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INGHAM COUNTY FAIR NEXT WEEK

WOODED RAVINE OFFERED INGHAM COUNTY AS PARK

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS POSTPONES ACTION ON GIFT.

About 25 Acres Near Everett School In Lansing Township Tendered To Ingham County.

Ingham county may have the third park added to the county park system. About 25 acres of a wooded ravine south of the Lansing city limits was tendered the board of supervisors Monday by Mrs. Sadie Foxson Bateman and the McKim estate of Lansing township and the Lansing township board which already has had a portion of the land dedicated to it as a park by Mr. and Mrs. William H. Hunter and the late Mrs. Alice Jessop of Lansing township.

Action on the acceptance of the park was not taken Monday. The committee made up of Sup. John Brogan of Stockbridge, Sup. Roy B. Moore of Lansing township, Sup. Walter R. Carven of Vevay, Sup. H. T. Busch of Lansing and Sup. Claude Edgar of Aurelius, recommended that action be delayed until the September session so that prosecuting attorney Dan D. McCullough may have an opportunity to investigate the county's responsibilities should the gift be accepted.

The Everett school Parent-Teacher association presented the proposition to the board of supervisors. Mrs. Bateman, Mr. Hunter and Mrs. Arthur Campbell made up the Everett delegation. The land borders the Holmes creek, now known as the Holmes drain, and extends east from a point about 60 rods east of the new Everett high school. The land borders a deep ravine, the steep slopes heavily wooded in most places, and extends east to the Michigan Central tracks adjacent to the 80 acres of virgin timber dedicated by R. H. Scott as a game sanctuary. Many giant elms and other big trees line the slopes of the ravine.

A Beauty Spot

Members of the committee of the board of supervisors and others who visited the proposed park site Monday afternoon were impressed by the natural beauty of the park. They pointed out that it would make a fine addition to the county park system. The county now has parks at Mason and Okemos.

The Everett delegation explained that the proposed park would serve a thickly populated area now greatly in need of park facilities. Fred E. Searl, county commissioner, stated that the Everett district has the largest enrollment of any rural district in the county and for many years held that rank in the state. There are about 1000 children within the school district which gives Everett a larger school census list than Mason, Williamson or Leslie or any other county district except Lansing and East Lansing, Mr. Searl said.

Sup. Moore told of the need of playgrounds in the community and declared that the land tendered the county is an ideal site for a park. He pointed out that the land is bordered by a highway and that the proposed extension of Pennsylvania avenue south from Lansing to US-127 will make the park even more available as the extension of the avenue will cut through the east end of the proposed park.

Within an area of a few city blocks, Mrs. Bateman said, there reside 4000 people. Nearly all the adjacent land is platted and is being developed, it was pointed out. Two of the developments are Cedar Brook and Maple Hill. That the adults and children of the rapidly growing community should have the benefit of the beauty spot was the contention advanced by the sponsors.

There would be no cost for the land, Lansing township would surrender to the county the title to Jessop park which was dedicated as a township park by Mr. and Mrs. Hunter and the late Mrs. Jessop. Mrs. Bateman and the McKim Estate agree to donate their holdings to the county. The county park board would take over the maintenance and the improvement of the site, according to the arrangement asked by the Everett PTA and others interested in the park project.

Improvement Of M-36 Undertaken By County

STRETCH PAST FAIR GROUNDS BEING PUSHED RAPIDLY.

Travelers over M-36 between Mason and Danville, who no longer be able to claim that it is the worst trunk line in the state of Michigan. This week the Ingham county road commission blacktop crew began work and at least three miles will be surfaced this fall. M-36 has been in bad shape since the state highway department experimented with a clay-chloride treatment several years ago. Since then the surface has been slipping in wet weather, dusty in dry weather and full of bumps in all kinds of weather.

Jack Rakowsky, county engineer, and the Ingham commissioners have pleaded with state highway officials for several months to call off the clay-chloride experiment and fix the road. A few days ago consent of state highway officials was gained and work is being pushed rapidly so that the first stretch will be completed before the opening of the county fair next week.

The county road commission is working under a peculiar arrangement in order to have part of M-36 improved. The county was indebted to the state for about \$6000 on the construction of a bridge at Williamston. Instead of paying the cash the county suggested that \$6000 be expended on M-36. The suggestion was adopted. Mr. Rakowsky declared Wednesday that the commission has hopes of improving at least three miles of M-36. The road will be surfaced east as far as the money goes, he said.

Bugle And Drum Corps In Ionia Fair Tourney

DRILLING HARD FOR STATE LEGION CONTEST.

Busy times are just ahead for the Bugle-Cavender post bugle and drum corps. On Friday, August 16, the musicians compete at the Ionia fair and on Sunday, August 25, they will take part in the state Legion contest at Flint. Next Thursday night the corps will play at the county fair. Some prize money is expected to be won in the two contests. At Ionia there are five prizes ranging from \$75 down to \$15. There are to be two classes at Flint. Mason is entered in Class B. The class is to have \$1000 in prizes to be divided seven ways. Joe Burroughs, the Mason post's ace bugler, is also entered in the individual contest at Flint which carries prizes running up to \$25.

COUNTY UNIT SUGGESTED BY WELFARE EXECUTIVE

BELIEVES LOCAL UNITS MUST CARE FOR UNEMPLOYABLES.

Head Of District Works Progress Administration Points Out New System Of Relief.

Fred L. Fulton, serving in the dual capacity of administrator for the Ingham county emergency relief commission and acting director of the new Works Progress Administration designed to supplant the FERA, in a communication to and in a personal appearance before the board of supervisors Monday, recommended that a county unit system of relief be set up to handle the unemployables from the relief roll. Mr. Fulton explained that the new WPA set-up will care for all persons on relief who are physically able to work while the unemployables will probably be returned to local units within the next few months.

Chairman Charles A. Reek appointed a committee to meet with the relief commission to study the relief problems so a report may be submitted to the board in September or October. The chairman named Sup. Thomas Toy of Lansing, Sup. Grover C. Barnhart of East Lansing, Sup. Walter R. Carven of Vevay, Sup. Claude Young of Leslie and Sup. John Fay of Delhi as the special committee to study the organizing of a county unit and to study other plans of meeting the relief problem when it is handed back by the federal and state agencies.

That opposition to a county relief unit has not died down since federal and state agencies look over the burden in August of 1933 was shown when the proposal for a county unit was subjected to sharp questioning by Sup. E. A. Tyler of Alinead, and Sup. David Beatty of Wheatfield, both from townships which have continued to shoulder the relief burden without asking the aid of federal and state agencies. Numerous attempts to adopt the county unit system were voted down back in 1931, 1932 and 1933. Sup. Claude Young of Leslie, however, said that his township will not support the unit unless a county unit is formed or state aid continued.

Reviews Relief Problem

In his communication to the board Mr. Fulton reviewed the relief problems of the county. He said, "Nearly every member of the present board of supervisors has had this welfare problem to deal with and the members that were not members two and three years prior to the present time were familiar with the situation. As you all know various units of the county were having a desperate struggle to handle their welfare problem before federal aid of any sort was advanced credit to some units as long as possible. Then R. F. C. loans were made, the local units pledging whatever collateral possible, for the most part delinquent taxes. After that source was exhausted direct grants were made by the state from federal money. At that time it became apparent that the state or government could not deal individually with the numerous small political units and they asked that the county board designate a director to assimilate the demands and distribute the funds.

"It was about May, 1933, that the county board elected me as the county welfare director.

"It was in August of 1933, exactly two years ago, that the Ingham county relief commission composed of Messrs. Hoffer, Ball and Goodnow,

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Mackinac Island Trade Takes Spurt, Tourists Want To See Battle Scene

By V. J. Brown

The least that can be admitted by Mackinac Islanders is the fact that a group of county editors started the ball rolling and kept it rolling until the net result in publicity exceeds any previous attempt to gain public attention. The problems of the Island are by no means settled nor has any material step been made in that direction. But while factions contend and advocates argue, an actual increase in the number of visitors to the Island is recorded. Most of the increase is in the number who because of curiosity are pausing at the ferry docks on either side long enough to make at least a speed-boat circle of the Island, or to land to enjoy the horse-drawn vehicle rides to points of interest. Hotels, too, are reporting better business during the past two weeks.

All it began when members of the Michigan Press association visited the Island for their annual summer outing. More newspaper space has been consumed with Island news during the past six weeks than for years previous. The visit of the governor to the Island and his open-mindedness in approaching the problems there has

WPA BEGINS PROJECTS TO COST FIVE BILLION

MEN TO BE GIVEN YEAR'S WORK AT SECURITY WAGES.

Minimum Of \$52 A Month Fixed For Unskilled With Maximum Of \$90 For Skilled Workers.

What is probably the world's greatest spending organization began a pumping forth millions and billions of dollars this week. The organization is the Works Progress Administration, shortened to the alphabetical designation of WPA. It is to be financed by the \$4,880,000,000 voted by congress. Ingham county's first project was rebuilding the Michigan avenue bridge in Lansing which was begun Monday morning. Other county and city projects including highway widening, highway construction, building of dormitories at Michigan State and street paving will be started before the close of the week, it is promised.

Men on relief rolls who are physically fit to work are being assigned to WPA projects. They will be given employment for a year at "security" wages. Unskilled laborers will be paid \$52 a month while skilled workers will receive up to \$90 a month in this zone. Fred Fulton, acting director of the WPA district which Ingham is a part, told the board of supervisors Monday.

WPA workers will be paid for 140 hours of work a month. One week the men will work 30 hours and the next week they will work 40 hours so that 140 hours will be put in each month. The wages will be paid whether or not weather conditions or

TO PAVE MASON STREETS

After months of delay the paving of Oak street and the new block of Maple between Barnes and Rogers with asphalt will be begun Friday morning, Fred Fulton, WPA director, has announced. The property owners along the street have paid for materials used in curb and gutter and the city will pay for materials used in the surfacing.

lack of materials hold up the projects, Mr. Fulton said. If the worker is sick or injured he will not be paid his wages but if he is unable to work because of the weather or because there is no work to do he will be paid, the WPA director stated.

One Worker to Family

Only one WPA worker from each family will be employed, Mr. Fulton said. He pointed out that relief administrators are endeavoring to have the ruling changed because one "so-called" wage will not be sufficient to maintain a family with five or six children. Mr. Fulton also pointed out that under the present rule a single man with no one but himself to support will receive as much money as a married man with a large family. All men given employment will immediately be removed from relief rolls and Mr. Fulton promised that care of unemployables on relief will be given back to local units and the payment of federal funds for direct relief and under FERA will be halted within a few months.

New Transient System

Mr. Fulton declared that the federal transient system which has filled Lansing and Ingham county with tramps and panhandlers will be changed. He said, "The relief commission has been concerned over having a transient shelter located in the county and residents having any ill results to the community from such a source. The shelter has facilities to house and feed upwards of 300 cases and giving such a number in those quarters. There has been in the past as high as 576 registered at the shelter at one time. On August 6 the cases numbered 389. We expect to reduce the load to not over 300. I have been assured that the government will soon have camps in operation, the purpose of which will be to segregate into those camps the unit to work and those needing treatment of various sorts. Able bodied workers will be turned to their proper place of residence as far as possible and others put to work on WPA projects. It is hoped and planned that the transient shelters will develop into merely clearing centers.

Hundreds of federal transients have flocked into Lansing to take advantage of government soup-kitchen. In the past year it is estimated that 300 transients from the Lansing federal transient home have served terms in the Ingham county jail. The cost to the county has amounted into sizeable sums.

for him a host of friends in all factions. His simple tastes which led him to demand the use of a horse and not the driver, his avoidance of riding in the state carriage and his general attitude toward the natives—all have aided in bringing about a more generous attitude on the part of all contending forces. Every day while he is at the Island, the governor may be found driving a 15-year-old Prince, a white gelding, used ordinarily as a work horse at the park improvement. On his first drive, the governor made only one complaint, that being that the hostler who had harnessed and hitched the rig had not properly fitted the harness and had hitched one trace below the till strap and the other above. Our governor knows his harness it appears.

Elites Between Front

Two classes of people are prospering by the present temporary stimulus in Island touring. These classes are the speed-boat operators and the carriage drivers. Neither of these lines contributes in any substantial way to the support of the town, the business of the town, or the Island itself. The

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Pine Lake Dam Case Heard By Judge Carr

SUIT BROUGHT BY FARMER AGAINST COUNTY.

Judge Roland W. Carr began to hear evidence Thursday morning in the suit of Charles Bray, Wheatfield farmer and owner of land below the Pine Lake dam in Meridian, against Ingham county. Mr. Bray has started suit against the county to collect damages he asserts are due him because of county rebuilt and raised the outlet dam at Pine Lake, now known as Lake Lansing.

Mr. Bray appeared before the board of supervisors on several occasions in an attempt to reach a settlement. T. Rogers Lyons is representing Mr. Bray in the suit and Prosecutor Dan D. McCullough is defending the county. The trial is being held in Lansing.

COUNTY MAY BUY POUND FOR DOG WARDEN'S USE

ISOLATED SPOT SOUGHT FOR HOWLING CANNINES.

Extra Chattel Mortgage Clerk Authorized, Tax Payments Are Being Collected Too Heavy.

Ingham county may buy a dog pound and rent it to Clay Braden or the person who succeeds him as dog warden. That was the recommendation made by the livestock committee, headed by Sup. David Beatty of Wheatfield, to the board of supervisors Monday. The recommendation was adopted and the livestock committee authorized to seek an isolated spot where the howling of the county dogs and the subsequent executions will not be the subject of complaints by residents of the neighborhood.

For several years the location of the dog pound has been a topic for discussion. Until recently the dog pound was located in Mason but there were few council sessions when petitioners did not make complaint. A year ago the pound was moved to the edge of the city but still complaints were lodged. Then the pound was moved to the old Walters school, now abandoned, two miles south of Mason. At the board meeting Monday Mr. Braden complained that the owner of the property has not installed improvements according to agreement. The broaching of the subject led School Commissioner Fred E. Searl to point out that the present location adjacent to the school would probably interfere with classes and that if complaints are lodged that another move must be made.

The pound usually houses between 15 and 25 stray and unlicensed dogs. The livestock committee is searching for a small plot of land far removed from civilization. The county board will buy the property and then rent it to the warden.

To Hire Extra Clerk

Ethel L. Phillips, register of deeds, was authorized to hire an extra clerk temporarily to help with the work of combining city chattel mortgage records with those of the townships. A year ago the register of deeds took over chattel mortgages from township clerks and now the chattel mortgages kept for Lansing, East Lansing and Mason will be taken over.

Two months ago the supervisors spent hours in discussing the installation of a third telephone line between Lansing and Mason for the convenience of chattel mortgage and loan companies. After long debate the line was authorized. It will be installed by September 1 when the city mortgage records are brought to Lansing.

No action was taken on the request of Claude Post, county welfare agent, that the county provide him with office help to handle old age pension affairs. He told the board that the state welfare department insists that the maintenance of county old age pension records is up to the boards of supervisors and that Ingham county will be penalized if an office is not maintained. The board took no action beyond paying a postage bill submitted by Mr. Post.

Bank Bonds Raised

Delinquent tax payments, resulting from an advertising campaign authorized by the board of supervisors, are being received so rapidly and the state is becoming so prompt with weight and gas tax refunds that the bonds of several Lansing banks were raised so that the county may be protected on deposits.

The matter of the payment of about \$6000 in outstanding drain orders was referred to the ways and means committee. No recommendation was made by the committee. The subject was brought up when Young Brothers & Daly of Lansing complained that they are the holders of a considerable sum in past due drain orders. Because of delinquent taxes there are no balances in several drain funds which have outstanding orders.

Heretofore Ingham county will pay \$75 for the burial of an indigent soldier or sailor provided the undertaker receives no pay from any other source. In the past the county has paid \$50 but in many cases, Sup. Ralph Hayner of White Oak declared, it has been found that the undertaker would collect the amounts from relatives of the deceased. The new policy is expected to result in fewer burial bills, Sup. Hayner said.

No Farm Recreation

School Commissioner Searl told the supervisors he has refused to head a boondoggling program for the recreation of farmers. Mr. Searl explained that the relief program provided that the school commission organize folk dances, home talent plays and

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Liquor Board Revokes Onondaga Beer Permit

TOWNSHIP BOARD'S CANCELLATION REQUEST IS GRANTED.

That the purge promised by the liquor control commission and Governor Frank D. Fitzgerald is not an empty promise is borne out by action of the commission Monday when the license of H. M. Merer and G. Milbourn of Onondaga was revoked. An inspector of the enforcement division handed the proprietors a copy of the revocation Monday afternoon which demanded that the license to sell beer for consumption on the premises be surrendered.

The liquor commission acted on the complaint of the township board, headed by Sup. O. Dostader, that a minor had been employed in the beer parlor, that the beer parlor was used as a headquarters for loafers, that beer was sold to minors and to persons already under the influence of liquor.

Another clean-up instance was brought to light last week when officers of another township were offended that no license would be granted for sale of beer either for consumption on the premises or off the premises would be granted without the approval of the town board.

Fish Dealer Fighting Law Violation Charge

CLAIMS RIGHT TO SELL UNDER-SIZED PERCH.

Jack Bartell, Lansing fish wholesaler, is contesting the validity of the Michigan fish law. He was brought before Justice of the Peace William S. Seelye Wednesday morning on a complaint of Conservation Officer Glen Murphy. The officer claimed and Bartell admitted that he was selling perch less than nine inches long. John Wendell Bird represented Bartell and claimed that the Michigan law is unconstitutional. Bartell and his attorney asserted the perch came from Canadian waters where seven-inch perch are legal and that fish of legal length in Canada may be sold here. Prosecutor Dan D. McCullough contended that Bartell is violating the law in selling perch.

Justice Seelye, withheld his opinion on the fish law and stating of the law to be revised this week.

LLOYD DOANE TO ENTER MASON BUSINESS RANKS

TO HANDLE COMPLETE BROWN-BILT SHOE LINE.

Former Postmaster To Open Shoe Store, Other Changes To Be Made On Jefferson Street.

Lloyd R. Doane who recently retired as postmaster expects to open a shoe business in Mason the latter part of the month. He has leased the north half of Ford Asstine's jewelry store and will handle the complete line of Brown-Bilt shoes.

For the past month Mr. Doane has been making arrangements to enter the shoe business and has made several trips to shoe factories to inspect their lines. He signed a contract with the Brown company of St. Louis, Missouri, last week.

Mr. Doane has a wide acquaintance throughout the county. He served as county clerk-commissioner before becoming postmaster. The shoe field was opened several weeks ago when George W. Webb disposed of his stock to a selling firm which has been closing out the store. The former Webb store will soon be occupied by Lee Ware who has announced that he will operate a drug store at the corner location.

OTHER CHANGES PLANNED

Besides the Ware drug store and the Doane shoe store ventures there are several other Jefferson street business changes in the offing. Some months ago Gus Kean purchased the Mack building adjoining the Kean store on the south but Nick Danzo, proprietor of a beer parlor, had an unexpired lease and Mr. Kean has not yet secured possession.

Several weeks ago V. L. Palmer purchased the Cortright building now occupied by Lynn Wright's shoe repair shop and the Community library. This week Mr. Danzo has leased the Palmer building and disposed of his lease in favor of Mr. Kean. It is now up to Mr. Wright and the library board to move. Mr. Wright has not yet made definite arrangements. The library board which has had the space in the rear of the shoe shop rent-free is considering several locations. The FERA is now paying the wages of a librarian but it is expected that the library board will have to provide quarters.

By the end of the month it is expected Mr. Kean will have possession of the building to the south and will launch his wholesale business under the name of the G. Kean Jobbing company, that Mr. Doane will have his shoe business open and that Nick Danzo will be in his new location. Mr. Kean is now on a buying trip to New York.

Buy Barber Shop

William Maclam and Claude Camp have purchased the Hume Barber and Beauty Shop from Mrs. Isabel Hume. The two men have operated the barber business for Mrs. Hume for several years and now have purchased the equipment and business.

Mrs. Charlotte Hume will have charge of the beauty parlor department. She has been employed by Mrs. Hume.

Before entering the employment of Mrs. Hume as manager of the barber shop, Mr. Maclam was employed for many years by the former firm of Post & Dayton. Mr. Camp has operated shops in Leslie, Jackson and in northern townships.

Civil Service Exams Draws Two Entrants

OTHERS MAY HAVE FILED APPLICATIONS ELSEWHERE.

An examination under the civil service will be held for the position of Mason postmaster, now held by Ernest B. Kelly, who was appointed acting postmaster last month. Mr. Kelly filed an application with the Mason postoffice and it is possible that other applicants have filed direct with the civil service commission in Washington. The complete list of applicants will not be known for several days although the deadline for filing closed August 13.

In political circles the civil service examination is regarded as a formality and it is assumed that Mr. Kelly will be confirmed. He was chosen by the county democratic committee and the choice was approved by Horatio N. Abbott of Ann Arbor. Mr. Abbott is national commissioner and state patronage czar for the democratic party. However, there have been citizens in Michigan, it is claimed, where the civil service examinations have upset the political appointments.

School Band Concert Packs Mason Streets

NO STREET CONCERT PLANNED FOR NEXT WEEK.

Mason streets were thronged Wednesday night when the school band, under the direction of Joseph Wyman, gave its second concert of the summer. The concert was to be continued through August and to be continued first two weeks in September. However, the band will play at the county fair next Wednesday night so the street concert will be omitted.

Director Wyman is busy with his school musicians. He has formed three school bands and two school orchestras. Many of last year's second band are being promoted to the first band and members of last year's third band are also moving up a notch.

STUDENTS SEEKING HOMES

Several inquiries for homes have been received from girls intending to attend Mason high school and county normal this fall. The girls are looking for homes where they can work for room and board. Residents who would consider such an arrangement are asked to leave their names at the office of the Ingham County News.

MISHAP ON VACATION

Little Nannette Torrance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Torrance, is not having much fun on her vacation. On August 3, Mr. Torrance took Mrs. Torrance and two daughters to Chicago from where they took a train to Pomeroy, Iowa, the home of Mrs. Torrance's parents. On August 6 Nannette was bitten on the cheek by a dog suffering with rabies. The girl was taken to a doctor to have the wound cauterized. During the treatment carbolic acid was spilled over the girl's cheek. Mr. Torrance received word Wednesday that the girl's condition is now improving.

For delivery of Detroit, Chicago and Ingham newspapers call Lee Ware, telephone 421.

Biggest And Best Fair Adds Many Attractions

Automobile to Be Given Away Wednesday Night, Thrilling Shows And Rides To Feature Midway

What directors of the fair association claim will be Ingham county's biggest and best fair will open in Mason Wednesday noon and will continue until midnight Saturday night. The four days and nights are to be packed full of judging contests, midway fun, free entertainment, horse-pulling contests, baseball games, band music, industrial, home and farm exhibits. There will not be a dull moment during the entire four days, fair officials promise.

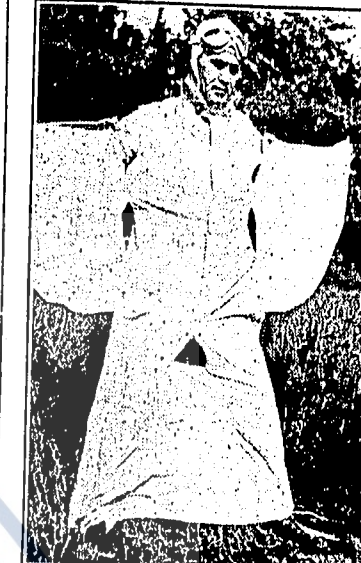
The fair will get off to a flying start Wednesday. Beginning Thursday many of the tents will be placed and over the week end the concessions will arrive. The Barkoot Shows will bring their midway attractions early in the week. Exhibits will be placed Monday and Tuesday and the fair will open with a bang Wednesday and continue until Saturday night.

Automobile Given Away

A record crowd is expected to fill the grounds to capacity Wednesday for on Wednesday night someone is to be presented with an automobile. The car will be given away by merchants of Mason, Leslie and Dansville who are giving their customers free tickets on purchases. The awarding of the major prize will be made in public.

New shows and rides have been secured for the midway. The advance man for Barkoot Shows was in Mason Wednesday and stated that the midway will be thrilling. There is to be a big merry-go-round, a ferris wheel, an airplane ride, kiddies' autos and other equipment. The shows promise to be alluring.

TO MAKE THREE JUMPS



MERTON E. COLEMAN

One of the main attractions of the county fair is Mason's intrepid parachute artist, Mr. Coleman, a World War veteran and a member of the Brown-Cavender post of the American Legion, is a pioneer in the bat wing field. With the wings Mr. Coleman soars through thousands of feet of space before halting his rapid descent with a parachute. Mr. Coleman has attained speeds of more than 100 miles per hour with his wings. The leaps he makes are spectacular, thrilling and breath-taking.

On Thursday afternoon Mr. Coleman will make a straight leap from a plane. On Friday afternoon he will make a double drop. The bat wing dive is scheduled for Saturday afternoon.

Free Entertainment

Season tickets are again being sold for the fair. This year a new plan is to be used. A season ticket good for 10 admissions, will be sold at \$1.50 and all the attractions of the fair, except the midway, shows and rides, will be free. The one ticket will entitle the holder to a free seat at the nightly shows in front of the grand stand. A number of free acts and free movies have been booked by the fair management. The season tickets are on sale at the office of the Ingham County News and will be sold at the fair grounds.

Children under 15 years of age will be admitted free. The season tickets will admit one person 10 times or 10 persons once. Single admissions are 25c.

Coleman To Leap

Merton E. Coleman, Mason's bat wing artist, will make three jumps from a plane. He is booked for a straight parachute drop Thursday afternoon, a delayed double drop Friday afternoon and a bat wing dive Saturday afternoon. He will be piloted by Harvey Hughes, Lansing aviator, who will operate a sight-seeing plane during the four days of the fair.

Two horse-pulling contests are booked. Light horses will compete Thursday afternoon and the heavyweights will pull Friday afternoon. A total of \$110 has been set aside as prize money for the pulling contests. Clark's sound equipment will be used at the fair so the crowds may be kept informed of what is going on at all times.

Big Entry List

Excellent crops and generous premiums are expected to attract the greatest number of exhibitors in years. Department superintendents and judges are anticipating a busy four days.

The 4-H club members and Smith-Hughes students are showing great interest in the 1935 fair and general interest among open class exhibitors is also on the increase.

Home economics, canning club and sewing club exhibits will probably establish a new record this year, fair officials believe.

Mayor To Push Work Under WPA Program

TO LAY CURB AND GUTTER ON TWO STREETS.

Mayor Arthur W. Jewett intends to push city projects under WPA. He was informed Monday afternoon that work is to be started Friday on paving East Maple and East Oak streets. Labor in paving is likely to be a small item so men will also be assigned to constructing curb and gutter on East Elm street and West Maple. Property owners on Elm and Maple have agreed to pay for materials used in the curb and gutter.

The mayor is also anxious to undertake the improvement of downtown alleys. The improvement of a project was attempted to pave the west and west alley in the block west of the court house but property owners have not agreed to pay for the materials. Men assigned to WPA projects will be paid whether or not there is work to do so the mayor and aldermen are considering projects for winter when street work will be out of the question. The mayor hopes to have a storm sewer laid to serve the East Ash street section. The storm sewer can be constructed during the winter.

PRINTING SUPERINTENDENT

Edward E. Lofberg has been appointed superintendent of printing for the University of Michigan. He will have charge of the University printing plant. Mrs. Lofberg is the former Mrs. Denzmore, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Denzmore of Mason.

TAKE FRENCH LEAVE

Mrs. Alice Manning, rented some rooms to an Indiana family last week. The rent was due Sunday morning. About one o'clock that morning the guests left and took Mrs. Manning's bedding and some furniture with them. The sheriff's department has enlisted the aid of the state police in apprehending the family.

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VERN BROWN

What has Vern Brown to do with the road on Mackinac Island? His responsibility is no greater than yours or mine. He owns no land there and in fact has been an infrequent visitor at the Island. But Vern Brown possesses civic responsibility.

Because this is an article of a personal nature the editorial "we" will be discarded and I, one of his sons, shall say a few words which may help to explain the characteristics of Vern Brown.

I have had the privilege of associating with Vern Brown for a number of years. I envy him his interest in people and in public affairs. His curiosity to know the inner workings is insatiable. His interest in people and public affairs has cost him plenty in cash. But he has had a good time through life. He has done things.

Almost as soon as he could vote Vern Brown was elected to township office. A few years later in Lansing he was elected to the council. He was and is interested in government, not for the pay or the titles but because he welcomes an opportunity to be of service. In fact, the time he has spent on public business with no pay would have made him wealthy had he devoted that time and energy to private endeavor. I remember when he served as Sunday school superintendent. He put as much energy into that job as he would had the support of the family depended on it.

Dad could have bought a farm had he been paid 10c an hour for the time he has put in on a series of county fairs. A few years ago when he felt the call to explain state government and to tell the public where some of the tax money went he did a distasteful service. His writings not only displeased some of his close friends and colleagues, it resulted in enmities. Probably you or I would have shrugged our shoulders and said, "What of it? It's not our business."

That's the point. Such things are Vern Brown's business. He is as intensely interested in the Tennessee Valley experiment as though it were the Sycamore valley. After a swing through the south two years ago, a trip when he visited officials in a number of states, he returned with more knowledge of affairs than is possessed by some of the officials of those states, I'll wager.

Taxation is a dry subject to most people. Dad likes to study taxation tables. He sends for the tax statistics of other states and reads them with as much interest as you or I read Iffy's column.

I can see a group of newspaper publishers loafing at Mackinac Island at the meeting of the Michigan Press Association in July. The men are commiserating over the future of Mackinac Island. Without casting any reflections on the other editors, I can see them mentally shrugging their shoulders and saying, "It isn't my island. I'll be home next week. Wonder how the boys are getting along with that booklet job?"

Then I can see my father slowly waving his arms and telling what should be done to save Mackinac. To him it is not idle conversation. He has become as interested in Mackinac Island after two days there as he would have been over a new lily blossom in his fish pond. That's the way he is built. He was already building a parking dock and building a pavement.

No, he didn't feel out of place last week while he was telling the Islanders what should be done. He felt just as natural as he would sitting in at a meeting of the Hawley cemetery board or the county fair association. Dad is free with advice and usually it is worth something.

This proclivity to help run things has cost Vern Brown a lot. He has helped run the city of Lansing as an alderman, has helped run the county as a supervisor and clerk, has headed the Mason council as mayor, has served as president of the Mason school board, has been secretary and general manager of the county fair, has been and is a member of the state legislature and has served and is serving on scores of committees for one thing or another. And with one or two exceptions his service has been without pay. He has sometimes been paid by being labeled a dictator, by having it said that "Vern always wants to run things."

Well, somebody has to "run things" or they soon run down. You or I are usually willing to let Vern do it. We lack the sense of responsibility that has come to full flower in Vern. What is everyone's business is not your business nor my business nor anyone's business, but it is Vern Brown's business.

Dad spends hours talking over personal problems with people who come to the office or to the home. He'll advise on what crops to plant, the merits of a hoe, what should be done with army worms, how the dog warden should conduct his office, when to wear the baby, how the federal budget should be balanced, what relief projects are necessary and how they should be prosecuted, what public offices should be abolished and who should fill them if they are not abolished. He'll gladly relate his experience and tell his reactions. I have yet to see the person, from a babe in arms to the oldest settler, who doesn't like to talk with Dad. He always has the answers and so often they are right.

He has advised former Governor Green, former Governor Brucker, former Governor Comstock and Governor Fitzgerald. He has advised Governor Tallmadge of Georgia. He has advised men and women who did not know from where the next meal was to come. He has dug in his pockets to aid people and causes he considered worthy. It is true that the advice given high officials has often been unsought and frequently unwelcome but it has always been proffered honestly and sincerely.

So Vern Brown is not out of place advising the people on Mackinac Island. He is just doing his duty as he sees it. We would be better off were there more Vern Browns with their honesty, their integrity, their sincerity, their energy, their ability and their willingness to be helpful.

Certainly, I realize these paragraphs are in poor taste and may result in the charge that I am trying to form an admiration society. But I probably know my father as well or better than do many others and I believe this explanation of his makeup may be of general interest although it will embarrass him. Well, I have embarrassed him before and he has always recovered.

CONSTITUTIONAL RIGHTS

Those who assert that the United States constitution is a relic of the horse and buggy days and no longer should protect the American people would do well to read "I Speak for the Silent." The author is Vladimir Tchere-

navin who spent years in Soviet prisons and prison camps without ever having a trial. Fair trials are unknown in Russia. The GPU serves as prosecutor, jury and judge. Soviet Russia is a bureaucracy such as some would have the United States become. It is a country where men and not laws govern. The average citizen has no rights. He is as much a slave as though he were chained to a galley bench.

It is true as some of the Brain Trusters so superficially point out that "you can't eat the constitution." But the constitution, when followed, also prevents a humble citizen from being eaten by vermin and disease in a prison without ever having been officially charged with a crime or having been given a fair hearing in court. Certainly, "you can't eat the constitution." Nor did Jefferson and those other far-seeing men who drew up the document intend that it should be eaten. It was meant as a safeguard against oppression, against paternalism, against exploitation at the hands of a bureaucracy.

THE OLYMPICS

A movement is underway to force the United States to withdraw from the Olympic games scheduled to be held in Berlin in 1936. Those who are urging the United States withdrawal claim that because Germany is persecuting Jews that the United States should not send a team.

Is the United States so free from persecution that it can afford to take such a stand regarding Germany? In many western states the Japanese are denied landholding rights and the United States has practically excluded Japanese from coming to the United States. Japan certainly played its part in the Los Angeles Olympics. In most of the southern states negroes are denied the voting franchise and are otherwise persecuted. Here in the United States, too, the Jews are denied admission to many circles.

How many colored players are there in organized baseball? None.

Yet we boast of our religious tolerance and continue to boast even when we recall the tactics used in the south against Alfred E. Smith in 1924. The Jews may or may not get a fair break in the Berlin Olympics but the United States is not the nation to protest against racial discrimination in Germany. We have it here and there is no place where the color line is more closely drawn than in some of the exclusive churches whose pastors are now shouting that the United States not send a team to Berlin.

TAKE OFF THE COATS

About the silliest topic for editorial comment is the one now popular with metropolitan newspapers; namely, the growing and sensible inclination for a man to shed his coat in hot weather. Here in Mason and most other small towns the man wearing a coat in hot weather is regarded with suspicion. In most cases the man is a stranger, probably from Detroit or Lansing. If the man is recognized as a local resident the suspicions are heightened. Then the speculations are that he is getting ready to leave town, that he intends to impress someone with a front or that he has a dirty shirt.

How ridiculous to try to make out that women are offended when a man sheds his coat! Since when during the past 10 years has lack of clothing been offensive to women? Certainly at dances, on the beaches and even on the streets few women seem shocked at bare skin. Then why should they be offended because a man goes coatless? They shouldn't and they don't. And even were women offended because a man goes without his coat, what of it? A man might better offend a woman by going coatless than by insulting his own intelligence by keeping all his clothes on in hot weather.

The matter of wearing coats may be an issue in certain Detroit circles and the little towns like Lansing which ape Detroit but here in Mason it is no longer an issue. It is an accepted fact and we make the suggestion to Lansing and Detroit editors that if they come to Mason to verify the fact they abandon their coats. Otherwise they would be marked men.

HIGHWAYS VS. PARKS

Are we spending too much money for highways? Are we neglecting other improvements so we can have money to spend on roads? Millions of dollars have been spent on highways in Michigan. The present administration has promised a new program of something like \$22,000,000 and is urging that another \$30,000,000 from WPA be spent. Here in Ingham county we have about \$7,000,000 invested in roads and are spending at the rate of \$300,000 a year. All of us like good roads but perhaps there are other things just as important that we deny ourselves in order to build roads.

Parks, for instance. At the meeting of the board of supervisors Monday a park site near Lansing was proffered the board of supervisors. Some of the board members privately expressed fear that acceptance of the gift might lead the county into an expense of several thousands of dollars for improvement. Of course, the supervisors are merely doing their duty when they pause to count costs. But few pauses have ever been made to count the costs of highways. In good times or bad, highway programs go booming along. We always find the cash for highways but we have to fumble around for school and park funds.

It is true that the board of supervisors has only remote control over highway funds. Money used for highway purposes in Ingham county comes solely from gasoline and weight taxes and is paid to the board of county road commissioners. But nevertheless it is our money. It is the money we pay every time the gas tank is filled and every year when we buy auto tags. Such money is not sacred. It is our money and it can well be invested in a park system to extend to every section of the county. The road commission is doing a good job with the county's two parks and it can well handle several others. We have built highways without scanning the costs too closely. Perhaps parks are just as important. A few thousands spent for parks and recreational opportunities for children may be as good an investment as millions spent for speedways where children are mowed down. If we have millions of dollars for highways we ought to be able to find a few thousands for the purchase and maintenance of parks.

What Other Editors Have to Say

"It's Toy"

"It's Toy," yowls Edward Barnard everytime Barnard is revealed in some bady political deal or his name is linked with some police affair in Detroit. Of course everyone knows that Mr. Barnard has reference to Attorney General Harry S. Toy who as prosecuting attorney of Wayne county did more to clean out the racketeers and gangsters than any other official in recent years. Barnard's recent outburst against Toy came when his name was linked with the alleged attempt to cause witnesses in the Detroit election scandal to change their testimony. When the finger of suspicion is pointed to a guilty conscience, there is generally a recoil against the accusation. Everytime Mr. Barnard cringes back and declares "It's Toy" he is creating the very same impression one gets when he sees a guilty person covering his face from the gaze of his accusers. It begins to look as though the name of Toy haunts Mr. Barnard and his associates.—The Plymouth Mail.

Crime Wave Sweeps Meads

The young people of the country west of Meads have long been accustomed to have their marshmallow roasts on Friday or Saturday nights on the shores of Lake Michigan at least two generations. There was one last week Friday night and Betty Padecky and Katherine Jacobsen, the summer resort girl down the hill on the beach in the little cottage among the cedars were allowed to go but on account of being fifteen years old they were instructed to come home early. As Betty did not show up at the farm site on time, Otto Richter decided he had better go down and bring the girls home. 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Northwest Stockbridge

By Mrs. W. L. Sharland

Cora Sharland returned to Mt. Clemens, Friday, after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sharland.
Mrs. Emory Freer from Dansville, spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. Edith Jesse.
Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hazelton and daughter from Perry, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Sharland.
Roland Barth spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. F. E. Briggs.

South Aurelius and North Onondaga

By Mrs. B. H. Field

Mrs. Zola Couchman and children, Eleanor and Randall, of Three Oaks, and Mrs. Leslie Otis of Mason, visited Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Gretton and family, Thursday evening.
Oscar Verborg and mother, Mrs. Ina Field and Mr. and Mrs. Moyer of Jackson, were callers at the B. H. Field home Friday afternoon.
Twenty of the Fields family spent Sunday at Pleasant Lake.
Mr. and Mrs. Austin Todd of Eaton Rapids, and a cousin from New York, called on the Todd boys and their sis-

ter, Mrs. Glen Scutt and family, Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cooley and family of Holt, visited Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Snow and family, Sunday.
Everyone remember and come August 17, to the annual reunion of the Aurelius Center, Barnes, Gretton and Wilcox schools at the Aurelius school.
Frank Scutt of Mason, and E. L. Davis visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Scutt, Sunday.
Mesdames Cora Russell and Maggie Evelin visited Mr. and Mrs. F. Minar of Mason, Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Eldred Harkness and mother, Mrs. Maggie Evelin, are visiting friends and relatives in New York state.
Albert Chemela of New York City, who has been visiting his cousin, Mrs. Minnie Hemans, returned home the first of the week.
Mrs. Elizabeth Forbes and Miss Elsie Wernberg of Ishpeming, are visiting Mrs. Minnie Hemans.
Miss Virginia Snow is visiting Miss Marjorie Cooley of Holt, and attending the homecoming this week.
Mrs. Edith Dearbeck of Florida, and Mrs. Ida French of Lansing, are keeping house at the Eldred Harkness home while the Harknesses are on a trip in the east.

She: "Don't you feel as happy as a king when you're flying?"
He: "Happier. I'm an ace."

Fitchburg

By Mrs. I. S. Baldorf

The Merry-Go-Round club will hold their annual picnic at Battese Lake, Thursday.
The Lant's reunion will be held at Harker's resort, Pleasant Lake, on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Baldorf attended the camp meeting at Sunfield camp ground, Sunday.

South Leroy

By Mrs. W. L. Rice

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Torwilliger of Battle Creek, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wolverton.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Morgan of Howell, were Sunday visitors of her son, Merton Rice, and family.
Maurice Monroe is spending some time with his cousins, Doris and Charles, Jr. Holland of Ann Arbor.
Mr. and Mrs. Jearld Douglas are the parents of a son, Jearld, Jr.
Mrs. L. P. Williams and son of Van-town, Mrs. Ivan Monroe and daughter and Mrs. Merton Rice and daughter was at Howell one day last week and called on the former's mother, Mrs. A. Morgan.

Herrick District

By Mrs. Howard Herrick

John Cox visited his mother in Chicago, Illinois, last week.
Luelle Herrick is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. William Foreman, in Williamston.
Hazen Monroe has moved his family into the Mike Schuchaske house.
Howard Herrick is suffering with infection in his left hand caused from a blister.
Mrs. Fred Miller received word of the death of her niece, Ethel Murray, in Lansing last week. Funeral services were held at home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willard Murray, in Webberville, Monday.
Howard Herrick and family spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. William Foreman.

Williamston

By Inez C. White

Dwight L. Cole, 68, died at his home in Grand Rapids last Sunday evening. Mr. Cole was brought up in Wheatfield township and with two brothers resided there for several years. Those who survive are one widow, Mrs. Leora Cole, and one brother, Harvey Cole, of this village. The body was brought to the Corline funeral parlors here and funeral services were held at the chapel at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon. Burial was made in the Leek cemetery. Mr. Cole was of an inventive turn, having secured several patents. One of them was on a spring lock which was intended for installing on cold storages or large ice boxes and large safes. Should a person become shut in they could unlock the door from the inside and let themselves out.
Workmen began on Monday mixing the oil with the gravel and spreading the blacktop on Jackson street.
Walter Estes has bought a house and lot on Riverside avenue of Bert Hammond. It is better known as the Carr residence.
Mrs. Frank Cobb and daughters, Ruby and Elsie, left here Tuesday for

Flint, where they will attend the Detroit Free Methodist annual conference and camp meeting for a week. Mr. Cobb will join them later.
Mr. and Mrs. Edd Tyler have purchased the Anna Bristow residence of the heirs, Mrs. May Benjamin and Bernie Webb. They will take up their residence there as soon as the tenants can vacate.
Peter Laberteaux, who has been in Leslie helping to care for his mother, who suffered a stroke, has returned to his home here. Mrs. Laberteaux has been taken to Lansing to the home of her niece.

Towar Garden and Hart Subdivision

By Mrs. Jay Boyle

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Munger of Lansing, were Monday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Boyle. Mr. Boyle's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Smith, also called there.
Mrs. Harold Leathers, who was sick last week, is better at this writing. Miss Marjorie Chapman is staying with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Jack Chapman, of Lansing.
Leonard, Jr. and sister, Betty Campbell, of Round Lake, spent Monday afternoon with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Boyle.
Wayne Robinson of Mason, spent a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. Rosa Teed.

Millville

By Mrs. Maggie Burden

Preaching next Sunday at 10 a. m. the last of this conference year. Sunday school at 11.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kirby and family of Eden, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark.
Mrs. Mary Kinney and daughter, Mrs. Mable Frahm and daughter of Mrs. Florence Turner and daughter of Fort Haven, attended the Stockbridge centennial and called on Mrs. Burden, Friday evening. The Kinney family used to live in this vicinity many years ago.
The L. A. S. will meet Tuesday afternoon, August 20. All who can do so are requested to attend as there is work to do.
The W. U. W. Workers Sunday school class will have an ice cream social Friday evening, August 16, at the hall.
The L. A. S. elected their officers Tuesday, August 6, as follows: Olive Walker, president; Mrs. Carrie Joslin and Mrs. Maggie Asquith, vice president; Maggie Burden, secretary; Mrs. Ethel Marshall, treasurer; Mrs. Nina Carlton, Mrs. Mattie Felton and Hazel Hayner, organists; Mrs. Eliza Patrick and Mrs. Lana McKenzie, flower committee.
Mrs. Maggie Burden and Everett Horwood attended the Green school reunion last Wednesday and report a very nice time, meeting old friends and schoolmates.
Mrs. George Emerick of Detroit, and Mrs. Rickster and two children of Flint, visited their uncle, John Anderson, and wife, cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Phelps and other friends, last Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Parker of Bell Oak, called on her mother, Mrs. Nina Kelley and aunt, Ida Cooper, Sunday.
John Anderson attended the funeral of George Brazie of Williamston, Sunday.
Robert Kirby of Eden, is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark.
Mrs. Carrie Joslin spent a few days last week at Mrs. Adah Brown's.

North Leslie

By Mrs. A. T. Ingalls

Mrs. Della Royston of Jackson, and daughter Hazel of Chicago, were guests of Mrs. Christina Royston, Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. William Sanford visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Richardson, and Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Ingalls and Minnie Ingalls visited Mr. and Mrs. George Higdon all of Pontiac, Sunday. Mr. Higdon spent his early life around here. He was the editor of the Leslie Republican which later consolidated with the Leslie Local. He is in very poor health. Rev. Daniel Huntwork, who begins as pastor of the Baptist church in Mason next Sunday, is a nephew of Mrs. Higdon.
Mrs. George Graham, son Kenneth and nephew, Jack Kennedy, of Potterville, visited Mr. Graham's aunt, Mrs. Birney, and daughter, Allie, in Detroit, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. George Graham and Mrs. Kittie Kennedy and son Jack of Potterville, visited the former's grandson, George Michael Graham, at St. Lawrence hospital, Lansing, Monday. George is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Graham and was born Sunday.
Jerry Blood of Jackson, has been a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Will Eteo since Thursday.
Miss Hazel Wheeler returned Saturday from a two weeks' attendance at the U. B. camp meeting at Sunfield. She was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Howe and family.
Mrs. Harry Covert, who sprained her ankle two weeks ago is able to step on it a little.
The Childs' of Fremont, Ohio, are at "Uncle Tom's Cabin" for a few weeks.
Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jewell and Mrs. Mary Jewell attended the Hilliard reunion at the county park in Mason, Sunday.
Clayton Jewell and friend from Lansing, visited in Chicago, Saturday and Sunday. They were overnight guests of his parents, Sunday.
Fred Disenroth and son-in-law, Harold Bell of Mason, attended the ball game in Detroit, Sunday. Mrs. Bell and baby spent the day with her mother.
The North Leslie boys 4-H club met with their leader, Harry Covert, Friday night. Plans were made to attend the county fair next week. Refreshments were served.
The Busy Bee 4-H club met with Cella Lovett, Saturday. They attended the county demonstration in Mason, Tuesday.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Eteo and daughter attended the 22nd Stanfield reunion at Harker's resort. Thirty-nine enjoyed a picnic dinner, followed by games, social visiting and election of officers. The officers elected were as follows: William Barker of House neighborhood, president; F. R. Adams of Munith, vice president; and Mrs. Will Eteo, secretary and treasurer. The meeting for the coming year will be held at the same place.

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Southeast Ingham

By Mrs. James Quinn

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lee and family of Toledo, were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lee. E. J. Worden and son Raymond were guests of James Quinn and family, Saturday.
Joe Ewers was a dinner guest of his parents, Sunday.
Mrs. Paul Standfield and son Eugene of Jackson, were visitors of Mrs. Ervin Ewers and Mrs. James Quinn, Thursday of last week.

Floyd Day of Jackson

was a guest of John Lavony, Sunday.

Leo Spencer of Whitmore Lake, was a caller in this vicinity one day last week.
Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Annis accompanied by Mrs. E. J. Annis and Pearl Layton visited Marshall Annis, who is at the sanitarium at Lansing, on Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Felton

and Robert spent Sunday at the home of Sam and Miss Maggie Felton of White Oak.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kilburn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kilburn of Aurelius.
Mr. and Mrs. Doren Ferguson of Dansville, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Robinson.
Miss Gladys Jones is spending two weeks with her aunt in Lansing.
Miss Mary Robinson is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Doren Ferguson, near Dansville.

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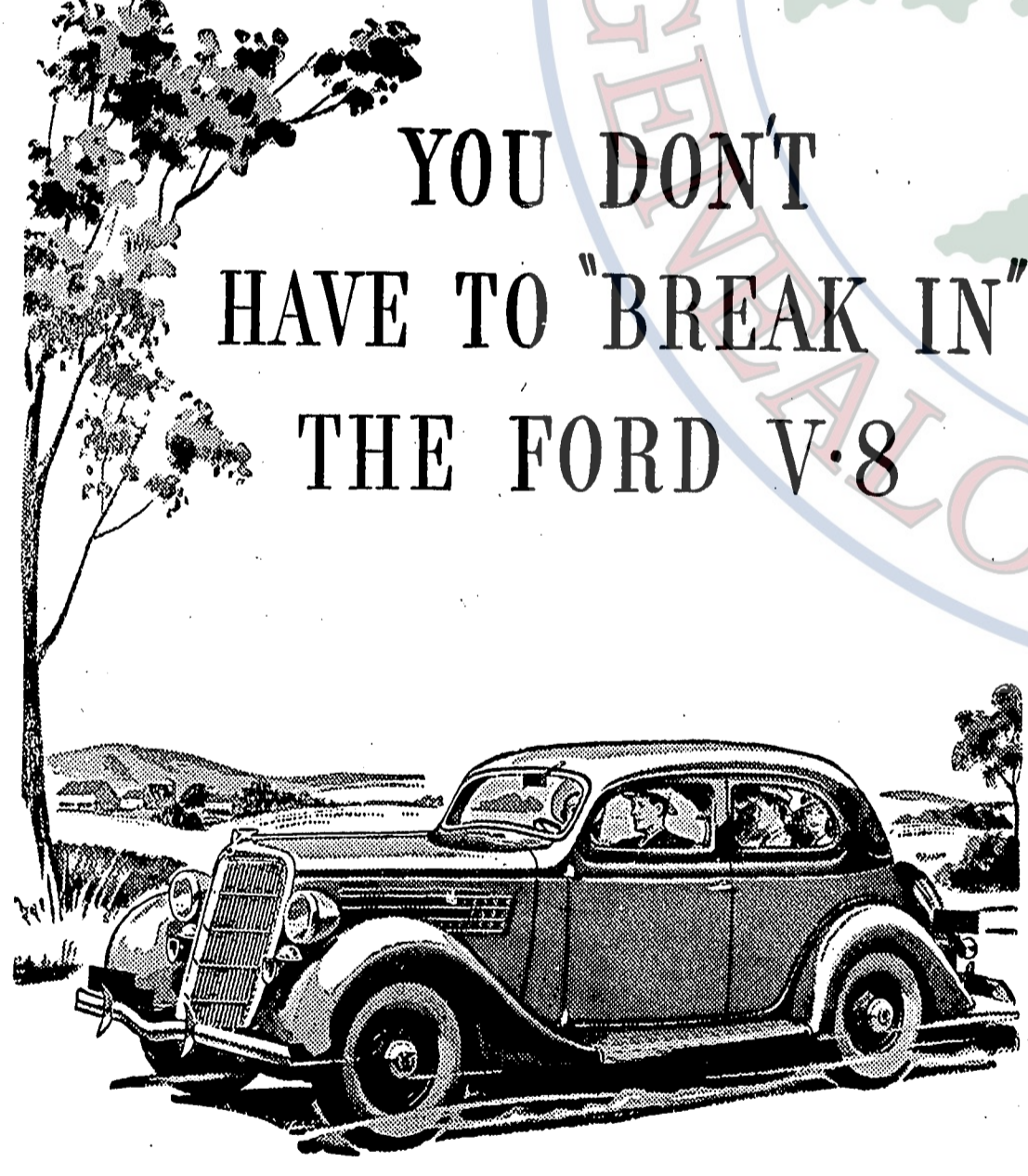
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Fifth Brand	67
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Northeast Onondaga
By Mrs. Eda Darrow

Mr. and Mrs. A. Pace were in Lansing Saturday. Miss Dorothy Pace came home with them for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Darrow and son June spent Sunday at Pleasant Lake.

Miss Eva Parker of Holt, was a caller in the neighborhood Monday, looking for a place to stay when her school begins September 3. She is going to reside with Mrs. Leland.

Lyle Darrow and family of Spierville, spent Sunday afternoon with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilford Sith and baby

of Stockbridge, and Mr. and Mrs. Art Ellitmore of Michigan Center, spent the week end with their parents.

Betty Jean Darrow spent part of last week with her cousin, Evelyn Phillips, of Lansing.

Mrs. Roland White and baby of Eaton Rapids, spent Friday afternoon with her sister, Mrs. Maxine Darrow.

Town Line Road
By Mrs. N. E. Sherman

The Miller Road Girl Scouts have a fruit and vegetable stand near South North road, Friday and Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Halsey spent the first of the week in Detroit. August 29, is the day set aside for

the Birthday club picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jay VanCourt.

Mrs. N. Sherman is at Needmore, helping to care for her aged mother, Geo. R. Wilton returned Thursday from a three week's sightseeing trip through Canada.

F. R. McCann was taken ill Wednesday at his home on M-0. Mr. McCann is scout master of Troop No. 35, Chief Okemos Council, Pleasant Grove school.

Mr. and Mrs. James Curley are entertaining Mrs. L. T. Addwell and her niece, Mary Stewart, of Chattanooga, Tennessee, for two weeks.

Through the co-operation of the P. T. A. of Pleasant Grove school, board of education, Unity club, the Civic club, and other clubs in the district, the school playground has been opened up for the remainder of the summer with a full time supervisor in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilcox and son are enjoying a week's fishing in northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pritchard have moved into the Marble Holmes residence.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Andrus and family are spending their vacation with her folks near London, Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Carson attended the funeral of his uncle, James Carson, 90, Saturday, at the Noller funeral home in Lansing.

SOME MORE OBSERVATIONS
Nelson D. Brown

It didn't take much of an observer to observe that the Stockbridge Centennial went off well. Those committees certainly must have functioned. It was a good celebration and the bankers came out with a goodly sum to spare. Nice work, Stockbridge. Come on over and help with the county fair.

Ye Old Observer failed to observe the road to Stockbridge. With his eldest son he set forth last Friday afternoon to have a look at the spavined ex-tri-county leaguers playing ball at the Centennial. At Backus Corners the old bus headed south to follow the old Dexter Trail to the Centennial. Some of the settlers changed the sign posts. When the Observer reached the banks of the Portage River he observed that he was lost. The Observer's son had long since reached such a conclusion but he had been quickly put in his place. The journey was continued and finally a sign said "Stockbridge 4 Miles." After 12 miles of traveling another sign bore the same legend. The Observer had been on the outskirts of Chelsea, Munith and Waterloo and he steamed into Stockbridge from the south. Was his face red?

Speaking of the ball game, the old timers did right well. It was quite a game.

Come in and see the Observer sometime when you're thirsty. Within a few weeks there is to be a drawing room right next the News office. Nick Danzo and his brave lads will be drawing beers. Well, what of it? Nick is a good citizen and all of us in the liquor business along with the state, so why complain?

No, sir, there is a limit beyond which we will not go. Mention can not be made of the woman who spent one of those sweltering afternoons last week in her bathtub. She was home alone and the lock on the door could not be opened from the inside. So she stayed in the bathtub until her husband came home at five-thirty.

Don't forget the fair. It looks like a real fair this year.

The general opinion seems to be that President Roosevelt should stick to his guns on the security wage in New York, but fear that he won't. Why make a career out of welfare work? Leave that to the trained social workers. How we dislike that expression.

John Noxon is having quite a time becoming acclimated to city life. He has been used to getting up early to do the chores. He moved to the city a month ago and still gets up early. One morning recently Mrs. Noxon

told him to put the coffee pot on the stove. John is not so well acquainted with the cooking utensils. He reached into the cupboard and grabbed an electric waffle iron, placed it on the burner and turned the switch. Mrs. Noxon came into the kitchen a few minutes later and just in time to save the waffle iron. It was red hot.

"He had it coming." That's the reaction of most of the teachers when they are asked about E. T. Cameron getting the axe as executive secretary and business manager of the Michigan Education Association. Cameron has been chief lobbyist and high factotum of the teachers for 10, these many years. He has made a good thing out of it although many of those in the know claim that he has actually done the teachers more harm than good by his lobbying tactics.

They will represent Ingham county at East Lansing, this Friday.

Mrs. Dlear of Albion, visited Mrs. Jennie Freeman recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Everetts of Saginaw, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Howcroft and son of Pitt, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Swartz and daughter of Corunna, called on their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fanson, Sunday, on their way to a family reunion at Springport.

Miss Mary Rusch of Mason, spent the week end with Mrs. Florence Bateman and family and accompanied the Batemans and Strongs to the Strong family reunion at Duck Lake, Sunday.

Everyone remember to come to the Aurelius Center school Saturday to the reunion of the Aurelius, Barnes, Gretton and Wilcox schools.

Lynn Grinnell of Detroit, spent last

week Thursday night or, Mrs. Cora Grinnell.

Mrs. Fred Fanson, Mrs. Mary Droscha, among those to attend union at Springport, last

NAVAL ACADEMY

The United States Navy is located at Annapolis, Md. prepares midshipmen for a commission as officers of the Marine corps. A candidate enters the Academy after physical examinations receive appointment as midshipman. He is to sign articles by which he is to serve in the United States Navy during the pleasure of the president of the United States, sooner discharged. He is required to certify on honor to his exact age.

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Rolled Rib Roast lb. 19c

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(CHOICE CENTER CUTS, lb. 23c)

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Veal Chops Rib lb. 25c

VEAL ROAST lb. 19c
SHOULDER — Choice cuts

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Meadsville
By Mrs. Flora Whitney

Mrs. Lorena Lenington and two little daughters, Janyth Ann and Barbara Lou, spent last week with relatives and friends in Maybee and Monroe.

Mrs. Lorena Lenington has resigned her position as teacher in the Keego Harbor schools and has accepted a position as teacher in the Lincoln Park schools, a suburb of Detroit.

Mrs. Emma Bram and family attended the Silver reunion held in Detroit at Belle Isle, Sunday.

William Sively and family of Waterloo, Ontario, called on Mrs. E. Beam and family, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Walde and Mrs. Clara Brand of Toledo, Ohio, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cox and family.

Lee Beam and family of Detroit Tuesday with a truck load of stock.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Showers and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Proctor and family of Stockbridge.

The White Oak ball team played Sunday at Howell with the Howell sanitarium employee team. The score was seven and seven.

Rolle Community
By Miss Elma Fetters

The Rolle and Hawley community clubs will be held at the county park, Saturday, August 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Smith of Lansing, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Smith.

Mrs. Roland White and son Ronny of Eaton Rapids, spent Friday evening and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Freedle, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brosius and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Malcolm and family of Toledo, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fetters and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Laxton and Ammon of Detroit, and Miss Meade of Lansing, spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reynolds and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bray spent Sunday at Pleasant Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds and Jimmy spent Sunday in Dearborn with Mr. and Mrs. Coe Emmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Field of Lansing, and Mrs. Adah Canfield of Eaton Rapids, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Field.

Charles Hazel spent last week with his grandmother, Mrs. Hazel of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Burroughs of East Lansing, and Mrs. Forrest L. Grim of Sturgis, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Hadwin.

Miss Rita Harkness of Mason, is visiting Mrs. Dean Warner.

THE MENACE OF THE LOBBY
By RAYMOND PITCAIRN
National Chairman, Sentinels of the Republic

Congress, as this is written, is plunging into a probe of lobbies and their influence upon national legislation.

Not a bad idea—even though it may prove a two-edged sword, slashing at pressure politics from within as well as from without!

But whenever it may wound, the investigation will serve a worthy purpose if it brings forcibly to the attention of the American people the growing evil of rule by organized groups—whether composed of office-holders or of private citizens. For it is through the power of lobbies and of pressure politics that such forces seek to utilize Congress as a lever to loosen the foundations on which rest our American form of government.

The American people must realize—

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If the zealots in the arts and crafts and unions can, by Federal law, control the methods, the technique, and the volume of all production . . .

If every other group devoted to some moral or economic theory can force it on the people through pressure on our national legislature . . .

Then the republican form of government, under which the United States became great and its people free and happy, will be supplanted by a tyranny depriving citizens of liberty of mind, of body and of action.

Only when the system of pressure politics—from within or without—is finally destroyed, will the great body of unorganized, self-reliant American citizens, who constitute the backbone of our nation, come into its own.

Island Corners
By Mrs. Mabel E. Root

The I. C. C. club was entertained by Mrs. Eva Andrews of South Lansing, Wednesday, August 7, with about 40 members present. The program sponsored by Maggie Box consisted of a reading by Ietta Box, a song by June and Jean Root and Ietta Box, some short stories by members and a guessing contest about fish. The next meeting will be held September 4, with Mrs. Beeste Ryan on Cedar street.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Parker, Sunday, were her mother, Mrs. Charles Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. Louis Barich, Margaret and Louis of Detroit. Louis stayed for a few days with them.

Mrs. Ethel Parker spent from Thursday until Sunday in Battle Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Millard of Detroit, spent the week end with their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Collins. Dawn Morton is going to work until school starts for Mr. and Mrs. Ed Somrau of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Morton and Eva were callers of Mrs. Lucile Greenfield of Lansing, who has returned from the Sparrow hospital, where she had a very serious operation.

Mrs. Frank Carlson and daughter Patty were Saturday afternoon callers of the former's cousin, Clara Hartig.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hartig attended the funeral of Mrs. Hazel Barnard, which was held at Ionia, Sunday.

Aurelius
By Mrs. Mary Droscha

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Oliver of Oxford, Kansas, are spending some time with the latter's sister, Mrs. Jennie Freeman, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Bateman and son attended the Bateman reunion at Potter Park last Saturday.

Janet Hemans and Betty Green, representing the 4-H club Tuesday at Mason, won first place on their demonstration of making Welsh Rarebit.

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Island Corners

By Mrs. Matel E. Root

Dr. E. J. Harwood and Mrs. Harwood, professor of the United Brethren college of Huntington, Indiana, spent Tuesday at the Schultz home.

Four Town Corners

By Mrs. Edd Mullen

Mrs. C. Collar and Rae were Tuesday visitors at Miller Road and Lansing.

Mrs. Sam Porter was a Tuesday caller at Clara Smith's.

Mrs. Fred Johnson and children of Mason, spent several days during the week with George Sawyer and mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haggerty were in Lansing, Saturday.

Mrs. Edd Mullen spent Tuesday afternoon with the Severance family of near Mason.

Eleanor Shepperly in company with eight girls left Sunday for a week's stay at Pleasant Lake.

Mrs. Martha Smith of near Williamson, spent the week with her sister, Mrs. Will Curtis.

Dorance Wingar of Springport, is spending a few days with his aunt, Mrs. Roy Parks.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson of Lansing, were Sunday guests of the Collier family.

DuBois Neighborhood

By Miss Garnet Speer

Mr. and Mrs. John Lay and family and Miss Donna Linn of Mason, spent the week at Coon Lake.

Mrs. Fred Collar, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barnhill of Mason, and Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Curtis spent Sunday with them at the lake.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Niser of Mason, and Mary Elizabeth Spear of Jackson, visited Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Speer, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baldwin and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Evans and family of Okemos.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Christenson, who live in the tenant house on the Every farm, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kilburn, of Aurelius, Sunday.

Miss Charlotte Burgess spent Wednesday night in Dansville with her cousin, Miss Dorothy Burgess.

Donald McMann, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mike McMann, had the misfor-

tune to cut his hand very severely Sunday. He was given an anesthetic while stitches were taken to close the wound.

T. E. Valliant and grandson, Richard Kosht, of Lansing, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Valliant and Janet.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Otis of Mason, spent Thursday evening with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wout, Every.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wyman of Mason, spent Wednesday evening at the home of John Lay.

Mr. and Mrs. William Trobian and family of Ionia, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burgess, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. George Burgess and family spent the afternoon there.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Squires of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Haynes of Mason, spent Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baldwin and family.

Miss Garnet Speers spent Sunday at the home of Mr. Art Raymond and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

North Holt

By Mrs. Wm. Bickett

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kirker attended the school reunion at Corunna, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Franklin and father and mother of Adrian, called on Glenn Franklin, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Thompson are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Terence West of Indiana, this week.

Over 60 attended the Hilliard reunion at the county park, Sunday, August 11. The following officers were elected: Fred Hilliard, president; Lynn Jewell, vice president; Mrs. Dorothy Guthrie, secretary and treasurer; program committee, Irene Hilliard and Kathleen L. Kieppe; sports, Ross Hilliard and Burt Cooper.

A fine program was enjoyed under the direction of Mrs. Ray Clark and Mrs. Edith Kieppe. A splendid memorial paper was read by Mrs. Myrtle Hilliard in memory of Irving Comstock, who passed away a short time ago. The reunion will be held at the same place next year.

South Delhi

By Miss Hazel Neal

Miss Frances Hicks of Eaton Rapids, is spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Merton Mizer.

George Nice is seriously ill at his home.

Mrs. George Pryor spent last week at the Pryor farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy McMillan attended the Knapp-Vaughn reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Art Abel of Shaftsbury, last Thursday.

Miss Naomi Hunn of Lansing, and Miss Hazel Neal spent part of last week in Brocktonville and Alma.

Mrs. George Fryor of Lansing, entertained at her farm home last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Dillon, Jean Harding and Mrs. Ruby Cummins and daughter Gayle of Lansing, in honor of Mrs. Dillon's birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Reithmiller and Mrs. Bowers attended the Wallace-Rhyndar reunion at St. Johns park in St. Johns, last Sunday.

Clark Center

By Florence Clark

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bullen spent Sunday at Gull Lake.

Mrs. Harriet Clarke of Eaton Rapids, mother of George W. Clarke, fell one day last week and seriously injured her hip.

Mrs. Fannie Chase of Detroit, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Floyd Bullen.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wikon of Ferndale, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bullen and family.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lesney and family attended the Cotes and Lesney family reunion, Sunday.

Miss Edna Lesney attended the wedding of Miss Dorothy Merritt in Eaton Rapids, Saturday.

Bobbie Brenke of Lansing, is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. William Lesney and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Gifford of Eaton Rapids, called on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clarke, Sunday afternoon.

Miss Janet Peoples of Jackson, is spending the week with Fern Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Clark and family attended the Hilliard family reunion at the county park in Mason, Sunday.

DANSVILLE

Benefit Bridge

Another benefit bridge party was given by the O. E. S. last Tuesday afternoon. On account of the excessive heat and through the courtesy of Mrs. Iva Corwin, the party was held on her lawn. High honors were given to Mrs. Helen Young and Mrs. Edith Simons. There will be another party next Tuesday afternoon on the lawn at the home of Dr. Nora Walker, the committee consisting of Mrs. Zaldie Allen and Iva Corwin.

Camping Trip

Rev. Emerald B. Dixon is in charge of a group of boys at Pleasant Lake this week. The boys are those who are in his band. They are going to spend the week vacationing at the lake as well as practicing for the band. Through the courtesy of Corline Bros. of Williamston, the boys are using a large tent.

Summer Projects

Miss Kathryn Boonstra, home economics teacher, completed the summer project work of her home economics department and reported some excellent work. Clothing seemed to be the most popular followed by canning. Preparing meals and redecorating were then tried, with a few tacking and lastly child care. There were 20 clothing projects in home economics I and 16 in home economics II, canning, eight in class I and seven in class II, redecorating, four in I, and seven in II, child care, five in I, two in II, and eight in I, and the projects take time. Although the projects have been some good looking and interesting ones handed in. The remainder are to be ready the first of the school year.

Free Methodist Church

Vernon J. Anderson, Pastor Sunday school 10:30 a. m. Morning service 11:30. Evening service 7:30. Prayer meeting Thursday evening 7:30 at church.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Backus and daughters, Rose and Ann, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Almond, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Reynolds and family, M. A. Wandle, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Blackman, Mr. and Mrs. Mort, Keene, Francis and Joe, Paul Hedglen, Margjorie and Marguerite Dain, Lloyd Brooks, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Arnold and family and Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Young were among those who attended the Stockbridge Centennial and fair.

Mrs. Minnie Schirmer of Armada, is making an extended visit with her sister, Mrs. Mary Thompson.

Miss Kathryn Boonstra finished her summer project work last Friday and returned to the home of her parents in Zealand.

Mrs. Winnifred Craig of Champaign, Illinois, arrived Sunday for an indefinite visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eddy Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. William Burlingame and daughter Beverly were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Nelson of Lansing, were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Nelson.

Miss Virginia Anderson returned home Sunday after a two weeks' visit with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Eber Thompson.

Joyce Nelson of Williamston, spent last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Hedglen of Grass Lake, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Preen, the latter having been quite ill, the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Howe and family were guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ara Howe, of Perry, Sunday.

Rev. Vernon J. Anderson left Tuesday for the annual district Free Methodist conference at Bethel park near Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Briggs and son of Grass Lake, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Utter.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Foster of Holt, and Mrs. Russell Whipple of Mason, were Sunday visitors of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Foster.

Mrs. Ella Ebnat was taken back to Miss Orr's hospital Sunday for further treatment. She was brought home a little over a week ago but did not get along as well as expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCann and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Lantis and Fern were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Achley of Webberville.

Elmer Raymond spent a few days last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Raymond of Mason.

Miss Viola Yocum of Ann Arbor, spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Doris Balmer.

Mrs. Evelyn Diehl, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Diehl and Mrs. Phyllis Stid of Mason, visited the Plainwell high school

at Plainwell, Saturday. Evelyn will be the home economics teacher in the school next year.

Misses Margaret, Marion and Myrnetta Curtis accompanied by Miss Margaret Moyer, a former Dansville teacher, left Saturday morning for a sightseeing trip through Canada and the eastern states. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

Dansville residents have been seeing several new cars on the streets during the past week. Roscoe Arnold is driving a new Chevrolet coach, Clifford Williams, a Studebaker, Rev. V. J. Anderson, a Ford V-8, and Evelyn Diehl a Ford V-8.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burlingame, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne DeCamp, Grace and Vernice Lee of Lansing, enjoyed Sunday at Dewey Lake, near Dowagiac, with Mrs. Lee's sister, Mrs. Robert Grandwater.

Mrs. Mary J. Bradford spent the week end with relatives in Dexter and Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Matilda Smith of Stockbridge, was a Sunday guest at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Arnold. Evadeen Townsend of White Oak, is spending a few days this week with her sister, Geraldine Townsend.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Utter and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Foster of Holt.

William Schmeidler of Clinton, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker, Thursday. Mr. Schmeidler and George Vogt attended the Commercial club at Fowlerville, Thursday evening where Mr. Schmeidler was speaker.

Ralph Walker and daughter Donna attended a school reunion near Salina, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Everetts of Saginaw, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Walker, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Aseltine of Cleveland, were Saturday visitors of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Aseltine, on their return from a trip to Omaha, Nebraska. They left Sunday for their home in Cleveland.

Miss Myrtle Deane of Ann Arbor, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Cline.

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

Miss Jean Raymond spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Foster of Holt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Osborne and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Osborne and Edna spent the week end at their cottage at Patterson Lake.

Mrs. Floyd Fortman is visiting at the home of her son, Kenneth, in Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Proctor and son Jack visited the zoo at Detroit, Sunday.

Mrs. Orla Jones and family of Arthrop, New York, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Maebelle Howlett.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt attended services at the Nazarene church in Mason Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Garner and Jack of Stockbridge were Sunday dinner guests of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bacon.

Searl Briggs completed his summer school course at Kalamazoo College last Friday and returned to the home of his mother, Mrs. Myrtle Briggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Jud Sweet and family of Lansing were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Braman.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dennis and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith of Williamston were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Allie Raymond.

Mrs. Orla Jones and family, of Arthrop, New York, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Howlett and Juanita and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mann enjoyed a picnic

dinner at Potter park in Lansing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Otis were entertained at Sunday dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Almond, all visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Young at Pleasant Lake in the afternoon.

Mrs. Emma Brandt of Buffalo, New York, Mrs. Vesta and Lottie Crawford of Lansing and Miss Pearl Cadwell of Marion visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Braman Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Warfield of Highland Park spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Warfield.

Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Greenough and family accompanied Mrs. Olive Cooke to her home in Milan Sunday, the latter having spent the week with the Greenough's.

Miss Francis Holt and Phillip Hague were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Cook of Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tilford and David spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tilford at Duck Lake.

Miss Mary Robinson of Leslie is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Doreen Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hobart were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Will Storms of Williamston. James Kent left Tuesday morning on a trip to California.

Mrs. Nettie A. Yocum of Stockbridge is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will West.

Lyle Tompkins, who has been attending the State College at Pullman, Washington, and received his Master's Degree, is the guest of Miss Evelyn Diehl. He expects to leave Saturday for New York City where he has accepted a position.

Mr. and Mrs. George Angst of McKillop, Ontario, spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt, all visiting the Cascades in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Parson and son of Lansing were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Bacon.

Mrs. Addie Smith and son, Gay, spent Sunday at Portland with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Parkhurst.

Wessels Bohmet completed his summer school course from Ypsilanti State Normal College Friday and returned to his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Searl Briggs were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Clark of Aurelius.

Paul Clark, Gary Briggs of Lansing and Charles Parkhurst of Mason attended the automobile races at Jackson, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt were Tuesday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. C. Thomas of Williamston.

Mrs. Addie Raymond spent a few days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Myrtle Deane, of Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Douglas and family spent a few days this week at the home of Ed Douglas of Haslett.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grimes attended the week's reunion at Potter park in Lansing, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cavender, Robert Curry, Richard Sommers and Helen Minnis returned Thursday after two weeks at Old Mission.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hanna and son of Mason and Miss Marjorie Hanna of Flushing were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Brooks.

Frank Bacon and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Bacon of St. Louis accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. George Bacon attended the Coon-Hill school reunion at Munith, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vogt and Junior spent Friday in Detroit. Mr. Vogt and Junior attended the Chicago-Detroit baseball game.

The aircraft carrier Saratoga recently launched 85 planes at an average of 17 planes a minute.

Loft District

By Mrs. Henry Binkley

Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Clements spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Suprian of Lansing.

Mrs. Mable Parmelee and Mrs. Helen Nearing of Lansing, spent the week end with Mrs. Catherine Gunn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Weaver were Sunday visitors of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Weaver, of Lake Lansing.

Miss Ruth Suprian of Lansing, is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Lavern Clements.

Edd Coleman is redecorating the Holt M. E. church.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Parker of Gull Lake, spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Albert.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Barber, Miss Harriet Binkley and Mrs. Edna McCadden of Lansing, were callers of Mrs. Katherine Binkley last Friday evening.

Webberville

By Fred Holland

Miss Maxine Ling, who has been employed in Akron, Ohio, for the last seven months, is at the home of her father for a two-weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Douglas are the proud parents of a son, Mrs. Douglas is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Fraser of this place.

A large delegation from this place were in Stockbridge Friday and Saturday to attend the celebration. All report a large crowd and a good time.

Fred Holland and wife were in Howell Sunday attending a reunion of the Walker family. Over 80 were present. Guests were there from Lansing, Detroit, Oak Grove, New Hudson, South Lyons and Webberville.

Elmer Alchin and wife and A. I.

Butterfield and wife left Wednesday for Potosky for a few days visit with the former's cousin, Floyd Marsh, and family. Mrs. Butterfield will remain for several weeks.

Fred Holland and wife were in Ann Arbor, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Frank Hammill is in the northern part of the state on a fishing trip.

Mrs. Will Crossley is now able to sit up part of the time since her recent illness.

Mrs. Miles Graham, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Murray of this place, passed away Saturday morning at her home in Grand Ledge. Prayer was said at the home Monday and she was brought to this place for the funeral with burial in the Auehin cemetery.

Mrs. Louis Schmidt is entertaining a sister from Munith.

Mac Smith and friend of Howell, were at home Sunday. His son, Morris, of Flint, was also at home Sunday.

Harvey Harper, a former resident of Pontiac, passed away Friday morning at the home of his son, southeast of the village. The funeral was held at the home Monday with burial in the Webberville cemetery. He was a municipal judge in Pontiac for many years.

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Important Tax Notice! A Personal Message from Your County Treasurer THE STATE LEGISLATURE, with thoughtfulness and consideration, has worked out a basis upon which almost every tax-payer may now save his home by paying up his back taxes. Pay Your Back Taxes Now -- and Save! THOSE WHO ARE NOT PREPARED to pay in full may arrange to pay over a period of years, an interest charge being added. THERE IS NO OBLIGATION more important than this. Protect your property. Keep it from going to tax-title sale or reverting to the State. Save yourself from the worry of unpaid tax bills. This is a rare opportunity that deserves the interest and attention of every tax-payer. ACT NOW! Soon the "dead-line" established by state law will be at hand! Don't delay! Your prompt action will mean much to your government; but it will mean infinitely more to you! Sincerely yours, Clarence W. Lock County Treasurer Ingham County Building MASON, MICHIGAN Save Your Home!

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At The Churches

Christian Science Society
Over Aseltine's jewelry store every Sunday morning at 10:30. Primary Sunday school is held during the service. Wednesday evening testimony meeting at 8 o'clock.

North Aurelius Union Church
Harold Dakin, Pastor
Morning worship at 10:00. Sunday school at 11 a. m. Prayer service each Wednesday evening at 8:00 at the church.

Methodist Episcopal Church
J. H. Bancroft, Pastor
Morning worship at 10 o'clock. Pastor in charge. Sermon topic, "Why Go To Church?"

HILL OLIMB SUNDAY
The Lansing Motorcycle club is staging a hill climb and races at Skeeter Hill, three miles east of Mason on the Dansville road, Sunday afternoon, August 18.

Wanted
WANTED—Old gold. I have obtained my license and am now buying old gold. Do not be misled by those claiming to represent the government.

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FOR RENT—Six rooms and bath; hard wood floors; stone fireplace; modern garage attached. \$25. Reynolds, 128 E. Elm.

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NOTICE—On and after this date, August 15, I will not be responsible for debts contracted by anyone except myself. Roy E. Updyke, wip

HEADS AMERICAN BAR



William Lynn Ransom, New York utilities lawyer, who was elected president of the American Bar association over James M. Beck...

Bunkerhill and Ingham Town Line
By Mrs. Henry Dunsmore
Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cortright of Homer, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Walker...

First Presbyterian Church
John Adams, Minister
Sunday, August 18, morning worship at 10:15, under the leadership of the minister.

JAIL HAS FULL HOUSE
A year ago the jail population was averaging about 40. There were just 60 there Wednesday night.

MASON MARKETS
Wheat ————— \$1.71 \$0.70
Beans, cwt ————— 2.30 2.30
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Onondaga
By Mrs. Edna Moore
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eldridge entertained friends at a new health dinner Tuesday evening.

Vantown
By Mrs. L. F. Williams
Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wilhelm attended the Smith reunion at Dodge park near Commerce, Saturday.

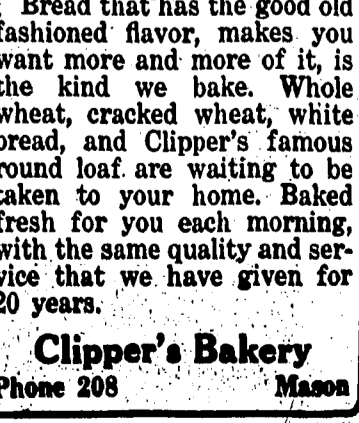
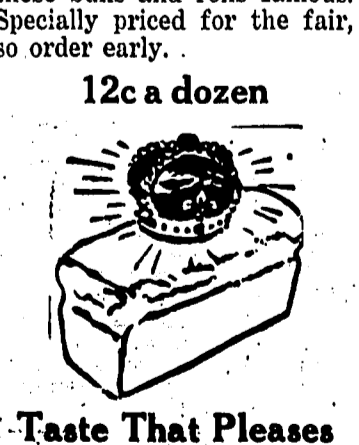
Felt Plains
By Mrs. Norris Hart
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Orton and family attended the picnic of the Olds at Lake Lansing, Thursday.

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SOCIAL EVENTS

The Swastika club dance will be held at Hanker's Resort on Saturday night, August 17, at 9:00 o'clock, with music by the Flinn Sisters of Fowlerville.

Mrs. Maurice E. Price entertained Monday evening for the pleasure of Miss Maxine Willis of Eaton Rapids, who will marry Earl Nichols of Mason the latter part of the month.

Charlotte and Mrs. Theo Rarden of Mason.

The Women's Relief Corps entertained the department officers at a banquet at their hall Thursday evening. Seventy-five members were present.

The August meeting of the College club will be held at the county park August 27, at 6:00 o'clock.

Mrs. Maurice Lyons underwent an operation at the Orr hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Slag and family attended the reunion at Tunnel Park, near Holland, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Spenny and coming are requested to bring on dishes, sandwiches and table service.

Arvilla Brown is spending the week in Lansing with her aunt, Mrs. Harold Miller.

Miss Emeline Hanland and Alice Ferguson visited in Lansing a week with the former's aunt, Mrs. Frank Waldron.

Richard Mills drove to Breckenridge Sunday. Mrs. Mills and daughter, who have been visiting there, returned home with him.

Mrs. Eugene Edgar and grand-daughter, Barbara, and Jean Samann spent last week at the Edgar cottage at Pleasant Lake in Barry county.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Freeman and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Barr and family spent Sunday at Bertha Lake as the guests of Mrs. Jennie Hazelton.

Miss Ada Cobb of Omaha, Nebraska, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Densmore. Miss Cobb is a niece of Mrs. Densmore.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Dakin, Hope and Junior, spent the week at Lake Odessa as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Fountain and family.

Mrs. Cecil Emery, son Cecil, Jr., and Mrs. Stide of Muskegon were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Smith.

Mrs. Effie Tucker has returned to her home from a Lansing hospital and is reported as being slightly improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Daft and children, Bobby and Margaret Ann, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Parsons in Mt. Clemens the past week.

The Misses Bernice and Lucille White, Mrs. Alice Bell and Miss Leola Lawerty attended the baseball game between Detroit and Chicago at Detroit, Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dorsa Summers of Ravenna, Ohio, called on Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bailey Saturday evening. They were on their way home from a business trip to Holland.

Don Densmore and Miss Leone Smith are spending the week with Mrs. Clarence Randall and son, Robert Densmore, at the Porter Field cottage at Bertha Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Clinton spent the week end at their cottage at Joslin Lake. On Sunday they attended a birthday party in honor of her mother, Mrs. Helen Junt, at Batesee Lake.

Dr. and Mrs. B. E. LeVanseler and Mr. and Mrs. John Walker and daughter, Lucille, of St. Johns, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Winfield of Saginaw were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Ella Ludlum.

S. L. Curtis and Mrs. Otto Haines and daughter of Olney, Illinois, and LeRoy Kesterson of Sallor Springs were entertained during last week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Curtis. S. L. Curtis is the father of Jesse L. Curtis. Mrs. Frank Dams, a sister of Mr. Curtis, and her son of Prosser, Washington, also visited at the Curtis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gus Kean left Saturday night for Toledo, where they will accompany Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDannel on a motor trip to Niagara Falls, New York City and Washington, D. C. Mr. Kean will buy fall and winter merchandise in New York City.

Mrs. Effie Eckhart entertained Mr. and Mrs. Denton Eckhart and Mr. and Mrs. Dorr Eckhart and Bobby of near Eaton Rapids at her home Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Garnant and Carol Ann and Mrs. Olive Droscha were Sunday evening callers.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Huffmeyer, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tiltbert and children, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Havens and Mrs. J. M. Clough of Lansing and Mrs. Thomas Craven and children of Charleston, Illinois, were entertained at the home of Mrs. Emerson Shepard Tuesday.

George N. Shafer and Howard A. Jackson left for Washington, D. C. Wednesday. They drove to Indiana, and plan to spend a few days with friends and relatives and will then continue their journey through Kentucky, West Virginia and Virginia to the capital. After spending a few days in Washington the men will return to Michigan by way of Maryland, Pennsylvania and Ohio. Mrs. Florence Mitchell, a sister of Mr. Shafer, with her three children, will accompany her brother from Washington to Mason for a few weeks' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Osterlo and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Reynolds were in Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse L. Curtis and family have returned from a vacation with relatives in Illinois.

Jerome Mason is enjoying a vacation from his work at the SMA plant this week.

Miss Dorothy McLain of Marshall was a guest of Ruth Miller the past week.

Mrs. Hatlie Clark of Eaton Rapids is confined to the Mason hospital with a broken hip.

Wayne Felchner is confined to his home on the Merrylees farm because of illness.

Fhyllis Shepard is spending the week in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. Max Scriber.

Mrs. Ed Juderjohn and daughter, Rachel, and Margaret Barr are spending this week at Pleasant Lake.

The Misses Dorothy and Florence Darrow, Wilson Droscha and Hubert Harrison spent Sunday in Detroit.

Charles Haun of Lansing is spending the week with his cousins, Richard, James and Caroline Brown.

A daughter, Mary Ellen, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Omar Bartlett at the Mason hospital, Friday.

Elmer Corbin and son, Dick, of Lansing, underwent tonsil operations at the Mason hospital, Tuesday.

Mrs. Effie Eckhart is working in the office of the Ingham County News this week while Miss Leone Smith is absent on a vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. James 'Dart' and daughter, Mrs. William Dart and her sons and June Bickert are spending the week at Higgins Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. David Bennett and children spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Johnston of St. Charles.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bickert of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Bickert visited Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Quirk in Detroit, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Carlson and daughter, Patty, of Newaygo, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller.

A daughter, Lois Jean, was born to Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Puller Tuesday, August 13. Miss Mae Lamb is caring for the mother and baby.

Mrs. Glenn Alders and daughter, Carol Lee, of Nashville, Tennessee, have been spending a few days with her brother, Otis Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Cordie Barker drove to Cheboygan, Sunday. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barker, who will remain there for several weeks.

Mrs. Grace Allen and Miss Bernice Lou Allen have returned from an extended trip through Ohio, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Virginia and West Virginia.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Mason, accompanied by their granddaughters, Merle and Leola Mason, and Lyle Wright, were in Ann Arbor visiting relatives Monday.

Mrs. Isabel Hume is on a vacation after disposing of the Hume Barber and Beauty Shop which she has successfully operated for the past few years.

Mrs. Amos Crossman entertained Mr. and Mrs. Paris Witt and family Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Oden and family were callers at the Crossman home Friday.

Dr. Robert J. Dormer and Mrs. Dormer arrived in Mason Thursday from California. They were called here because of the falling condition of Mrs. A. J. Hall.

Jason Pollock and daughter and James Pollock of Williamston called on Mrs. Amos Crossman, Monday, Oct. Tuesday morning James Pollock left for California.

Dr. A. W. Woodburne and Mrs. Woodburne, the parents of Mrs. Lethbridge, are staying at the Lethbridge home while Dr. D. E. Lethbridge and Mrs. Lethbridge are absent in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Scriber, Ralph Scriber and Evelyn Mullen and Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Parker and children called on their mother, Mrs. Emerson Shepard, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hartzog of Medina, Ohio, are visiting his brother, Dr. W. B. Hartzog and Mrs. Hartzog. Mr. Hartzog is superintendent of the A. J. Root Bee factory of Medina.

Mr. and Mrs. Gorton Milliken of Fenton called on Mrs. Milliken's mother, Mrs. David Ingls, Sunday. They took their daughter, Elizabeth who had been visiting her grandmother, home with them when they returned.

Mrs. Fay Bennett entertained several girls Friday afternoon in honor of the birthday anniversary of daughter, Mary. Games were played after which refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Mary received many nice gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Smith, Lorraine and Bartlett spent the week end in Midleton and Carson City. Miss Catherine Allen, who has been visiting them for the past two weeks, returned with them to her home in Midleton.

The children of Theodore Bortle met for a reunion Sunday and to celebrate the first birthday anniversary of Mr. Bortle. Twelve guests were present including his son, Fred, and Mrs. Bortle of Detroit, and Harvey Bortle of Holt.

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Second Battle of Marne Monument

President Lou Bruu of France placed a wreath at the pedestal of the huge statue at Soissons which was dedicated to those who died in the second battle of the Marne. It also expressed France's thanks for allied help during the great war.



REUNIONS

The Patrick and Ide families will hold their annual reunion Sunday, August 18, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Williams, who reside two miles east, one mile north and one-half mile east of Webberville. Potluck dinner at noon. Please bring cups and silver. All members are requested to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Osborn entertained the annual reunion of the Robt. Smith family at Dodge park in Commerce Sunday. It commemorates the 99th anniversary of the settling of the Smith family in Michigan. A large number were present, guests coming from Detroit, Fowlerville, Webberville, Mason and Stockbridge.

Royston Family The 24th annual Ingham and Eaton county Royston reunion was held at the Ingham county park, Sunday. About 40 members attended. The oldest person present was T. C. Royston of Mason and the youngest was John Fulk of Jackson. A co-operative dinner was served. Officers were elected and it was decided to hold the reunion next year at the home of Mrs. Jennie Skinkie in Jackson.

Laylin Family The Laylin reunion was held at the pleasant home of Mrs. L. H. Laylin Sunday, August 11. There were 34 present, members coming from Lansing, Webberville, Holt, Williamston, Mason and Los Angeles, California. Miss Eleanor Murdoch, a granddaughter of Mrs. Jessie Laylin McKee, and who is at present a home economics teacher in the Los Angeles schools, was an honored guest.

Bateman Reunion The 28th annual Bateman reunion was held at the Ingham county park in Mason, Saturday, August 10. There were 53 members present, coming from Athens, Hastings, Eaton Rapids, Lansing and Mason. There were two deaths and two births registered during the past year. The deaths were Ed Matteson and Lark Bradman. The births were Donna Lorraine Ely and Charles Carlton Dolbee. The following officers were elected: Cyril Bateman, president; Guy Bateman, vice president; and Maud Eifer, secretary and treasurer. The next meeting will also be held at the Ingham county park.

Ryan-Quinn The Ryan and Quinn families will hold their reunion at Pleasant Lake, August 18.

Hulet Reunion About 80 members of the Hulet family assembled at Ferguson Park, Okemos, for their second annual reunion, Saturday, August 3. After the potluck dinner Clifford Rix took charge of a very interesting program. Charles L. and James Hulet related the Hulet history and Clayton Porter presented the history of the Porter family. Many more interesting incidents were presented by other members. A short business meeting was conducted by the president, James Hulet. James Hulet was re-elected president and Beth Risch secretary. Clifford Rix was chosen to prepare the program for the next meeting. It was decided that the next reunion be held at the Ingham county park. The meeting was closed and a ball game was enjoyed by all. Members were present from Detroit, Chicago, Grand Rapids, Greenville, Lansing, East Lansing, Mason, Holt and Williamston.

The Dart school reunion will be held in Hayner's woods, August 17. All former teachers, pupils and patrons are invited to attend. Potluck dinner. Those attending are requested to bring own table service.

The 18th annual reunion of the Aurelius, Barnes and Gretton schools will be held at the Aurelius school on August 17. Members will meet at 12:30 and an afternoon of sports and a program will be enjoyed. Refreshments will be served.

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Manuel O. Ely, Tuesday. Glenn Caltrider underwent a tonsil operation at the Mason hospital, Saturday.

Mrs. Arthur Jewett entertained her cousin, Miss Eleanor Murdoch, of Los Angeles, California, Monday.

Mrs. Ray Bullen and son Dean are spending several weeks in Mackinaw City. Mr. Bullen will join them later.

Gall Every, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Every, underwent an operation for tonsils at the Mason hospital, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Jewett and son and Mrs. Lulu Jewett spent Sunday at the Cooper cottage at Lake Chemung.

FOR NEW DEAL MAIL



Miss Abbie McCrimmy is the post mistress at the town of New Deal, Mont., the first settlement near the Peck dam project.

Island Trade Spurred By Newspaper Articles

(Continued from Page 1) horses are brought in for the summer and are gone when tax time comes. The speed boats run on fair weather days but are out of the picture both on stormy days and at tax time and make no attempt to serve the Island during early summer and late fall. The regular ferry boats operated between the two peninsulas and the Island run empty on good days but are the only boats able to make the crossing in rough weather. During the early summer and late fall the larger boats are the only means of getting to and from the Island. Cottagers are fearful that this starvation process will discourage the owners, who during the past several seasons have made no profits, from running at all. So this brisk return of life to the Island which has come about during the past fortnight, is looked upon as temporary and by no means as indicating a solution to the Island question.

Quite contrary to the facts, the general opinion seems to prevail that the issue is whether or not automobiles are to be permitted to operate on the Mackinac Island. Such is not the issue at all. The real issue is how can the present large investments in hotel properties be saved against bankruptcy and how can the state park commission induce a revival of interest in cottage property to the end that the Old Fort property may be administered properly with least cost to the taxpayers of Michigan. The state owns 1700 acres of the 2200 included on the Island, much of which is lake and straits frontage. If frequent and dependable transportation is made available at reasonable rates it is believed a large number of cottages would like to acquire leaseholds upon which to build summer homes, in which event not only would revenues flow to the state but hotel business would also be revived.

Must Attract Tourists The real issue then is how to get the people who travel across the Straits to desert their motor cars for a brief or extended stay on the Island. The state has the correct answer, so it would appear. The state owns the ferries, it owns the docks, it owns the highway around the Island, it owns most of the Island. All that is in the minds of any is to have the ferries make regular landings at the Island, permit the landing of cars and the driving of them to points near the homes of the cottagers or, in case of hotel guests, to the hotel area. No sensible person who has the best interests of the Island at heart would ever for one moment suggest the free and unrestricted use of the motor car on the woodland drives of the interior of the Island or along the single main street of the village.

Cheap, dependable, frequent and convenient transportation for Islanders, cottagers as well as for the casual visitor, is the issue of the hour at Mackinac Island just as elsewhere wherever people live. The ferries are now operating, the dock is built and standing useless, the road is ready for motor car use. Why not take advantage of these facilities?

Until the present summer only a few had sensed the importance of the problems involved. Now that they are realized, more hope there exists for some proper solution.

Next week in this column will appear the story of the out-of-the-way places visited by this writer in the north country during the early part of the present week. Perhaps a few are planning on a trip north and the experiences of one may aid another.

George O'Brien—Friday-Saturday, 1

MAKES HOLE IN ONE

Will Grow made a hole in one at the golf course a few days ago and has thereby joined the ranks of the famous. Mr. Grow and A. A. Bergman were finishing a round. Mr. Bergman was teeing off on No. 9. Mr. Bergman placed his bag on the tee and stepped back to watch his opponent's drive. Mr. Grow, in the heat of form, pulled his club back and let fly. He hit the ball and the pellet disappeared into Mr. Bergman's bag for a hole in one.

Aurelius Club Girls Are Contest Winners

GIRLS COMPETING FRIDAY FOR STATE FAIR TRIP. Miss Janet Homans and Miss Betty Green, members of the Aurelius 4-H Food Preparation club of which Mrs. Mary Droscha is leader, won the county demonstration team contest held at Mason, Tuesday, Friday and Saturday of this week the girls will compete in the district contest at East Lansing, hoping to draw a trip to the state fair.

More than 70 people attended Tuesday's event. Five teams of two members each took part in the contest. Miss Lois Corbett, assistant state club leader, did the judging. Mrs. Doris Puffenberger of Okondaga was in general charge of the day. Three other teams had planned to enter but were prevented by various reasons. Members of pig, sheep and colt 4-H projects spent Thursday at East Lansing under supervision of County Agent H. H. Barnum doing practical judging and studying other phases of their work. Monday and Tuesday 25 club members from this county will participate in livestock, dairy and poultry judging contests at the college with state fair trips as the coveted award.

RETURNS TO MASON Mrs. Mary Bennet and her son returned to their home in Mason Tuesday. They have been residing in California.

UNDERGOES OPERATION Doris Caltrider, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Caltrider, underwent a tonsil operation at the Mason hospital, Tuesday.

Calendar of Events For Coming Week

Calendar table for August 16-22, 1935. Columns for days of the week and corresponding dates. Dates 16 through 22 are highlighted in a darker shade.

Friday and Saturday, August 16 and 17, Holt homecoming.

Sunday, August 18, Mason Independents vs. Jackson Eagles in baseball game at county park.

Sunday, August 18, Motorcycle hill climb and races at Skeeter Hill on Dansville road.

Wednesday, August 21, Opening of Ingham county fair to continue four days.

Saturday, August 17, Aurelius, Gretton and Barnes school reunion, to be held at Aurelius school at 12:30.

Tuesday, August 27, August meeting of College club will be held at Ingham county park at 8:00 p. m.

Our Sale Continues! All Summer Goods Marked For Clearance. COATS and SUITS... Formerly \$10.75 to \$18.75 Now \$5.00 to \$10.75. DRESSES—Silks and Crepes, Drastically Reduced. One lot of Cottons... formerly \$1.59 to \$1.95 Now \$1.00. One lot of Better Cottons, Marked for Clearance \$1.95. KOTEX—Limit two to a customer... 17c. The Paristyle Shoppe For Inexpensive Smartness. Mrs. Daisy Smith, Prop. Dart Bank Building.

THIS IS A HOME OWNED STORE Snyder's Grocery. Free Delivery Phone 12 All Day Service. Del Monte Coffee... 27c. May Blossom Sweet Peas... 2 cans 25c. Post Bran Flakes... 10c. Post Toasties... 2 large pkgs. 21c. Baking Chocolate... 1/2 lb. 10c. Salad Dressing... quart 25c. Coffee, Canister... 17c lb. White Satin Flour... 5 lbs. 19c. Big 4 White Soap... 7 bars for 25c. Saturday Special Dansville SWEET CREAM BUTTER 25c pound. FRESH FRUITS and VEGETABLES. We Deliver.

G. S. THORBURN Groceries and Meats. SPECIALS FOR THE WEEK AUGUST 16 TO 23. Ice Cream Mix, "Junket", pkg... 9c. Sani-Flush, tall can... 21c. Hershey Cocoa, 8-oz. can... 8c. Happyvale Salmon, "Libby's", can... 13c. Post Toasties, large pkg... 10c. Pure Black Pepper, 8-oz. pkg... 14c. Cup and Saucer Oats, large pkg... 25c. Iodized Salt, "Defiance", box... 8c. Pure Cider Vinegar, gallon... 25c. Argo Gloss Starch, 3 lb. pkg... 23c. SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. 10 lb. Granulated Sugar... 46c. Sirloin or Round Steak, young beef... lb. 22c. Rump or Rib Roast, boned and rolled... lb. 17c. Fresh Ground Beef, pure beef... lb. 16c. OPEN EVENINGS TILL 9:30.

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Insect Army Moves Into the Beet Fields

CROP USUALLY IMMUNE TO INJURY NOW THREATENED.

The appetites of Michigan insects appear to be entirely out of control this year; and, as a final course to their banquet, they have attacked sugar beet fields, which formerly have been immune from serious insect pests, according to the entomology department at Michigan State college. Climbing cutworms and a new worm are the offenders on the beet crop. Fields in Eaton, Ingham, and Bay counties have been badly damaged by these worms which have migrated from spring grain fields which have been harvested. The only control method which promises control is the use of poison bran bait. In sections where the worms have not already entered the beet fields, a furrow plowed around the outside of the field will act as a barrier, and the poison bait can be applied in the bottom of the furrow. More bait should be scattered at the edge of the field or on areas within where worms are already working. Poison bait for cut worms is prepared by mixing one bushel of bran, one-half gallon molasses, one pound of white arsenic, and enough water to moisten the mixture. A little banana oil is added to the bait to make it more attractive. One pound of paris green can be used instead of the white arsenic. Neither arsenate of lead nor calcium arsenate can be used in poison bran bait. The bait should be scattered thinly on the ground, 20 pounds will treat an acre.

Can Arrange Loans On Grain On Farms

FARMERS' PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSOCIATION IS AGENCY.

Michigan farmers who prefer to hold grain and to borrow money on it to meet current production expenses can now obtain loans on grain stored on the farm, according to Governor W. I. Myers, governor of the Farm Credit Association. Governor Myers says, "The production credit associations of which there are more than 550 in the United States are equipped to make loans to farmers on a business basis taking as security grain held for sale and stored in farm warehouses. These are production credit loans and made for any agricultural purpose. They will, however, give farmers an opportunity to borrow on grain stored in good storage on their farms and thus avoid the necessity of taking grain to the elevator or mill, to be purchased later by another farmer for feeding purposes. "The bulk of the feed produced is consumed in the county in which it is grown," continued Governor Myers, "and I believe it will be a distinct service to farmers to grant them credit on a business basis whereby they can avoid hauling feed back and forth to the elevator or warehouse but can store it properly on their farms and use it as security for a loan when necessary. Much of the feed produced in the United States is sold to neighbors and if a farmer is operating on a sound business basis, there is no reason why he shouldn't be granted credit on the security of grain properly stored on his farm just as readily as an elevator operator can borrow money on grain held in his elevator or warehouse. "The amount loaned will depend upon the needs of the borrower and the security offered. These loans will be made to farmers who rate as good credit risks and who will give their notes to the production credit association together with a chattel mortgage or a warehouse receipt in those states where laws provide for their insurance on grain properly stored on farms."

Expect Great Show Of Michigan Grain

CROP PROSPECTS EXPECTED TO YIELD LARGE ENTRY LIST.

Good crop prospects and changes in contest regulations are expected to encourage Michigan farmers to make a record number of entries in the farm crops show at the Detroit State fair, August 30 to September 8, according to members of the farm crops department at Michigan State. No entry fee will be charged on grains, seeds, or potatoes. Last year, exhibitors who could not attend the fair without entries because of the charge. All grains and seeds will be shown in glass topped boxes to prevent visitors from handling and mixing the grain samples. This is important to exhibitors who wish to send their entries to national shows. The Butterfield Grain Growing contest will be a feature of the fair again this year. In this class, awards are made on a basis of yield per acre and quality of grain. To enter the contest, exhibitors should obtain certificates from county agricultural agents. The certificates provide means for attesting the yield of grain secured. Samples of the grain are then exhibited at the fair to prove the quality. In the regular classes for grains and seeds, awards are made on a basis of quality only. Corn and bean exhibits may be from the crop harvested in 1934, as the dates of the fair are so early that properly matured samples from this year's crop can not be obtained. Exhibits of wheat, rye, oats, barley, spelt, and potatoes must be from the 1935 crop. Exhibitors may use the ordinary farm equipment for cleaning up samples of grain, but the use of artificial aids such as clipping, scouring, or bleaching is objectionable. Exhibits of grain are made to encourage the production of better quality crops, and the employment of unusual methods to improve the appearance of samples at shows does not assist in this purpose. All grain, seed, or potato exhibits must have been grown in Michigan by the person who exhibits them. Liberal premiums are awarded and the shows are supervised by members of the crops department at Michigan State college. Premium lists will be mailed to those who request them from the secretary, The State Fair, Detroit.

TO VISIT WASHINGTON
Two destroyers have been ordered to Washington, D. C., to assist in the celebration of the Boy Scout Jamboree, August 20-30. The ships will be open for inspection and will make trips down the Potomac with detachments of Boy Scouts.

South Wheatfield By Mrs. Claude Hayhoe

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hayhoe and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hayhoe, Tuesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Joss Curtis called on Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Warner, Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Paris Witt and daughters and Marguerite Hayhoe were in Dewitt, Wednesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ballard and children attended the West reunion at Moore's Park, Wednesday. Mrs. Ralph Glynn spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Warner. Russell Hayhoe, Guerdon Frost, Donovan Elwanger and Theodore Hoag enjoyed a three-day visit at Swain's Lake on their 4-H club trip. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Bunker, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Warner and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Warner visited Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Warner, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hayhoe and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hayhoe, Sunday. Mrs. George Frost called on Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Warner, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ballard visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sawyer of Leslie, Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene West and Mrs. Harold Heinrich spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ballard. Mr. and Mrs. George Warner visited Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Warner, Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ballard and family spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blanchard.

Bateman Neighborhood By Edna Casper

Rev. and Mrs. Richard Nyeburg and children of Deckerville, visited Mr. and Mrs. Judson Smith, last Tuesday. Miss Elsie Suzor spent a couple of days last week with her cousin, Miss Veda Sampson. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bateman attended the ball game in Detroit last Thursday. Mrs. William Uber, who has been quite ill, is feeling better now. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoskins were Friday evening callers of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith. Miss Katherine Davis spent the week end at her home in Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hablitzel spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Sampson. Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Ely and Lorraine and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bateman attended the Bateman reunion, last Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Judson Smith and Mrs. Owen Smith and children attended the Smith reunion at Fallsburg Park, Kent county, Sunday. Dickor Suzor and DeVere Sampson spent the week end in Mt. Pleasant, at Suzor's folks. Leo Suzor came back with DeVere Sunday night. Dickor is working in Mt. Pleasant this week. Mr. and Mrs. Art Every called on Mr. and Mrs. John Runyon, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Casper called on Mr. and Mrs. John Casper, Sunday. Mrs. Harold Smith and sons spent Sunday with her parents.

White Oak By Miss Norma Hayhoe

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Seelhoff of Lansing spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Seelhoff. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Abbott of Williamston and their sister and son of Des Moines, Iowa, spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Abbott and son. Mr. Arvilla Parker of Mason spent part of last week with Mrs. Jessie Rinehart. Mrs. Frank Barnhart is very ill at this time. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Abbott spent last Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Merle Otis of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. John Wilcox, Erwin and Thelma and Mrs. Hayle and daughter, all of Jackson, visited Mrs. Carrie Wilcox last week Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. James Wilcox and daughter spent Sunday at Patterson Lake. Mrs. Jessie Rinehart and Mrs. Arvilla Parker called on Mrs. Carrie Wilcox last Tuesday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Witt from near Mason spent Sunday with their sister, Mrs. Donald Maynard and family. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wiggant and daughter spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. James Wilcox. Mrs. Mary Brandybeery returned to her home in Battle Creek last Saturday after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Fred Wright. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kinnison have moved to Mason. Miss Norma Hayhoe had the misfortune to sprain her ankle this week Monday. Mr. and Mrs. E. Cobb and daughter spent Sunday at Andy Keeder's.

Northwest Ingham By Mrs. Ami Terrill

Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osborne attended the Smith reunion at Dodge park near Commerce, Saturday. Roy Rae and family and Mr. and Mrs. George Soule and son attended the Keck reunion at Alwood Lake, Sunday. Mrs. Roy Rae is spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Eva Andrews, of Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Cooper and children of Detroit, were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Osborne. Mr. and Mrs. Guy Royston and Mr. and Mrs. Corde Bashford were also afternoon callers. Ami Terrill and family and Mrs. J. A. Davidson and Iva spent Sunday at Pleasant Lake. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Soule and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Phillips near Howell, Sunday. Mrs. H. R. Daub and Mrs. Orena Chase and children of Parchment, were callers at the Terrill home, Sunday evening. Phyllis Daub, who has been spending two weeks at the Terrill home, returned home with them. Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Ellis, Mr. and Mrs. Kent Ellis of East Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Davidson and Iva were dinner guests at the Terrill home, Tuesday evening. Robert Swan was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Blakely and Mrs. H. O. Cline of Miller Road, Saturday evening, the occasion being his eighty-first birthday. Ellis Haynes and family were at Pleasant Lake, Sunday. Eleanor and Iva Terrill with their

Douglas Territory By Helen Glynn

Mr. and Mrs. Verna Brenner and family of Williamston, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brenner. Mr. and Mrs. Burton Shrumm spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Shrumm. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Glynn and family and Miss Rexine Gorton spent Sunday at Cedar Lake. Mr. and Mrs. R. Dietz of Williamston, called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brenner, Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Barriger and family of Pontiac, are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. G. Shrumm.

White Dog District By Mrs. M. V. Butler

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Harger of Pontiac, and Mr. and Mrs. Hartwell Gleen of Orchard Lake, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Allen and family, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Earl King were at their farm, Sunday. Earl and Donnie Ballard spent Friday evening with Bernard and Bernice Otis. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everett and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Minnie Blanchard. Mr. and Mrs. Judson Hill spent Sunday with Mr. Hill's sister, Mrs. Elmer Monroe, of Webberville, and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hendricks. Charles Otis spent last week at the Collar home. Mrs. Eva Collar is still on the sick list. Mrs. Erma Sitter spent Monday with her mother, Mrs. J. Hill. Mrs. John Speer spent the first of the week with her daughter, Mrs. C. Meling. The Pollok school reunion has been changed from August 21, to August 20. A fine program has been arranged. Mr. and Mrs. Archa Woodworth and

Polok Corners By Erma Pollok

Mrs. Nora Bentley called on Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stanfield, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stanfield were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Dustin Squires and children of Detroit, have returned to their home after having spent their vacation with Kenneth and Leah Squires. Doris and Evelyn Cole visited their grandparents in Williamston, last week. James Kent, who has been in this vicinity for some time, left Tuesday for Los Angeles, California, where he has accepted a position. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Everett and family spent Sunday with Minnie Blanchard. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Paul and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Fisher and Lucille attended the Detroit-Chicago ball game in Detroit, Saturday. Alice Cole, Doris and Evelyn spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Agnes Cole. Jason Pollok and Erma were Sunday guests of the William Storms.

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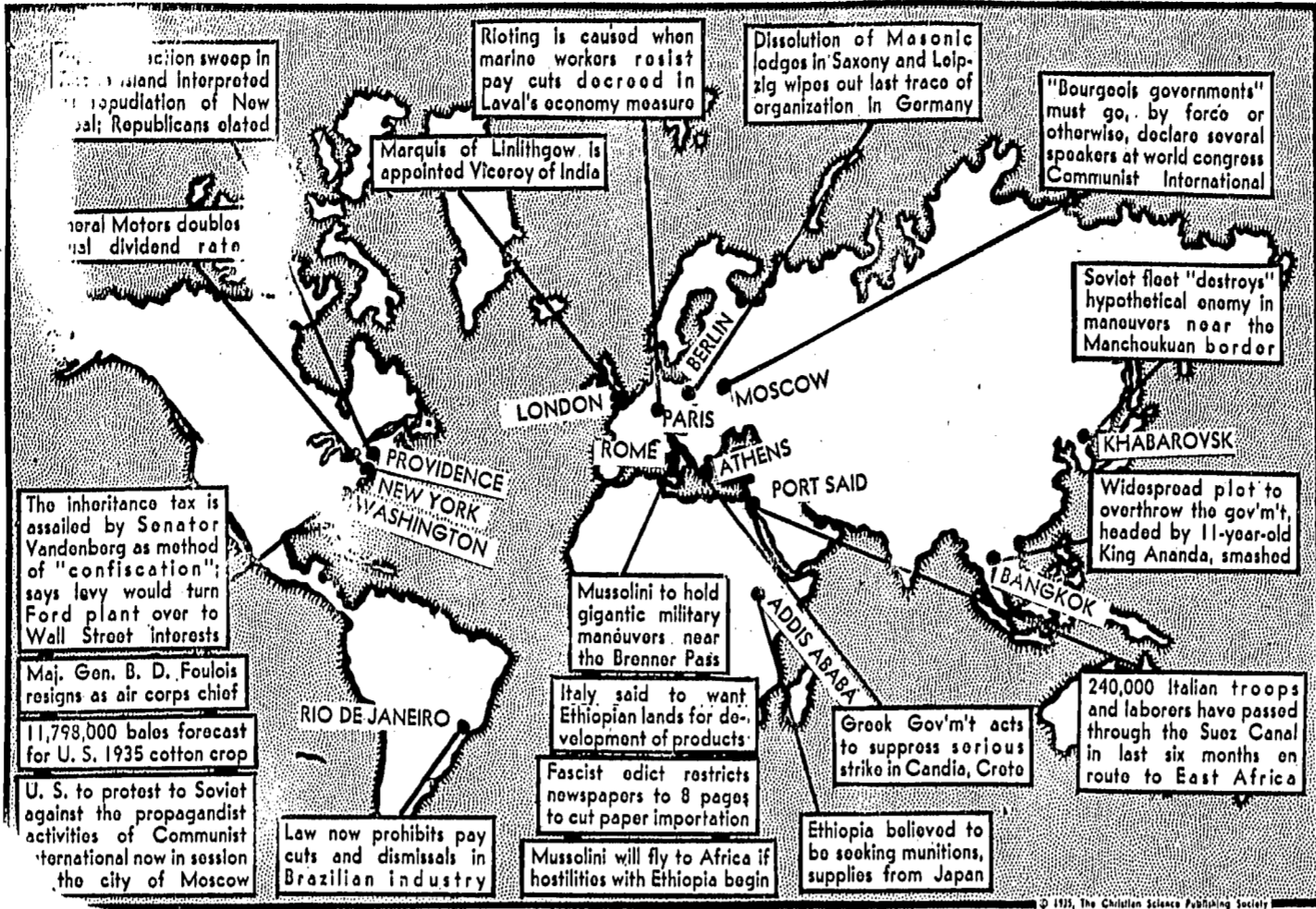
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chant in Stockbridge for many years, passed away last Saturday. The funeral was held at the home, Tuesday. Mrs. Alice Banta of Detroit, visited Mrs. W. S. Thompson, last Friday. Several attended the funeral of George Brazie at Williamston, Sunday. Fern Thompson has finished summer school at Ypsilanti and will teach again next year in Leslie. Reerut—"This liniment makes my arm smart." Instructor—"Rub some on your head."

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FREE ENTERTAINMENT
Forget your troubles. The weather has been fine for the crops and everybody is happy. Attend the Ingham county fair and be even happier. Free entertainment for you every day and night. Valuable prizes given away including a Ford V-8. The 1935 Ingham County Fair is out to set records in quality and quantity of its exhibits and entertainments. Everything you desire in the line of entertainment is waiting for you at the county fair from August 21 to 24.
Stock Judging
It has been said that farmers do not know how to judge their own livestock. Here is a chance to prove that you do. Two men are to be selected from each township to judge stock. The three best judges will be chosen to represent Ingham county at Michigan State College Farmer's Week. Those farmers who wish to qualify as judges are asked to make application to Clarence Puffenberger, superintendent of the sheep department.
Plan To Attend
Free band concerts, superb midway attractions, stalls filled with excellent stock, 4-H boys' and girls' club exhibits, Future Farmers exhibits, grains and garden products.
Visit the fair if you are a lover of flowers. Percy Foler, superintendent, promises one of the finest exhibits of flowers ever shown in the county. One full side of the main exhibition building is turned over to the floral exhibits. Enter your flowers. Generous premium awards are offered. Secure a copy of the premium list.
Baseball
There will be a baseball tournament at the fair grounds and Stockbridge and Fowlerville have already been lined up to play against the Mason Independents. This tournament is not sponsored by the fair but by the Mason Independent baseball team.
Horse Pulling Contest
Every year the horse pulling contests grow in popular favor. This year the committee has listed the best teams of the county to compete in this contest. Thursday afternoon will be the afternoon when the light horses compete and on Friday the heavy teams will make their showing. The same equipment that was used last year will be used this year and entries may be made as late as August 20.
Along The Midway
Barkoot Shows have been obtained to fill the midway. All kinds of thrilling rides for the children. Miniature autos, chairplanes, giant ferris wheel and kiddie airplanes and many other thrilling rides for the children.
A Big Time for All at the Ingham County Fair

World News of the Week at a Glance



Hawley
By Mrs. Leon Crowl
Mr. and Mrs. Wing, Miss Ida Notrgarth and Frank Fritzpatrik of Long Rapids, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Burr and family. Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Snell and son from Battle Creek, were recent visitors at the home of Lester Snell. The picnic for the Hawley and Rolfe communities will be held at the county park on Saturday, August 17. Potluck dinner will be served at noon, and will be followed by sports. Mrs. Fred Winslow and her twins, Donald and Donna, from Ovid, have been spending several days at the home of her brother, Leroy Ballard.

Okemos and Vicinity
By Mrs. Walter Heathman
Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Grattonberger and Mrs. Pauline Kent attended the Kaiser family reunion, Sunday, at the Ella Sharp park in Jackson. Dr. Webb and Mrs. Webb of this place, entertained a cousin of the latter's from Cleveland, Ohio, last week. Al Holley, a barber of this place for several years, was brought from the Sparrow hospital the last part of the week to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Torrance, where he is being cared for. Mr. and Mrs. James Griffith were in Saginaw, Sunday and brought home their daughter, Mrs. Helen Sedgwick and children for a couple of weeks. Claude Lewsdor is having his house painted. Aethon Witt and other friends attended the ball game in Detroit, Sunday. Mrs. Thomas, who has been stay-

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Beautiful New 15th Anniversary Models
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HOLT
By Mrs. James P. King
Rev. C. P. Andrews and Mrs. Andrews left Saturday for an auto and camping trip to Indian River state park for their annual vacation. Mrs. Carl Wirth and Mrs. Clyde Moffet attended an executive board meeting and bohemian luncheon of the Ingham county council of parent-teacher associations at the home of Mrs. F. J. Lamb in Lansing, Wednesday, August 7. Plans were made at the business meeting for the coming year's work and the theme chosen was "Education for an Enriched Family."
Mrs. J. Adney Biddle of Franklin, Illinois, is visiting her normal college friend, Mrs. James King. They were roommates in Ypsilanti and later taught together in Sturgis.
On Tuesday, Mary Fay and Marjorie Cooley were the members from the Jolly Junior 4-H group to demonstrate salmon salad at the county meeting in Mason. Their regular meeting for the week was at Carolyn O'Connor's, when they spent the time working on their posters for the Ingham county fair next week in Mason. Friday of this week is the elimination contest at Mason for 4-H groups.
Two members of the Holt Woman's club enjoyed the annual picnic of the Ingham county federation of women's clubs held at the Woman's Home in Lansing, on Wednesday, August 7. Mrs. A. L. Eichele, president of the federation, presided. A pleasing program was given, including two violin solos by Miss Frances Ayres of East Lansing, and who also gave a little talk on the International Music camp at Interlochen. The Morlock quadruplets, also added to the interest of

the occasion by several songs. Mrs. N. C. Morgan, matron of the Home, told of the activities of the home and introduced Mrs. C. E. Chapin, who recited "Aspirations." After this all the residents sang "In the Sweet Bye and Bye." Mrs. Eichele then introduced the members present of the Woman's Home board, the past president of the federation and the federation officers. Mrs. C. P. Ranney gave the triennial convention held in Detroit last June.
The Past Noble Grand club met with Mrs. Roy Ellis on Wednesday, August 14, for the usual potluck dinner and business meeting.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Fleming recently visited Mr. and Mrs. John Gayer of Charlotte.
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pratt, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ireland and Will Pratt are on vacation auto trip to Canada, Niagara Falls and Syracuse, New York.
Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Watters have a baby girl, born Wednesday morning at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Marshall, East Delhi.
The Sub-Deb Scramblers 4-H club met at the home of Lois Ellerby on Tuesday afternoon and worked on the three posters which they are preparing for the Ingham county fair next week. Margaret Chamberlain had charge of the games for the meeting. They will work on their posters again on Thursday after lunch. The club will have an exhibit of floral and table decorations at the homecoming this week Friday and Saturday.
The Ladies Aid societies of the First M. E. church are having the final silver tea of the series at the church on Tuesday, August 20, at 2 p. m. Every member is urged to come and plan on bringing one or more guests. The envelopes will be opened and a program given under the direction of Misses Helen Walters, Bernice Dell, Hilda Menger and Mrs. Ward Newman and Mrs. Roy Aldever. Mrs. John Fay, Mrs. E. J. Himmelberger, Mrs. C. L. Thompson and Mrs. Howard Chappell will have charge of the refreshments. It is to be of especial interest to everyone to come and bring friends.
P. T. A. will serve a dinner to the boys of the Vocational band who play for the homecoming this week.
Harry Barnard, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Barnard, graduated from Central State Teachers college at Mt. Pleasant, with Bachelor of Science degree on August 8. He will teach at Mayville this coming year. He was an honor student at Mt. Pleasant.
Dr. F. L. Troost and Mrs. Troost have begun excavating for their new home on West Delhi and Maple streets.
Mr. and Mrs. Bud Ellis have a cellar dug for their new home in DeCamp's grove.
Mrs. Mary McDowell and niece, Mrs. Sadie Glasgow, attended a school reunion at Hastings on Thursday, August 8.
Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ellis and daughter Sarah have been on a trip to Freeport, Illinois, and took Mrs. Ellis' sister, Mrs. L. G. Stowe, to her home there.
There will be no services or meetings at the First M. E. church on Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clyde have returned from their vacation trip at Torch Lake.

Eden
By Mrs. A. M. Chapin
Mr. and Mrs. Nellis Bateman and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Bateman attended the Bateman reunion at the county park, Saturday.
The Eden L. A. S. met with Mrs. Claude Webber, Wednesday afternoon at Mrs. Fred Miller and daughters had charge of the program.
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Underwood of Onondaga, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Underwood.
Mrs. Forest Smith and daughter of Eaton Rapids, are spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Childs.
Eden-Aurelius young people will have a picnic at Pleasant Lake, Saturday, August 24, at Harker's park. There will be a potluck supper. The Eden-Aurelius young people's meeting will be held on Mrs. Carrie Chapin's lawn, Sunday evening. John Chapin will be the leader. All are asked to come.
Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bateman of Hastings, spent the week end with Myron Bateman.
Mrs. A. A. Opydyke is enjoying a week's vacation up north with her daughter, Mrs. Mabel Lane.

FOLLOWING ORDERS
Patient: "You remember when you cured my rheumatism, Doc, a couple of years ago, and you told me to avoid moisture?"
Doctor: "Yes, that's right."
Patient: "Well, I've come to ask you, can I take a bath?"

West Aurelius
By Mrs. O. M. Robertson
Mr. and Mrs. Ben Fries were callers here, Sunday.
Barbara Robertson is working in Lansing.
Mr. and Mrs. Luman Klink and children are visiting in Ludington, this week.
The Swartz family reunion was held at Marshall, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. H. E. McGrath and daughter of Detroit, visited here, this week end.
Mrs. Emma Slaughter returned with them for a two weeks' visit.
Mrs. Minnie Weber and son of Maplewood, New Jersey, visited Mrs. O. M. Robertson one day last week. They had not met in over 30 years. Mrs. Weber lived in Eaton Rapids and will be remembered as Minnie Hafer.

FILM NEWS
MASON THEATRE
A masterpiece of tense, thrilling action is "When A Man's A Man" with George O'Brien, coming to the Mason Theatre Friday and Saturday. Adapted from Harold Bell Wright's famous novel, it brings to us a soft-handed Easterner, a petted darling of fortune who goes West to seek his fortune and make a man of himself when his money vanishes and his friends desert him. Against a magnificent background of Utah scenery, ranging from miles of purple sage to stern granite mountains, is portrayed his transformation to a rugged Western man of action. A cattle stampede, a mountain landslide and the bursting of a big river dam are three of the exciting scenes in the picture. Dorothy Wilson, Paul Kelly, Harry Woods and Clarence Wilson are some of the familiar names in the supporting cast. A Frolic comedy, "Little Big Top", and Ruth Etting in a short musical comedy, "The Derby Decade," complete this program.
"Here is My Heart," with Bing Crosby, coming Sunday and Monday, is a sparkling musical comedy with an unusual supporting cast, including such sterling artists as Kitty Carlisle, Alison Skipworth, Roland Young, Reginald Owen and others. It's a lively tale about a millionaire crooner who is idling around the world in search of amusement and falls head over heels in love with a haughty Russian princess whom he meets in an elevator. Unable to meet her socially, he buys the hotel in which she lives, and disguised as a waiter in moustache and whiskers, he attempts to croon his way into her heart while serving her meals, airing her dogs and attending to her parrot. Among Bing's new songs in this picture are "With Every Breath I Take," "June In January," and "Love Is Just Around The Corner." "Betty Boop's Prize Show" and

Dart District
By Mrs. Hattie Godley
Mrs. John Malcho and Mrs. Mildred Greenaway of Williamston went to Ithaca Saturday to take the Patterson children home. They have been visiting Mrs. Malcho for several weeks.
Next Sunday, Elder Terwilliger preaches his farewell sermon at the Vantown church before going to conference.
J. E. Crandell remains about the same.
Wesley Warfle visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Gauss in Howell, Sunday.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gauss and son attended the Livorno reunion held in Webberville last Saturday at the home of James Frasier.
Helen Walker is home from Ypsilanti where she has been attending summer school.
Mrs. Charles Godley and Alice Monroe attended the funeral of Ethel Murray Graham in Webberville, Monday.
Mrs. Gerald Kinch and Gilbert of Williamston visited Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hayner last week.
Carrie Joslin spent last week at the home of Ada Brown at Millville.

The Universal news are added attractions for the week end program.
Frank Capra, director of "Lady For A Day," "The Happened One Night," and many another good picture, has secured a fresh triumph in "Broadway Bill," with Warner Baxter and Myrna Loy, coming Tuesday and Wednesday. It's the story of a man and a girl who forsake the luxuries of life for the freedom of the open road—but that is only the framework for one of the finest entertainment pictures of the present season, filled with the deft artistic touches of genius which mark every Capra production. Prominent in the cast are Walter Connolly, Helen Vinson, Clarence Muse, Frankie Darro and other well known players. Chapter eight of "Call Of The Savage" and "The Spice Of Life" are also promised on the midweek bill.

Mason Theatre
Friday and Saturday

A hard-riding range buckaroo—in the famous tale of the old West!
Sunday and Monday

A rollicking comedy romance set to music!
Tuesday and Wednesday

A grand and glorious comedy drama!

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Ingham County Legal News

A SUMMARY OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS IN INGHAM COUNTY

ROSTER OF COUNTY OFFICERS

CIRCUIT COURT
Thirtieth Judicial Circuit
Terms: January, 2nd Monday in January at Mason; March, 2nd Monday in March at Lansing; May, 2nd Monday in May at Mason; September, 2nd Monday in September at Lansing.
Judges: Hon. Charles B. Collingwood and Hon. Leland W. Carr.
Prosecuting Attorney: Dan D. McCullough, Lansing; Assistant, Benjamin F. Watson, Lansing. Main office, Capital Bank Tower, Lansing.
Sheriff: Allan A. MacDonald, Mason.
Court Officer: Chauncey Wyman, Lansing.
Probation Officer and Friend of the Court, Laird Troyer, Lansing.
Circuit Court Commissioners: Carl H. McLean and Alvin A. Neller, Lansing.

PROBATE COURT
Main office in Mason, branch at Lansing in Bauch Bldg., open Mondays and Thursdays.
Judge: Hon. L. B. McArthur, Mason.
Probate Register: Charles A. Clinton, Mason.
Juvenile Probation Officer: J. M. Hewitt, Mason.
Supervisor of Mother's Pensions: Mrs. Karen Lyman, Lansing.

COUNTY CLERK
Main office at Mason, branch in Lansing city hall. Clerk: C. Ross Hillard, Mason.
Lansing Chief Deputy: Flora G. Dewey, Lansing.

OTHER COUNTY OFFICERS
Treasurer: Clarence W. Lock, Mason.
Register of Deeds: Ethel L. Phillips, Mason.
Drain Commissioner: Francis N. Bateman, Lansing.
School Commissioner: Fred E. Senf, Mason.
County Surveyor: Walter E. Zimmer, Mason.
Road Commissioner: C. H. Murray, chairman, Bunkerhill, L. T. Lasenby, Mason, A. H. Phillips, Lansing.
County Relief Commission: C. R. Hoffer, East Lansing; A. B. Ball, Mason; Joseph Dunnebacke, Lansing. Administrator, Ruth Brown, Lansing.
Soldiers and Sailors Relief Commission: Robert J. Ingham, Mason; C. J. Whiting, Mason; B. W. Bushnell, Leslie.
State Conservation Officer, Glen Murphy, Mason. Residence 210 E. Maple street.
County Welfare Agent: Claude Post, Mason.
Old Age Pension Board: Claude Post, chairman, Mason; Judge L. B. McArthur, Mason; Mrs. Terry Corlies, Lansing.
Superintendents of Poor: S. S. Main, Lansing; C. C. Foster, Haslett; William S. Rhodes, Mason.
Dog Wardens: Clay Braden, Mason; John Myers, Lansing.

MORTGAGE SALE SUMMARY

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

August 17, at Lansing. A. E. Shaddock and Jennie M. Shaddock vs. Maurice M. Hayden. Com. on the N line of Washnaw street 30 rods W, then W line of Logan street, N 9 rods, thence E 2 rods to the place of beg., \$2,256.66. Brown & Gregg, Atty.

August 17, at Lansing. Capitol Savings & Loan Co. vs. Elba Stephenson. The E 1/2 of lot 10 of Farrand's Add. to the city of Lansing, \$1,397.50. Cummins & Cummins, Atty.

August 17, at Lansing. The Prudential Insurance Co. of America vs. Raymond A. Brogan and Agnes M. Brogan. The N 1/2 of lot 4, block 121 of the original plat of the city of Lansing, \$3,979.81. John A. Brooks, Atty.

August 17, at Lansing. Nicholas Urbanski vs. Mike Zdan and Anna Zdan. Lot 21 and the W 97 feet of lots 15 and 16, also lot 22 of Scott's Subd., all in the city of Lansing, \$1,055.17. Hayden, Hubbard & Rathbun, Atty.

August 17, at Mason. Laura E. Root vs. Elmer A. Newark and Mabel A. Newark. The N 45 feet of lot No. 2 of the Amended Plat of Downer's Sunnyside Add. City of Lansing, \$4,075.00. E. A. Densmore, Atty.

August 17, at Lansing. The Prudential Insurance Co. of America vs. Chester E. Boello and Dorothy M. Boello. Lot No. 69 of Ardson Heights Add. of the City of East Lansing, \$5,555.80. John A. Brooks, Atty.

August 17, at Lansing. Charles Wieland vs. Charles A. Ferguson and Ana G. Ferguson. Lot 233 of Snyder's Subd., City of Lansing, \$2,381.61. C. F. & E. T. Hammond, Atty.

August 17, at Lansing. Union Building & Loan Association, Limited vs. Andrew A. Scott and Lenna O. Scott. E 7 1/2 feet of lots 9 and 11 of block 16 of Green Oak Add., City of Lansing, \$3,838.38. C. F. & E. T. Hammond, Atty.

August 19, at Lansing. Union Building & Loan Association, Limited vs. Harry Stuart and Lillian Stuart. Commencing 2 rods E of the SW corner of block 15 of Townsend's Subd. of the N 1/2 of Sec. 20, thence N 4 rods, thence E 2 rods, thence S 2 rods, thence W 2 rods to the place of beg., City of Lansing, \$3,330.10. C. F. & E. T. Hammond, Atty.

August 19, at Lansing. Union Building & Loan Association, Limited vs. Robert B. Southworth and Evelyn L. Southworth. Lot 12 of block 1 of Assessor's Plat No. 7, City of Lansing, \$1,899.01. C. F. & E. T. Hammond, Atty.

August 19, at Lansing. Union Building & Loan Association, Limited vs. Hayden Hubbard & Rathbun, Atty. Commencing 2 rods E of the SW corner of block 15 of Townsend's Subd. of the N 1/2 of Sec. 20, thence N 4 rods, thence E 2 rods, thence S 2 rods, thence W 2 rods to the place of beg., City of Lansing, \$3,330.10. C. F. & E. T. Hammond, Atty.

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August 19, at Lansing. Union Building & Loan Association, Limited vs. Stanley Martin and Ruth E. Martin. Tac E 110 feet of the S 22 feet of lot 1 and the N 22 feet of the E 110 feet of lot 2, block 24 of Park Place Add. to the City of Lansing, \$1,788.15. C. F. & E. T. Hammond, Atty.

August 19, at Lansing. Union Building & Loan Association, Limited vs. Grover A. Binkley and Margaret E. Binkley. Lot 225 of Excelsior Land Co.'s Add. to the City of Lansing, \$1,429.50. C. F. & E. T. Hammond, Atty.

August 19, at Lansing. Union Building & Loan Association, Limited vs. Richard D. Montgomery and Ella P. Montgomery. Lot 13, block 10 of Manufacturer's Add. No. 2, City of Lansing, \$2,944.20. C. F. & E. T. Hammond, Atty.

August 19, at Lansing. Union Building & Loan Association, Limited vs. Donald S. Olds and Miriam C. Olds. The E 40 feet of the W 80 feet of lots 25 and 26 of Olds Park Add., City of Lansing, \$1,892.88. C. F. & E. T. Hammond, Atty.

August 19, at Lansing. Union Building & Loan Association, Limited vs. John Charles Jennings, Lansing 226; Alice Bertha Ulrich, Lansing 226; Irving A. Noyce, Lansing 226; Helen Marie Hart, Lansing 226; Lyle L. Hotchkiss, Lansing 226; Dorothy M. Nerbonne, Eau Claire, Wis. 226; Vernon E. Nerbonne, Lansing 226; Helen N. Dadds, Eau Claire, Wis. 226; Otis B. Scotts, Lansing 226; Alois Alda Conklin, Lansing 226; Henry LaFontaine, Lansing 226; Francis Louise Eddy, Lansing 226; Clarence Mead, Lansing 226; Genevieve Kerby, Owosso 226; Walter John Hayden, Lansing 226; Clara Blanche Halstead, Lansing 226; John Dvoracek, Lansing 226; Louise Rogers, Jackson 226; Vorn E. Anderson, Lansing 226; Ruth X. Davidson, Lansing 226; Earl E. Raffler, Nashville 226; Thania M. Miller, Mason 226; Ivan D. Dennis, St. Johns 226; Gladys N. Murningham, Lansing 226; John L. Carter, Lansing 226; Malva Olson, Lansing 226; Robert H. Holmes, Lansing 226; Marceline Patrick, Lansing 226; Kenneth Stiver, Altoona, Penn. 226; Hester Fisher, Lansing 226; Delbert E. Meyers, Lansing 226; Alice Adams, Lansing 226; Edgar Worden, Lansing 226; Mary Courier, Lansing 226; Harold B. Eyestone, E. Lansing 226; Vergellie M. VanDeusen, E. Lansing 226; Jay Brown, Lansing 226; Bessie Lessen, Lansing 226; Frank O. Moore, Lansing 226; Dorothy W. Reichman, Lansing 226; Harold J. Howland, Lansing 226; Mary Genevieve Sprague, Lansing 226.

NEW CASES BEGUN IN CIRCUIT COURT

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

Law
Detroit Nut Company vs. Liden Manufacturing Company. Assumpsit. Vincent P. Dacey, Atty.
Lydia A. Lynde vs. Aetna Life Insurance Company. Assumpsit. Kelley & Seelye, Atty.
A. G. Wilson vs. Michigan Interstate Freight Lines, Incorporated. Trespass. David V. Martin, Atty.
Leola M. Wilson vs. Michigan Interstate Freight Lines, Incorporated. Trespass. David V. Martin, Atty.

Chancery
Mildred A. Sano vs. Ernest E. Sano. Divorce. Haight & Coash, Atty.
American State Savings Bank vs. City of Lansing. Bill for Accounting. Foster & Cameron, Atty.
Lillie Dittis vs. Carl F. Dittis. Divorce. O. J. Hood, Atty.
Harold B. Rae vs. Mary A. Rae. Divorce. D. G. F. Warner, Atty.
Eben Mumford et al. vs. Paul W. Crockett et al. Foreclosure. Hayden, Hubbard & Rathbun, Atty.
Esther Hart vs. Charles Hart. Divorce. Hayden, Hubbard & Rathbun, Atty.
Tillie M. DeForest vs. Fred C. DeForest. Divorce. Charles P. VanNote, Atty.
Evelyn G. Church vs. Lawrence A. Church. Divorce. Shields, Silsbee, Ballard & Jennings, Atty.
Harley R. Selby vs. Elsie A. Selby. Divorce. Hayden, Hubbard & Rathbun, Atty.
Alice J. Clarke vs. Laurance R. Clarke. Divorce. Hayden, Hubbard & Rathbun, Atty.

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DECREES OF DIVORCE GRANTED
Edyth R. Farthing vs. Ernest W. Farthing, St.
Katie E. Kimble vs. Roy E. Kimble.
Leta M. Warner vs. Ray E. Warner.
Elsie E. Giddings vs. Harry Giddings.
Betty Deppa vs. Woodrow Deppa.
Thelma D. McMaster vs. George E. McMaster.
William D. Burlingame vs. Helen Burlingame.
Bessie L. Lassen vs. Harold V. Lassen.
Beatrice Sharp vs. Henry Sharp.
Rupert Dusenbury vs. Glenah Dusenbury.
Maxine A. Thrush vs. Carl L. Thrush.
Gladys Goslin vs. Thomas Goslin.
Beulah E. Harkness vs. Jesse W. Harkness.
Eva Young vs. Raymond H. Young.
George K. Adams vs. Marion Adams.
Ethel Conklin vs. Hally Conklin.
Ethel Woodward vs. Robert Woodward.

LESLIE

By Mrs. Ernest Sherman

Miss Lillian Boyle is a guest this week of Mrs. Luna Blank at her summer home at Pleasant Lake.

Albert Teubner and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Teubner left Monday for a two weeks' visit in Wisconsin.

Miss Fern Talbot returned home Monday from Ypsilanti, following a six weeks' summer school attendance. R. O. Edwards left Monday for Rochester, Minnesota, on a several days' business trip.

The Plymouth sedan owned and driven by William Mills was completely wrecked Sunday afternoon when it collided with another automobile on a road between Munith and Pleasant Lake. In the car driven by Mills was Miss Helen Mary Byrum, who received minor cuts and bruises as the car overturned throwing her out and beneath the car. The occupants of the other car reported to be from Detroit were not hurt. Mills also escaped without injury.

The Leslie Citizen's club announces there are two donkey baseball games scheduled to take place here the evenings of August 19 and 20, at the Leslie ball park. The first game will be played on Monday evening will be between the business men on the east side and the business men on the west side of Main street. The following evening, the game will be between business and farmer members of the Citizen's club. The donkeys are furnished by the Oxford Donkey Ball Team from Oxford, Nebraska. They also furnish the umpire for the games.

Funeral services for John Craddock, who died Saturday afternoon in Ann Arbor were held Monday afternoon at two o'clock from the Edwards funeral home. Burial was in Woodlawn. The deceased, who had been in poor health for many months, is survived by a wife and four children, also one brother, Edward, all of Leslie vicinity.

Funeral services for Ervin Johnston, 81, who died Sunday morning, were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock from the J. E. Sullivan funeral home with burial in Woodlawn. The deceased is survived by two sons, Marcus of Bunkerhill township at whose home he died, and Jesse of Onondaga, one grandson, Harry, and four granddaughters, Mary and Marie Johnston and Mrs. Robert Liedtke and Mrs. Kenneth Stanfield. His wife, Mary Thurlow, to whom he was married in 1877, and one daughter, Mrs. Lillie Moody, have preceded him in death. Mr. Johnston was the son of Marcus and Mary Johnston and was born in Onondaga township, Michigan, December 1, 1853. Most of his life was spent in the vicinity of Onondaga and Leslie where he is widely known and

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Probate Hearings

Estate of Joseph Ridgway, deceased. Hearing on Claims.

Estate of Wm. Harold Brockhaus, deceased. Hearing on claims.

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Estate of Wm. H. Whaley, deceased. Hearing on appointment of administrator.

Estate of Alexandria Kedrock, deceased. Hearing on annual account.

Estate of Robert C. Rueschaw, deceased. Hearing on final account.

Estate of Mark T. Woodruff, deceased. Hearing on will and codicil.

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Estate of Jean E. Runciman, et al, minors. Hearing on license to sell real estate.

Estate of Nettie E. Clark, deceased. Hearing on annual account of trustee.

Estate of Katherine J. Goodman, deceased. Hearing on will and codicil.

Estate of Daniel J. Mahoney, deceased. Hearing on final account.

Estate of Edna Wilder (Wildy), deceased. Hearing on license to sell real estate.

ASSUMED NAME CERTIFICATES
Penetroll Company, Martin H. Frelson, William E. Ames, Claude P. Dorn.

John G. Dorn, J. Richard Dorn and Joseph J. Dorn.
Workman's Exchange, Fred E. Jackson.

Maple and Lawrence Weingarten.
Maeste and Wilson, Hannah Elizabeth Wilson and Harry H. Maeste.

has farmed extensively until the past few years, since which time he has lived a part of the time at Pleasant Lake.

Members of the Klattler club held a picnic at Wampler's Lake, Sunday, with about 40 present. Following dinner the afternoon was spent with baseball and swimming. On August 25, an ice cream party will be held at the cottage of Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Beiswinger at Pleasant Lake.

"His Country Friends", will be the sermon subject at the Sunday morning worship at the Aurelius Baptist, One Onondaga Community and the Leslie Baptist churches. This is the next in the series of sermons the minister, Edward J. Cross, is preaching on "The Christ of the Country". The church schools at Aurelius and Onondaga will follow the services for worship while that at Leslie will precede the services for worship. The Aurelius-Edon year book will hold their meeting at Edon on August 15 in the evening. There will be an evening service at Leslie at 7:30 with Mr. Cross speaking on the subject, "The Cost of Discipleship."

The annual business meeting of the Onondaga Community church will be held on Tuesday evening, August 20, at eight o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Galloway announce the marriage of their son, Maynard Galloway, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Carr of Gregor. The marriage took place at Angola, Indiana, August 6, with the Rev. Thomas Davis, pastor of the Methodist church of that place, officiating.

The No. 9 Clark school district will hold its annual reunion August 21, at the school. A potluck dinner will be followed by a program of sports under the direction of Roscoe Miner, L. S. Barnes and Maynard Brownlee, and literary program by a committee composed of Miss Irma Morhouse, Miss Hazel Gordon, Edward Olds and Roy Miner. All former patrons, teachers and scholars of the district are urged to attend this meeting, together with all present residents. Miss Rachel Heal has been secured as the teacher for the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thurston, daughter Dorothy, and son, James, arrived Leslie Wednesday from Evanston, Illinois, to spend part of their vacation at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Thurston.

The regular monthly meeting of the Baptist Ladies Aid was held Wednesday with dinner at noon, in the church parlors, followed by a business meeting and a program of piano music by Miss Maxine Blackmore and Miss Roberta Jones. Miss Ruth Cross also talked interestingly on her trip to the Caribbean Sea. Mrs. Clark, president of the society, named a committee to arrange for the apron sale for the coming fall church fair.

Announcement is made of the birth of a daughter, Geraldine, August 9, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilbur. Mrs. Wilbur before her marriage was Miss Thelma Brownlee.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Snyder, August 4 daughter, Margaret.

Beverly and Audrey Burgess of Munith, are spending the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Harwood.

Funeral services for Mrs. Earl Clark Chase, 67, will be held Friday afternoon at two o'clock from the Zion church at Rivers with the Rev. Everest of Buchanan, officiating. Interment will be in Draper cemetery. Mrs. Chase died Tuesday afternoon at Mercy hospital in Jackson. Besides the husband the following near relatives survive her: One sister, Mrs. Charlotte Bigsart of Jackson; three brothers, John and Ellis Clarke of Jackson, and Willis Clarke of Lansing; three nieces, Estelle Clarke, residing at the Chase home and Lenore Bigsart and Barbara Clarke of Jackson; three nephews, Edwin Clarke of Detroit, and Earl and Austin Clarke of Jackson; also an aunt, Mrs. Emily Townly of Jackson; and an uncle, Thomas Clarke of Tompkins. She was a member of the Zion church at Rivers and president of the P. C. T. U., also a member of the Barnes' Workers, her community club and the Maple Grove club.

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Mrs. O. B. Thurston, who has been a patient in an Ann Arbor hospital the past week returned home Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Dowling of Lansing, was a guest over the week end of her grandmother, Mrs. Hagar Carpenter. Mrs. Grace Stearns, who has also been a guest at the Carpenter home returned to Lansing, Tuesday.

The Behren ambulance was called Monday evening about 6:30 to convey Mrs. Grace Rogers from Rives Junction to the Mercy hospital in Jackson. Mrs. Rogers who with her son Robert, I. Rogers who with her son Robert, were returning home by a Michigan Central train three miles south of Rives. The small son pulled his mother from the path of a second train which was passing at the time. After x-rays at the hospital and treatment the woman was taken to her home. The left arm was fractured and she also sustained slight injuries to her shoulder and side.

Mrs. Laurene Edwards and daughters, Eleanor Ann and Doris, were in Jackson, Tuesday.

Mrs. Emerson Behrens, who for the past five years has been employed in Grand Rapids, is resigning her position there this week and will now be at her home here in Leslie. Before going to Grand Rapids Mrs. Behrens, who before her marriage was Miss Marion Fisher, was employed by the Consumers Power in Jackson.

Free Methodist Church
Vernon J. Anderson, pastor.
10:00 Morning Service.
11:00 Sunday School.
7:30 Evening Service.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30, at the church.

DANSVILLE

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DANSVILLE CLASSES TO BEGIN ON SEPTEMBER 3

NEW BUS PURCHASE FOR TRANSPORTATION OF PUPILS.
Beginners' Band To Be Organized, School To Handle Text Books, New Teacher Added.

Ingham Township Agricultural school opens Tuesday, September 3. Nate Lantis and those who have helped have placed the building in first class condition for the opening. Some new equipment has been installed, old equipment refinished and everything presents a clean, fresh appearance. All of last year's teachers are returning and one new teacher has been added to the staff. With two exceptions, all teachers have attended summer school. Four new courses will be added this year. They are advanced courses in manual training and home economics, applied mathematics for ninth grade pupils and oral English for those in high school. One new bus has been purchased. It is a Reo chassis will take the place of two of the old ones. The other buses are to be overhauled and repainted standard colors.

Text books will be handled by the school and will be on sale at the school building from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Friday and Saturday, August 30 and 31, and from 8 to 4 on September 2. The books will be sold to the students at cost. Clyde Allen, superintendent, will be at the school Friday and Saturday from 8 to 4 for conferences with new students or old students who have problems they wish to discuss.

The band, which was started a year ago, has been carrying on with regular practice during the summer and will be continued throughout the coming year. In addition a beginners' band is to be organized. The school district will purchase instruments for pupils in the 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th grades and will sell them to the pupils at cost on a weekly payment plan of 25c a week if desired. Students above the ninth grade may enter the band but it will be necessary for them to make complete payments for their instruments at the beginning.

It is not necessary for foreign students to make application for tuition this year. The state takes care of tuition and students are freed from any responsibility in this connection. Foreign students who come to the bus lines may ride free of charge. In addition one bus will run the regular route in White Oak township that it has followed the past few years. Students

dents who enter this bus outside of the district, will be charged the same rate as heretofore, 40c a week or \$12.00 for the year, if paid quarterly in advance.

The teaching staff this year will be as follows: Grace Wolff, beginners; Vivian Bravender, second grade; Marguerite Donno, third grade; Elizabeth Sherrlock, fourth; and Katherine Smith, sixth; with the fifth grade being divided between the last two teachers named. In the high school will be Margaret Curtis, mathematics and commercial work; Walter Cohan, science; Marcia Deldorf, English and Latin; Kathryn Boonstra, home economics and girls' coach; Mary Murphy, the new teacher, junior high English, history and band; Earl Briggs, manual training, coach and principal; and Clyde Allen, agriculture and superintendent. Mr. Allen has been in the school for the past 10 years, three years as agricultural teacher and principal and the last seven years as agricultural teacher and superintendent.

Camping Trip

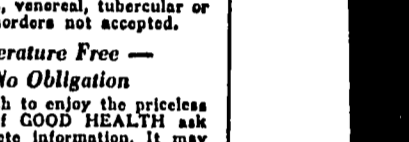
The 4-H club boys returned Sunday after a three day outing at Swan Lake, near Concord. Ten boys and Mr. Allen, their leader, enjoyed the vacation. Ball games, swimming and other sports furnished the diversion. They also attended a movie in Jackson, Saturday afternoon.

Future Farmer Camping Trip

The Future Farmer boys leave this Thursday afternoon for a camping trip to Budd Lake, near Harrison. They will remain until Sunday. Mr. Allen and Mr. Briggs will accompany the Future Farmers.

Wedding Announced

Word has been received here of the marriage of Marjorie Hanna and Fenton Self at Flushing on July 13. Both were former students of the Dansville high school. The bride was in the class of '33 and the groom in '34.



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SLAT'S DIARY

Friday—Slim Jinkins was in a very good humor this morning when he saw me and...

Monday—Ant Emmy was skert yesterday when she got a letter from her nephew on her last husbands side...

Wednesday—Cris Berry says it is ofly uncomfortable these hot nites to half to sleep with his pants on but his wife makes him do it...

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Maude S. Horton to McPherson Real Estate Co. W 1/2 of lot 6, White Subd. of lots 1 and 4 of block 1, Claypool's Subd., Lansing, \$1.00 etc.

East Aaledon

Mrs. Catherine Potter entertained her sister, Mrs. George Lowell of Jackson, and Mrs. Alberta Lott as her house guests, last week.

Grovenburg

Mr. and Mrs. Olen Strickling and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bullen spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Cletus Strickling.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Slaughter of Delta Center, Mr. and Mrs. Will J. Jorgensen and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jorgensen of Adrian, also Mr. and Mrs. George Beck and Mrs. Emelina Janock called on Mrs. Mildred North after the homecoming, Saturday.

North East Lansing Township

Mrs. Frances Hewitt, Miss Nina Hewitt and their guest, Mrs. Carey, of Climax, were callers at the W. E. West home, Sunday afternoon.

John Mitchell and friend of Fond du Lac, Wisconsin, arrived Monday evening to see the guests the coming week of his aunt and cousins, Mrs. Roy Moore, and family.

Voters of the school district voted at a special meeting Monday evening to accept the gift of land from J. McDonnell of additional land for the school grounds and adjourned the meeting to August 26, when they will consider a deed from the Smithley's for land now owned from them for school purposes will be considered.

Wheatfield Center

The Rev. Emerald Dixon took the Wheatfield Center band boys, who have been drilling, for a week's outing at Pleasant Lake. They started Monday morning and will return Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Bullen and Clark of North Aurelius, were Tuesday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Anway and Carlton. Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Johnson of Lansing, spent one day last week with Charles Frost.

HEALTH AND HYGIENE

Disseminated through the Ingham County News by the State Joint Committee on Public Health, is a copy of the Michigan State Medical Society, the University of Michigan, Michigan Department of Health, Wayne State University, Michigan State Dental Society, Michigan Tuberculosis Association, Michigan State Nurses Association, Michigan State Dental Society, Michigan State Medical Society, Michigan State College, and the Michigan State Hospital Association.

Hints for the Asthmatic

In common with the majority of diseases, the treatment of asthma is definitely more successful when the condition is attacked early in its course and when the patient realizes that he may require a considerable period of medical supervision.

Asthma can be permanently improved by a routine examination and individual treatment. The physical check-up should include an x-ray of the chest, examination of the nose and throat and sputum. Skin sensitization tests should be made to determine if possible to what substance the patient is sensitive. At one time or another about 10 per cent of the population are potential sufferers of asthma.

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It is Ordered, That the 27th day of August, A. D. 1935, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Ingham County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, as follows: L. B. MCARTHUR, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.)

MATTHEW THAYER, Deputy Register of Probate. 31w4

FINAL ACCOUNT. BROWN—AUG. 27. State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Ingham.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said county, on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1935. Present: HON. L. B. MCARTHUR, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of CHARLES F. BROWN, Deceased.

Henry L. Brown having filed in said court his petition praying for the allowance thereof, and it is ordered, that the 10th day of September, A. D. 1935, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Ingham County News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, as follows: L. B. MCARTHUR, Judge of Probate. (A true copy.)

C. A. CLINTON, Register of Probate. 31w4

FINAL ACCOUNT. KRASUS—AUG. 27. State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Ingham.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said county, on the 27th day of July, A. D. 1935. Present: HON. L. B. MCARTHUR, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of EUGENE J. KRASUS, Deceased.

Charles F. Krusus having filed in said court his petition praying for the allowance thereof, and it is ordered, that the 10th day

County May Buy Pound For Dog Warden's Use

(Continued from Page 1) games for... The commission- or to the supervisors that in his opinion most farmers are so busy with pitchforks that they would not likely be interested in hoodoggling ventures at the present time.

CRASH AT INTERSECTION

Three automobiles damaged at the intersection of 127 and Columbia Road Saturday morning, Joy O. Davis was headed west and waiting on the red light. A Dimondale man was headed east and waiting for the light. Two youths were piloting a car at high speed south on the trunk line. They failed to stop when the light changed to green.

THE FORD WAS FOUND

Dr. R. R. Robbins drove to Lansing Thursday night, August 15. His sister drove him home on Friday morning. Physically the Doc was not sick, mentally he needed treatment. Robbins parked his car by the State Journal office on Ottawa street and locked the doors. Someone knew where the extra keys were kept and took the car. Saturday morning the car was found on the 200 block of Chestnut street. Apparently the only motion for taking the car was for a ride, because a camera, flashlight and other things in the pockets of the car were not disturbed. Dr. Robbins driver and was catapulted into the Davis car. No one was hurt but there were several bent fenders.

George O'Brien—Friday-Saturday, 1

County Unit Suggested By Welfare Executive

(Continued from Page 1) acting under the present state law, appointed Miss Ruth Bowen as county administrator for the commission. Miss Bowen has very ably acted in that capacity until April 15 of this year when she accepted a position with the state commission. During Miss Bowen's time as county administrator, I acted as her assistant and upon her transfer to state activities assumed the office of administrator. The offices of county welfare director became inactive with the advent of the county relief commission and I assume it is nothing more than a title at present.

"The first step taken by the county administrator in August of 1933 was to take over all relief in Lansing, Meridian, Williamston, Leslie and Delhi townships as well as the city of Mason. Funds were furnished the city of Lansing and the city welfare department continued to function until March 1, 1934, when the welfare load was then taken over into the county organization. At the time we took over the city load the welfare families numbered approximately 1,581. With the city cases, the total relief load amounted to 5,166 families.

Justus Smith of Beulah, Mich., is telling Miss Lucille Provencher of the Traversee City, Mich., chamber of commerce, how he caught the all-time record Mackinaw trout in Grand Traverse bay. The fish weighed 43 pounds and measured 45 inches in length and qualified Mr. Smith for membership in the Traversee City Che-Go-Gon, Ottawa for "big fish club." The previous record Mackinaw weighed 39 pounds.

All-Time Record Mackinaw Trout



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Farm Hand Is Killed In Fall From Wagon

NECK IS BROKEN IN FALL FROM LOAD OF OATS.

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DIES IN GRAND RAPIDS

Dwight L. Cole, 68, for many years a resident of Ingham county and well known in Mason, died in Grand Rapids, Sunday night. Mr. Cole was a mechanical engineer and had many inventions to his credit. He is survived by the widow, Mrs. Leora Cole, formerly Leora Drake of Mason, and a brother, Harvey Cole, of Williamston. The funeral was held at Gorsline Brothers funeral home in Williamston Tuesday with burial in the Leick cemetery.

There is in every family the sanctity of kings who are the rulers of men, and the majesty of the gods who are the rulers of kings.—Julius Caesar.

Car Hits Guard Rail On The Way To Dance

KENNETH KEISER TAKES DITCH TO AVOID COLLISION.

Wednesday night, Kenneth Keiser and Paul Young were going to Pleasant Lake to a dance and when they made the right turn going into the lake, they hit the guard rail to avoid colliding with a car being driven north. The Plymouth sedan they were driving hit the guard rail and then tipped over on the left side.

Thursday morning, Keiser stated that they were not driving fast but that the other car was hugging the curve on the wrong side of the road and it was either take the ditch or meet in a head-on collision.

Henry Anderson sold a \$50 hog through the Co-ops Wednesday. It was one of Henry's big type Duroc sows. The matron weighed 506 pounds. The Detroit market was 10c. Henry lumped her off to Claude Edgar for an even \$50 and the chances are good that she will gain a reprieve.

Come along with the 14-foot sunflowers. Pitt Ellsworth has a sunflower now 11 ft. 7 and still growing. The stalk has five blossoms at the top. Pitt also has a stalk of sweet corn which is 10 feet high.

Young cucumbers are coming in fast and all at once at the Wilson Packing plant. Cucumbers are late but they are going to be numerous and of excellent quality. Lee Darling, Wilson manager, believes. Cabbage is practically certain to be a record crop this year, too.

It's now umbrella season on Barnes street, reports Leo Harrison, one of the Barnes street bird lovers. The flocks of starlings are back not only in full force, but according to Leo, with numerous recruits. Woe betide the man, woman or child who strolls beneath the trees of an evening. No one knows what to do. There have been shooting parties, noise raids and just about everything tried but the birds continue to come back. A few years ago the residents thought blackbirds were a pest. Now the starlings have driven out the blackbirds and conditions are worse than ever. If the starlings would go the blackbirds would be welcomed back.

Every threshing machine that can be made to turn a wheel is working this week. NRA hours are forgotten as crews work to complete the harvest. While the rain has slacked off the dew is still heavy and are interfering. Because of the long wet spell many grain yields are disappointing. The grain is in such bad shape that some of it can hardly be threshed. Despite the disappointments, though, the crops generally are reported to be the best of any year since 1922. Yields are above average for nearly all grain and fruit crops.

The humid weather of late July and the first week in August has been ideal for the setting of pods in bean fields. In general this year's crop is better on uplands than on low heavy ground where considerable replanting was necessary this spring because of heavy rains.

Cat worms are working overtime in many fields. In some sections of the county the worms are attacking beet fields.

Crops at the county jail farm are a picture. Eugene Edgar, farm manager, has a right to throw out his chest over the fine crops. The jail inmates who have worked the farm are also quite cocky over the showing made this year.

Do you want to see a pretty sight? Drive or walk into the woods at the county park just before sundown and then look toward the west. It's a nice view through the trees.

Yes, it has quit raining. The last rain was Saturday morning. Mason had just a fair shower but in and around Dansville the fields were flooded. There was a sprinkle of rain Thursday morning and the weather man has promised showers late Thursday or Friday morning. Better hurry up with those oats.

Will YOUR FAMILY HAVE TO DO The best they can? The Northwestern Mutual Life Insurance Company. FRED FALKNER, District Agent, Phone 334 107 N. Jefferson.

McCormick-Deering Farmall 12 for Fall Plowing. The time to plow and drill wheat will be here soon. The easiest way to get your crop in on time is to use the Farmall 12. C. W. Couch & Son, Phone 362, Mason.

How Many Buttons In the Jar? A. B. BALL, Mason TRUSTWORTHY FURNITURE. See the A. B. Ball Furniture exhibit at the Fair. We are featuring Innerspring Mattresses. See the way they are constructed as they will be cut open for your inspection.

Although it is true that the case workers two years ago made mistakes and blundered and that many clients cheated and chisled, it is also just as true that during the past two years those same case workers have improved rapidly in their efficiency and that cheating by the clients has rapidly decreased. Workers Efficient. "It is my belief that case work in Ingham county has now reached a high degree of efficiency.

Aurelius Youth Dead After Long Sickness. FUNERAL RITES HELD IN MASON, WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON. Ford R. Hilton, 22, died at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Hilton of Aurelius, Monday, August 12. He had been in ill health for a long time. The youth is survived by the parents and a sister, Mrs. Florence Love who resides on the Columbia Road. Services were conducted by the Rev. J. H. Bancroft of the Mason Methodist church at the A. B. Ball funeral home Wednesday afternoon. Burial was made in the North Aurelius cemetery.

Stockbridge Wins From Independents. MASON TEAM DEFEATED AT PLEASANT LAKE. Stockbridge beat Mason 7 to 2 at Pleasant Lake Sunday. The local nine got off to a bad start when Ward gave Frindle, the lead off man for Stockbridge, a free ticket. He scored on Standish's single. Both pitchers of the day did good work. Mason players struck out 11 times, and on 10 occasions Stockbridge players fanned the air. Mason made their two runs in the sixth inning, at which time Stockbridge had four tallies. The Stockbridge team got 11 hits, 3 walks, had one player hit by a pitched ball, and one reached first on error. Mason players made the most of all their chances and only one error was charged to the local team. Next Sunday, the Jackson Eagles play ball at Mason. For the county fair, Fowlerville plays Mason on Thursday, Barrett's Colored service of Jackson, plays on Friday, Saturday Mason again meets Stockbridge.

A Thoughtful Legislature has made an earnest effort to lighten your tax burden

EVER since the immortal Gettysburg Address, the accepted standard for American government has been "of the People, by the People, for the People." This applies to the matter of taxation no less than to other functions of government. So it is entirely natural that the Legislature of Michigan has had the People of this great state in mind when it has taken certain measures to lighten the tax-burden of our citizens. It is now the part of good, loyal, co-operative citizenship for the tax-payers of Michigan to take fullest advantage of the provisions that have been passed for their benefit. Not only has the Legislature made generous concessions in the matter of interest and penalties, but it has also provided a convenient plan whereby taxes for 1932 and prior years may be paid over a period of time. There are indeed few tax-payers who can not now protect their homes by paying their taxes. You can now pay up this important obligation just as you pay for a home or an automobile or furniture; putting aside a little each week or month, and then making an annual payment equal to one-tenth of the amount of your delinquent tax. On the ten-year plan you pay only a small carrying charge for this privilege. Get in touch with your County Treasurer right away. He is prepared to accept payment of your back taxes either in full or on the ten-year plan. Bring him your old tax bills or the legal description of your property. But don't wait until the last-minute! Act now and avoid the last-minute crowds.

BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD. John J. O'Brien, Treasurer. Includes the official seal of the Board of Commissioners.