district treasurer; (who succeeded McMaster); Joseph Pearce, state police detective; William G. Pearce, CPA; Durward A. Rainsberger, employed as accountant by Pearce; and Alton J. Stroud, county school superintendent.

Durward A. Rainsberger and William G. Pearce, auditors, reported on their checking the records and Pearce told the court books against the records and that he checked the purchase order found that each order had been paid by check, not by cash. Mrs. Platte also took the stand Thursday morning to give further details on the farm transaction.

Five prospective jurors were excused from the box because of their acquaintances with or relationship to Harkness. They were Frank Steverance, Edward G. Winkles, Mrs. Clara Tonline, and Vern DeCamp. Ezra Frood was excused because of a newspaper account which he had read. Six others were removed on peremptory challenges.

The gas used in neon tubes gets its name from the Greek word neon, meaning new one.

## LEGAL NOTICES

FINAL ADMINISTRATIVE ACCOUNT  
SCHLACK—June 14, 1949  
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 Ingham County, on the 24th day of May, A. D. 1949.

Present: HON. JOHN McCLELLAN,  
Judge of Probate.  
Administrator of the estate of WILLIAM L. SCHLACK, Deceased.

EARL A. DUNSMORE having filed in said court the final administration account of the estate of Lester A. Dunscombe, who will name, and the petition praying for the allowance thereof, and for the assignment of the residue of said estate to him, it is ordered that on the 14th day of June A. D. 1949, at ten o'clock A. M., at the Probate Office in said Probate Office he and his attorney appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

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

A True Copy: JOHN McCLELLAN,  
Judge of Probate.  
DAVID C. BEATTY  
Register of Probate

## NAMED TO HONOR SOCIETY

Robert S. Collar of Mason has been elected to Pi Tau Sigma, national honorary mechanical engineering society. Collar is a junior at the University of Michigan. He was graduated from Mason high school in 1946 and was awarded a regents-alumni scholarship at the university. He has also been given a certificate of honor in recognition of academic achievement at the university.

## IRISH PRESIDENT REPLIES

Dan Doyle of Lansing received a letter from Sean O'Kelly, president of Ireland, recently. The above mentioned letter was a reply to a message of good will mailed by Doyle to the president on the occasion of the coming into operation of the Republic of Ireland.

The sum asked is to cover medical expenses to date and possible future treatment plus recovery for pain and suffering.

In the declaration Crippen said that it was his first experience with water dishes when he howled at the Spartan alleys. He said that most alleys have chairs for bowlers to rub on their hands while at the Spartan alleys water dishes and towels were provided at each alley.

Lloyd D. Parr of Lansing is representing Crippen. Richard Poster is the defense attorney.

## Bowler Asks Cash To Cover Injury

Before Judge Charles H. Hayday in circuit court at Mason Thursday came the suit in which L. H. Crippen of Lansing is asking \$10,000 damage from the Spartans alleys.

Crippen claimed he was injured when he fell at the Spartan alleys April 25, 1948. He claimed he fell when his foot struck a wet spot in the alley. The fall twisted his knee and he may have to have an operation, the declaration said.

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# Social Events and Personals

## Onondaga O. E. S. Is Hostess For County Association Meeting

The semi-annual meeting of the Onondaga County association of O. E. S. was held at Onondaga Saturday, May 21, for afternoon and evening sessions. Mrs. Mary Byrum, past president, called the afternoon meeting to order at 1:30. County officers were reported to their stations by Mrs. Ruby Whitney, acting marshal.

Mrs. J. B. Dalton, county association president, opened the meeting. Mrs. Mabel Underwood, worthy matron of Onondaga chapter, gave the address of welcome. Mrs. Madeline Difley of Okemos chapter gave the response.

A memorial service was given honoring the members who have died since the last meeting of the association meeting. The deceased members were Mrs. Franc Gardner, Mrs. Ruth Smith and Leon Webb.

After the business meeting, the meeting adjourned for dinner. Din-

### ENROUTE TO NEW MEXICO

Jona Davis left from Chicago on Friday morning for Reserve, New Mexico, where she has accepted a position for the summer. She will spend the last part of August with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. S. Davis of Mason, before returning to Chicago to complete her studies.

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### Miscellaneous Shower Honors Susan Hobbins

Mrs. Forest Campbell and her daughter, Mrs. Orville Woodard, entertained at a miscellaneous bridal shower Wednesday night for Miss Susan Hobbins at the Woodard home. Miss Hobbins will become the bride of Kenneth Shaffer on Saturday, June 18, at the Onondaga Community church.

Bouquets of snapdragons were used in decorating the Woodard home for the occasion. Games furnished the evening's entertainment with prizes going to the bride-to-be.

Miss Hobbins unwrapped her many gifts from a table on which was placed a pink and white umbrella.

The hostesses served ice cream, cake decorated with wedding bells and coffee.

Guests at the shower were Mrs. Louis Hobbins, mother of the prospective bride; Mrs. Charles Hobbins, Mrs. Ethel Swanner was co-hostess with Miss Frazier.

Miss Hunter will become the bride of Jack Hettner of Holt at the Mason Presbyterian church on Sunday afternoon, June 5. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hunter of Mason, and the parents of her fiance are Mr. and Mrs. Walter J. Hettner of Holt.

Arrangements of spring flowers made the Frazier home attractive. The evening was spent in playing cards. Prizes were given to the honored guest. Refreshments were served by the hostesses after the entertainment.

Guests at the party included Mrs. Charles Hunter, mother of the bride-to-be; Mrs. Margaret Rybnikar, Mrs. Harold Galka and Mrs. Harold Vosler, all of Lansing; Mrs. Norman Brown, Mrs. Don Green, Mrs. Paul Zimmerman and Miss Joyce Colby.

Wendell Fuller, Virginia Deprest, Bill Knight and Shirley Ackley visited the tulip festival at Holland Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Mosher and Bill Knight were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Ackley.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Beebe and Mr. and Mrs. Vane McWhorter entertained for dinner at the Beebe cottage at Pleasant Lake Sunday. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corbin and Charles and Richard and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mix and Marlene of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Clair McWhorter of Sunfield and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Beebe.

### Fifty Attend May Breakfast For Golf Club

Mason Golf Club Women's association held its annual May breakfast at the Mason Golf course Saturday at one o'clock. Fifty members of the association and their guests were present for the annual affair.

Two-tables of bridge were in play during the afternoon. High honors were won by Mrs. Zola Bashford Dart, Mrs. Frank Guerrero and Mrs. David Dient of Dinsville.

Mrs. Harold Scofield, retiring president, was presented a gift by the Golf club members.

Mrs. Louis Stid was general chairman of the breakfast. Mrs. James Cotton and Mrs. Rollin Dart were in charge of the decorations. Mrs. Raymond McLean and Mrs. George Clinton were on the prize committee.

On Thursday, June 2, the local golf women will entertain the Howell Women's Golf association at the golf course.

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### Two Rebekahs to Receive Jewels

Mason Rebekah Lodge No. 324 will hold a regular meeting at 1:00 P. M. on Wednesday night, June 1. Harrison G. Lorce, general of the Michigan Department of Patriarch Militant, will be present at the lodge meeting for the purpose of presenting jewels to Mrs. Mrs. Bray and Mrs. Alva Campbell.

Two-tiered arrangements of pink and white snapdragons and baby mums flanked the square wedding cake, which was served by Mrs. Fowlerville and gardenias.

A reception for the couple was given by Mr. and Mrs. Francis Burgess Saturday night at the Burgess home on West Columbia road. One hundred guests were present from Monroe, Swartz Creek, Grand Rapids, Lansing, Detroit, Mt. Clemens, Indianapolis, Perry, Fowlerville and Mason.

Following the reception Mr. and Mrs. Starr left on a short wedding trip through northern Michigan. They will make their home at 3711 West Columbia road.

Mrs. Starr graduated from Mason high school in 1946. She has been employed at Schmidt's department store. Mr. Starr, a Mason high school graduate, served as a flight officer in the army air corps for three years during World War II. He is now operating the Starr crop dusting service and serves as a pilot instructor at Fowlerville airport.

### Wed Saturday in Rectory Rites

Miss Audrey Snider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Snider, became the bride of Robert H. Starr, son of Mrs. Fannie Starr, at the rectory of St. Mary's cathedral in Lansing Saturday afternoon at four o'clock. Rev. Fr. Charles Keating performed the rites. Only the immediate families were present.

The bride chose a dressmaker suit of pale salmon beige sharkskin with brown and white accessories. She wore a shoulder corsage of white gardenias and a halo of white rosebuds. She carried a white prayer book.

Mrs. Alex Lesiak of Detroit, the bride's attendant, wore a dressmaker suit of aqua gabardine with brown accessories. Her shoulder corsage was of pink and white roses. She wore a halo of pink and white rosebuds.

Alex Lesiak attended the bridegroom as best man.

Mrs. Snider, the bride's mother, selected a blue gown with black accessories for the wedding. She wore a slipper blue topper. Mrs. Starr was attired in a dark blue print dress, accented with white accessories, for her son's marriage. The bride's grandmother, Mrs. Reinhold Sager, chose a cocoon brown frock and navy blue accessories.

The guest register was in charge of Miss Nancy Spenny.

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MRS. ROBERT H. STARR

### MARKS 17th BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Claire Pulver celebrated her 17th birthday anniversary Sunday with a picnic dinner. Guests of Miss Pulver for the occasion were Dwight Helms and Ward Hodgeskins of Lansing, and Mary Every of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Eaton of Chicago will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Scofield and daughter, Helen, this week end.

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MASON ARCHERS MEET

Members of the Mason Archery club met at the shooting range on Kelly road Sunday for a shoot. After the shooting match the group had a potluck dinner at the R. R. DeMartin garage. Dr. and Mrs. Keith Pauley were hosts to the 30 guests.

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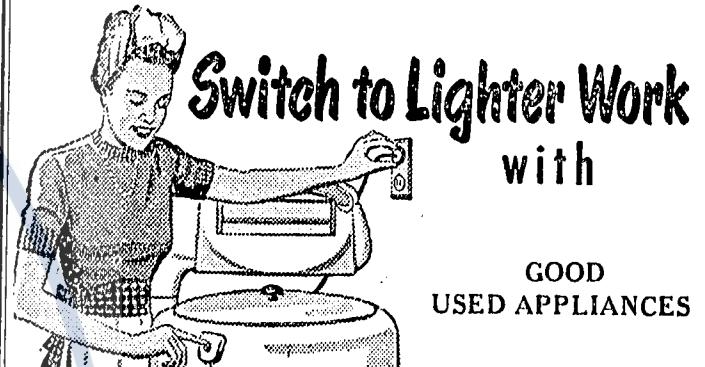
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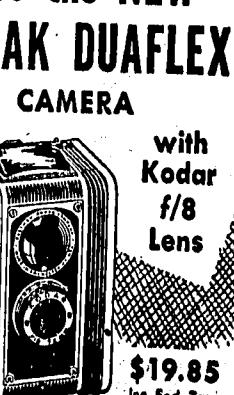
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## Mason Seniors Return From Cruise on Lakes

By Joan Rusch

According to plans, the Mason high school senior class started on its senior trip Sunday morning at 6:00. The buses arrived in Detroit around 8:30 followed by a three-hour wait for the S. S. Noronic.

Mason seniors, along with students from 10 other schools, boarded the boat at 12:30 and were served their first meal at 1:00. All the meals were good, and the passengers were served all they could eat at each meal.

On the boat, there was much entertainment provided for the travelers. On the bottom deck was a rumpus room containing a coke bar and ping-pong tables. A nine-piece band played from 9 to 1:00 each night, and movies were provided for those who didn't care to dance. Games of cards were in full swing on every deck each day of the trip. The voyage down the Detroit river was uneventful with only one stop to load coal. On Sunday afternoon a meeting was called for all students, in which the band leader, master of ceremonies and recreation director on the boat introduced themselves and explained the recreational facilities on the boat.

At 7:00 Monday morning, the Noronic went through the locks in the Welland canal. At 2:30 the boat arrived at Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Two tours were offered for the sightseers. It was the day before the queen's birthday and many flags were flying in the city. Tuesday was to be a holiday and free movies and fireworks were shown at an amusement park near the city Monday night. Many students, however, spent their time window and souvenir shopping in the big city. The impression that many Mason people carried home was that Toronto was overrun with banks and trust companies. At 11:00 p. m. the boat left Toronto and at 9:00 Tuesday morning the pupils boarded chartered buses which took them directly to Niagara Falls. At the falls, tours were also offered. Most of the Mason people boarded the boat at 4:30 loaded with souvenirs. At Toronto and Niagara, the passengers went through customs, (who were searching specifically for firecrackers.)

Tuesday night on the boat a talent show made up of talent from the different schools was a feature attraction.

The show began at 8:15 and at approximately 8:30 the wind began to blow and the boat rocked in earnest. Tuesday night was the only time the water was really rough, and it was not uncommon to see people walking dizzy and waving as the boat heaved and tossed. There were very few cases of sea sickness however, and when the boat docked in Detroit at 11:00 Wednesday morning, members of the Mason senior class declared they had enjoyed a wonderful trip.

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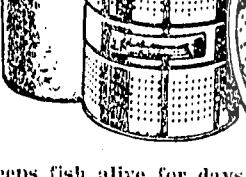
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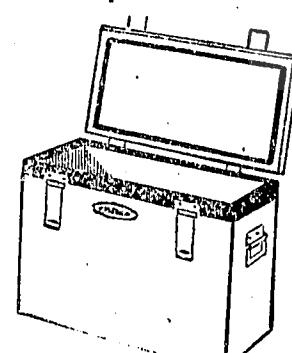


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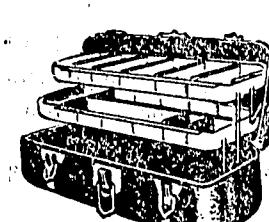
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## Calendar of Events

THURSDAY, MAY 26  
Busy Bunch, Mrs. Ver Baldwin,  
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FRIDAY, MAY 27  
Mason Junior and Senior Reception,  
dinner at 6:30, Legion Hall,  
Memorial building; dancing, 9 o'clock,  
high school gymnasium.

SUNDAY, MAY 29  
Baccalaureate Services, Presbyterian  
church, Rev. Henry Liddicoat  
delivering the address.

MONDAY, MAY 30  
Motorcycle Races and Hill Climb,  
Skeeter hill.

TUESDAY, MAY 31  
Senior Class Night, high school  
auditorium.

Ruth circle, Methodist church,  
Mrs. Cecil Harter, 3117 West Harper  
road, 8 p. m.

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 1  
Senior Breakfast, Presbyterian  
church.

Dime Community Club, Mrs. M.  
L. Surato, 334 North Aurelius  
road.

Mason Rebekah Lodge, No. 524,  
I. O. O. F. hall, 8 p. m.

TUESDAY, JUNE 2  
Commencement Services, Ath-  
letic Field.

Townsend Club No. 1, Mr. and  
Mrs. George F. Robinson, 205  
South Rogers street, 7:30.

pink Community Club, annual  
meeting and election of officers,  
Mrs. Bert Rowe, 4047 West Colum-  
bius road.

FRIDAY, JUNE 3  
Mason Assembly Rainbow  
for Girls, installation, Masonic Temple,  
8 p. m.

SUNDAY, JUNE 5  
Dul-Bois School Reunion, Wheat-  
field Cleaner hall.

MONDAY, JUNE 6  
Past Chiefs Club, Mrs. L. B.  
Barr, 1633 Dexter Trail, 6:30 p. m.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and  
Mrs. Harold Neal and LaVale  
were Allen Johnson and Mrs. E.  
W. Simms of Leslie and Albert  
Johnson of East Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. William James  
visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Sablitsky  
of Potosky over the week end. On  
Tuesday evening Mr. and Mrs.  
James called on Mr. and Mrs. Floyd  
Ward of Stockbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Morris and  
daughters were in Detroit over the  
week end to visit Mrs. Morris' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and  
Mrs. Duncan Clarkson.

Ronnie Snyder, son of Mr. and  
Mrs. Vernon Snyder, has been con-  
fined to his home this week with  
scurbita.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Roberts  
and son spent the week end at Mt.  
Clemens visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wil-  
liam Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Van Epps  
and son, Jimmie, of Jackson visited  
Mr. and Mrs. James Quinn Satur-  
day evening.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Foreman, Sr.  
of Webberville were entertained  
Saturday by Dr. and Mrs. F. J.  
Kellogg.

Mrs. Iva James of Owosso spent  
Tuesday afternoon at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Every.

Mrs. L. H. Walters of Mason was  
also a guest at the Every home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Palen at-  
tended the American Pharmaceutical  
conference in Ann Arbor Tues-  
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Dakin  
spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs.  
Harold Dakin and family of Ann  
Arbor, celebrating their 48th wed-  
ding anniversary.

Mrs. Charles Myers was a guest  
of Mrs. Charles F. Myers at  
a mother and daughter banquet given  
on by the Alpha-Iota sorority Sat-  
urday afternoon at the Hotel Olds  
in Lansing. Mrs. G. Mennen Wil-  
liams was the guest speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bowen, Jr.,  
attended the tulip festival at Holland  
Sunday.

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

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## Livestock—Tools for Sale

FEEDER CATTLE—DURHAM steers, weight 400 to 700 lbs. Michigan cattle. Also northwestern Hereford steers, weight 350 to 650 lbs. Good selection at all times. Delivered. H. R. Anderson, 5 miles west of Mason on Columbia road and 1½ miles south at 854 Elvert road. 18w1

ROTOTILLER tractors for better farming. Good ground agitation means better crops. Place your order now. Cash or credit. For information see your authorized dealer, Ralph W. Riker, 3239 S. Washington road. Phone Lansing 5-2294. 4w1

Chicks—White Rock. Now hatching. Order early. King's Perfect Health poultry and dairy food.

Custom Grinding and Mixing Snow's Hatchery Phone Holt 3541. 6w1

### Baby Chicks

Available now for immediate delivery. All Popular Breeds. Call, write, or stop in

Zeeland Hatchery (Inc.)

MEADOWBROOK BRANCH 132 S. Washington St. Phone 814 Charlotte, Michigan 3w1

ARC WELDER—Ideal for the farm—new, never been used, close-out, 19 to 140 amps. Westinghouse, complete with hood, rods and all attachments. Originally \$159.95. Close out sale, \$120. Jewett Appliance, Mason. 21w1

### Equipment Values at Silsby's

\* New Farmall Cub, delivered price, \$722.04.  
\* New 18 cu. ft. freezer, this week, \$475.  
\* New 8 H-18 cu. ft. refrigerators, \$224.75.  
\* 5½ ft. field cultivators  
\* H and M sub-soilers, power till.  
\* New tractor-type corn planter.  
\* New 25V mowers  
\* Chicken equipment  
\* Used tractors

Silsby Implement Co. Mason Phone 5141

TWO HOLSTEIN COWS for sale, five and seven years old. Due to freshen soon, Lloyd Wagner, 1 mile south and 2 miles west of Williamson on Linn road. 20w2p

POWER LIFT cultivator, 3 years old, will fit H or International A-1 condition, \$125. Lark Arms, east of Leslie. Phone Leslie 2966. 935 E. Kinneville road, 2½ miles. 21w1

PLEASURE MARE, high spirited, easy riding, 8 years old, \$75, or will trade for slower horse. Would like one that rides and drives. Charles York, 3380 Webberville road, 1 mile north of US-16. Phone Webberville 36-F. 21w1

OLIVER TWO-BOTTOM 12-inch plow for sale or trade for a heifer. Also Fordson tractor cheap. Bert Holley, 1½ mile west of golf course on Tonimondale road, Mason. Phone 3782 Mason. 21w1

JOHN DEERE chopped forage blower like new, used one season complete set of pipes for sale \$340. Also 6-ft. hog feeder, \$15. Walter Simon, 4 miles southwest of Williamson on Noble road. Route 1, Williamson. Phone 52F-Williamson. 21w1

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### Mr. Farmer: We Want Calves!

REMEMBER! We pay the best price—every week—Just load your calf in the car and bring him over—

FROM ONE DAY TO TWO WEEKS OLD

### ON MONDAYS ONLY

Will do business as usual on MONDAY, MAY 30 at Mason Stockyard Hours 8 to 4

When Better Price Are Paid, We'll Pay Them

Frank Thomas

### Ribstone Silos

The very best. See me about early order discounts. We will take in your old wood silos.

### Wood Silos for sale

S. A. Laxton Mason phone 2-2906

16w1f

BABY CHICKS—Sexed or straight run. Barred and White Rocks, New Hampshire and Leghorn. U. S. approved. Pullorum controlled. Gulliver's Hatchery, Eaton Rapids. Phone 5381 Eaton Rapids. "Chicks from Ray pay their way." 11w1f

### Close-Out

MILK COOLER 20% OFF

Jewett Appliance Mason 1-21w1

WELL MATCHED pair of black horses, 8 and 9 years old. Weight about 3000. Floyd Canedy, 9 miles west of Mason on Columbia road, 1½ miles south on M-99. Phone 2471 Eaton Rapids. 20w2

JOHN DEERE 99 Corn Planter for sale, with fertilizer attachment in new condition. Also McCormick Deering F-21, G Cultivator and Farmall F-20 or F-30, in good condition; and Oliver one-row horse-drawn cultivator. Glenn S. Webster, 1 mile west and 1½ miles north of Vantown on Snedeker road. 20w2p

ROAN EELCIAN WORK MARE for sale, will work single or double any place. Glenn S. Webster, 1 mile west and 1½ miles north of Vantown on Snedeker road. 20w2p

GOOD GUERNSEY heifer for sale, 2 years old, from extra good cow, bred to college sire, Mrs. J. C. Greene, 4 miles southeast of Mason on Dexter Trail. Phone Mason 22585. 21w1

CASE HAY BALER, in first class condition. This machine has been well housed and carefully greased. Also quantity of bale ties, 15-gauge, 9½ feet long. Four miles east of Mason on M-36, corner of Diamond road. Phone 5591. Lawrence Oesterle. 21w1

TWO PUREBRED Duroc gilts due soon and a few others due later. Also 3 year old riding horse, well broke. R. B. Frost, 1705 Zimmerman road, Wheatfield Township. 20w2p

FARMERS Attention! USED Grain Bags Clean—No Holes 2c Each

Mason Elevator Co. Mason Phone 3341 2-21w1

PICS for sale, 7 weeks old. Lc Rathbone, 6 miles north of Mason on Otemos road and ½ mile east on Sandhill road. Phone Lansing 87500. 20w2p

FEEDS for sale. Fine and coarse wool. James Quine, 552 West Maple. Phone 2552 Mason. 21w1p

HOLSTEIN bull calf, 7 months old, Jersey calf 5 days old, eligible to register. Willard Every, R. 4, Mason, 900 N. Every road. Phone 5571 Mason. 18w1f

TEN DAY OLD ducklings and mother. Another home grown Standard Golden Sunshine sweet corn. 20c per pound. G. Weller, 1927 Fitchburg road, Minuth. 20w1f

PUREBRED POLAND CHINA fall boars ready for service. George W. Ellison, Mason phone 2-6461. 20w1f

WHITE ROCK PULLETS and fryers for sale, three months old. \$1.20 each. George Budd, 1574 Fitchburg road, Leslie. Phone Leslie 2346. 21w1

WOULD LIKE to trade six purebred Berkshire boar pigs at weaning age for purebred Berkshire boar or sow pigs of equal quality from litter of eight or more, from litter of 14, 12 were raised, farrowed May 10. Would sell. Roy Hammond, three miles south and one mile west of Dimondale, Route 3, Eaton Rapids. Phone Dimondale 3215. 21w1p

PAPEC HAY CHOPPER. McCormick Deering mowing machine, rubber tired wagon and John Deere corn binder. Sidney Hawkins, ¾ mile west of Aurelius Center on Barnes road, phone Aurelius 3110. 21w1p

TWO-HORSE International cultivator, in good running order, will sell cheap. E. G. Watkins, first place west of Glein hall on Lamb road, Route 4, Mason. 21w1p

JOHN DEERE steel decked hay loader. In A-1 condition, 20-ft. elevator. Floyd Miller, 5458 Dexter Trail, Route 2, Stockbridge. Phone Stockbridge 8-F-21. 21w1p

WILL SELL OR TRADE for anything of equal value that I can use. a sound Morgan riding horse, gentle for woman, or children, \$100. Will also include western saddle, bridle and blanket. Lewis Ellis, 3068 Willoughby road, phone 73125 Lansing. 21w1p

1938 JOHN DEERE B tractor and cultivator for sale. Harry Chapman, three miles south and one-half mile west of Williamson on Holt road, Route 1, Williamson. 21w1p

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### Hay—Grain—Feed Seed—Fertilizer

MICHELITE seed beans for sale, certified last year. Paul E. Jury, phone 8723 Williamson. 21w1p

SWIFTS RED STEER fertilizer. C. A. Davis, Eden. 21w1

200 BUSHELS FAR CORN for sale. Part hand picked. Claude M. Parish, 4½ miles southwest of Mason on Lyons road. Phone 1321 Aurelius. 21w1p

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EARLY HURON Yellow Dent SEED CORN

An open pollinated corn that yields good and is free from moisture at harvest time. 18w1f

Will mature in 90 days in average season.

\$7.50 per Bu., 56 lbs. Shelled and graded Germ—94%

Geo. H. Ellison

First farm west of State Game Farm

Mason Phone 2-6461. 20w1f

WAGON WHEEL FEEDS are

manufactured at Holt and sold in

your community. In Eaton Rapids, the Long Barn and Grain Co., Holt, Sheldon Feed Co., delivery

service on reasonable sized orders.

for further information phone

Holt 7471. 20w1f

GLOWMAID, enamel wood and

coal range for sale. Also oval

Nesco roaster. Glen Watkins, 150

14,000 miles. William Swift, 577

Lamb road, phone Mason 20684. 21w1p

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#### Real Estate

A. O. Greenough

DO YOU want a double home in Mason? Well folks, I have one of the best. Can't tell you where or what it is in this ad, but it is really something you will be proud to own. It costs money, but it is nice and hasn't been available until one-half hour ago. Ask me about this one.

6-ROOM HOME close in. This is very close to Mason school. In fact, it might fit in to be used for temporary school purposes. It is priced right. For further particulars call me or see me.

MASON, 117 East Oak street, 7-room house right down town. Can be purchased with or without "Photograph Studio." Doing nice business now, and has for years and years. Priced reasonable, with terms.

THE PROPERTY advertised in this space two weeks ago, known as the Rayner home, I have sold.

Thanks

Buyer and Seller

CANADIAN PRIVATE ISLAND, 17 acres in Mary Lake, 140 miles north of Toronto, known as Crown Island, Port Sydney, Muskoka, Ontario. Large modern log cabin home, furnished, boat house with living quarters, with \$5000 boat. This truly is a healthy show place. Price, \$40,000.

HERE IS A BUY on an acre-a-half farm. Has large solid brick house, running water, furnace, nice yard. Carpet and linoleum included. Has barn 30x60, tool shed, granary, and garage. Half-mile frontage on M-36 east of Dansville. Owner's half interest in 20 acres wheat, 12 acres corn and 8 acres oats, included in price of only \$10,500. Cash or terms.

HOLT (on) on North Cedar, new two-story store and apartment building. Store 30x50, plus 14x28 modern 8 rooms and 4-piece bath up, oak floors, beautiful kitchen up. Lot 100x326. Price \$22,500. Might trade or will consider leasing downstairs or both up and down.

DO YOU WANT to go into the grocery store business? I have some desirables places for sale. Ask me.

LESLIE, 310 South Main, modern 5 bedroom house, \$6,500. Shown by appointment. Call Mr. Fox, phone Leslie 2492.

GREENOUGH WANTS MR. FLOYD S. FOX of Leslie is representing me as salesman in the Leslie vicinity, so if you want to buy of sell real estate phone him at Leslie 2492 and he will call on you.

I HAVE other properties for sale that I can't advertise, so tell me what you are looking for. I may have just the thing for you.

I NEED some farms and houses to sell. If you want to sell, give me a ring. Your farm may be just the one my buyers are looking for.

A. O. Greenough  
Real Estate Broker since 1914  
1346 Mason St. Dansville  
Phone Dansville 2291  
Day or Evening

8-ROOM HOUSE, 2 lots and lots of berries and fruit. Mrs. Frank Cline, 419 W. Columbia, Mason. Phone 21191. 20wtf

130 ACRES—State highway, level land, extra good buildings. Only \$10,000, terms.

ONE ACRE—6 room house, garage, chicken house, shade and fruit, \$4800, with \$700 down.

8 ROOMS—In Mason, 2 lots, modern, \$4800.

Lewis G. Dietrich Realty, at Shell gas station in Mason. Phone 9181. 18wtf

BY OWNER—8 miles from Lansing, newly-made modern country home, vacant, 8 rooms, 3 bedrooms, readily converted into two-family home, newly decorated, new garage, chicken house, near grade school, lovely shade trees, 3 acres land. Farm and more acreage joining available. Shown between 11 a. m. and 6 p. m. Saturday and Sunday at 3017 Harper road. H. C. Riehmiller, Stockbridge. 16wtf

Farm For Sale

CHARLOTTE—1/2 miles south, 100 acres top-grade land, lays level, no waste. Nine-room house and four-room house, large basement barn, large silo, several outbuildings. You need not have cash to buy this farm.

Call  
Earl H. Pierson  
1423 Jerome, Lansing  
Phone 41375  
2-19w4

HALL BLVD.—One or two beautiful lots for sale on west side facing county park, several pieces of shrubbery included, utilities available. Terms arranged. Phone Mason 21601. 17wtr

3-APARTMENT modern home for sale or trade. Excellent location, partly furnished. Small down payment. 205 Park St., phone 2-2853. 18w4

Abel  
Real Estate  
Agency

FARMS

NEAR MASON—180-acre farm, 7-room modern house, large basement barn, silo, and other buildings, located on blacktop road, \$1,500.

11/4-ACRE FARM, 90 acres under the plow, 7-room house, partly modern; large basement, barn, \$8,500; \$2,500 down, balance on easy terms.

HOMES

MASON, 6-room house, extra fine condition throughout, very good location, immediate possession, \$8,000 terms.

MASON, 3-room house, modern, located on paved street, immediate possession, \$3,200.

LESLIE, beautiful home, four bedrooms, tile bath with shower, extra lavatory and stool on first floor, ultra-modern kitchen, full basement, forced air gas heat and garage. Lovely yard. All in excellent condition.

See Ray McCurry, salesman for Abel Real Estate agency. Phone Leslie 3721 or Mason 3161.

WE HAVE several other good farms and homes near Mason that can be bought on terms.

Abel Real Estate Agency  
209 W. Ash  
Mason, Michigan  
Phone 3161  
20wtf

ROLLING VIEW building sites, 8 miles from Lansing, 1-grade school, garden land, some wooded, some near creek. Terms. Shown between 11 a. m. and 6 p. m. Saturday and Sunday at 3017 Harper road. H. C. Riehmiller, Stockbridge. 16wtf

ORCHARD SPRAY outfit for sale. Mounted on iron wheels, complete. W. F. Taylor, 5701 Clinton road, R. 4, 4 miles northwest of Jackson. 21w2

SEVEN ROOM house, nicely located, two baths, bien fete, two car garage, price, \$8,000.

AN OPPORTUNITY to buy a business building, now occupied by the Millerile Market, is now available.

DUPLEX HOUSE, both sides modern, located two blocks from court house on Maple street. Price \$5,250.

14 ACRES with modern 5-room house, nearly new, small barn.

Emery H. Jewett  
Broker  
229 State St. Phone Mason 22571  
Rex D. Jewett  
Salesman  
1232 S. Lansing St.  
Phone Mason 22222  
5wtf

Miscellaneous  
for Sale

Hoffman  
GAS WATER HEATERS  
Fully automatic, 20—30—50 gallon size. Rapid recovery, 5-year warranty. Safety shut-off. Nothing down, 3 years to pay.

Jewett Appliance  
Mason  
1-1w1f

Two LIKE-NEW large steam radiators for sale. See them at the Ingham County News. 41wtf

Outside  
House Paint  
DuPont No. 40, self washing \$5.89 gal. in 5's  
Berry Brothers, Linoil pro-  
cessed  
\$5.49 gal. in 5's  
Berry Brothers plantation  
white  
\$4.18 gal. in 5's  
In One's 10c higher per gal.

Perkins Hardware  
Mason  
Phone 4311  
2-1w1f

WATER SYSTEMS, Myers and Flint & Walling. Deep well, shallow well and jet types. Repair parts also for Duro and Advance. See our new, Spedette, DeLaval milker. Cream Separator, Repair Co., 420 E. Michigan, phone Lansing 2020. 20w2

MILK ROUTE to Wyeth, Incorporated for sale, 1948 Ford truck, R-5, now last October. Leon H. Albro, 108 Armstrong street, Leslie. 20w2p

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Western Auto Assoc. Store

WORK HARNESS and good leather collars, double, heavy duty, all-new men's puller, one and two horse cultivators, David Bradley walking plow and McCormick Deering corn planter. Charles Prince, 677 Harper road, Route 4, Mason. Phone Mason 7682, 21w1

CROCHETED CHAIR SETS and dolls for the June bride and girl graduate, Mrs. David Bennett, 519 S. Rogers, Mason. Phone 4161 Mason. 18w3p

SCHULTZ house trailer, sleeps 4, oil heater, good condition. Very cheap for cash. Can be seen at Jack Gibbs residence, third house south of Columbia on Aurelia road. Call after 5 p. m. 21w1p

STARWAY, 33 inches wide, 12 steps, \$26; Luther Davis, Blackmore road, phone Leslie 4280. 21w1p

ELECTRIC LAWN MOWER for sale, one year old and 100 ft. of cord. Deeo Wilcox, 3700 Fosco road, Dansville. 21w1p

E-Z RIDE tractor seats to fit your tractor. C. A. Davis, Eden. 21w2

THOMPSON 12 ft. double cockpit runabout with steering wheel, cover, trailer bunks, paddle, etc. Also 2 1/2 h. p. Evinrude motor with cover, extra props, truck etc. Fast and in very good condition. Complete, \$395. Ivan Abbott, 7523 Cooper road, Jackson. Phone 3987 Jackson. 21w1

UNDERWOOD DUMP BOX, 3-yard size, and hoist for sale. Roy Kilpatrick, 354 E. South St., Mason. Phone 24261. 21w1

EASE YOUR FIRE hazards by using corrugated aluminum and asphalt shingles. C. A. Davis, Eden. 21w2

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ROLLING VIEW building sites, 8 miles from Lansing, 1-grade school, garden land, some wooded, some near creek. Terms. Shown between 11 a. m. and 6 p. m. Saturday and Sunday at 3017 Harper road. H. C. Riehmiller, Stockbridge. 16wtf

MONROE EASY-RIDE tractor seat for Allis Chalmers \$10. George Thorburn, 3174 Willoughby road, northeast of Holt. 21w1

ORCHARD SPRAY outfit for sale. Mounted on iron wheels, complete. W. F. Taylor, 5701 Clinton road, R. 4, 4 miles northwest of Jackson. 21w2

Genuine SURPLUS PAINT at 50% off, inside and outside paints. Guaranteed. Only \$2.99 per gallon. Other bargains at the Mason P. X., for farmers, shop workers and sportsmen. Stop in and look around, located in the former Kroger building. 21w1

HARDWOOD LUMBER in rough for building purposes, or will cut to fill orders. Earl D. Wheeler, 5 miles south of Mason to Plains road, 1/2 mile west and 1/4 mile north on Laxton road, phone Mason 5283, or call Eugene Wheeler, Dansville 2039. 21w1

BUILDING FOR SALE—3-car garage to be moved or torn down. Also extra lumber and 1000 building blocks. Make an offer. S. A. Morrison, 1109 S. Lansing St., Phone Mason 3831. 21w1

NEW PLYMOUTH boats for sale. Ralph Whiting, 411 W. Race Street, Leslie. Phone 4021 Leslie. 21w2p

OUTSIDE TOILET for sale, in good shape. James Leavitt, 344 East Cherry, Mason. Phone Mason 21793 after 4:30 p. m. 21w2p

WELL DRILLING MACHINE and contents. John Campbell, Route 2, on Dexter Trail, Mason. Phone 5502 Mason. 21w1

TYPEWRITER ribbons for most all makes of typewriters at the Ingham County News office, 606 plus tax. 10wtf

FINA FOAM, the ideal cleaner for rugs, upholstery and auto upholstery. Available at Zimmerman's, Mason. 21w1

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CHARLOTTE—1/2 miles south, 100 acres top-grade land, lays level, no waste. Nine-room house and four-room house, large basement barn, large silo, several outbuildings. You need not have cash to buy this farm.

Call  
Earl H. Pierson  
1423 Jerome, Lansing  
Phone 41375  
2-19w4

HALL BLVD.—One or two beautiful lots for sale on west side facing county park, several pieces of shrubbery included, utilities available. Terms arranged. Phone Mason 21601. 17wtr

## Trailers for Sale

24 FT. HOUSE TRAILER, nearly new, birch finish, bottle gas, electric refrigerator, and Warmie brakes. Glen Jacobs, 439 W. Ash, Mason. Phone 22302. 18w3p

18-FOOT TRAVELER house trailer, sleeps 4, oil heater, good condition. Very cheap for cash. Can be seen at Jack Gibbs residence, third house south of Columbia on Aurelia road. Call after 5 p. m. 21w1p

210 A.E. Ash (West Entrance) Hours: 9 to 5 25 years experience, work guaranteed. Men's and women's clothing

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OIL BURNER serviced by authorized Duo-Therm dealer. Home Equipment Co., Holt. Phone 7-1141. During the evening call 7347. 1wtf

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FRYERS, alive or dressed, 3 lbs. and up. They are very nice for locker use. Mrs. P. J. Somerville, 1050 college road, Phone Mason 25841. 20w2p

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## Want Ads

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ANTED TO RENT—Teacher, nurse and small family desperately need place to rent. Will give owner's care. Call Frank Gierer, Mason 23151. 21w1p

COOL WANTED—I am buying wool again this year. Bring your cool to my place for the best price. Harold Mitchell, corner of Hill and Bellevue roads, 1 mile west of Leslie. Phone 5182. 10w1p

ANTED—Roof coating and repair. Also outside painting. Frank Hawkins, S. Jefferson, Mason. Phone 4871. 20w1p

CHICKENS WANTED—Will come and get them. W. H. Appleton, 118 Poyor road, 2 miles north of Mason phone 5382. 9w1p

ANTED—Small one-horse plow. Gerard Pierce, 661 S. Diamondland, phone Mason 23816. 20w1p

HITE RAGS Wanted, 15¢ per lb. Must be free from lint, weavers and stockings will not do. glam County News. 21w1p

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ANTED—Work with bulldozer. Also plowing with breaker. Jack Garner, Stockbridge, tone Dansville 2027. 14w1p

ANTED—The ditching of any kind. Vernon Flager, phone unsville 2082. 20w2

ANTED—Block laying and cement work of all kinds. Phone Mason 5003. 19w4p

FENCE BUILDING of all kinds wanted. We also build concrete drives and walks. Free estimates, Phone Mason 25541. Farm fences built by rod or job. F. H. A. Ions available. William Purvis, Veteran's Construction Co., Box 61, 510 McRoberts, Mason 21w1p

ANTED—All kinds of poultry. Highest prices paid. Tyler Brown, Howell, phone 572. 21w1p

### For Rent

FOR RENT—Wallpaper steamer and floor sander. Inquire at Shaefer Decorating Supply, 425 S. Jefferson, Phone 2-3461. 7w1p

PASTURE FOR RENT—For cattle. About 16 acres good pasture, spring-fed creek runs through it. Al Foult, 3 1/2 miles east of Mason on Dansville road. Phone Lansing 7317. If no answer call Lansing 72589. 21w1p

SANDER RENTAL—Perkins Hardware, Mason, phone 4311. 18w1p

FOR RENT—Four-room apartment with bath. Utilities furnished. Phone Mason 3911. 21w1p

PASTURE FOR RENT, 50 acres with lots of water, good fences, plenty of shade, 3/4 acre per head per week. Gordon Bravender, four miles south of Mason to Barnes road, three miles east on Barnes road, one-half mile south on Kelly road. 21w1p

WHIPPLE—I wish to thank all who remembered me during my stay at the Sparrow Hospital the past three weeks. Especially the Mason I. O. O. F. and Rebekah lodge, Mrs. Lulu Whipple, Mrs. Nina Carn, Mrs. Laura Campbell, Mrs. Ella Lewis and Jack, Mrs. and Mrs. Frank Hablitzel and Larry, Mrs. Garnet Brown and children, Miss Virginia Taylor, "Doc" L. A. Wilemon and Charles Middleton. Thanks. Earl D. Whipple. 21w1p

LOST—Large V-belt pulley from grain elevator. Lost somewhere on Barnes, Meridian or Ewers Roads, Friday afternoon. Finder please return to Mason Elevator, John Arend. 21w1p

FOUND—Small child's tricycle in bushes on the east side of Presbyterian church. Mrs. Rex Harris, 208 E. Sycamore Street. 21w1p

BIG SAVINGS! on Country Club Seat Covers at your MASON MARKETS

PLAN TO BUILD? Send for FREE catalog on PEASE-FABRICATED HOMES and building materials Pease Woodwork Co. Cincinnati 23, Ohio

INGHAM COUNTY Humans Society urges you to look for your lost dog or cat at the Animal Shelter, 1713 Sunnet Ave., Lansing. Open 8 to 5, week days. Phone 2-6218. All dogs picked up by county dog warden are brought to the shelter daily. 21w1p

LOST—Holstein heifer, mostly black, weighing between 800 and 900 pounds. Strayed from pasture located near Pine Tree and Cavanaugh roads. If seen please notify Kenneth Kurtz, 4320 Cavanaugh road, Phone Lansing 7317. If no answer call Lansing 72589. 21w1p

DOCTOR REPORTS Condition of Wreck Victims

Dr. L. C. Kraft of Leslie is treating the nine accident victims injured in a collision at the corner of Pitchburg and Cooper roads last Friday. He gave the following report of their conditions Wednesday night:

Jerry Holmes, 17, broken jaw in two places, wired Wednesday; broken bone in foot, lacerations of scalp and loss of teeth; condition, good;

Donald Marek, 17, multiple lacerations of face and scalp, broke most of ribs on left side and chest crushed, inflammatory pneumonia; condition, good;

Laure DeLeeuw, 17, fractured nose, concussion of brain, skull fracture and lacerations of the face; condition, good;

Ella Jane Creel, 18, right arm broken, compound fracture of left forearm and laceration of the scalp;

Alfred Tiller, concussion of brain, left chest crushed, left lung punctured, slight laceration in oxygen tent; condition, fair;

Mrs. Tiller, shock and slight lacerations; condition, good;

Sharon Tiller, 8, skull fracture and concussion of brain; condition, fair;

Charelene Tiller, 11, concussion of brain, discharged from hospital after treatment but in bed at home;

Jerlyn Tiller, 6, contusions of left hip, treated at scene of accident and discharged.

### Extension Clubs

North Leslie

MANNING—We wish in this way to express our thanks to the many friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us during our recent illness also for the beautiful flowers and cards, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Manning. 21w1p

KELLEY—I wish in this way to thank the birthday cake and lovely gift that I received from my first grade children and their mothers that I want to thank every one who had a part in it. I was completely surprised and very much pleased. Mrs. Caroline Ragan. 21w1p

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LIVE AT JACKSON YWCA—Clean, comfortable, home-like rooms for girls. Permanent or transient guests. Young Women's Christian Association, 208 Michigan avenue, W., Jackson. 19w3

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## Holt School Bond Election Set for Saturday, June 4

The Holt board of education, at a special meeting at 8:00 p.m. on Friday, May 20, 1949, decided to submit a bond issue proposal for the construction of a new six-room elementary school building to be located in the North Holt area. The date of the voting was set for Saturday, June 4, from 12:00 noon until 8:00 p.m. The amount of the issue was tentatively set for \$55,000 to \$60,000 depending upon whether or not a site or sites are purchased before the bonds are issued. The school district has on hand approximately \$31,000 in its building and site sinking fund which expired with the 1948 tax collections.

Action of the Holt board was taken after a delegation of taxpayers presented a petition signed by about 300 residents of the Holt area requesting that a school be built on the John B. Fay farm site in the North Holt region. The petition urged that a six-room school be built, not to exceed a cost of \$105,000. Since the board of education must designate and purchase school sites, the petition was not properly worded to have full legality. The board of education, however, placed the petition on file and accepted the intention of the signers in its decision to call for a vote on the issue of a school for North Holt. The board announced a long-range plan for housing the rapidly increasing numbers of elementary school students by stressing that there would eventually be need of at least four elementary schools, in addition to improvement of the high school space.

Two of the proposed sites will be to the west of Cedar street and the present site, or one near it, and a future site near the intersection

### RECIPE IS PRINTED

Mrs. Mabel G. Thorn of Mason, has a recipe for "Savory Casserole" featured in the June issue of "Country Farmer." Her recipe appears in "Country Cooking." Ingredients are 1 1/2 pounds sausage, 4 cups cooked lima beans, 2 cups small whole cooked onions, 1 cup water, 1/2 tsp. salt.

Here is her procedure: Shape sausage into small balls. Fry until well browned, turning often. Pour off extra fat leaving about 3 table-spoons. Add beans, onion and liquid and salt. Simmer slowly for 20 minutes.

Mr. Osborne was active in Masonic Lodge.

### Oakwood

Mrs. Howard Herrick

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herrick and Joan were guests of Robert Riggles and family Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Gauss of Dansville were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Jones.

Mrs. Emma Beam was a Saturday evening visitor of Mrs. Mary Mead.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Foreman and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Lester Herrick and Joan were in Holland Sunday attending the tulip festival.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Jones attended a musical recital in Mason Friday evening. Their granddaughter, Sherie Lou Kinch, and Marjorie Feighner of Lansing took part. Johnnie Mackinder of Mason is spending the week with his cousin, Joan Herrick.

Mrs. Lester Herrick and Joan spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Harold Mackinder, in Mason.

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## There Are Two Sides To Every Question

AND THERE ARE TWO SIDES TO THE SCHOOL QUESTION HERE IN MASON

Under the American scheme of government, the people have the right to vote no as well as yes. At the March 21 school election a majority voted No to bonding the district for the construction of a new west side school. Their no vote meant that they wanted the school board to work out some other plan for relieving crowded classrooms, some plan that would be less expensive than a \$250,000 construction in the midst of the west side business district.

Voters still realize that Mason is not committed to any one set of plans drawn by an architect, nor is the community committed to any special location. Surely an examination will show that other districts have put up good buildings and have solved their problems of overcrowding at far less than the figure quoted to Mason electors.

### One Side Has Been Told

One side of the school building program has been told by the school board in pamphlets and paid advertisements. The side expressed here is being told by private expense, because we feel that both sides of every issue should be told.

### Teacher Enrolls In Ferris Course

Mrs. Doris Morrison of Mason, who has been teaching this year, has enrolled in the rural education workshop at Ferris Institute for the first session. Mrs. Morrison, who was at Ferris for the 1948 workshop, will enroll in a course in rural sociology and take one other special course and the daily special lectures.

The first session open June 13 and the second session on July 1.

The course Mrs. Morrison will take is to be handled by Russell C. Borst, superintendent of schools for Meosco county. The workshop is under the direction of Elwood M. Brake, superintendent of schools in Ionia county, who in addition to his work as director will teach a course in state government. Mrs. Charlotte Bishop, of Western Michigan college at Kalamazoo, teaches a course in teaching of geography and Miss June Carr, of Fowlerville, member of the Ferris faculty, teaches a course in applied art.

Nicholas Sabia, head of the Ferris music department, will conduct the workshop chorus.

The regular summer term at Ferris Institute opens May 30 with registration, and each school

except trades and industry, will offer two six-weeks courses. Schools being thus operated include pharmacy and allied sciences, commerce, education and pre-professional and college preparatory.

Pennsylvania leads the other

states in the number of highway

contracts awarded with 1,115.

**SCHOOL  
ELECTION  
MONDAY  
JUNE 6**

**Your Vote Is The Best Way  
To Register Your Opinion**

May 26, 1949

# THE INGHAM COUNTY NEWS

Section 2

### Gretton District

Mrs. Edward Q. Daft

### Services Thursday For Frank Osborne

Funeral services for Frank L. Osborne, 67, were held at the Jewell chapel in Mason Thursday afternoon. Until time for the funeral the body was in the Vogt funeral home in Dansville. Burial was in Maple Grove cemetery. The Masonic Lodge of Dansville participated in the services.

The decision of the Holt board of education to submit a proposal for a school in the North Holt area came one week after a ruling in Ingham county circuit court that a bond issue to build a four-room elementary building on the present school site had failed on the safety of students going to and from school.

Mr. Osborne had undergone medical treatment all winter. He was at the University hospital in Ann Arbor, St. John's hospital in Eaton Rapids, Sparrow hospital in Lansing and the Mason General Hospital. His condition was beyond medical help. He was taken to the Mason General hospital Monday night from his farm home on McRillan road. At the hospital he was given blood plasma but failed to rally.

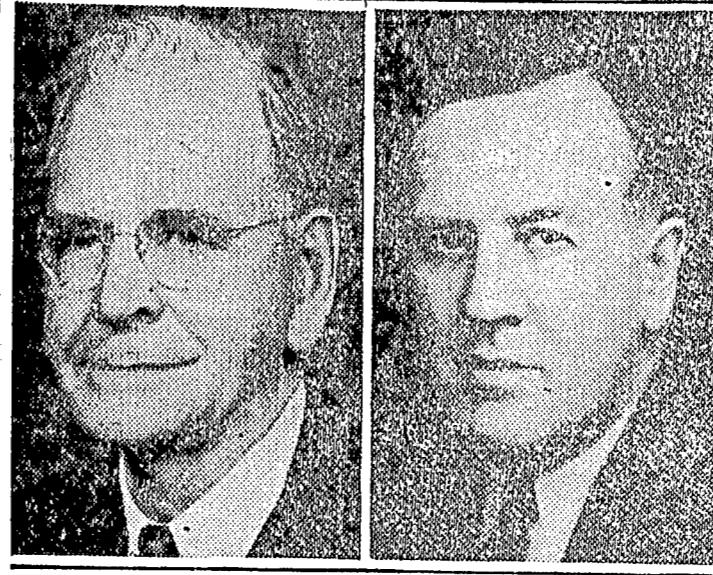
Except for two years in Clinton county, Mr. Osborne lived his entire life in Ingham. He was born December 26, 1881, in White Oak, the son of J. J. and Addie Kimball Osborne. He attended district school and took up farming. In 1904 he married Zola S. Bashford.

Besides the widow Mr. Osborne is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lydia Adolf of Mason. Two sons died when young. There also remain a brother, Ira Osborne of Jackson; and two half-brothers, Jay Osborne of Webberville and Scott Osborne of Mecosta. Another half-brother, Bert Osborne of Perinton, died a few years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Fletcher and Jerry Fletcher of Muskegon were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith.

Mr. Osborne was active in Masonic Lodge.

### Accept Important Posts



ARCHIE E. McCREA

PRENTISS M. BROWN

Archie E. McCrea, editor of the Michigan Chronicle, and Prentiss M. Brown, chairman of the board of the Delta Edson Community, will serve as general chairman in the forthcoming Methodist church campaign for the Albion College Advancement Program. Mr. McCrea for the Michigan Conference of the church and Mr. Brown for the Detroit Area Council of Boy Scouts and a member of the board of trustees of Albion college. Albion college seeks \$5,000,000 for its Advancement Program, \$1,000,000 of which the three conferences of the Methodist church in Michigan have pledged. Sunday, October 30, will be Albion College Day throughout Michigan Methodism.

### Reeves District

Mrs. Gladys Dunsmore

Fourty-five parents and children had a potluck dinner and ice cream at the Reeves school Friday. The children entertained with a program in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Detrick and boys and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lytle were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lytle and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ellsworth visited Mrs. Robert Camp, who is ill at her home in Stockbridge, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Geer are building a cottage at Joslin Lake.

Mrs. Wayne Ellsworth attended the training school for the W. S. C. S. in Chelsea last week.

Bible school will begin Tuesday, May 31, and continue to June 4 from 2:00 to 4:30 p.m. at the Millville church.

Axel Tillach is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Ellsworth for some time.

Albert Sommers is slowly improving at his home from an operation on his hip.

### Ingham Receiving \$22,105 for Roads

Ingham county will receive \$22,105.48 in gas money as part of the first half of 1949 McNitt Act payments.

Under the provisions of the McNitt Act, this money is to be used only on county roads.

The amount of money allocated to any county is based on the number of miles of McNitt roads in that county in proportion to the total McNitt road mileage in the state, which is 68,696 miles. The distribution amounts to \$58 per mile for this year. Mileage is re-certified to the highway department biennially.

McNitt roads, as differing from other roads, are former township roads which were taken over by the counties under provisions of the McNitt Act, which became effective in 1932.



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THURSDAY-FRIDAY

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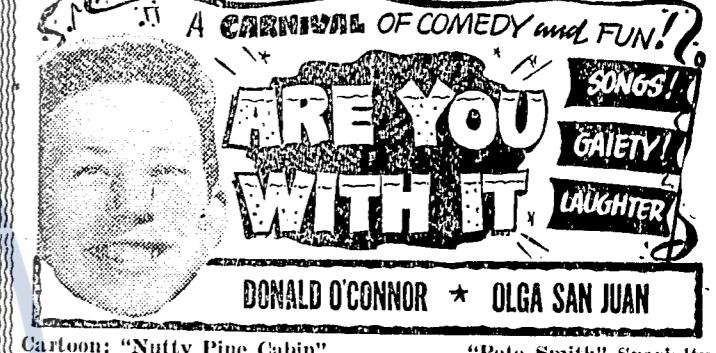
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ROBERT FULTON REYNOLDS

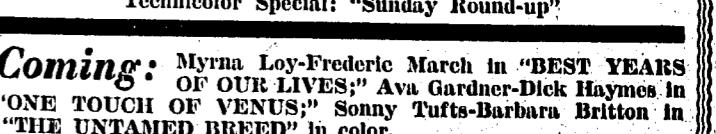
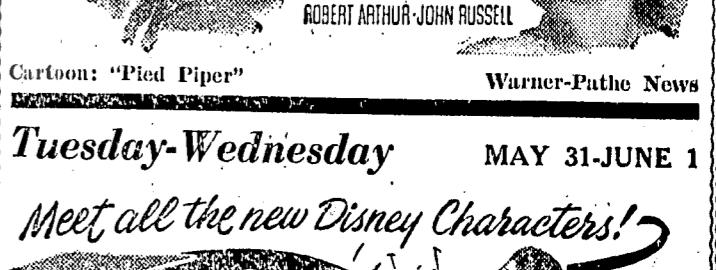
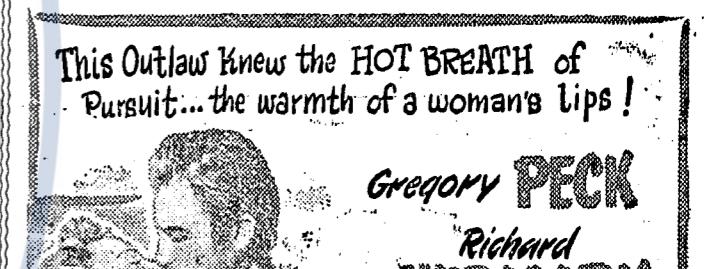
### Saturday Only

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### Sunday-Monday

MAY 29-30



## • Dansville Doings

Mrs. Helen Young

### Hold School Picnic

School closed this week at I. T. A. S. with pupils below the fourth grade picnicking at Potter park Tuesday. There was a picnic at Pleasant lake Thursday for the remaining grades of the school. On both occasions school buses took the students, parents and teachers to their appointed places. At Bartlett's resort Thursday the classes lunched together. Baseball, swimming and other sports furnished the recreation for the day.

### Plan F. & A. M. Family Night

Next Tuesday, May 31, will be family night for members of Dansville F. & A. M. and their families. A potluck supper will be served at 7:30 in the Masonic hall, after which life membership certificates will be presented to W. P. Curtis and Charles Woode. Dr. F. A. Lendum will make the presentation. The main speaker of the evening will be Vernon J. Brown, but there will also be short talks by several other guests.

### Seniors on Trip

Wednesday morning at nine o'clock the members of the senior class, accompanied by Miss Elsa Cobb and Jim Young, left Dansville by school bus for Detroit. In the afternoon they boarded the S. S. Nordia for Niagara Falls, via Welland canal, arriving there Thursday morning. Four hours of sight-seeing were allowed at the falls, leaving Thursday afternoon. They are scheduled to arrive in Detroit Friday morning.

### Cancer Drive Completed

The cancer drive for the village was completed last week with a total of \$54.75 being collected. Mrs. Ross Sumption was chairman of the drive and she was assisted by Mrs. Lucille Diehl and Mrs. Helen Young. The Girl Scouts who helped in the collection were Ruth Ann Anderson, Phyllis Williams, Suzanne Thompson and Jean Craddock. Donations of \$14.45 were received from the Farm Bureau and P. T. A.

### Has Birthday Party

Eight friends were entertained Saturday afternoon at the home of Kathy Warfle in honor of her birthday anniversary. Games were played, after which refreshments were served. Kathy received many nice gifts.

### Seniors Feted at Breakfast

The 36 members of the class of 1949 and seven honored guests were entertained at breakfast Sunday morning at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Erter with Mrs. A. J. Miller assisting. The tables were decorated in the class colors, gold and blue, with matching favors and centerpieces of flowers.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Seal Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Man-

ning, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence King and Dr. F. A. Lendum. The breakfast menu included orange juice, egg omelet with ham, hot muffins, doughnuts and coffee or hot chocolate. Following the breakfast the class song was sung, after which the group attended the worship service at the Methodist church.

Floyd Mills and Frank Mills spent the week end in Saginaw visiting friends.

Dick Betscher of Mason was a Saturday evening guest of Mr. and Mrs. Tim Stoltz.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Thompson and family were Friday evening dinner guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eber Thompson, in honor of the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Robert Thompson.

On Sunday Miss Hazel Woods and George Seymour of Fowlerville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Scudder of Saline were Sunday dinner guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker. Other guests of New Hudson, while their parents were in Holland.

Rev. Luren Strait of Millville and Mr. and Mrs. Bur Betterly of White Oak were Wednesday visitors of Mrs. Maggie Burden at Sunset Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Dell Mead are spending the week in Detroit with Mr. and Mrs. Jack French. Mr. Mead is attending Grand Lodge of F. & A. M. of Michigan.

Virgil Kehres of Detroit was a Sunday visitor of his son, Dick, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Miller.

Mrs. Electa Kirkbride of Lansing spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. William Morefield.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Kreger of Salem were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kreger.

Mr. and Mrs. William Musolf and family attended the wedding of their nephew, Dawson Musolf, of South Lyons Saturday morning at the St. Thomas church in Ann Arbor. They also attended the reception in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Greenough were Thursday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Greenough of Lansing in honor of the former's birthday anniversary.

Melvin Batige of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Arnold in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Jim Young and Roscoe Arnold.

Miss Audrey Sumption is spending a two-week vacation in Boston as a guest of her cousin, Harold Bird.

Mr. Irene Brainerd attended the alumni banquet of Sparrow hospital at the Peoples church in East Lansing Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Kirby and Lee were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Henderlite of Fenton Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roylyn Miller and Danny were weekend guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Earle of Bayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Paris Witt attended the college centennial at Ypsilanti Thursday and visited their daughter, Joann Witt, who is attending college there.

Mrs. Carrie Munson of Riverdale, California, is spending a few days this week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Bessie Olson.

## Watch This Space For Our Anniversary Ad Next Week, June 2

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Mr. and Mrs. Emil Crawford and daughter, Betsy, of Pleasant Valley, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Chamberlain of Ann Arbor and Dick Dunning of Pinckney were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Sarah Rogers and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hague of Ann Arbor were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gary Briggs.

Norma Craft of Bunker Hill was a Monday night guest of Louine Perrine.

Mrs. Bessie Olson and son, Francis, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cates of Vermillion Sunday.

Mrs. Leo Ottney and children of Jackson visited her mother, Mrs. Ada Ridley, Saturday.

Mrs. George Vogt attended the funeral of Mrs. Burr Allen of Fowlerville Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Mamie Thompson and Helen of Albion were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Eber Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker attended the funeral of Robert Rowe at the Muehlig funeral home in Ann Arbor Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Holmes of Mason spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Roy West.

Miss Madeline Morefield spent the week end in Lansing with Miss Minnie Ellen Kirkbride.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Olson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Peterson of Lansing. Louise Baker returned home Monday after spending a week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Pollok.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Richner spent Thursday and Friday in Grand Rapids on business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scripter and family of Vantown were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Scripter. In the afternoon they all visited Mr. and Mrs. Earle Grable of Dimondale.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Sherman and family were weekend guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mort Keene of Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Greenough and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Dalton held a joint birthday dinner at Schuler's in Marshal Wednesday evening in honor of the birthday anniversaries of A. O. Greenough and J. B. Dalton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Durdle of St. Thomas, Ontario, Canada, were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Langhlin.

Miss Joyce Arnold of Ypsilanti is spending several days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Arnold.

Mrs. L. P. Williams and Mrs. N. Nemer of Vantown were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Maggie Burden at Sunday Haven.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne LeCureux and Margie were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald LeCureux of Saginaw.

Mrs. Ada Harkness of Munich was a house guest of her sister, Mrs. Minn Mann, for the weekend. On Sunday they visited Mr. and Mrs. Ward Vicary and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Vicary of Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Harran and family of Indiana have moved into the apartment in the home of Mrs. Rosa Anderson.

Mrs. Jolell Barr and Laura spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. David Welch of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Richmond Bailey and son of Mason were Sunday

guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Craft.

Rev. H. W. Cummings and Wayland attended the funeral of the former's sister, Mrs. Nellie Carpenter of Flint, Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Lawrence Curtis closed her school year at the Dennis school last Friday with a picnic at Potter park, Lansing.

Mr. C. A. Diehl is spending the week with his daughter, Mrs. Lyle Tompkins of Hart.

**N. W. Stockbridge**  
Mrs. Guerdon Usher

Mrs. Edith Baxter and Howard of Lexington, Kentucky, and Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Hoyte of Munich visited the William Garners Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Garner attended a birthday dinner for the former's mother at the home of his sister, Mrs. Frank Edwards of Pleasant Lake, Sunday. They also called on Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hawkins.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Schrock and daughter, Shirley, attended the wedding of Robert Dawson Musolf and Wilma Covall at St. Thomas Apostolic church in Ann Arbor Saturday morning. The reception and dance was held at the Schwab hall in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Musolf and children of Grass lake called on Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Schrock Sunday evening. On Saturday the Schlocks called on friends in Ann Arbor.

**East Alaledon**  
July Heathman

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bibbins, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Diamond and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Launstein attended the tulip festival at Holland Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Flynn of Park lake and Mr. and Mrs. William Flynn of Holt were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Kelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Bates of Stockbridge were Thursday visitors.

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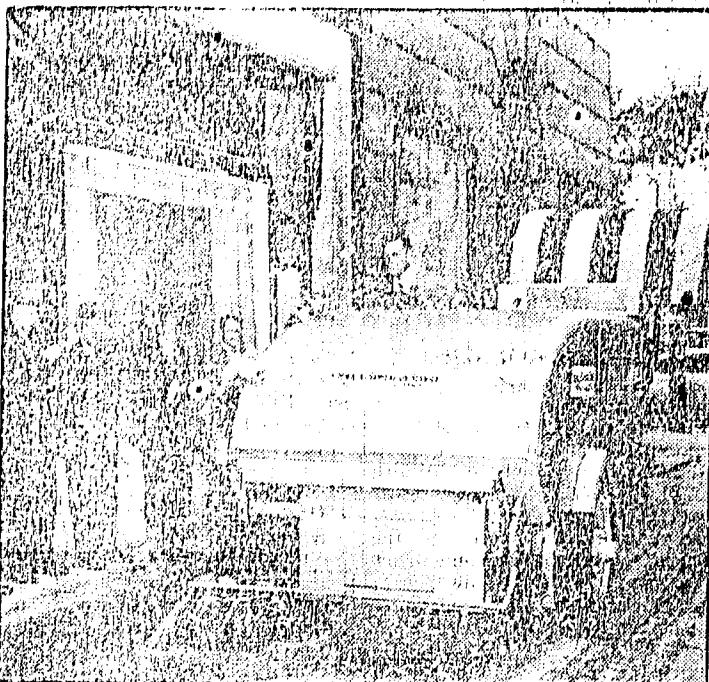
LEE has plenty of parking space back of his station for customers, shoppers, businessmen or anyone else who is looking for a handy place to park while in Mason.

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## All Washed Up



The sidewalks of New York get a beauty treatment as early morning passers-by watch the S. S. S.-Sidewalk Sanitation Service—give the pavement a once-over-lightly on the elite Fifth Avenue shopping district. The service will be extended to other streets it accepted by business establishments. The new machine tried above can be converted for snow removal.

## Hospital Auxiliary Wins Award For Best Legion Poppy Display

Judges in the Legion Auxiliary poppy display contest gave first prize of \$25 to the Mason Hospital Auxiliary. The display was in the Hammann Home and Auto Supply store. Second prize was awarded to the Mason-Dansville Garden club. The display is in the window of the Milla store. Third prize was won by the sixth grade in the Mason school. The display is in the window of Perkins Hardware. The sixth graders will be presented a flag for their school room.

Winners of honorable mention awards and the windows in which the displays are exhibited are: Fifth grade, Schmidt's department store; and art class, Peters drug store. Sixth grade posters at the Beckwith store were made by Jim Lyon, Charles Merendorf, James Crosby, Nancy Strickling, Bobby Donaldson, Delores Jaroske, Linda Ballard and Judith Post.

## Public Forum

### School or Chicken Coops?

In the May 19 issue of the Ingham County News some person or persons took issue with the board of education relative to the school proposal to be balloted upon June 6, 1949. They purchased space and stated their position which is entirely proper, although had they endorsed their article it probably would have carried more weight.

It was stated that the board was offering the electors the same building at about the same price and that no effort had been made to find a cheaper and better solution to the school problem. It is correct that the building proposed is the same, however, adjustments in costs and financing have brought about a reduction in the amount of the bond issue of \$75,000. The proposed building would be a permanent and good school for the boys and girls of Mason. Temporary buildings could be supplied at a cost of \$50,000 to \$75,000 and in a few years they would be done and torn down with a probable loss to about that extent. The reduction in cost and in the amount of the bond issue is composed of several things. There is the general reduction in building costs, the equipping of the building which the board saw fit to transfer from the bond issue to the general fund, attendant reduction in architect's fee and the first year's interest, \$25,000 available in the General Fund for transfer to the building and site fund. The board has

studied the need for a school, it has traveled to other cities to view different types of buildings, it has employed expert advisors, including the department of public instruction of the state of Michigan. The board has studied the possibility of renting the Legion building, the churches and the Couch building. The writer of the article of last week did not know these things because no effort was made to contact the board or to make inquiry regarding the particulars.

Authorities Agree

## MICHIGAN MADE URE SUGAR Is No Superior!

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Pictorial Great Lakes Big Chisel Mr. Clements

one. The board has rebuilt Athletic field, making it one of the finest high school fields in the state. This is all paid for and paying returns to this school district every year.

The board urged the voters to establish building and site fund. Today there is in excess of \$50,000 in this fund. Last year the board levied \$6.65 mills for operation. Many country schools required higher levies, Kipp, 6.65; Eden, 7.26; Hubbard, 8.25; Hawley, 6.64; Aurelius, 8.95; others could be named. The board has operated carefully and built the general fund up to its strongest cash position in the history of the school. After 100 years of operation without adequate auditing, this board has set up a system of annual auditing by certified public accountants. The annual statement of operation is published and made available to everyone every July.

The board has met every problem squarely and honestly, it has studied the need of the district for additional classrooms and conveyed the knowledge of the need to the

people. In presenting the building program, the board has bent over backwards to tell the people the absolute worst that they could expect in the line of cost, they held back nothing, nor hid anything. The absolute truth is being told to everyone, and because this district can procure this good school building with a bond issue reduced by \$75,000 from that originally asked, the board feels that the people would wish to reconsider the matter.

Some may bear the mistaken idea that they are going to bond to build a school for the board of education. This is not true. The board has told you that you need this school, that it is proper that you build it instead of a temporary building. The board has stated frankly that you must provide more classrooms or reduce your educational program to half-days.

Do we want to school our children half-days, build chicken coops to house them, or build a permanent and good school? It is up to you.

CHARLES A. DENSMORE

Water Raise 12½%  
Dual arithmetic on your story of boasting the rate of that polluted Mason water. You can't kid me, I mean a raise in rate of 12½ per cent, not 10 per cent. It would seem as though someone in Mason would be smart enough to figure that out even if you couldn't.

If you don't know the difference between a 10 and a 12½ per cent boost in your water rate don't ask about the action of your city council.

W. M.

## Aurelius

Mrs. Mary Droscha

The Ladies Aid family picnic will be held June 9 at Rayner park in Mason. This will take the place of the regular meeting of June 2.

Each family is to take table service, sandwiches and a dish to pass. Supper will be served at 6:30.

Clayton Snow died at his home Tuesday. He returned from the

hospital a few weeks ago and was believed to be improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Grissom and daughters of Royal Oak spent the week end with relatives in Aurelius and Eden.

Barnes, Aurelius and Wilcox school picnics will be held this week.

Mrs. Rettie Kelly, telephone operator, is much improved. She has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Sam Smith of Lansing.

Mrs. Paul Rardeen and son have been spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Barry.

PrAYER SERVICES HELD

Prayer services were held Friday, May 20, at Evergreen cemetery, Lansing, for Mary Ann Shultz, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Shultz. Mary Ann was born at the Mason General Hospital on May 19. Surviving besides the parents are a brother, Jimmy, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shultz of Mason and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Coe of Lansing.

## Scoville District

Mrs. Howard Jackson

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Fisher of Jackson called on Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Evans and family Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Battorff of Freeport are spending a few days at the Lark Amba home.

Mrs. George Ree and Mrs. Melvin Greene of Jackson called Saturday on Mr. and Mrs. Emil Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jackson and family called on Mr. and Mrs. James Jackson, Jr., and family Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Hall of Rives Junction called on Mr. and Mrs. George Higdon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd MacEldowney of Mason were Sunday guests at the Kenneth Evans home.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Crites and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Lard Amba Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lundberg of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lindstrom and daughter from Sweden were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Olson.

Marvin Carr of Dansville spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gallaway and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Droscha and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jackson and family Saturday night.

Robert Hinkley left for Chicago Sunday where he will take a course in air conditioning and refrigeration.

The House Extension club will hold its annual family night at the Felt Plains church parlors Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gallaway and family were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Gallaway and Keith.

Mrs. V. G. Burgess, Jim and Gloria of Mason called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Jackson and family Tuesday evening.

Pennsylvania sold the most hunting permits for the 1947-1948 season, the Fish and Wildlife service said.

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**GRAND VALUES from A&P SUPER MARKETS for a GRAND HOLIDAY**

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**Angel Food Cake** 20-oz. loaf 39¢  
**Sour Rye Bread** 20-oz. loaf 19¢  
**Lady Fingers** pkg. 29¢

**Sweet Juicy Fresh WATERMELONS** 24-lb. Avg. Weight ea. 98¢

**Peanuts** 1-lb. Bag 31¢  
**Head Lettuce** 2 for 29¢  
**Sweet Corn** Golden Yellow 6 med. ears 29¢  
**Green Beans** Fresh Tender Stringless 1-lb. 17¢  
**Walnuts** Large Diamond Brand bag 40¢

**Cucumbers** 2 for 17¢  
**Green Peas** 2 lbs. jumbo stalk 29¢  
**Pascal Celery** Tender Green 10-lb. bag 63¢  
**Onions** New Crop Yellow 3-lbs. 25¢  
**Potatoes** California Long White U.S. No. 1 10-lb. bag 63¢

**Tangy, Quick-Melting CHED-O-BIT CHEESE FOOD** 2 lbs. 69¢

**Sunnybrook Large Grade A Butter** 1-lb. 63¢  
**Cheddar Cheese** Bench Cured 1-lb. 64¢  
**Mel-O-Bit** Amer. Cheese Fd. 2 lbs. 85¢

**Shortening** 3-lb. can 79¢  
**Bisquick** 40-oz. pkg. 45¢

**Granulated Soap** Breeze 1-lb. Pkg. 26¢  
**Dog Food** 9¢  
**Refined Pure Lard** 2 lbs. 29¢  
**Dry Cleaner** Gal. 79¢

**One Cent Offer Sweetheart Soap** 4 Bath Cakes 36¢  
Buy 3 Cakes at Regular Price  
Get one for 1 cent

**One Cent Offer Sweetheart Soap** 4 Reg. Cakes 26¢  
Buy 3 Cakes at Regular Price  
Get one for 1 cent

**One Cent Offer Blu-White Flakes** 4 Pkgs. 28¢  
Buy 3 Pkgs. at Regular Price  
Get one for 1 cent

**Two Cent Offer Dromedary Cake Mix** 2 Pkgs. 35¢  
Buy White Cakes at regular price.  
Get Devil's Food at 2 cents.

**COOKED HAMS**  
**Sunnyfield, Shank Portion** lb. 40¢  
**Sunnyfield, Whole or Butt Portion** lb. 57¢  
**Sunnyfield, Center Slices** lb. 93¢

**Fancy Dressed Roasts**  
**FRESH FRYERS** 45¢

**Small, Lean, Ready-to-eat Cooked Picnics** lb. 39¢  
**Best Cuts Super Right Beef Chuck Roast** lb. 49¢  
**Rouser's Sliced Loins Large Bologna** lb. 39¢  
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**Fish is a Menu Favorite Any Time!**

**Delicious for Cocktail or Salad Shrimp** 69¢  
**Pan Ready Ocean Perch Fillets** lb. 33¢  
**A Deep Sea Treat Scallops** lb. 69¢

**Buy Plenty for the Long Holiday**

**Ann Page Salad Dressing** qt. jar 45¢  
**Ann Page Ketchup** 2 14-oz. Bots. 35¢  
**Sultana Plain Olives** 4½-oz. jar 23¢  
**Ann Page—Stuffed Olives** 4½-oz. jar 39¢  
**Dan-Lish Dills Pickles** qt. jar 27¢  
**Ann Page Garden Relish** 10-oz. Jar 19¢  
**Heinz Prepared Spaghetti** 2 15½-oz. cans 29¢  
**Iona Tomato Juice** 46-oz. can 19¢  
**Ohio Matches** pkg. of 6 boxes 35¢

**Early June Iona Peas** 2 No. 2 cans 10¢  
**Light Meat Tuna** 7-oz. can 30¢  
**Leda's Sweet Mixed Pickles** qt. 27¢  
**Sultana Kidney Beans** 3 16-oz. cans 29¢

**Firm White Meat Haddock Fillets** 35¢  
**Pan Ready Ocean Perch Fillets** lb. 33¢  
**Scallops** lb. 69¢

**June Woman's Day Now On Sale .5¢**

**A&P Super Markets**  
THE GREAT ATLANTIC AND PACIFIC TEA COMPANY  
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**30 Million Kids Overseas Need Soap**  
**Swan Soap** 2 lbs. 29¢  
For Every 2 Swan Wrappers You Send CARE, Boston, Mass., A Cake of Swan Soap Goes Overseas.

**Shedd's Rich Old Style Sauce** 8-oz. Bot. 23¢  
Shedd's French Dressing, pt. 25¢

# Social Events and Personals

## Mrs. Werner Presents Piano Pupils in Musical at Masonic Club Rooms

Mrs. Florence Werner presented Smith, Zonne Migrants enter-  
tainer younger piano students in a talent show with humorous readings.  
Musical Friday evening at the Masonic club rooms. Invitations were  
extended to parents and friends of the participants, with 100 in attendance.

Congratulations were presented to the students and their mothers.

Piano solos and duets were performed by Janet Fiedler, Elaine Frederik, Sharon Phillips, Edna Doolittle, Stuart Hilton, Betty Kuykendall, Janet Frederik, Janet Doolittle, Robert Carroll and Larry Edgerton, all of Mason; Kathleen Patterson of Stockbridge, and Henry Lou Kinch and Margie Egger of Lansing.

Vocal solos were rendered by Mary Ann Frederick and Peggy

The Werner Piano Studio is located at 211 West Ash street.

TING IN NEW YORK  
Robert Ingraham, Jr., left  
from Willow Run Thursday  
night for LaGuardia field, New  
York. Miss Ingraham plans to  
spend two weeks with her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. George Lochner of  
Long Island. While in New York she will attend the  
graduation exercises at Ann Arbor  
on June 4, where her brother,  
George Lochner, Jr., will be a  
graduate. Robert Ingraham, Jr., and  
Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Sibily, Jr.,  
plan to leave Mason on June 4 to  
join Mrs. Ingraham at Long Island.  
They will all return home together.

William Swift,  
Beverly Wentz  
Exchange Vows

Wedding vows were exchanged by Beverly June Wentz and William L. Swift of Mason on Saturday morning at 9:30. Rev. William Carpenter read the double ring ceremony at the Presbyterian church, 1312 West Michigan avenue, Lansing.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Beverly Wentz, 325 North Sycamore, Lansing. Mrs. Glenn Swift of Mason is the bridegroom's mother.

Mrs. Wentz attended her daughter as matron of honor. Norris Wentz, a brother of the bride, was best man.

For her marriage the bride selected a green suit, accented with gay accessories. Her shoulder corsage was made up of 12 pink rosebuds. Mrs. Wentz chose a blue taffeta gown and navy accessories; she also wore a pink rosebud corsage.

A breakfast was served the wedding party at the Pagoda restaurant following the morning rites.

Mr. and Mrs. Swift spent a short honeymoon at Lochwood Beach, they are now residing in an apartment at 324 West Elm street in Mason. Before her marriage Mrs. Wentz was employed in the Mason office of the county clerk. Her husband, who served three years in the army, is employed by the Ingham county road commission.

Mr. and Mrs. Almond Wing of Dimondale entertained Mr. and Mrs. Almond Wing Sunday.

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## Margaret Davis, June Bride-Elect Feted at Shower

Miss Margaret Davis, bride-elect of Darwin Barr, was honored at a miscellaneous shower at the home of Mrs. Duane Barr Saturday afternoon at two o'clock.

The mantel of the fireplace in the Barr home was made attractive with an arrangement of spring flowers and corise colored tapers. Gifts for the bride-to-be were arranged under an umbrella placed on a small table in front of the fireplace. The table was covered with corise and white. Placed on the coffee table in front of the picture window were miniature dolls dressed as the bride and bridegroom, maid of honor and bridesmaid.

Games were played with prizes being won by Mrs. Nathan S. Davis, mother of the honored guest; Betty Miller and Anna Lee Troxell. The prizes were given to the prospective bride.

Mrs. Barr served angel food cake and tea and coffee. White nut cups, with corise trim, served as favors for each guest.

Guests were Mrs. Davis, Mrs. Emery D. Barr, mother of the bridegroom-elect; Betty Miller, Anna Lee Troxell and Betty Danner, in Lansing Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Strait Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Otto of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Wallace of Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wallace of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon J. Brown of Vevay were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Putman at their farm home in Lenoy township.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Badwin spent the week end in Holland and Grand Haven. They attended the tulip festival.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Barnaby entertained Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Barnaby and family and Mrs. Gene Barnaby for dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Elsie Bartlett entertained

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hodson and son, Arthur, for dinner Sunday.

On Friday night Mr. and Mrs. Foster Bartlett and Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Fox, of Williamsburg, called on Mrs. Bartlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Enoch A. Beebe spent the week end at Middle lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Tripp of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Gilmore of Michigan Center were guests of Mrs. M. C. Smith Sunday.

Mrs. Laura E. Root returned to Mason Friday from Lake Worth, Florida, where she had spent the past several months. Accompanying Mrs. Root to Mason was her son, W. J. Root, of Charlottesville, Virginia.

Leon Crowl, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley H. Jewett and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Jewett were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey E. Jewett last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. August Hoppe and children of Lansing visited Mrs. Hoppe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Birkett, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Max Williams of Royal Oak called on his aunt, Mrs. Effie Browne, last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Burgess and Jim and Gloria were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hine and family in Grand Rapids last Thursday evening.

From Grand Rapids they went to Holland to spend the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Vande Wege and attend the tulip festival.

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## News of the Churches

### Bible School Will Feature Handicraft

The teen-agers of the Eden community will have a handicraft class as part of their work in the United Brethren sponsored Daily Vacation Bible school. Rev. J. R. Gibbs, pastor, will have charge of the handicraft work.

Mrs. Paul Redman is the Bible teacher for the intermediate teenage group. The Bible study is centered around the topic, "Answering the Why's of Young People."

Return postcards are being mailed this week to children in the community. Enrollment cards will be made out from these cards and from those attending on the first day, June 13.

### Galen Collessor Speaks at Eden UB

"The Maximum for My Master" was the theme of the address by Galen Collessor at the Eden United Brethren church Sunday, May 22. Mr. Collessor is the field representative of the denominational college at Huntington, Indiana.

Jim West, a freshman at Huntington, accompanied Collessor and sang two solos. Miss Jean McKown accompanied Mr. West on the piano. Miss McKown is also a student at Huntington college.

The morning offering was given to the work of the college. The principle support of the college is such gifts. In addition to training ministers and Christian laymen, Huntington college provides facilities for many of the church conferences.

The annual missionary conference of the United Brethren church will be held at Huntington on June 6 and 7. The general conference will convene on Sunday, May 29.

Mason Presbyterian, Marshall W. Simpson, minister, Sunday, May 29, 10:00 a. m. Sermon: "Cross Your Memories." Infant baptism will be part of the service. Nursery at 9:50 a. m. Church school at 11:15 a. m. No Westminster Fellowship this week. High school baccalaureate will be held in the church.

Mrs. Frances Fetters is the new president of the Young People's society of Christian Endeavor of the Eden United Brethren church.

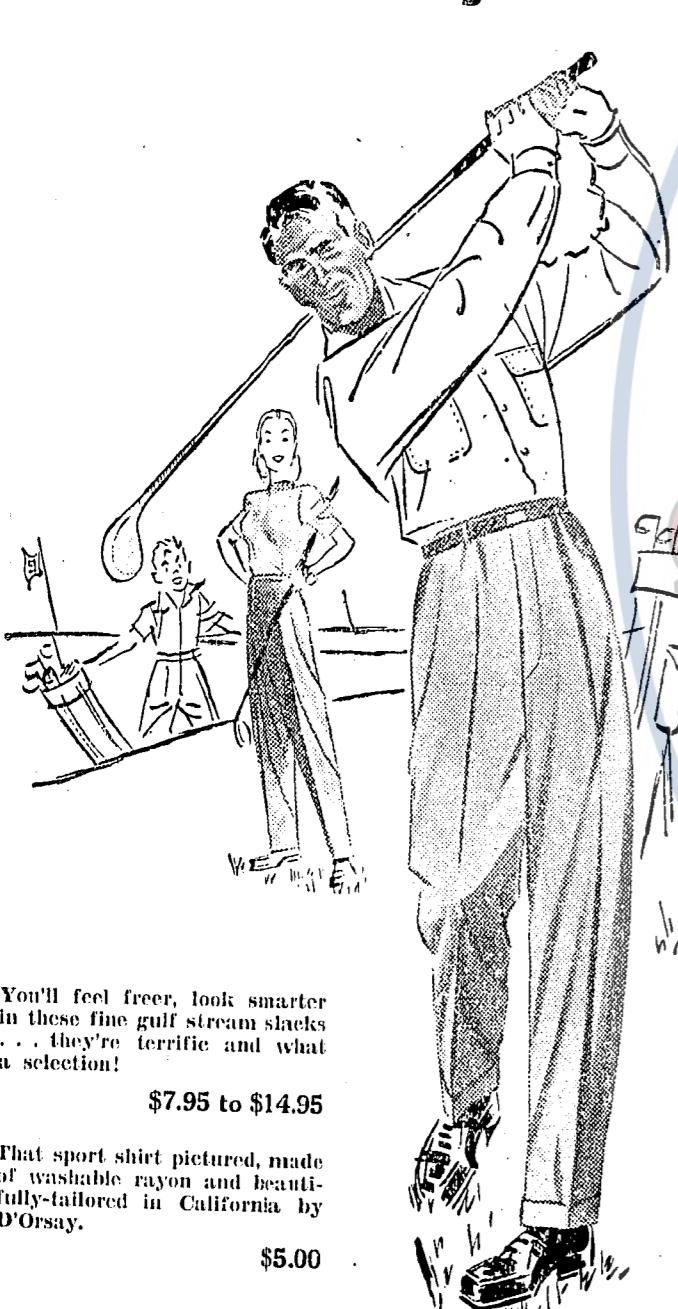
The other officers elected by the society are: Miss Marilyn Morris, secretary-treasurer; Connie Barker, vice president; Don Redman, pianist; and Miss Theo Kramer, chorister.

Mrs. Pauline Gibbs will continue to act as sponsor of the group. The pastor is considered as advisor to the group and an ex-officio member of all boards and committees.

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### Church Notices

First Church of Christ Scientist, Mason, holds services at the church corner of Oak and Park streets, every Sunday at 11:00. Sunday school is held during the services for pupils up to the age of 20. Wednesday evening meeting at 8:00 includes testimonies of Christian Science healing. A public reading room is open at the church every Wednesday and Saturday from 2 to 4. "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alias Mesmerism and Hypnotism, Denounced" will be the subject of the lesson-sermon in all Christian Science churches throughout the world on Sunday, May 29.

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Mason First Methodist, Henry Liddicoat, minister, Richard Peck, director of music. Morning worship, 10:00 a. m. Memorial Sunday Prelude, "Dialogue" anthem, "The Vesper Hymn," offertory, "Amande Cantabile," scripture lesson, Psalm 72, Mrs. Liddicoat; lay address, sermon, "Remembering Our Heroic Dead." Rev. Liddicoat; postlude, "Allegro Moderato." Church school, 11:15 a. m. Baccalaureate service, 8:00 p. m. Presbyterian church. Special music by high school chorus. Sermon, "Like Ships." All ministers will participate in the service. Wednesday, Thursday and Friday are work days at the church. We are asking men and women to come in and give the finishing touches to this task for the season.

Mason Baptist, Loyd G. Caraway, pastor. Services Sunday, May 29. Morning worship 10:00. Sermon: "Living Memorials." Sunday school 11:15. There will be no evening activities at the Baptist church Sunday. High school baccalaureate service will be held at the Presbyterian church with Rev. Henry Liddicoat preaching the sermon.

Leslie Baptist, Paul E. Tucker, pastor. Sunday school 10:00. Memorial Day worship service with special music at 11:00. Youth Fellowship 6:30. Baccalaureate service at high school at 8:00. Wednesday prayer meeting 7:30. Choir rehearsal at 8:30.

Mason church of the Nazarene, Murray L. Morford, pastor. Sunday school 10:00. Morning worship at 11:00. There will be no evening service due to the baccalaureate service to be held at the Presbyterian church at 8 p. m. Wednesday evening prayer and praise service at 7:30.

Dansville Methodist, F. A. Lendrum, pastor. Church school 10:00. Worship service with message by pastor at 11:00. M. Y. F. service 7:00.

Wheatfield Methodist, F. A. Lendrum, pastor. Worship service with message by assistant pastor at 9:30. Church school 10:30. M. Y. F. service followed by message by Rev. J. A. Lippincott at 7:00.

Dansville Free Methodist, H. W. Cummings, pastor. Sunday school 10:00. Preaching service with a message by pastor at 11:00. The V. F. W. members will be guests. Y. P. M. S. service followed by a message by the pastor at 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 8:00.

Stockbridge Presbyterian, F. G. Behner, pastor. Dr. Behner will use as his theme for the sermon Sunday, "Seek First the Kingdom."

Stockbridge Baptist, there will be a prayer meeting at the church Thursday at 8:00. Friday evening choir practice at the church at 8:00. Sunday morning worship at 10:00. Rev. Orthner's sermon subject is "The Iron Did Swim." This is also communion Sunday and a special communion offering for the M. & M. board at this time. Sunday school 11:15. After the Sunday school hour there will be a potluck dinner as a farewell for Rev. Orthner and Rev. Harlow and their families.

Stockbridge Methodist, Organ meditation and tower chimes 10:15. Worship 10:30. Sermon topic, "Dedicated Memorials." Church school 11:30. Youth Fellowship cabinet meeting 7 p. m. Daily vacation Bible school June 20 to July 1.

Holt Brotherhood Temple Methodist, Wilson M. Tennant, minister. "Lest We Forget" will be the subject of the special Memorial Day sermon by the pastor at the 10:00 o'clock worship service next Sunday morning. The chancel choir will sing the anthem. The annual meeting of the church, conducted by Dr. Spencer B. Owens of Albion will be held at 11:00 o'clock Sunday morning. The children's divisions of the church school will meet as usual. Pledge cards for the annual church budget will be returned by the members at the 10:00 o'clock service. The Methodist Youth Fellowship will meet at 6:00 p. m. A large group of the young people are making plans to attend the Senior Youth camp of the Methodist church at Lake Louise this summer.

Eden United Brethren, J. R. Gibbs, pastor. Sunday school, 10:00. Morning worship, 11:00. Christian Endeavor, senior and young people, 7:30. Evening service, 8:15. Choir practice, Tuesday 8:00. Prayer meeting, 8:30.

South Lansing Free Methodist, Thurman Fraley, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m. Evelyn Lee, superintendent. Preaching service, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Revival services continue this week with Mrs. S. R. Whims of Flint as evangelist.

### SHOOT STORY

#### No Regrets

By Richard Hill Wilkinson

VALERIA'S AFFAIR with Elliot Harvey had proved extremely gratifying. After all, Elliot was the most handsome and the most glamorous man at Newfane Lake, and the confession of his love had rather flattered her vanity. But the duration had been brief. Two months, to be exact. She had smiled a little wistfully the night she handed back his ring.

"It's been swell fun, Elliot, but it can't last. The feeling's all on the surface. It isn't real."

"Not real?" He stared at her, unbelieving. "Good Lord, Val—"

she interrupted

20 Minute Fiction

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## Reception Marred by Crash, Eight Hospitalized Friday

The survivor of the annual junior-senior reception at the Leslie high school last Friday evening was somewhat chilled by the two-car collision early in the afternoon which injured nine individuals, sending eight of them to Foote Hospital, Jackson. Three were members of the junior class and one a sophomore of the school.

The car containing the young people was being driven by Jerry Holmes, 17, who that morning had been elected by his sophomore classmates as president of next year's junior class. The car was traveling east on the Fitchburg road to the home of Laura DeLeeuw at Pleasant lake to secure some added decorations for the reception when a car driven by Alfred Titter, 31, and accompanied by his wife, Dorothy, 28, and three daughters, Charlene, 11; Sharon, 8; and Jerlyn, 6, drove onto the Fitchburg road, with the result that the automobile driven by young Holmes hit the Titter car on the left side, demolishing both vehicles.

Riding with Holmes, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Holmes, North Leslie, were Norden Moren, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Moren of Leslie, the owners of the car; Ella Jane Crowl, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Crowl of Eden; and Laura DeLeeuw, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond DeLeeuw of Pleasant lake.

Three ambulances and a private car were used to take the injured to the hospital. The injuries and present condition of those in the accident are: Alfred Titter, internal injuries, condition remains critical; Dorothy Titter, injuries to left hip, condition good;

### One-Story Home Grows in Favor

#### Plan Well Suited To Farmers' Needs

The one-story home with basement for the laundry storage purposes and the heating plant is growing in popularity.

Highly suited as a farm home because it eases housekeeping, its popularity is demonstrated by the number of ranch-type houses being built today in both rural and metropolitan areas.

Jerry Holmes, broken jaw, loss of teeth and facial cuts, expected to return home late this week.

Ella Jane Crowl, both arms fractured, expects to return home this week.

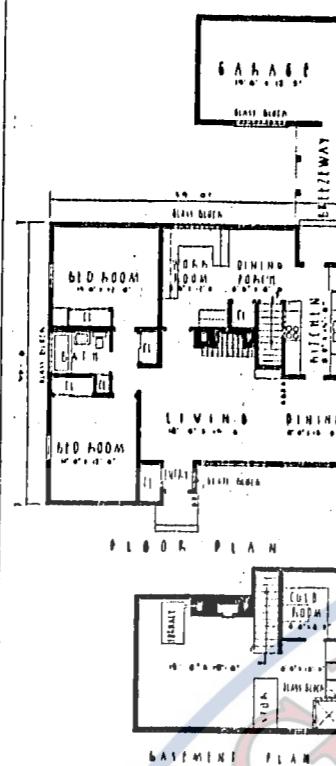
Norden Moren, broken ribs and punctured lung, has developed pneumonia;

Laura DeLeeuw, concussion of the brain, cuts on head and nose fractured with cuts on the right hand, expected to be taken to the University hospital in Ann Arbor as soon as it is safe to remove her.

The three ambulances used to carry the injured to the hospital were those of Edwards and Jupp of Leslie and Horns of Jackson. The private car was that of Mrs. Lloyd Keeney, a nurse, formerly of Leslie, but now a resident of Jackson. She took the two Titter children.

There is some local criticism of the county highway commission for not having the southwest corner of the intersection of the Fitchburg and Cooper roads, where the accident happened, cleared of brush which interfered with the vision of drivers on both highways.

Another accident later Friday afternoon called the Jupp ambulance to the Rives Junction community where Delores Fullerton, 7, was knocked from her bicycle by a passing motorist. She was taken to Foote hospital with an injured skull and has been unconscious most of the time since.



of the living room and to the dining porch. Sink and storage shelves are along the outside wall, with the stove and additional storage area on the inside wall. This arrangement provides numerous economies.

The work room is adjacent to the dining room porch but far enough from the living and bedrooms to confine disturbing noises. The two bedrooms, each with two exposures, contain ample closet space and are close to the bathroom.

The garage is separated from the house by a breezeway, which can also serve as an outside porch.

The basement includes several features considered essential to comfortable living on a farm. It is entered from the back porch, eliminating this traffic from the living area of the home.

The cold room is ample for storage of glassed fruits, vegetables and other farm produce. Plenty of electrical outlets in this room provide current for a food freezing locker.

In one corner of the laundry is a shower.

#### HE'S BOSS NOW

Governor A. G. Crane of Wyoming now bosses the trustees of the University of Wyoming. Formerly president of the university, Crane was fired by the trustees in 1941.

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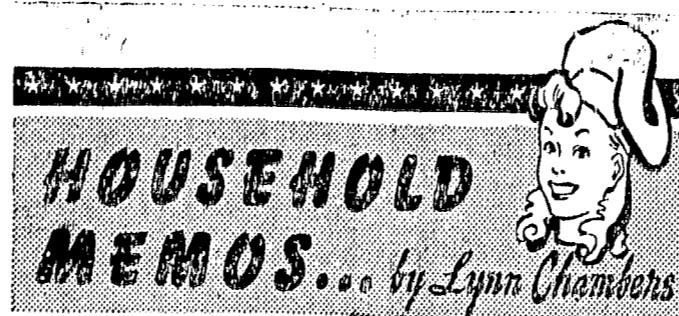
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### Leslie News Items

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### Plan Reception For Ethel Moran

The EOTC club has arranged for a public reception for Miss Ethel Moran at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Mitchell, 121 Church street, Sunday afternoon, May 29, from three to seven o'clock.

Miss Moran is closing her teaching career after 36 years in the profession, 24 of which have been spent in the Leslie grade school. She has been principal of the school in recent years. She has also been a member of the club since coming to Leslie nearly a quarter of a century ago.

The committee making the arrangements is Mrs. John Mitchell, Mrs. Burton Wether, Mrs. Mario Smith and Mrs. Roscoe Edwards. They are asking the cooperation of the parents, many of whom were pupils of Miss Moran and whose children have been under her in recent years.

Plan Memorial Day Rites

The usual Memorial Day exercises will be held in Leslie Monday morning with a parade headed by the high school band and followed by members of the various service organizations, leaving the high school at 10 o'clock. After a brief service at the Honor Roll at Tuttle park, the parade will proceed to Woodlawn cemetery where a short program will be given. Rev. Samuel B. Wenger, of Charlotte, pastor interim of the Leslie Congregational church, will be the speaker. Rev. Wenger has been chaplain at Southern Michigan state prison.

5th Week Planned for Seniors

The three principle events of the graduation of the class of 1949 of the Leslie high school will begin with the baccalaureate service Sunday evening at which the Rev. Paul Tucker, pastor of the Leslie Baptist church, will be the speaker.

Class night will be Wednesday

and the graduation exercises Thursday evening. The speaker will be Dr. A. L. Ashby, president of Olivet college, who will have as his subject, "Stability and Service."

Stop Sign Disappears

Lost, strayed and stolen is a "Stop" sign from the corner of Armstrong street near its intersection with Bellevue street. Sometime during Monday night some pranksters pulled the sign, with its supporting post, from the ground, and placed it on top of the mille truck of Leon Albro, across the street. When Leon drove his truck away Tuesday morning he did not notice the sign and post on its top and somewhere along his route it fell off. He did not know of it until someone told him.

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### In Justice Court

Charlie Trusty, arrested by Deputy Fred Trapp in Stockbridge Sunday night on a drunk charge, pleaded guilty before Justice Roy W. Adams Monday. Trusty paid fine and costs totaling \$16.05 and was placed on probation for a year.

James Whitaker was ordered to pay costs of \$6.85 Saturday on the charge of obtaining money under false pretenses. He was arrested by Deputies Kenneth Morindorf and Fred Frye in Dimond.

### OCEAN BOTTOM GORGES

A number of deep gorges, including one more than 20 miles long and three miles wide, are at the bottom of the Atlantic Ocean northeast of Nantucket Sheds.

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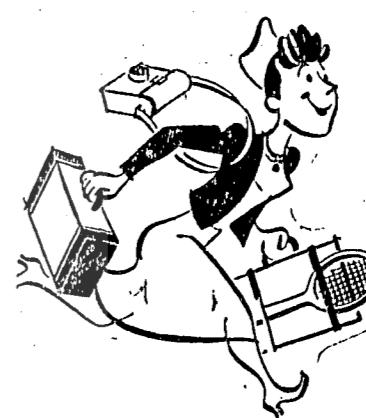
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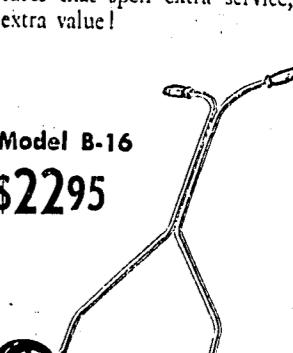
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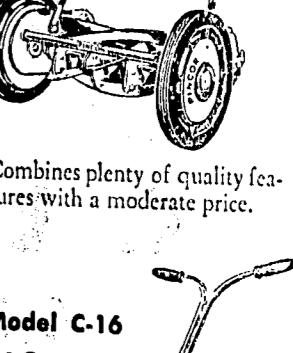
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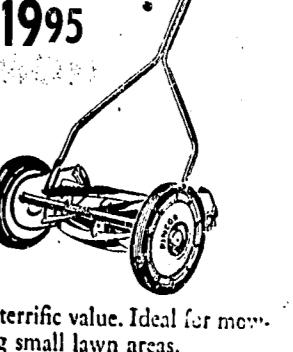
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Harvey L. Johnson, a North Carolina University professor, has found South Americans more culture-minded than people in the United States.

## Millville

Mrs. Charles Niethammer

Church services next Sunday at 10:15 a. m. Sunday school at 11:15. The next meeting of the W. S. C. 3, will be at the hall on May 31, at 2:00 p. m.

Mrs. Linnie Holt, who is making her home with her brother, James Eggleston, and Mrs. Eggleston, is helping at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Stitt, near Stockbridge. Mr. Stitt is very sick.

Mrs. Charles Niethammer received word that her brother, Ray Bravender of Holly, was improving, and was taken to his home last Wednesday from the Pontiac General hospital. He will be confined to his bed for some time.

Glen Fulton, who works for Kenneth Phelps broke his right arm while working with the tractor last week. He is in the Foote hospital at Jackson.

Janet Cooper is spending part of the week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Cooper, at Grass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Valentine of Leslie visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kirby, last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Wilcox and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wild in Waterloo last Sunday.

The Millville school held a picnic dinner at the hall last Friday. It was the last day of school.

Mrs. Elmer Phelps and children visited friends in Chelsea Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Baker and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Baker attended the baccalaureate services in Dansville Sunday evening.

Mrs. Lloyd Curtis entertained at a baby shower for Peggy Jo Minnis last Tuesday evening.

Miss Helen Baker is one of the graduates from Dansville high school this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Stevens and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Percy Bowen and daughters in Williamson Sunday. Mrs. Stevens and Mrs. Bowen are sisters.

## Sanders District

Mrs. Charles Deeg

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hughes spent Saturday evening at the Charles Harding home. Mr. and Mrs. Lee Wright of Lansing were Sunday callers.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Slusser spent the past week end on a fishing trip up at St. Helen.

Mrs. Helen Sanford of Pontiac was a Friday night guest of the William Sanfords. Mr. and Mrs.



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### Murder By Two

By Richard Hill Wilkinson

IT SEEMS to be universally pre-supposed," said Inspector Ben Odell, "that people who aren't in their own element are at a disadvantage.

"I'm thinking of the time Detective Sergeant Rod Upshur went up to Round Pond for his summer vacation. Rod was city bred and city raised. He worked on the police force of one of the country's largest cities. He didn't know a great deal about the country and country ways. But he knew human nature, and he was a smart."

"Rod was staying at one of those summer camps and was having a pretty dull time, when Henry Graves, the owner, came to him with a request.

"There's been a drowning up the river a ways," he explained. "Jed Thomas, the local officer, isn't so sure but what there's foul play. I know it's out of your jurisdiction, but we'd appreciate having you lend us a hand." He smiled flatteringly. "You see, your fame as a detective of crime is far reaching."

"Jed Thomas, a farmer by trade, was congenial and willing to let Rod assume the entire burden.

"Fact is, Mr. Upshur, there's been a feud hereabouts. Between the Hallmans and the Spencers.

"Well, sir, couple days back Hearn and Punk Hallman come to me an' says they was boil diggin' in their lower pasture and suddenly they sees a boat with Pat Spencer in it come sweepin' around the bend. He was clear across the river, which is about 200 yards wide there, an' they claim he hit a submerged log and stuck. They claim he tried to push himself off with an ear an' the ear slipped an' it hit an' it fell overboard. Well, sir, Pat can't swim an' he just naturally drowned.

"Jed Thomas drove Rod out to the Hallman farm and introduced him to Hearn and Punk. They were big strapping fellows, snug, amused.

"Sure, sure, we'll go down to the river with yuh!" Hearn said in reply to Rod's question.

"I see," Rod remarked to Jed, "that you recovered the ear Pat Spencer lost overboard."

"Yep," replied Jed, and not too

happily, "I found it caught in some weeds along the bank about 15 yards downstream. I guess he musta lost it, just like Punk and Hearn said."

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Ardyce Griffin spent the week end with Josephine Elcliff.

Marvin Scripter has started his summer work at Kenneth Pfister's of Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Scripter and family attended a Sunday school class picnic Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Heining.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Haynes called on Mr. and Mrs. Guy Battman Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Winters of Leslie had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Clark Haynes. In the afternoon they all called on Mr. and Mrs. John Winters of Potterville.

Wednesday evening Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Medcoff called on Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Garrison of Oneida on Sunday evening the Medcoffs visited Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Smith of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Griffin called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Griffin Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Fox and family have moved to Holt. Mr. and Mrs. John Quincy have moved

## South Aurelius and North Onondaga

Mrs. B. H. Field

Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanHorn of Lansing were Sunday evening callers of his sister, Mrs. Clayton Snow, and Mr. Snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Van Sickel had callers from DeWitt Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Gretton and daughter of East Lansing were Sunday evening callers of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wells Clickner.

Mrs. Lawrence Delbee entertained several relatives Tuesday night for a birthday dinner in honor of her husband, Lawrence. The honored guest received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Field and Mr. and Mrs. Wells Clickner were Sunday dinner guests of their cousin, Mrs. Lula Harrington of Lansing.

Mrs. B. H. Field called on Mrs. Emma Vaughn at the Woman's Home on Willow Street, Lansing, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Warner were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Bertha Palmer of Williamson.

## Northwest Ingham

Mrs. Ami Terrill

Frank Osborne is very ill again at his home here, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bushford of Mason were Friday evening callers at the Osborne home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Laing and sons of East Lansing and Mrs. Ina Davidson were Sunday dinner guests at the Ami Terrill home. Mr. and Mrs. LaVern Soule and sons of Stockbridge were evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and Jeanette of Leslie and Joan of Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Adloff of Mason were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Frank Osborne home.

Mrs. Ami Terrill entertained 17 friends at a Starley party Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rae spent the weekend on a fishing trip in northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. David Lillywhite of Mason called at the Butterworth and Terrill homes Saturday afternoon. Dorothy Butterworth of Detroit was home for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Ami Terrill attended the funeral of Mrs. Ami Heathman of Grand Rapids Wednesday. Mrs. Heathman died Sunday following a short illness.

## Childs District

Mrs. Leone Johnston

Paul Smith has been sick with the measles the past week.

There will be an ice cream and pie social at the Childs school house in the near future for the benefit of those who are going to camp this summer.

Mrs. Leslie Galusha underwent an operation last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Duke and family spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Comstock, and family.

Mrs. Lena Pawlinski is staying with her son and daughter-in-law in Lansing.

## Northwest Leslie

Mrs. Russell Warner

The North Leslie school will close this Friday. The teacher, Floyd Long, and the pupils plan to go to Ella Sharp park in Jackson for a picnic. Several of the parents are planning to go also.

The Wayside Extension club met with Mrs. Joe Vacek last Wednesday evening. This was the last meeting for the season.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Gretzinger of Okemos called on the Russell Warmers Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Al Wardowski had a surprise birthday dinner for Wilfred Monday evening. Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bush and Bobby of Michigan Center, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Wardowski and girls of Leslie and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Wilson.

Robert Vacek was in the hospital the first part of the week. He cut the bones in his foot when it became caught in the corn planter.

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Tompkins Center were Saturday evening and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and family. The Dorriells and Browns attended the silver wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gillett near Wacousta Sunday afternoon. Their anniversary occurred Tuesday, May 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown and family were Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gillett to observe their wedding anniversary which occurred Tuesday, May 24.

William Hazel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Hazel, spent the weekend at Fort Custer with the Michigan National Guard which he recently joined.

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## Holt Happenings

By Mary Dixon, Phone 71541

### Holt Collects \$251 For Cancer Drive

Holt and Delphi township went over the top in the cancer drive under the leadership of Mrs. Belle Baxter and her committee. Mrs. Baxter called a pep meeting and Van Daveling gave the information to the committee women urging that each solicitor take time to talk to each person to help educate the public on cancer. As the result, \$251.11 was collected. Holt's quota was only \$206.

Helping Mrs. Baxter and Mrs. Bunting were Margaret Albert, Blanche Gunn, Maude Dutil, Edith Flanders, Sophie Willman, Maye Crowe, Shirley Teller, Gladys Dorer, Mary Clever, Jeanette Lyons, Mrs. W. J. Davis, Mrs. Vaidority, Mrs. McAdams and Nilda Chapman.

### Mark 25th Anniversaries

Three couples, all married in May of 1924, celebrated their 25th wedding anniversaries together Sunday, May 22. They are Mr. and Mrs. Lewis VanNocker, 2020 Coolidge street, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence VanNocker of Eaton Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Forger of Grand Rapids. The couples met at the VanNocker home and went to dinner.

On May 7, Mrs. Jack Whipple and Mrs. Robert Plowman, daughters of the VanNockers, held open house at the VanNocker home. Forty-five guests were present, ice cream and cake was served.

Mr. and Mrs. Norris Heller, Eugene Heller and Miss Marilyn Kimball attended the tulip festival at Holland Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chapman of Lansing were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chapman.

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### Child Study Group Installs New Officers

Holt Child Study club closed its year's work with a potluck supper Wednesday evening at Hitchens' cottage at Duck Lake. There were 24 members present. After a short business meeting, a special arranged installation was used by Mrs. Dora Martin, who acted as installing officer. Mrs. Martin installed the following officers: President, Ellen June Logan; vice president, Ruth Ferris Smith; recording secretary, Alberta Johnson; corresponding secretary, Evelyn Jessop; treasurer, Helen Sparkler; and parliamentarian, Peg Waterworth.

Mrs. Mary Heller, noble grand of the Rebekah Lodge, and her assistants have been placing memorial flags on the deceased sister and brother Rebekah graves. They visited Mason, Leek, Dimondale, Delta Center, Dimondale, Charlotte, North, Pioneer, Maple and Maple Ridge cemeteries.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mitchell and daughter Susan of Lansing and Miss Marjorie Littman of Watertown, Wisconsin, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Cower Chapman Sunday. Miss Littman and Mrs. Mitchell are Mrs. Chapman's pieces.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith spent from Friday to Monday in Buffalo, New York, where they visited Mrs. Smith's daughter, Mrs. Howard Baxter, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Heller and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith spent the week end at Thorapple lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Borton of 1925 Maple street announce the birth of a son, David Allen, at St. Lawrence hospital on May 13. It was Mr. and Mrs. Borton's fifth wedding anniversary.

To Organize Bowling Team There will be a meeting Wednesday evening, June 1, at the Holt bakery and restaurant at eight o'clock to organize the teams of women bowlers. Anyone interested is asked to attend. They do not need to have formerly bowled. After the teams are formed and officers are elected then sponsors will be found for them. Mrs. Arthur Drier and Mrs. John Allen are in charge. The alleys are to be ready in the Masonic Temple sometime in September, under the supervision of Porter Field of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Logan, who operate the Logan funeral home on North Cedar street, are building an addition to the upper floor. They will make their living quarters on the second floor, devoting the entire lower floor for funeral parlors. Mr. Logan is being assisted by Elmer Rockwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Thomas and son, Gary, attended the opening day at the tulip festival at Holland Wednesday.

Several members of the Miller Road Extension group are planning to attend Waldenwoods June 8, 9, 10 and 11. They are Mrs. Emma Misener, Mary Heller, Rebecca Mason, Barbara Martin and Doris Heller. They will also go with the Ingham County Extension group to Grand Rapids where they will visit the furniture factories and the furniture museum.

Rev. Vernon T. Smith has chosen for his Sunday morning sermon "A Memorial Bank Account."

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Circle No. 1, known as the Julli Spink circle, will hold a picnic at the home of Mrs. Margaret Shaft, 4223 East Delhi Avenue, Thursday, June 2, at 12:30. This will be the last meeting before the summer vacation.

Miss Rozanne Salm and Miss Mary Sue Carlyon of East Lansing have accepted positions for the summer at the Ripple Haven on Spring lake near Grand Haven. They will leave June 20.

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## Lake Lansing North Shore Is Now Safe for Swimming

The Lake Lansing north shore bathing beach is safe for swimming, Dr. Ruel Lanting, of the county health department, has reported.

Contrary to previous years, tests made on the water taken May 6 from near the Dells and the county park reveal no pollution.

Usually, Dr. Lanting said, early season tests have not been satisfactory due to ground surface washings carried out into the lake by heavy rainfall and some sewage pollution at adjacent shorelines.

A factor contributing to the safety of the water this year is that all known sewage outlets near the beaches were plugged last year by joint action of the health department and the road commission.

The south and southwest sides of the lake, however, are not safe because of Anamosa, Iowa. He's been warned. Sewage outlets still have 350.

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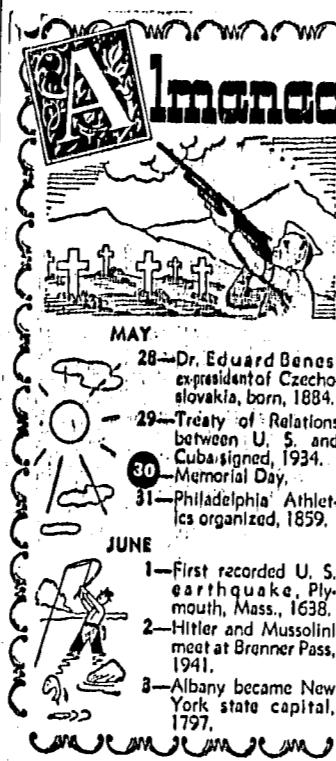
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### Ingham Scholars Win MSC Grants

Ida M. Barker of Dansville, R. Donald Hayes of Haslett, Lois J. Crawford of Holt, Nancy P. Sheathel of Leslie, Donald H. Webb of Otemos and Joanne White of Williamson are among the Ingham high school seniors who have been awarded Michigan State college scholarships.

Michigan State college scholarships for the 1949-1950 school year have been awarded to 364 high school seniors in 71 Michigan counties, according to Prof. A. J. Clark, chairman of the MSC scholarship committee.

The grants, made from a total application list of over 600, were awarded on basis of an honor scholastic average, financial need and good citizenship characteristics displayed in high school. The scholarships cover total course fees at Michigan State for one year, although they may be renewed for a total of four years if the student maintains a high scholastic average, Prof. Clark said.

The awards are the first to be made under a new scholarship plan accepted by the college in February. A total of 750 scholarships are available under the present program, compared to 64 which were previously awarded each year.

Men outnumber women in Alaska two to one.



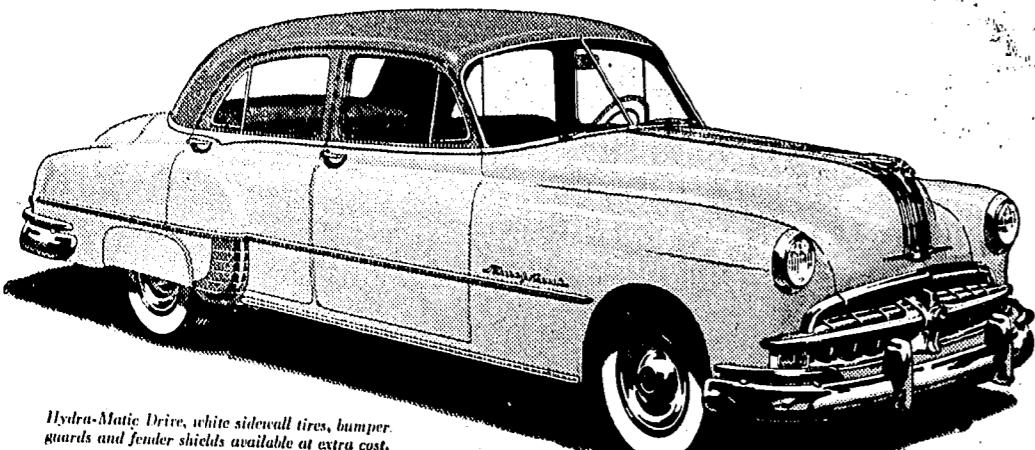
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Mason, Michigan

### Drama of Southwest Heads Fox Program This Week



Joel McCrea and Alexis Smith in a scene from the technicolor story of post-civil war violence, "South of St. Louis," coming to the Fox Sunday and Monday.

McCrea plays Kip Davis whose purpose is to restore the ranching land burned and pillaged by guerrillas in Union hire. Miss Smith departs from her usual roles to that of a flamboyant entertainer. Mr. Belvedere

Clifton Webb as Mr. Belvedere will be seen in "Mr. Belvedere Goes to College," the Tuesday and Wednesday feature at the Fox. Webb again portrays the character which won him fame in "Sitting Pretty," who this time enters college to become eligible for a \$10,000 award granted to authors with college degrees. Shirley Temple and Tom Drake co-star.

Composer's Story  
Allied Artists' "Song of My Heart," a Symphony Films production opening Thursday at the Fox theatre, is a cinematic portrait of one of the world's best-known composers, Peter Illyich Tchaikovsky.

With Frank Sundstrom and Audrey Long romantically teamed as the composer and the Russian princess who greatly influences his life, this picture is rich in the Tchaikovsky music.

Others featured with Sundstrom and Miss Long in "Song of My Heart" are Sir Cedric Hardwicke, as the Grand Duke and father of Audrey Long; Mikhail Ralston, in a dual role as a Russian officer who tells the Tchaikovsky story to several Americans he meets in an Officers' club in the Persian Gulf command, and also as Tchaikovsky's beloved valet; and Gale Sherwood, as Sophia, the young music student whom Tchaikovsky marries but soon divorces.

William Tracy and Joe Sawyer are seen in the companion feature, "Here Comes Trouble," filmed in color.

### Two from Mason Getting Degrees At Houghton

Dean Bullen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bullen, and Ronald T. Darling, son of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Darling, will receive engineering degrees at the Michigan College of Mining and Technology at Houghton on June 6.

Bullen will receive the bachelor of science degree in civil engineering. He is a member of Chi Epsilon and of the American Society of Civil Engineers, serving as secretary of that organization in 1947 and as president in 1948. He was graduated from Mason high school in 1942 and served with the army in Europe.

Darling will receive the bachelor of science degree in chemistry. He is a member of the American Institute of Chemical Engineers, the American Chemical Society, the Camera club, the Press club, was managing editor of the Lode, student newspaper, for the 1948-49 year and has been listed in the Who's Who of American College and University Students. Darling was graduated from Mason high school in 1945.

More than 500 bachelor of science degrees will be granted in the fields of chemical, civil, electrical, geological, mechanical, metallurgical, and mining engineering, and in chemistry engineering, physics, forestry, general science, and physics at Houghton. Master of science degrees will be bestowed in chemical, geological, mechanical, and metallurgical engineering, and in chemistry and geology.

The honorary degree of doctor of engineering will be conferred on Clyde E. Williams, director of Battelle Memorial Institute, and on Louis Buchman, general manager of the Utah division of the Kennecott Copper Corporation. Williams will give the commencement address.

Michigan residents among the graduating seniors number 377; the other members of the class represent 16 states, Canada, Brazil, China, Norway and Syria.

### War Plaque Ready For July Placing

Ingham county's bronze war memorial plaque will be shipped from Chicago June 25 and will be ready for placement at Mason sometime in July. That was the word sent by Boyd Small, representative of the Chicago Architectural Bronze Co.

When the order was placed by the board of supervisors hope was expressed that the plaque could be dedicated May 30. However it took several weeks to prepare and correct the lists of Ingham county.

The name of every Ingham county resident who lost his life while serving in the armed forces during World War II will be on the plaque panel. The panel will be added to the memorial now in place.

### IN HONOR SOCIETY

Elizabeth Adams of Mason was among the 10 Alma students taken into membership of Phi Sigma Pi, Alma college scholastic honor society, last Thursday afternoon at the campus day festivities at the college. Miss Adams will receive her college degree Saturday, June 4.

### HIGH MOUNTAIN RANGES

Among the Rockies are numerous high ranges including the Sierra Nevada where Mount Whitney, highest peak in America, is 14,495 feet high.

### ART STUDENTS DECORATE

The teen-agers section at the Hall Memorial library took on a new look last week when a border design made by members of the high school art class was put in place. Black silhouettes showing various activities of teen-agers—dancing, swimming, playing baseball, tennis and golf are all shown. The project was under the direction of Jim Armstrong and Norman Lindsey who planned it in cooperation with Miss Dorothy Rose, children's librarian. Elaine Nesbitt, Don Wiley, Ted Reeve, Betty Gannaway, Barbara Royer, Mary Colby and Merritt Snyder, Patricia Bartlett, Betty Murray, made silhouettes.

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## Sound Advice on City Development

Towns help themselves more by helping their home industries than they do by trying to lure industries from other towns. That was the statement made by Dwight Wood of the Michigan department of economic development in Mason last Wednesday night. He was the speaker at the annual meeting of the Mason Chamber of Commerce.

Industry which comes to a town because of promises of special favors leaves when some other town promises more.

Mason, Leslie, Stockbridge, Dansville, Williamson and other towns in Ingham don't have the transportation facilities or the raw material resources to overtake Detroit, Cleveland, or Chicago or even Lansing or Jackson. But there is no reason why any small town should want to become a big city. One glance at big cities should quickly tell why. All small towns can make more opportunities available, though, for the young men and young women who otherwise must leave town for the big cities.

Here in Mason there isn't a store or business that couldn't use one or more energetic, willing-to-learn, willing-to-serve employees. Neither is there a business in town which couldn't be made better by better patronage here at home.

There's the bakery. There isn't a bakery in the United States which produces better bread and pastry than the Mason City bakery. If enough new customers patronized that bakery one or two extra bakers and clerks would be employed. Those bakers and clerks would rent or build houses. They would buy their shoes, given a try.

## Down by the Sycamore

Leaving the Sycamore valley last Friday my wife and I drove to visit cousins at Royal Oak and from there headed north over US-24 to Lapeer. From Pontiac north to Lapeer the road climbs and winds around and over steep hills. There are many lakes on the route. It's as pretty a drive this time of year as can be found anywhere.

We went to Lapeer to admire the \$500 check and the trophy won by the Lapeer County Press for promoting better fire protection, to see the new barn which has attracted so many visitors to the County Press Farm and to have supper with Bill and Bob Myers and their wives.

The trip was a success in every way. The new trophy fits in well with the scores of others won by the Lapeer County Press, the barn is something new (see Farm Page) and a supper with the Myers boys and girls is a gastronomic treat.

We were at the County Press Farm at milking time. The 30-cow Holstein herd is operated on the honor system. Cows are not locked into stanchions or tied with halter. When they are in the mood they walk into a parlor and climb up onto a stool. Attendants have no stools. They stand at parade rest while the cows surrender their milk and/or cream. Then the cows walk out of the parlor and go back outdoors to play and eat and make more milk for the Myerses. The cows appreciate the kind of treatment they get and give down right to the last drop.

One of the things I liked best about the dinner at the Bill Myers home in town Friday night was the summons Bill received between the main course and the dessert. On the other end of the line was a Michigan State college alumnus who didn't like the sound of an editorial which appeared in the Press the day before. The rest of us waited 10 minutes for Bill to return to the table. Then we went ahead and ate the pie (pecan torte well covered with County Press whipped cream) and it was another 10 minutes before Bill joined us with an aside to Bob. "Hereafter the man who writes the editorials will have to answer the phone on complaints."

Bob and not Bill had written the piece. It was a good one, too, but a bit too close to the truth. It dealt with the speech two nights before at an M. S. C. alumni banquet in Lapeer. The speaker had commissioned all Lapeer alumni to serve as football talent scouts. Another speaker had excused over the admission of M. S. C. to the Big Ten. Two Lapeer football players who had been given athletic scholarships at State were honor guests and were lauded to the skies. A third boy who had won an academic scholarship had not been officially invited. He sat at the other end of the hall from the speakers table and wasn't even introduced. Bob Myers didn't like it and said so in the editorial.

A telephoned complaint to the editor just at mealtime spiced the food and aids the flow of digestive juices. The call Friday night made me feel right at home and proved to my wife what I have always maintained—that being verbally licked around is an occupational hazard in the newspaper business.

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## Legislators Call It Off, But They'll Return Again

By Vernon J. Brown

Michigan's 65th legislature has wound up its regular session and its members have gone to their homes. I almost said they had completed their work but that would not have been correct. What they did, after dawdling the winter months away, was to set a day for formal adjournment, then came as much into the four weeks then left as could be accomplished. The remainder was left stranded in committees or on or under the

Michigan attracted a bottling plant because the soft drink manufacturers found the water to be just right for their purposes. The branch of the trailer factory was established at Williamson because labor was found to be available.

Midland developed into an industrial city because of the brine deposits. That's part of it. Yet there are hundreds of cities near brine deposits. Midland's chemical industry grew because of the vision and the genius of the Dows.

Wood urged that a survey of the town be made, the survey showing labor and material resources, transportation facilities, housing accommodations and other facts which industrial executives want to know when they consider the locating of branches. While that survey might not result in a new factory or new enterprise it might help us all to line up to aid those we now have. Wood's advice sounds logical. It should be given a try.

## Chloride for Cedar Street

Widening of the pavement and construction of sidewalks are both needed on Cedar street in Mason if there is to be any profitable tapping of the stream of tourist business using US-127.

Tourists just won't get out and wade through dust or mud to patronize stores. They'll drive on to the next town. No one knows that better than the men in business on Cedar street. They are anxious to have the pavement widened and to have sidewalks. That will come in time. What is needed now is calcium chloride to hold down the dust.

Cedar street is a state trunkline maintained by the county. The state highway department may consider the center 20 feet its sole responsibility, although that certainly is not the case with the four-lane section north of Holt. According to one Cedar street business man, the state insists that the matter of chloriding the shoulders lying between the pavement and the gutters is a city responsibility while the city believes the matter is up to the state or the county.

If heavily traveled alleys and gravel streets need chloride, and they surely do, then the city should certainly treat Cedar street. If the city budget won't stand it the business men themselves will be glad to chip in.

The dust on Cedar street should be controlled and at once.

## Farmer Ratio Now 1 to 4

For every farmer there is now more than four others who live in town and city and work at something other than farming.

Industry has taken people from the farm and it has also industrialized farms so that one-fifth of this nation can provide all the food needed for the United States and ship vast quantities throughout the world.

Here in the United States today there are four consumers to every farm producer. Farmers are now a minority.

As farmers grow less in numbers each farmer becomes that much more important in the economic picture. His responsibility grows that much greater.

## Where Once the Eskers Stood

From the south city limits of Mason all the way to Holt what were once hills are now lake beds, or will be when the gravel operators get through.

The operators will be through within a few years. What then? Do we want a string of public dumps?

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## Act Would Give President Power Greater Than in War

By Rep. William W. Blackney  
(Sixth District Congressman)

A proposal neither sufficiently discussed or properly understood by the American people is the Senate bill HR-2756. It is called the "Economic Stability Act of 1949." If enacted into law, the bill would give 55 new separate grants of authority to the president. It would permit President Truman to fix prices, allocate materials, and determine wages. In fact, it grants such extraordinary powers that the president would hold in his hand complete control over the nation's economy and the freedom of all individuals. The president could issue such rules, regulations and orders as he may deem necessary to carry out the provisions of the act. Putting it another way, these powers would grant him more authority than war-time powers. The bill was proposed as a means to combat inflation and the rising cost of living. (Right now, most people are worrying about deflation, rather than inflation.) It would authorize the government to build manufacturing plants to increase production of goods or material in short supply. With such grant of power one might visualize Uncle Sam going into many kinds and types of business in direct competition with private enterprise. Free markets would no longer exist. Because of the introduction of this bill, there evidently are those high in government circles who still hold the belief that government planning can produce a higher standard of living in the United States than the free enterprise system. Such, however, has not been the history and record of free enterprise in this country. It left alone, labor, industry, and agriculture, through proper incentive and reward, will produce the right results.

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## Here's One Answer to a Housing Problem



Nearing completion five miles from San Juan, capital of Puerto Rico, is one of the world's largest private housing developments, Puerto Nuevo. Above are some of 3500 concrete, five-room dwellings built in slightly more than a year's time, with 1500 others soon to be completed. They sell for an average of \$4000 and were constructed by a South Carolina builder in co-operation with the F.H.A. and Puerto Rico government to alleviate the island's acute housing shortage.

### Nagging Headache



Whining his appreciation, Mizzen Mast accepts Mrs. Robert N. Weitzel's offer of a couple of aspirins crushed in sugar. The two-year-old isn't suffering from a hangover, but from occupational worry. Strictly a youngster in the racing business, having made only a couple of starts at Golden Gate Fields in Albany, Calif., the horse got a headache just wondering how he will do against those "veterans" next time out.

rate proposed, the increased volume of productions will make possible a reduction in the cost to about \$10 per thousand. In order to encourage the planting of trees in eroded and denuded areas, seedlings are sold to farmers at about \$5 per thousand. This entails a loss of about \$5 per thousand trees. If this is shared equally by the states and federal government at the proposed production rate of 1 billion trees a year, it means a cost to each of about \$2.50 per thousand trees or \$2,500,000 per year. The United States has been entirely too wasteful of its national resources. This bill would preserve and protect our forests and provide for re-planting.

### Wheatfield Center

Mrs. Erma Johnson

Layman's Sunday was observed Sunday morning when the men took charge of the service. Berton Johnson gave a report of the layman's farewell party for G. Lewis at Ann Arbor a few weeks ago. Gerald Nowlin and Dick Bowne each presented a message from the layman's view.

Barbara Cook and Lois Johnson attended the senior breakfast at the home of Bob Ester in Dansville Sunday morning. They attended the Methodist church with the entire senior class, following the breakfast.

Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Fulton of Sunfield were guests of the Berton Johnson family Sunday afternoon.

Bertha and Roy Showerman attended the Pomona Grange at Capital Grange in Lansing Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Newman of Owosso, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Botsford, Wallace Johnson and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. Asa Greenman and Mrs. Dell Wolf and Barbara were visitors at the Berton Johnson home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Sparling of Durand were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Dell Wolf and Barbara.

Bertha and Roy Showerman visited Mr. and Mrs. Clare Showerman and family of Parker's Corner Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. George Frost attended the extension executive board meeting at the home of Mrs. Dwight Ballard of Onondaga for a dinner and afternoon meeting last Thursday.

Jean and Betty Cole of Sunfield spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frost.

Mrs. Wilbur Gibson is in Mason General hospital following an operation for appendicitis last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cole and family of Sunfield and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Grettnerberger and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frost.

Mrs. Reva Wysall and boys of Pontiac spent several days here with her father, Wilbur Gibson, while her mother is in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. George Frost spent the week end at Big Rapids visiting.

### In Good Shape



For the latter's father and sister and family. They visited Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Timmer of White Fish lake on their way.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Baur and family were Sunday evening visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Frost.

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## This Week's Public Issue

### SHOULD MICHIGAN CITIES HAVE THE MANAGER FORM OF GOVERNMENT?

and not defy it. A city manager who tries to become a dictator or a politician can be discharged at once.

**Background**  
In the city manager system councils are usually elected by a non-partisan ballot. The council then chooses a city manager who is a professional executive. He hires all other municipal employees. The heads of departments are subject to removal by the manager at any time, but the manager and his employees are usually on a "civil service" basis, with job security during good behavior. The city manager himself may be dismissed by the council at any time. The council usually chooses a mayor to represent the city on public occasions, but the real power is in the hands of the council, which determines the general lines of policy, and the city manager, who carries out the policy laid down by the council.

The city manager type of government, first introduced in this country in 1912, is growing in popularity, especially among the larger cities. Twenty-one per cent of American cities over 5,000 population have city managers, and more than 200 have adopted the system since 1945. Seventy-two of Michigan's 180 cities have city managers. On the other hand, 36 cities in the nation have tried and abandoned this form of city government. Cleveland, Ohio, and Alton, Michigan, are among the 36.

Some of the main arguments on this issue are:

1. A city is primarily an organization concerned with administrative operations such as police and fire protection and the construction and maintenance of public works. The management of its affairs should be the duty of a trained administrator, not a politician. In most cities people elected to serve as mayors or councilmen cannot afford to give full time to their official duties. There should be one full-time administrator to deal with the problems of the city as a whole and to coordinate the work of the various departments of its government.

2. City managers have professional standards and a national organization which keeps them informed of the latest and most efficient ways of handling municipal problems. If a good idea is developed by a city manager in California, the city manager in Michigan will soon learn of it and his city may benefit accordingly.

3. The fact that the council may dismiss the city manager at any time forces him to keep reasonably well in line with public opinion.

administration. City managers commonly develop policies of their own and the success of the system varies with the personality of the manager. Why not recognize this and let the people elect the kind of city executive they want?

### Olds Road Community

Mrs. Elmer Olls

Mr. and Mrs. Al Titter were injured in an auto accident Friday when their car collided with a car at the corner of Cooper and Pottersburg roads, Mr. Titter is in critical condition at Fonte hospital, while Mrs. Titter is not serious. The three little girls were bruised and cut.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Betcher and daughter of Mason were Saturday night guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gern Martin and sons of Rives Junction. They were Sunday evening guests at the Olls home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ara Weldon of Eaton Rapids spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thrall.

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## Leslie News Items

E. J. Cross, Phone 2301

### Class Officers Elected Friday

Election of the class officers for the grades of the Leslie high school for the year commencing next September were held Friday morning. The coming senior class I have as its president, Robert Campbell; vice president, William Linn; secretary, Patricia Turner; and treasurer, Ronnie. Officers for the junior class I be Jerry Holmes, president; Bert Copperell, vice president; Peggy Burgess, secretary; and John Lantz, treasurer. The sophomore class will have its president, Jacob Duse; vice president, Jacob VanZandt; secretary, Ellen Archibron; and

### Rites Held for Daniel Webster

Funeral services for Daniel Webster, 73, were held Monday afternoon from the Behrens funeral home with burial in Woodlawn cemetery. Rev. Henry Liddon, pastor of the Mason Methodist church, officiated. He had been a resident of Leslie most of his life. He died at Jackson Friday.

Mr. Webster is survived by three daughters, Mrs. Ernest Messner of Rives Junction, Mrs. Frank Schwartz of Jackson and Mrs. Herbert Newman of Mason; two brothers, Charles and Harry, both of Onondaga; two sisters, Mrs. Glenn Stevens of Mason and Mrs. George Steele of Leslie. There are also 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

### Annual Homecoming Scheduled for July

The second annual homecoming for Leslie folk, both past and present, will be held Thursday evening, Friday afternoon and evening and Saturday afternoon and evening, July 28, 29 and 30. There will be no charge to the grounds where many of the activities will be centered and most of the concessions will be home operated.

The festival is being sponsored by the Leslie Lions club, the Leslie post of the American Legion with the Leslie Rod and Gun club. There will be a parade, band concert and a display of fireworks.

Robert Kilburg is the general chairman and will be assisted by Donald Morea as secretary with Ever Eckert as concessions chairman.

The program committee is composed of Eldon Rosegaard, Rouse, Rev. O. B. Wood, Bruce Winslow and Irvin Holmey comprise advertising committee. Frank Lantz and William Durfee are to look after the canvass covering and Richard Schmit with John W. Grunzel are to serve as general assistants.

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### Grovenburg

Mrs. Howard North

Mr. and Mrs. Harmon of Owosso and their daughter, Mrs. John Gilbert, of Prescott, Arizona, called last week on Mr. and Mrs. Guy McCue. Mrs. Gilbert is here helping care for her brother, Harold Harmon, who is very ill in a Lansing hospital. His wife is a niece of the McCues.

Rev. John McCue and Mrs. Louise McCue of Freeport were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy McCue Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy McCue called on Mrs. Myrtle Nichols and Mrs. Florence Ellsworth last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Heinig entertained the Pacemakers class of Robbing church for a picnic dinner Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Asel Towsley and Tommy and Lavern Rens spent part of last week at Houghton lake with Mr. and Mrs. J. Dowell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Calvin of California, who have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. Angell, are spending two weeks at a cottage near Luton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Leonard visited Mrs. Anna Leseney and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Michlisch Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Naugle entertained Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Milburn, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Brink, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Geisenhauer and Mrs. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Rice entertained her parents at dinner Sunday afternoon.

Kathleen Ireland was one of the group from Mason high school who took the senior trip.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Sluckenburg of Lansing called on Mr. and Mrs. George Conarion Saturday. On Sunday the Conarions were dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Conarion's sister, Mrs. Donald Bassler.

### Youngsters Get Health Serums

Rainy weather proved to be no factor in keeping children from receiving their immunizations at Maple Grove school May 19, Dr. R. E. Lanting, of the county health department reported.

More than 250 children received vaccinations and the second doses in their immunization series of three.

The immunization program which ends next month is being sponsored by parents and conducted by members of the Ingham County Medical Society and the health department.

Buses operated during the afternoon downpour of rain from home to school and return in order that mothers and their children could take advantage of the project.

Nine volunteer workers, all mothers of school children, helped children through immunization lines where Dr. E. L. Troost of Holt and Dr. E. J. Robson of Lansing, assisted by three public health nurses, administered the protective substances.

Dist. No. 3 Wheatfield

Mrs. Lillian Foreman

Mrs. Ella King called on Mrs. H. Cady in Lansing last Friday night.

Saturday night callers of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foreman and family were Mr. and Mrs. John Brethauer of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Foreman of Webberville. Sunday dinner guests of the Foremans were the Brethauer family. Evening callers were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hills and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Darrow of Mason.

Mrs. and Mrs. Jesse Sherwood and Lyle were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Sherwood's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Loeppke of Lansing. The occasion was a birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Sherwood's son-in-law, Harvey Bellen of Lansing.

Southwest Wheatfield Extension group met with Mrs. Bertha Everett last Tuesday. The next meeting will be June 16 with Mrs. June Sherwood.

The Pollock school held its annual school picnic last Tuesday at Pleasant lake.

Mrs. Lillian Foreman and Ellen Hills were ill with measles last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everett and Minnie Mae attended the tulip festival at Holland Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Foreman and family and Mrs. Cley Foreman called on Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Foreman of Lansing Friday evening. Ruby Irene and Lorraine Foreman returned home with them to spend the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Cley Foreman.

Mrs. Roger Church entertained last Friday with a Stanley brush party.

### Calf Which 'Sits Down' Interests Veterinarians

Cattle don't sit down ordinarily, so it was news when the American Veterinary association expressed professional interest in the strange case of a Hereford calf on a farm in Tennessee. The AMV journal said the Tennessee calf often sits on the ground with her hind legs sprawled forward.

The calf usually lies down again before trying to rise to all four feet, the journal reported.

## Masons Elect New Grand Master

Hugh J. Johnston, former mayor of Traverse City and its "most useful citizen in 1938," was unanimously elected and installed 99th most worshipful grand master of Michigan Masons in the Scottish Rite Cathedral at Detroit Wednesday, May 25.

He is Traverse City's second resident to hold the office of grand master. His predecessor was Herbert Montague who served as Michigan's first Mason in 1908. A retired Michigan Bell Telephone district superintendent, Johnston holds a long record in civic activities. As a resident of Petoskey he served as a director and president of the Chamber of Commerce.

Before moving to Traverse City, he was director of the Port Huron YMCA.

For many years Johnston acted as a Traverse City commissioner and a member of the board of county supervisors. He was also a member of the city planning commission and the county health committee.

Traverse City knows him as a past president of the Rotary club.

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## Williamston News

Mrs. Nina Ketchum

### Two Honored at Dinner

Monday evening, May 16, the Colonial Room at Hunt's Food Shop in East Lansing was the scene of a dinner given by a small group of friends honoring Mrs. Clyde Overholst and Miss Lavanche Holmes. Guests were given the honored guests. Later in the evening a gift was presented to Miss Holmes by Mrs. David Beatty. Mrs. Overholst was presented a gift by Mrs. Anna Brigham. Other guests attending were Miss Donna Ingersoll, Mrs. Lee Miller, Mrs. Dorrance Risch, Miss Helen Kuehn, Mrs. Helen Harris, Mrs. Leo Mead, Mrs. J. D. McCaughan, Mrs. Brigham and Mrs. Beatty.

### Relief Corps Holds Meeting

Woman's Relief Corps held its meeting Thursday evening and completed plans for attending the services at the Baptist church Memorial Sunday, and also for its part in the city's annual observance of Memorial Day. The department officers will be entertained at the next meeting with a lunch following the meeting under the chairmanship of Frieda O'Dell and Rhoda Slocum. Following Thursday's meeting lunch was served by Edna Schroeder, Lott Fisher and Margaret Brown.

### Flower Show Is June 3-4

The Red Cedar Garden club will hold its annual flower and hobby show Friday and Saturday, June 3 and 4, in the basement of the Methodist church. The hobby show will be held in the primary room under chairmanship of Clara Hathaway. The past presidents of the club, club president, Virginia Kitchen, and vice president, Mignon Welch, will entertain the two judges for luncheon Friday noon in the Fellowship room. The show, which is open to the public, will be open for entries Friday morning from 8 a. m. until 12:30 p. m. Exhibits will be judged between one and three p. m. Friday afternoon.

Exhibitors are asked to take their own containers for flowers. The exhibits are to be removed by 9 p. m. Saturday night.

### Band Parents To Elect

The annual band dinner of the Williamston Band Parents club will be held Thursday, June 2, at 7 p. m. in the high school gym. A short business meeting will follow the dinner, at which time new officers for the coming year will be elected. Mr. and Mrs. Dean Stockwell will be the honored guests. Band parents are to take a table service and food for their own group plus a dessert or cake to pass. Coffee, cream and sugar will be furnished. Friends of Mr. and Mrs. Stockwell, who are not band parents are invited to attend this bohemian dinner.

### Eaters Wayne University

Donald Bachman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bachman, has been listed as a successful candidate for study in the school of sociology at Wayne University College of Liberal Arts for the semester beginning in June, officials of the university announced this week. Donald was born in Shaftsfield and moved with his parents to Williamston when a small boy. He attended Williamston school, graduating in June, 1945. After graduation he entered the navy and served in Hawaii. Following his discharge from the navy he entered Albion college.

### Citizenship Day Theme

Of Woman's Club Meet

Mrs. Lulu Howarth was hostess to the Williamston Woman's club Friday afternoon. An arrangement of flags of all countries, in keeping with the program, were on display. While Hazel Adams played patriotic music, refreshments were served. Winnifred Wilson poured. She served English cakes with tea.

## Memorial Day Rites Planned

Representatives of the Williamston patriotic organizations held a meeting Friday to arrange for the Memorial Day services. On Sunday, May 24, all patriotic orders and veterans of all wars will attend services at the Baptist church. The leader, Mrs. Ida Putman, gave a brief introductory to the program, which was on "Citizenship Day." The program was in the form of a panel discussion, "Shall We Open Our Doors?". Bertha Gifford was moderator. Presenting the arguments were: Historical outline leading up to the present situation, Lydia Clarke; economic aspects of the situation, Lydia Frazer; assimilation, Alice Miller.

On Memorial Day, May 30, all officers, members and veterans not affiliated with any patriotic order will meet to form a parade, in uniform at the high school at 9:45 a. m.

The line up for the parade will be the colors, firing squad, Williamston high school band, Spanish War veterans, Veterans of the Foreign Wars, American Legion, cars for Gold Star Mothers and Civil War widows. Following the cars will be the Woman's Relief Corps, American Legion Auxiliary, Blue Star Mothers, Girl Scouts, Brownies, Cub Scouts and Boy Scouts.

The parade will proceed down South Putman to Grand River, east to the city hall, where the Woman's Relief Corps will hold brief services at the Grand Army Memorial monument. The Blue Star Mothers, Gold Star Mothers and Boy Scouts will hold their services at the honor roll. The parade will then proceed to South Cedar street, north to High street, west to North Putman, north on North Putman to the bridge, where all organizations will join together in paying tribute to the soldier, sailor and marine and air corps dead who lost their lives on the sea. Following the close of the service taps will be sounded and benediction will be given. Then the parade will continue to Summit cemetery where services will be held at the Soldier's monument. Father Joseph Wieber will give the address. A wreath will be placed by a Gold Star Mother, Mrs. Ruth Eaton, in memory of all boys who paid the supreme sacrifice. Girl and Boy Scouts will decorate the grave of the soldier dead.

Earl Salisbury was selected as chairman for the services, assisted by Harry Johnson, Mary Stubbs, Ruth Eaton, Ruth Vaught, Irene Risch and Nina Ketchum. The officer of the day will be Claude Armstrong, director of music in the public schools of Grand Rapids; and Miss Viola Brody of State Teachers college, Milwaukee, Wisconsin. The personnel of the choir includes Myrtle Martines, Patricia Conroy, Marlene Conroy, Sandra Traver and Doris Fulton, sopranos; Donna Lease, Joanne Alton, Arleta Smith and Charlotte Tuttle, alto; Ralph Graham, Carroll Graham, Vaughn Young, James Cheff and Charles Miller tenors; and James Reese, Dick Langham, Royce Lockwood and John Wagner, basses.

### Personal Shower Fete's Bride-Elect

Mrs. Loom Hill and Miss Mary Engardio gave a personal shower honoring Miss Leah Cummings, whose marriage to Harold Davies of Ann Arbor will be an event of late May. Both was the entertainment for the evening with prizes being won by Mrs. H. E. McClellan and Mrs. Max Hogle. A dessert luncheon followed the games and the gifts were opened by the bride-to-be.

Those present were Mrs. John Sedwick of Howell, Mrs. Glen LaNoble, Mrs. Glenn Speers, Mrs. Howard Elbert, Mrs. Joe Baldino, Mrs. Joe Collins, Mrs. W. S. Turner, Mrs. H. E. McClellan, Mrs. Wilbur Bockstaller, Mrs. H. F. Clausen and Mrs. Sam Engardio of Williamston.

### Choir Receives Top Rating

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### To Honor Clyde Overholst

Plans for the community dinner honoring Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Overholst, who are retiring from the school system after many years of successful teaching, are nearly complete. The dinner will be Friday evening, at the high school auditorium. It will be a bohemian dinner at 7 o'clock. Those attending, except the honored guests, are to take rolls, table service and one dish to pass. Coffee will be served by the P. H. A. girls.

### Principal Is Hired

Home Hendricks has been engaged as the principal of the Williamston Community schools for 1949 and 1950 school year. Hendricks is married and has two children. He is at present master of a boys school in Seattle, Washington.

**Kiwanis Honor Guernsey Kinn.**

At the regular meeting of the Kiwanis club Monday evening, May 18, Guernsey Kinn was honored with a special turkey dinner and presented a gift. Mr. Kinn is leaving for Clifford lake, near Stanton, where he has purchased a store, having sold his business in Williamston, where he has been engaged in the grocery business for the past 15 years. He was proprietor of his own store for six of them. On Tuesday evening, 23 Kiwanians and Kiwaniquines from the Williamston club were guests of the Eaton Rapids club. A ham dinner was served by the Rebekahs of Eaton Rapids in the Odd Fellow hall after which a program took place.

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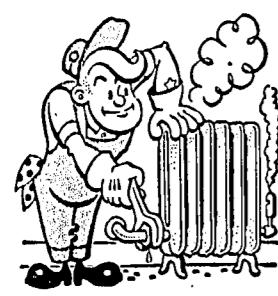
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### Girl Scouts Plan Outing

Girl Scout Troop No. 6 met at St. Mary's Hall for its meeting. Fourteen of the girls have completed arrangements to attend camp for one week during the summer. These girls are conducting a paper drive to help finance the camp project. Mrs. Milton Steffes, assistant leader, who has had a great deal of training in the outdoor phases of scouting, has been giving instructions in trail blazing. A hike is planned for the near future and Mrs. Steffes announced she would direct a three-day camp in McCormick park for those girls not planning on attending an outside camp. Forty packets of seeds were donated by the troop members in cooperation with the "Save the Children" Federation. The seeds will be sent to the Navajo Indian children in Arizona.

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## Club Agent Attends Conference

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Earl Hotchkins of Michigan Mutual Fire Insurance company told the agents how fire losses had been reduced throughout the country in the last few years and also what 4-H club members and parents can do to reduce losses still further.

Hotchkins' story fitted in with the program in Ingham county this summer in which each club has been asked to have at least one meeting discussing the fire hazards and possibly checking the fire hazards on their own farms.

Kenneth Anderson of the national 4-H club committee in Chicago told how important it is to learn to make good friends and how important and in what high regard 4-H'ers are held by business people throughout the country. It is important then that 4-H club members carry out their program in such a way that they will hold this high regard and live up to the high status set by 4-H'ers who have already completed their 4-H club program, Anderson declared.

Dr. Frank D. Slutz of Dayton, Ohio, gave a report on the philosophy of camping. The value that camping has in teaching young people the art of living together and the give and take of everyday life were explained. Dr. Slutz has a boy camp of his own in Minnesota which he has run for the past 25 years and in addition he makes many visits to high schools throughout the country.

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and assists with guidance in the schools where he visits.

The Ingham county 4-H club camp will be held July 10 to 16 at the 4-H club buildings at the fair grounds.

Other information was given on good letter writing, news reporting, information to be passed on to club leaders, and their officers. Discussions were also held in regard to projects and activities made to fit the changing conditions for the 4-H clubs and changes made to fit the changing conditions for the coming season.

### Conference at Ann Arbor

Several leaders from Ingham county attended the recreation conference at Ann Arbor on Wednesday. The conference is one of a series being carried out throughout the state. Attention was given to all kinds of games for indoor and outdoor as well as camp and recreation programs.

### Club Leaders Meet

Leaders of foods, canning and garden clubs met at the court house Tuesday afternoon. The foods and canning leaders met with Miss Mary Woodward of the State 4-H club department and the garden leaders with M. H. Avery, county club agent. Information was given to leaders on the availability of materials for projects this year and program changes from last year.

### Vegetable Growing Contest

Club members interested in taking part in the National Junior Vegetable Growers program should start action at once. They should call at the 4-H club office and get cards to fill out for the program. The program consists of a correspondence course in the marketing and growing of vegetables. Each club member must grow a garden of his own and fill out the correspondence lesson to compete for state and national scholarships. In addition the members may take part in the program by developing a demonstration contest in their own club and taking it to the county fair or they may plan to attend camp and take part in judging contests. Ingham leaders hope that either a demonstration team or judging team may be sent to the National Junior Vegetable Growers convention again in December. This year the convention will be held in Washington, D. C.

### 4-H Club Enrollments

Club leaders are urged to get their enrollments in to the county office at once. Soon the office will want to send letters to individual members concerning their project work or tours that are to be held and in connection with 4-H camp. In addition to the enrollments the county office would like to have the programs which leaders have made out for their clubs. These programs are to be mimeographed for the county office and made available to the 4-H club leaders for their group.

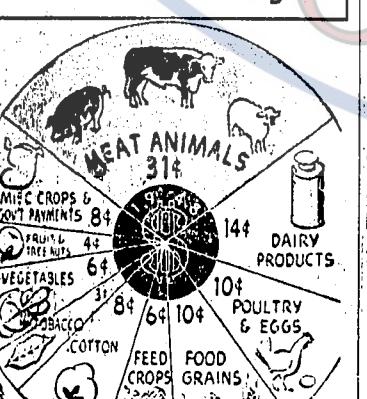
### Barn Dance Planned

The 4-H clubs of Ingham county are again planning a barn dance to be held the evening of June 9 at the Joyce and Jerry Jason farm near Williamson. Committees are at work getting tickets ready and advertising posters are being planned.

Many older 4-H club members and leaders will be asked to assist the 4-H Service club and 4-H club council in making this a banner event again this year. Older 4-H club members are asked to set aside Saturday afternoon, June 4, to be at the Jason farm to help clean the barn, nail down the flooring and plan a refreshment stand for the next week. Those able to be on hand June 4 are asked to notify the extension office or the Jasons.

On the general planning committee are Jerry and Joyce Jason, Mrs. Roland Frost, James Frost,

### Meat Income High



Almost one-third of the American farmer's total cash income last year came from the sale of meat animals, according to the chart above prepared by the American Meat Institute from U.S. department of agriculture figures.

The value of meat animals was more than nine and one-half billion dollars. Total cash receipts from all crops, including government payments, approached 31 and one-third billion dollars.

From their cash income, farmers and ranchers paid out large amounts for stock, feed, labor and other operating costs.

### Milk By-Products Hold

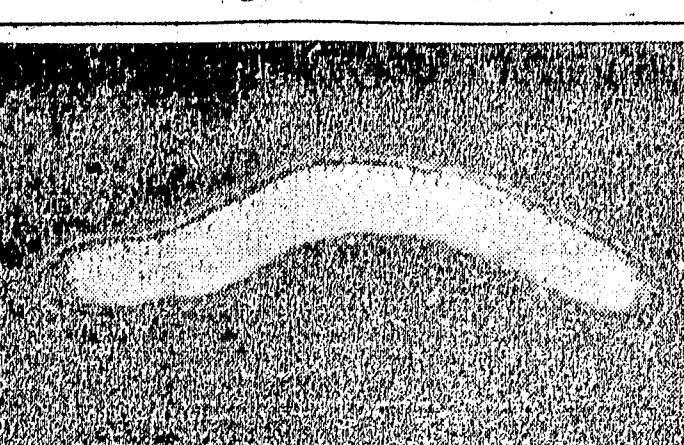
An infant food made from edible by-products of milk may soon open a new market for dairymen in tests now going on in Mexico. This is the conclusion drawn by Dr. Harold Macy of the University of Minnesota.

Dr. Macy and Irvine McQuarrie, pediatrics head at the university, have visited Mexico where they conferred with leading pediatricians on the tests.

The new baby food will offer opportunities for use in many countries if future experiments prove satisfactory.

## MEDICINE TODAY

### Micro-Organisms Sit for Portraits



## Onondaga Occurrences

By Mrs. Burton Baldwin

Onondaga Chapter No. 361 O. E. S. was hostess to the semi-annual meeting of Ingham county association, Order of the Eastern Star, on Saturday, May 21. Honor guests were: Edith M. Jeffrey, worthy grand matron; Du Robert W. Lane, associate grand patron; grand officers of the Grand Chapter of Michigan; grand committee women; grand representatives and worthy matrons of Ingham county.

The afternoon session was called to order by Mary Byrum, past grand chaplain, at 2:30. Dinner was served at the Masonic hall at 6 p. m. The evening session was called to order by Ambrose Ward, past grand Ruth of Leslie.

Guests were from Stockbridge, Dansville, Mason, Webberville, Okemos, Williamson, Holt, Leslie, Amity, Red Cedar and Auburn.

### Operetta Presented

The operetta "The Frog Prince," presented at the town hall Friday evening by the River-side school children was very well attended. The following pupils had the leading rolls: King, Douglas Pompkin; queen, Carole Bush; princess, Judy Markowski; frog prince, David Long; gypsy, Diane Harford; butler, Douglas Lynch; and peasant, Ezra Wireman.

### Present Diplomas To

13 Sixth Graders

Graduation exercises for the sixth grade included a song by the class. The class history was given by Marie Jenks and Shirley Huff.

Edwin Parr and Nile Dunlap read the class will and previews were given by Judith Lynch and Rose Lee Church. Memories were presented by Wanda Franklin and the givatory by David Long and Douglas Lynch. Mrs. Mae Spring presented sixth grade diplomas to the following pupils: Milton Munro, Edwin Parr, Henry Bailey, Nile Dunlap, Joseph Quiet, Vera Basing, Dorina Duck, Marie Jenks, Wanda Franklin, Judith Lynch, Shirley Huff, Rose Lee Church and Roy Wireman.

### Plan Memorial Program

A new Onondaga, V. F. W. post and the Community church will be held at the town hall on Monday at 7 p. m. until 8 p. m. each Sunday evening. The evening service of the church will be held from 8 p. m. until 9 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Page of Detroit spent the week end with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Page.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eldridge were Mr. and Mrs. Everett Watkins of Ypsilanti. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Watkins of Inglewood, California; Mr. and

## White Dog

Mrs. M. V. Butler

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bolt and Sandra of Lansing were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Clickner.

The White Dog school children with their teacher, Miss M. J. Miller and parents had a picnic at Potowmack park Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Lindell were surprised Saturday evening when 32 neighbors gathered at their home on Noble road. Games were played and prizes given. Mr. and Mrs. Lindell were given a ham and bread spread from the group. They will move this weekend to their new home northwest of Dimondale.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence T. Smith and family were guests Sunday afternoon of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Coddington and family of Brighton.

## Wheat Allotments Certain Next Year

The attention of farmers again being called to the fact that wheat acreage allotments will be established soon for the 1949 planting of wheat to be harvested in 1950.

Farm owners or operators of farms where wheat was not sown for harvest in any of the years 1947, 1948 or 1949 but on which wheat will be sown for harvest in the year 1950, must request, in terms of a specific acreage, a 1950 wheat acreage allotment, if an allotment is to be established for such farm.

The requested 1950 wheat acreage allotment must be submitted in writing by the owner or operator to the county AAA committee. Persons requesting such "new" wheat acreage allotments must visit the county office to file their requests. The closing date for filing requests for new wheat acreage allotments is June 1, 1949.

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