

PINCKNEY DISPATCH

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JACKSON COUNTY FAIR

1921 Jackson County Fair dates are September 12th to 17th, and as they draw near the management heads are scouring the country for exhibits, attractions and concessions that will best meet the approval and needs of the public.

The new \$100,000 grandstand seating 10,000 people will give the public ample accommodation and arrangements to witness the best races and the largest program of free acts ever seen in Jackson. It has been the policy of this fair to make everything bigger and better each year and the pruning knife has been busy this year cutting off the less desirable things and substituting more improved things, and as we sum up the 1921 Fair, as it looks today almost completed it is a safe bet to promise the public the banner fair of its existence.

More and better dining rooms run by cleaner and more capable people, at the most reasonable prices.

A cleaner and more convenient grounds, better toilet conveniences, rest rooms, benches, plenty of good shade, hospital tent, Y. M. C. A. Mothers club, Community Service, Boy Scouts, Federated Clubs, Red Cross all maintain tents to care for the public comfort.

Best attended county fair in the state.

The largest and most complete educational departments.

More and higher grade amusement features.

The largest and most complete grand stand in the country.

Cheapest admission price (35c) of any fair of its size in this country.

NO CHURCH SERVICES

Owing to the fact that it is impossible to secure a speaker for the Church. There will, however, be Sunday School at the regular hour. Be sure and come.

PICRIC ACID TO HELP CLEAR MICHIGAN LAND

A big boost for Michigan's land clearing operations has been guaranteed by the allotment to the state of 624,000 pounds of Picric Acid. This explosive, was salvaged material secured by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, will be distributed to farmers at cost, plus the freight from the government arsenal at Sparta, Wisconsin. The allotment of Picric Acid is expected to clear 9,000 or more acres, estimates naming 70 pounds as the amount of the acid required for the average acre. While this is but a small percentage of the thousands of acres in the state needing clearing, the use of the explosive is expected to provide a stimulus for all similar work in Michigan.

Cost of the Picric Acid will be low, it is said, running at only 7 cents per pound in addition to the freight. The distribution is to be handled through the county agricultural agents under the direction of L. F. Livingston, land clearing specialist of the M. A. C. Extension division.

Our estimates place the average increase in the value of cutover lands, after the stumps are removed, at about thirty five dollars an acre. A man can really make more money clearing his land with this explosive than he can in producing crops.

Most of the Picric Acid will go to the northern sections of the state, where the need is greatest for clearing work.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for their kindness during the sickness and burial of our dear wife and mother, also for the beautiful flowers and spiritual offerings.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Haisel

Fireworks Spectacle At State Fair



Dazzling and awe-inspiring fireworks spectacles will feature each night of the Michigan State Fair's exposition in Detroit from Sept. 2 to 11. Above is a scene from "Montezuma", a mammoth spectacle which will be put on the last seven nights of the fair by the Thearle-Duffield Co., of Chicago, pyrotechnical specialists. "Montezuma" shows the fall of the Aztec empire before the onslaught of Cortez and his Spanish soldiery, culminating in a bloody battle before the great Aztec temple in the City of Mexico. While the guns of the Spaniards were destroying the last of the fanatical defenders of the temple, the volcano, Mt. Popocatepetl, near the city, burst into eruption. This is brought out vividly in the tremendous fireworks spectacle.

LODGE MEETING

Livingston Lodge No. 76 members are requested to attend a meeting of the Building Association, Friday, August 26, 1921, at 8 P. M. Every member attend.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

MILFORD—In driving down the hill on West Commerce Street, just off Main Street, Wednesday afternoon, Wm. Needham Sr. of Highland ran off the road and cut off an electric light pole. He was driving a new Ford touring car which was not seriously damaged. —Milford Times.

BRIGHTON—Whether or not the people of this community want consolidated schools will be decided in Brighton on Wednesday, September 14 at a public election.

Notices have been posted this week calling an election of the qualified school electors of the involved districts of the townships of Brighton, Genoa, and Hamburg, and the village of Brighton. The township boards of Brighton and Genoa will hold the election separately for their respective voters, but all at the same place. A new state ruling makes this possible.

The districts having filed petitions and will take part in the elections are as follows:

- No. 2, Brighton and Genoa, (Benjamin)
- No. 3, Brighton, (Bethel)
- No. 4, Brighton, (Bird)
- No. 6, Brighton, (Oak Grove)
- No. 7, Brighton, (Bitten)
- No. 8, Brighton, (Lyons)
- No. 7, Genoa, (Buerman)
- No. 2, Brighton, (Cady)
- No. 6, Brighton, (Hamburg)
- No. 5, Brighton and Genoa, (Village).—Argus.

SOUTH LYON—The Herald comments on the bathing beach proposal by the Dispatch recently as follows: "Go to it Brother Editor, a bathing beach would be a fine thing for Pinckney. Here's hoping you'll succeed in helping the village dads 'along' on the proposition."

Mrs. Addie M. Pierce, the publisher of the Herald was before her marriage Miss Addie M. Sigler, a prominent Pinckney young lady. Since her husband's death she has taken the reins of the South Lyons paper and is keeping her publication fully up to the high standard of excellence attained by Mr. Pierce.

MANCHESTER—An epidemic of hog cholera has killed hundreds of hogs on farms near here.

Saturday Specials Aug. 27, 1921

Howell Flour.....	88c
1 lb Good Coffee.....	20c
1 lb Good Tea.....	25c
1 lb 50c Tea.....	38c
1 Can Succotash.....	15c
Pink Salmon.....	15c
Medium Salmon.....	19c
3 Packages Spaghetti.....	25c
Good White Soap, bar.....	4c
Luna Soap, 6 bars.....	25c
Lenox Soap, 8 large bars.....	36c

We will duplicate any prices

offered by competitors

MONKS BROS.

Lower Prices

For Saturday, August 27, 1921

Handy Box Matches	5c
Kellogg's Flakes	10c
Pure Lard, Regular Price 18c, 2 lbs	25c
Howell Flour, 25 lbs	87c

DRY GOODS SPECIALS

Crochet Cotton	10c
Oil Cloth, white or designs per yard	35c
Blue Denim Overalls, with bib	\$1.00
Fancy Checked Percales	23c

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Arrow Brand Collars

We carry up to date styles.

Bargains in Work Shoes

GROCERY BARGAINS

to be had at our store
SIX DAYS IN THE WEEK
A call will convince you

On Style Card as Fall Nears

Despite the mushroom success of new tailors and dressmakers in Paris who have brought out certain simple types and popularized them to an almost unheard of extent, many women, writes a Paris fashion correspondent, now are ordering their clothes from houses that have held to their own definite types through all these changes in fashion.

Madeleine Vionnet, who only a short time ago might have been termed an outsider in the great dressmaking circles, has impressed both France and America very deeply with her simple floating panel styles and handkerchief drapery, but as women continually demand varying types the opportunity is lacking for the success of a variety of styles. This gives a house like Jeanne Lanvin an opportunity to keep her definite types.

One model is a box coat suit in blue serge marked off in little squares with white braid and blue beads. It has the high frilled collar and jabot which continue to find favor. Lanvin has for some time been a strong advocate of these short, youthful-looking jackets, as well as all sorts of frilled high collars and fluffy jabot effects.

Designer's Mark Always Present.

It is a very good thing for clothes in general that the great makers hold definitely to ideas that are distinctly their own. The designing and making of dress is a great deal of a gamble, the past two years have shown very plainly that there is no telling when a very simple thing may meet with an almost over-night success.

This is only one of the many indications that the more lustrous materials will vie with dull silks this autumn. Perhaps they will surpass them in popular favor. It is too early to know but it is certainly safe to predict that they will be used extensively. Many handsome models of shiny silks will be seen at the autumn openings. It will then remain for women to take their choice, but it is very likely that the public will have tired to a great extent of the dull finish and the crepe weave in silks.

Lanvin always has been an originator of most interesting embroideries. Recently she has been working out some extraordinary effects through entirely new means. For instance, she uses tinsel tinted in lovely color tones and applies it to the frock to give the effect of embroidered panels.

Some New Trimming Effects.

In a charming suit this effect has been achieved through the use of the white braid and blue beads. One cannot imagine this maker departing entirely from embroideries or embroidered effects, as work of this sort has been raised to the eminence of a fine art in her work rooms and no amount of study and effort spared to produce the best in this line.

Children, too, have their fashions nowadays and their clothes are receiving an amount of study and attention which would have astonished makers of children's clothes a few years ago. Great designers have discovered the artistic possibilities that lie in these little garments. Conse-

THE KITCHEN CABINET

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VEGETABLES PREPARED THE FRENCH WAY.

The French, being masters in the art of cooking and seasoning, observe a few rules which explain the delicacy of their dishes.

All vegetables are cleaned with cold water, except such vegetables as tomatoes, egg plant, corn or peas, which depend much on their flavor for palatability.

Then all vegetables, with few exceptions, are cooked in boiling water, and the water is boiling when the vegetable is dropped in. At the end of the cooking period the vegetable is carefully drained (except in cases where the vegetable is cooked in a very small amount of water and the water is used with seasonings as a sauce to serve with it, for example, green peas, and all steam removed before the seasonings are added).

Stuffed Cabbage.—Select a small, hard head of cabbage and steam it or tie in a cloth and cook until tender, using salt in the water. When nearly tender enough, drain upside down and put into it between the leaves or in a hollow made in the center the following filling: One cupful of chopped cooked meat, one cupful of soaked bread crumbs, one chopped onion, two tablespoonfuls of chopped parsley, one teaspoonful of thyme and a clove of garlic, finely minced, one-half teaspoonful of salt and a few dashes of pepper. Place in a steamer and cook until thoroughly tender. Serve a thin white sauce in which a half cupful of cheese has been grated.

Tomato Canape.—Cut thick slices of ripe round tomatoes and on each put a spoonful of the following: chopped hard-cooked egg yolk, mixed smooth with one or two anchovies for flavor, adding seasoning, onion juice, and serve with a sprinkling of finely minced chives.

Spinach With Gravy.—Steam or cook the spinach in the water which clings to the leaves. Drain and chop fine. Return the spinach to the heat,

mixed add one and one-half cupfuls of any meat gravy or a sauce made from bouillon cubes. Serve hot.

A college for women which does not send back to her home the daughter more willing and capable to enter into the home problems and solve them with heartiness and grace is not an institution of learning. It is an institution of unlearning.—Frank W. Gunsaulus.

SOME SOUTHERN DISHES.

The dishes of the South are different, many of them often because of different products; the following, however, may be prepared in almost any section of the United States:

New Orleans Bisque.—Heat one cupful of milk, lacking a tablespoonful which is used to mix with a tablespoonful of cornstarch; stir until it boils and the cornstarch is well cooked. Remove, strain and cool. Then add two cupfuls of thin cream, one-half cupful of sugar, a teaspoonful of vanilla and freeze in the usual way. When half frozen, stir in one dozen finely crumbled macaroons. Finish freezing.

Cucumber and Pimento Salad.—Pare a chilled cucumber and cut into match-like pieces. Remove the pimentos from the can, rinse in cold water and cut into strips like the cucumbers. Use equal measures of each. Dress each separately with French dressing with a little scraped onion added. Arrange in a salad bowl and serve with fish.

Peppers a la Creole.—Take three large green peppers, three medium-sized tomatoes, six small slices of bacon, one teaspoonful of chopped onion, one cupful of cooked rice, one teaspoonful of salt, a few dashes of pepper and three-fourths of a cupful of water. Cut the peppers in halves, remove the seeds. Remove the skins and cores of the tomatoes and cut into fine pieces. Try out the bacon which has been finely minced and brown the onions in the fat. Mix the tomatoes with the bacon, onion, rice and seasonings and fill the cavities of the peppers with the mixture. Surround the peppers with hot water and two tablespoonfuls of the drippings, cover and bake in a moderate oven. Remove the cover 15 minutes before taking from the oven; bake occasionally while baking. Serve hot.

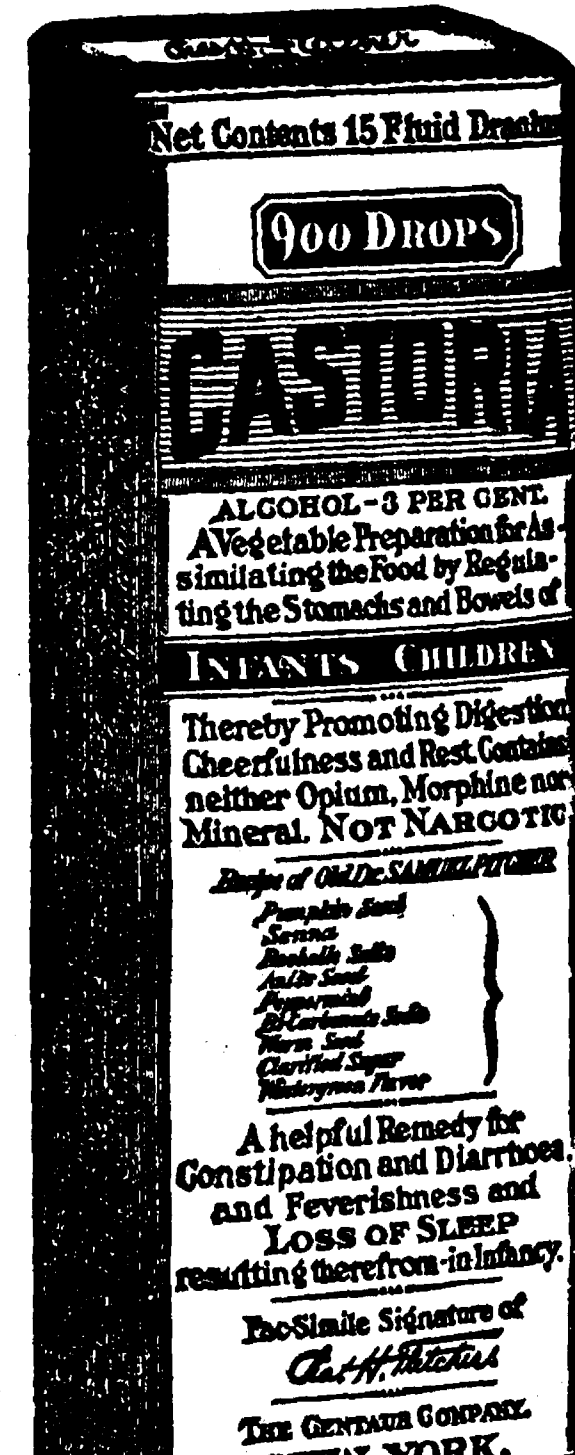
Tripe a la Creole.—Wash one and one-half pounds of tripe in three waters, using soda in the last water. Boil the tripe until tender—about one and one-half hours—then cut with scissors into narrow strips. Brown two small sliced onions in two tablespoonfuls of fat. Add one red and one green pepper finely chopped, a bit of mace, six pepper corns, four allspice, two and one-fourth teaspoonfuls of salt, dash of pepper, and one quart of tomato with one-half teaspoonful of soda and one teaspoonful of sugar. Simmer 20 minutes. Serve with hot boiled rice.

Nellie Maxwell

Making History.

INFANT MORTALITY in past ages has been something frightful, something almost beyond belief, and even today it occupies the time and the mind of leading physicians in all countries. The death rate among infants is being gradually reduced through new methods of hygiene, new preventatives and new remedies for infants. This reduction in the death rate has NOT been accomplished by adapting the precautions taken and remedies used by adults. Rather has it been to keep clear of the old methods, and choose after long research the precautions and remedies specifically applicable to infants.

This being so, is it necessary for us to caution mothers against trying to give her baby relief with a remedy that she would use for herself? Will she remember that Fletcher's Castoria is strictly a remedy for infants and children?



Children Cry For

Fletcher's CASTORIA

Of Course You Love Your Baby.

You love it because of its very helplessness, because it can't tell you what is the matter when it feels bad. It can only cry and look to you for help. But the more you love baby, the more you want to help baby, the more you ought to realize what a wonderful remedy Fletcher's Castoria is. It has been used for babies' ailments for over thirty years.

An experienced doctor discovered Fletcher's Castoria especially for babies' use. It is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. Doctors who know what is safe and best for babies have only good to say of it.

Don't neglect your baby. Get a bottle of Fletcher's Castoria and give baby a few doses of it. See how the little one smiles at you as if trying to thank you for helping it. Soon you will learn to depend on Fletcher's Castoria, made just for Infants and Children, and of course you would not think of using anything for them that was not prepared especially for Infants and Children. So keep it in the house.

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Chas. H. Fletcher.

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.



Blue Serge Suit Model With White Braid and Blue Beads and a Charming Satin Dress Worn Recently by a French Actress.

If all the dressmakers in Paris had followed *Monsieur*'s lead and made the type of dress because it was the best seller for the time being, they would have lost their cachet completely and would have been practically nowhere when the wave of enthusiasm over this particular style had died down, as it certainly must.

Of course, they cannot always hold to a definite type. No designer can do this and be a success. New themes or variations of successful old ones must be continually worked out.

Flowing Sleeve and High Collar.

The same holds true of those who do not design clothes, but import to America the works of the various great French makers. They must permit their own taste to prevail in making their choice. For instance, it was all very well to bring over those unique models from Madeleine et Madeleine which had the waistline placed at the knees, if one desired to show great novelty, but it was not reasonable to suppose that the women of this country or any other, no matter how capricious they might be, were likely to adopt such a fantastic style.

There are two outstanding features of the Lanvin clothes which are noticeable in dress at the present time—the flowing sleeve of greater length than those—used heretofore and the high collar. The former might be termed a fashion which is thoroughly crystallized and the latter a strong fashion tendency.

Sleeves open at the top to reveal almost the entire arm are featured in one frock. It was created by Lanvin for a well-known French actress to wear in a recent production. The

material used is a soft black satin, which they are infinitely more attractive than in the days when they did not differ from the dresses of their elders and when little babies' dresses were miniature duplicates of their mothers' frocks, or even within the last decade, when clothes for little people were just plain and useful.

Of course, the best children's clothes are simple. It is impossible to overdo simplicity in them. And no matter how simple, they may have some special interest of design or trimming, as do those of grownups.

We have in great abundance the frills, flounces and fichus of a hundred years ago in dresses for future debutantes, but the very smartest thing is the chemise dress of white or some delicately colored French voile, with a bit of hand needlework adorning it.

Styles Seen at the Races.

The lovely summer days brought out a large attendance at the race courses. All of the week days are more chic than the Sundays and it is on bright, sunny afternoons at Longchamps, Auteuil Saint Cloud, Maisons La Fayette and Vincennes that the smart Parisienne has an opportunity to display her latest extravagances.

Among the novelties noted are plaid cape wraps which are nothing more than big, straight scarfs, as wide as they are long, thrown across the shoulders.

Too much emphasis cannot be laid upon the continued popularity of the cape and the continued use of monkey fur as a trimming on every form of summer wrap for both day and evening wear.

NOT UNTOUCHED BY SORROW

Teacher Entirely Mistaken if She Imagined Small Girl Had Never Experienced Suffering.

Emily Margaret, a six-year-old Columbus girl, has straight blond hair. This is a source of much distress to Emily Margaret, as she is not too young to appreciate the advantage of curly hair, and she particularly admires black hair. She was at Sunday school recently, and the teacher was telling of the terrible plight of the children of the war-stricken countries. By the way of implanting a proper appreciation of their blessings in the minds of the children, the teacher called their attention to the contrast between their own condition and that of the unfortunate youngsters overseas.

"Why," she concluded, "you little ones have no idea of what sorrow means." Emily Margaret was impressed, but she could not let the statement go unchallenged. She addressed the teacher thus: "Miss Blank, I'm awfully sorry for them, but all the same I do know what sorrow means. Every time I see a little girl with dark curly hair I have to shut my eyes to keep from crying."

—Indianapolis News.

Canadian Fisheries Rich.

Last year the fish products of her two coasts netted to Canada the sum of \$26,153,644. The industry gives employment to between 80,000 and 100,000 workers, of whom about 70,000 are engaged in the sea fisheries, and the remainder in canning, curing and otherwise preparing the product for the market.

ALL PAID TRIBUTE TO GUEST

And by No Means Least Were the Words of Praise Uttered by Grandmother.

In New England they tell of a pastor who had boarded for so long with a certain family that when he was called to new fields of labor that family felt his loss keenly.

"The best pastor we've ever had in this town," said the head of the family. "I don't expect to see his equal again."

"Such good company," said the wife, "and so sympathetic if the least thing went wrong."

"He was the easiest man to cook for I ever knew," said the maiden aunt. "He was always satisfied with what he had and never grumbled."

"He had such a nice disposition," said one of the younger members of the family.

While grandmother in her corner by the fireplace, shook her head dolefully as she added her tribute of affection. "I'll miss him dreadfully," she observed. "He was the best hand at ketchin' moth millers that ever I did see."

—Philadelphia Ledger.

The Precocity of Job.

"No difference how cunning you think your children are, you're likely any minute to hear tell of smarter ones," philosophically remarked Gap Johnson of Rumpus Ridge. "I was all puffed up about the cuteness of my latest boy, Benrent, till the presiding elder mentioned about Job, tuther day. 'Pears like Job cursed the day he was born, but Benrent war durn nigh four years old before he could swear to amount to anything.'—Kansas City Star.

Uncertainty of a Certain Game.

Two sweet young things sat in the grandstand at the baseball game. They were interested in almost everything but the game itself. Finally one of them observed:

"I don't care a lot for baseball." "Nor I either," the other one joined in. "I'd rather read a book or a story or go to the movies. But an old ball game. You never know how it's going to turn out."

Sound Travels Far at Night.

On calm nights the range of audibility of a sound is sometimes from ten to twenty times as great as it is during the day.

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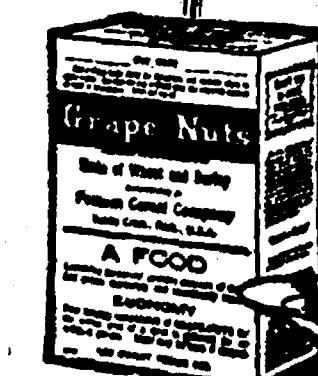
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AUTUMN FROCKS OF SATIN AND CANTON CREPE

Frocks of rich looking Satin or Canton Crepe are now very desirable for Fall Wear. Almost daily we are unpacking new dresses but just now we are specializing on one line that will surely appeal to you, as \$35.00 values are being offered you at \$29.50

Beautiful Satins are beaded or trimmed in heavy bands of the new silk baby lamb, also with rich looking

ed and eyelet embroidered.

NEW FALL SUITS ARE IN

Beautiful Tropicote, Poret Twills and Suedetex are the materials used in the making of the new Fall Suits. Coats are somewhat longer, with narrow belts and convertible collars that may be worn either low or high about the throat.

Perfect tailoring is found on every garment and prices range from \$45.00 to \$65.00

CHUBB'S CORNERS

Mrs. Robert Granger was very ill last week.

Bernard Smith returned from Canada after purchasing a four hundred acre farm.

Mrs. Nettie Bennett and daughter Hazel are visiting at the home of Albert Dinkel and wife.

J. Brigham and family and Thomas Mosher and wife were in Ypsilanti and Ann Arbor Sunday.

Chris. Kingsley is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Allen of Jackson are visiting her sister Mrs. M. J. Hoisel this week.

Master Ben Dudley of Cheboygan is visiting at the home of F. W. Allison.

Hazel Smith is entertaining a friend from Redford this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Thorne and son Raymond were in Pontiac Tuesday with their son Maurice.

ANDERSON

Miss Pearl Hanes visited Pontiac friends over the week end.

Wilbur Ostrander and family of Stockbridge spent Sunday at the home of Arthur Bullis.

Philip Sprout and family visited relatives near Ionia last week.

Lyle Gorton and Wirt Barton and family of Durand visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Adah Sprout is visiting her daughter near Ionia.

Mrs. Julia Pangborn spent last week with Ann Arbor relatives.

Bernard Cuffman and friend of Romeo visited relatives here last week.

WEST-MARION

There was no preaching at this place last Sunday as the minister is at conference.

The marriage of Miss Edna Kearn of Iosco and Mr. Burr King of this place occurred last Thursday.

The Sunday School Community Picnic was held at Triangle Lake last Thursday. A day of sports and a fine dinner was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Beach of Howell spent Sunday at the home of Henry Plummer.

Mrs. Meryl Crandall and children of Howell spent the past week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulis.

Albion Pfau and family and Miss Ruth Collins spent Sunday in Detroit.

Time Calculated by Moons.

Among the western Indians time is calculated by moons instead of months. January is called "the Hard Moon," February "the Raccoon Moon," March "Sore-Eye Moon," April "the Moon in Which Geese Lay Eggs," May "the Planting Moon," June "the Moon When the Strawberries Are Red," July "the Moon When the Choke Berries Are Ripe," August "the Harvest Moon," September "the Moon When Rice is Laid Up to Dry," October "the Drying Moon," and December "the Deer Moon."

LEGAL NOTICES

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said County, on the 19th day of August A. D. 1921.

Present: Hon. Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Fred Dolton, incompetent.

W. H. Leland having filed in said court annual account as guardian of said estate, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof.

It is ordered, that the 19th day of September A. D. 1921, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining said account.

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 Pinckney Dispatch a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

WILLIS L. LYONS,
Judge of Probate

Village Taxes

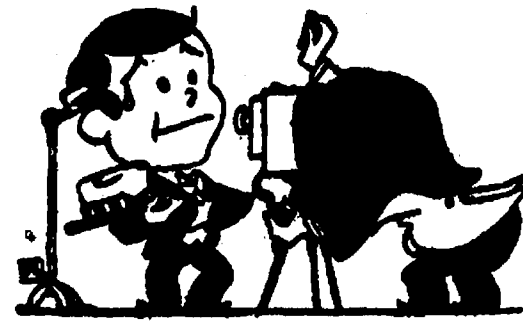
The tax roll for the Village of Pinckney is now in my hands and I am prepared to receive village taxes.

Beginning Saturday July 2nd I will be at the Town Hall in Pinckney every Saturday and Monday during July.

D. W. Murta,

Village Treasurer.

"I smiled- and he shot me"



AFTER MONTHS and months. MY WIFE persuaded me. TO HAVE it done. SO I went around. TO THE photographer. AND GOT mugged. WHEN THE pictures came. I SHOWED them to a gang. OF AMATEUR art critics. AND PROFESSIONAL crabs. DISGUISED AS friends. WHO FAVORED me. WITH SUCH remarks as. "DOESN'T HE look natural?" "HAS IT got a tail?" "A GREAT resemblance." AND THAT last one. MADE ME sore. SO WHEN friend wife. ADDED HER howl. I TRIED again.

THIS TIME they were great. FOR HERE'S what happened. THE PHOTOGRAPHER said. "LOOK THIS way, please." AND HELD up something. AS HE pushed the button. AND NO one could help. BUT LOOK pleasant. FOR WHAT he held up. WAS A nice full pack. OF THE cigarettes. THAT SATISFY.

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- THE LEACH WALLIN TRIO The Three Lady Stars of the Platform.
- THE FOUR ISHAKAWAS In beautiful Japanese costumes, are marvels of the acrobatic world.
- THE THREE RILEYS In their thrilling Balloon Act with double parachute drops. It has no superior in America.
- TWO WHITE ARABIAN HORSES IN HIGH SCHOOL ACT.
- COMEDY MULE Roman Standing Race and High Jumping Horse.
- HORSE RACING. \$1800 IN PURSES AND PLENTY OF GOOD HORSES.
- BALL GAMES Fowlerville vs. Stockbridge, Wednesday; Holly vs. Howell, Thursday. Winners Friday.

We are spending the largest sum of money ever spent for entertainment in Livingston

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DAY AND NIGHT

R. D. ROCHE, Secretary

GRAND TRUNK TIME TABLE

For the convenience of our readers

Trains East	Trains West
No. 46—7:24 a. m.	No. 47—7:57 p. m.
No. 45—4:44 p. m.	No. 48—9:53 a. m.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL

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Mr. and Mrs. Matt Jeffrey and Miss Bernadine Lynch of Kalamazoo spent the week end with relatives here.

Norbert Lavey of Detroit has been spending a few days at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. M. Lavey.

Mr. and Mrs. E.D. Capple were Howell visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Fisk and Mr. and Mrs. Casimer Clinton and sons spent several days last week with relatives in Monroe.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto A. Wagner and son of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of E. N. Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Heisig spent the past week with relatives in Lansing and Howell.

M. J. Reason was a Detroit visitor Monday.

Miss Cressa Watt, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Jagger, Lester Swarthout, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swarthout and son of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bradley of Flint were week end guests of Mr.

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Miss Ruth Jedele and R. Eck of Dexter called on Pinckney friends the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Jackson of Detroit were guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Sigler the first of the week.

Miss Ruth Harger of Detroit was home for the week end.

Mrs. Jennie Dwyer, Miss Helen Crowe, and Rev. J. A. Crowe motored to Buffalo the first of the week.

Mrs. M. Lavey is visiting Lansing relatives.

Alden Carpenter spent the first of last week with friends in Howell and Brighton.

Mrs. John Fitzsimmons and daughter Georgia were Howell visitors Monday.

Glen Gardner and son Henry of Muir and W. H. Gardner and family of West Putnam spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Read of Detroit spent the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Read.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout were in Howell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Fiedler of Detroit were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Read.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Van Winkle and Mr. and Mrs. W. Clark spent Sunday with friends at Fentonville.

Mrs. S. E. Swarthout returned Saturday from a visit with Flint relatives.

Mrs. Grace Gardner, Miss Arla Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Bigelow and children, and Dr. Cyrus Gardner and family of Lansing, Bert Hoff and family, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Webb and children of Howell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gardner.

Mrs. Addie Potterton of Detroit is visiting Miss Jessie Gren.

Mrs. John Croupe and daughters of Webberville visited Pinckney relatives last week.

Mrs. Ed. Cook was a Howell caller last Friday.

Three new vats are being installed at the pickle station to help care for the hundreds of bushels of cucumbers which are brought in each day. Seven men are working at the factory now, where in former years two or three men could do the work.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lake spent Sunday with Brighton relatives.

Mrs. H. C. Vedder visited relatives in Jackson Tuesday.

Miss Norma Curlett spent Sunday with friends at Plymouth.

Dr. A. B. Green of Jackson was a Pinckney visitor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Doyle have returned from their vacation.

Mrs. Patrick Kennedy is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. F. M. Burgess of Hartland is the guest of Mrs. Arvilla Placeway.

Miss Erma Read is visiting relatives at Grand Rapids.

Miss Isabel Grieve of Ann Arbor spent several days last week with her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Reason.

A party consisting of Postmaster Murphy, wife and son Harry, Mr. and Mrs. John White and two sons and Mr. and Mrs. Ben White returned Monday from an outing tour through the state to Elmhurst, Otsego County, where Mr. Murphy's sister, Mrs. A. Hurd resides. The postmaster has acquired a heavy coat of tan and gets enthusiastic when telling about what an enjoyable vacation was had by all.

With elderberries selling at \$2.00 per bushel on the city market we surmise that elderberry pie must be more popular than of yore—it can't be that the purchasers are using them for any other purpose in this dry county.

Mervin Nile and family and George and Leo Lavey of Jackson were week end visitors at the home of P. Lavey.

S. H. Carr has bought the barn on the R. Clinton lot south of the park and Bert Van Blaricum is moving it to the Carr property on East Main street.

R. Day Bird and Wm. Vince attended the ball game at Howell Tuesday. The Clowns of Detroit were defeated 7-3 by the Howell team.

Edgar Wilson of Detroit spent

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Melody in F (Rubenstein)
Cello Solo with Piano
- No. 4333 My Man (Mon Homme) (Maurice Yvain) Fox Trot
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Wait Until You See My Madeline (Von Tilzer)
Fox Trot, Banjo Wallace's Orchestra
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Michigan News Tersely Told

Ann Arbor—Dental hygiene will be added to the course at the University of Michigan this fall.

Ann Arbor—The "Old Washtenaw" hotel, built in 1832 and used for many years as a tavern, has been condemned by City Engineer Sandenburgh as unsafe and unsanitary.

Escanaba—Two children met violent deaths in the Herman Bramer home at Nahma in a week. Calvin, 6 years old, was drowned while playing on logs, and his two-year-old sister was poisoned by taking pills which she found in the house.

Bay City—Jitney fares in Bay City have been reduced to 5 cents cash or six tickets for a quarter. The reduction is the result of increased business since street car service was discontinued when the Bay City-Saginaw Railway Co. went into receivership.

Battle Creek—Frank Holt, well known Climax farmer, struck and fatally injured near his home died in a local hospital without regaining consciousness. Mr. Holt's automobile stalled on a Grand Trunk crossing and was struck by an engine. The automobile was thrown nearly 50 feet.

Nashville—Three persons were killed and three injured, one quite seriously, at a crossing near here when a Michigan Central passenger train struck and demolished an automobile which had been stalled on the track. The dead are: Mrs. Otis Farr, Mrs. Eli Chaffield and three-month-old baby of Vermontville.

Saginaw—Alvin E. Best, a member of the board of county auditors, has been removed by Circuit Judge E. E. Snow when an order of ouster was issued on quo warranto proceedings instituted by Riley E. Crane, prosecuting attorney. Best is not a citizen of the United States, and on these grounds the prosecutor proceeded to remove him.

Kalamazoo—With an enrollment of 1,223 students, the Western State Normal here has broken all previous summer school attendance records this year. Of the students, 1,572 are from Michigan while Alabama, California, Minnesota, Indiana, Ohio, West Virginia and Wisconsin also are represented.

Pontiac—Leroy Aitken, 16, saved the life of his two-year-old niece from drowning when the girl fell into a cistern. The boy had been drawing water from the cistern through a hole in the floor and had left the room for a moment. He plunged in after the child and pulled her out. The fire department sent a pulmotor, which revived the child.

Battle Creek—Joseph Mellinger, 31, died from the result of a gunshot wound received while playing with Cecil Ronk and Willie McCutcheon. It is said that the McCutcheon boy put an old shell in an empty revolver and asked the Ronk lad to try it. He did, pointing it at the bed on which Mellinger was sitting. The bullet entered the brain, making it impossible to operate.

Lansing—Curiosity that led Fred Williams, 18, to climb a city electric light pole at the grounds of a carnival resulted in his death. Witnesses say that Williams' attention was attracted by flashes from the chain by which the electric light is raised and lowered. Hardly had he reached his perch and reached out for the chain when he gave a sharp cry and his body hung limp.

Ann Arbor—Plans for a men's dormitory to house 150 students at the University of Michigan have been announced here by the Rev. Michael Bourke, Catholic chaplain. The structure will be four stories high, having an assembly, reading rooms and individual rooms for each student, and will cost about \$250,000. It will be ready for occupancy in the fall of 1922. Work on the building will begin in the spring.

Lansing—All important crops, except corn, are below the 10-year average in Michigan, according to a monthly report compiled by Verne H. Church, of the Federal Bureau of Crop Statistics. Heat and drought are blamed by the report for this unprecedented condition. The only consolation offered by the report is the fact that comparison shows that Michigan has not suffered more severely than other states.

Pontiac—Forty-four years in the continuous service of the Pontiac police force is the record of Capt. John Fitzgerald, the city's veteran officer. It was in 1877 that Capt. Fitzgerald first accepted a position as Pontiac's police force. He was literally the whole force, because Pontiac was little more than a village and the town marshal looked after the city in the day time, while Capt. Fitzgerald patrolled the streets at night.

Richland—Mrs. Helen M. Barrett, believed to be the only original daughter of the Revolution still living, recently celebrated her ninetieth birthday here. Mrs. Barrett's father, Jonathan Van Dusen, was born in New York city in 1752. When only sixteen years old, he became a member of the New York militia and served throughout the American Revolution. He was married three times and was the father of nine children by each of his three wives. The youngest child of the third wife was Mrs. Barrett, born 1832, when her father was 78 years old.

Petoskey—A. J. Beese, 78, farmer, almost blind for years, while husking corn suddenly recovered his sight, he says. He can read fine print without glasses now.

Monroe—The bursting of a heavy fly wheel at the River Raisin paper mill caused the death of William C. Ceternick, 48, engineer. The wheel burst when a belt collapsed.

Marcellus—Frank Brown, 62 years old, was walking to the mail box for his mail when he fell and died before medical assistance could reach him. Death was attributed to an attack of apoplexy.

Kalamazoo—The first double military funeral ever held in Kalamazoo was conducted over the bodies of Corporal Franklin Gates and his brother, Private John Gates, who were killed in service in France.

Lansing—Two hundred and sixty-one new state laws became effective last week. They represent that portion of the total of 440 measures enacted by the Legislature this year which were not given immediate effect.

St. Clemens—Mrs. Maud Burton, of Roseville, suffered a broken ankle and half a dozen other persons were slightly injured when an air tank on the ferry boat, Beatrice, burst, showering metal through the passengers' cabin.

Bay City—The Alpena County Farm Bureau which about 10 months ago bought an elevator, later erected another at Cassineke, has filed a petition in bankruptcy here scheduling assets of \$16,457 and liabilities amounting to more than \$26,000.

Kalamazoo—When a motorist approaching from behind tried to pass C. R. Tetziak, of Sturgis, Tetziak stepped on the accelerator and lost control of the machine which went into a ditch, seriously injuring Mrs. Tetziak, who was brought to a Kalamazoo hospital.

Big Rapids—Woodbridge N. Ferris, Governor of Michigan from 1913 to 1916, head of the Ferris Institute here and president of the Greater Michigan Development association, was married to Miss Elsie McLeod, of Indianapolis recently. Mr. Ferris' first wife died four years ago. Mr. Ferris was 68 years old last January.

Lansing—For the first time in history, Michigan's tuberculosis death rate has dropped below 80 per cent reported to the state department of health during the first six months of 1921, Michigan now has a tuberculosis death rate as low as 79.8.

Conklin—As a result of infection from a fish fin prick, Marcus Emmons died at his home near here. He received the wound while fishing on Cranberry lake about 3 months ago and when infection set in was taken to a Grand Rapids hospital, where he stayed until physicians gave up his case as hopeless a short time ago.

Lansing—Fred W. Orr, yard conductor at the North Lansing station of the Michigan Central railroad, died as a result of injuries received when the railroad yard engine on which he was riding, collided at a street intersection with an automobile. At the time of the accident, the yard conductor was riding on the tender of the engine.

Manistee—Contract for the construction of the dairy and salt building and two warehouses for the new Ruggles & Rademaker salt plant has been let, building to begin at once. The costs will aggregate \$1,000,000. Docks and railroad facilities will also be constructed. Ruggles & Rademaker aim to make their plant the biggest salt producing institution in the world.

Monroe—A first mortgage deed of trust of \$2,200,000 from the River Raisin paper company, of this city, and running to the Cleveland Trust Company, of Cleveland, and Security Trust company of Detroit, has been filed here. The state and county tax totalled \$11,000 and the stamps \$1,100. The money derived will be used in connection with the paper business and improvements. It is said.

Manistee—One of the biggest real estate deals in some time here was consummated when 1,000 acres of resort property at Portage Point, belonging to the Portage Park Land company, were sold to the Regal Real Estate company, of Chicago. This company proposes to develop this tract which contains hundreds of resort lots, as a resort colony and also to investigate the bed of oil underneath.

Olivet—Three serious accidents occurred in Olivet within a few hours of each other. Clyde Ball, a business man, was driving a delivery car when he was seized with an attack of dizziness and drove his car off a steep embankment. He had several ribs broken and received various cuts and bruises. Robert Kellogg, former mill owner, broke his arm while cranking his car, and Willard Love, the two-year-old son of Scott Love, was stepped on by a horse.

Lansing—Special contracts existing between the Peninsular Electric Light company, of Detroit, a subsidiary sales organization of the Detroit Edison company, and manufacturers in Detroit, were annulled and declared to be of no effect by an order issued by the public utilities commission. A number of Detroit manufacturers have contracts under which they receive electricity for less than the rates authorized by the commission. These contracts were made before the 1920 increases in the company's rates were put into effect.

DETROITERS LISTED AS MAFIA VICTIMS

SICILIAN CONFESSES MOST OF
BAND'S KILLINGS WERE IN
AUTO CITY.

BODIES ARE SECRETLY BURIED

Detroit Officer Investigates Charge
That Slain Men Were Interred
Near 7-Mile Road.

Detroit—Charges that Sicilian gunmen paid by wealthy Sicilians and gang leaders had slain many Detroit men within the last 10 years and in as many as a dozen instances buried the bodies in farm land in the neighborhood of Gratiot avenue and Seven-Mile Road without the knowledge of authorities, were made last week to James Dowd, deputy sheriff and former detective lieutenant by a Sicilian whose name was withheld.

The man visited Mr. Dowd following publication of dispatches giving the confession in New York last week of Bertolo Fontano, alleged gangster, who takes responsibility, according to police, for one slaying and charges that the Black Hand, of which he was a forced member, killed nine Italians in Detroit and a large number in other cities.

"Farm land in the neighborhood of Seven-Mile Road and Gratiot avenue is known to us as the 'burying ground of the Black Hand.' There is more than one man buried there who disappeared and about whom the police know nothing," the Sicilian told Mr. Dowd.

Bert McPherson, detective lieutenant in charge of the Black Hand Squad here, will investigate the charges and an attempt will be made to locate some of the bodies.

Several times within the last few years farmers have stumbled on bodies of slain Sicilians. One was found buried near a fence with a dagger between his ribs, his face slashed so he could not be recognized.

The prohibition law, bone of contention among American factions, is linked with the Mafia killings throughout the United States in the confession of Fontano, arrested with seven others, said he was part of a world-wide organization.

Fontano said that the Mafia was voting itself to the rum-running business in the United States.

Detroit has seen in the last five years 70 murders of Sicilians, some of them wealthy men, and in that time only one man was sent to prison, and he was released following a new trial.

The brothers and sisters and parents of the slain feudist, by tribal law recognize not American law and refuse to divulge information which might lead to the conviction of the murderer. His punishment is left to members of his race.

Fontano also declared that the organization has a fund of \$500,000 and perfect working machinery in the United States to defend members caught by the police.

TRIPLE PACIFIC PLEDGE URGED

Lloyd George Would Have U. S. As
Part of Japan Pact.

London—"If the alliance with Japan could be merged into a greater understanding with Japan and the United States on all the problems of the Pacific, that would be a great event and it would be a guaranty for the peace of the world."

Thus spoke Premier Lloyd George before the House of Commons, outlining the work of the recent conference on the imperial premiers on the Anglo-Japanese alliance. The premier declared that Great Britain was indebted to Japan for aid during the World War and that recognition of the service was proper, and at the same time preserve a spirit of fraternity with the United States.

RUSH FOOD TO STARVING RUSSIA

Soviet Government Accepts Conditions Laid Down By United States.

Washington—A satisfactory agreement has been reached with the soviet authorities at Riga under which the American relief administration immediately began to fight famine among the children of Russia. Secretary Hoover has announced. The agreement provides for the safeguarding of the lives of the relief workers and insuring control of the food supplies.

The New York office of the administration has already prepared vessels to rush supplies to Danzig for trans-shipment into Russia. It is expected that the supplies will be the same as those used for relief work in Austria and Poland.

Cruise World in 98 Foot Yacht.

New York—Albert Y. Goewen of Chicago has started on a cruise around the world in a 98-foot power yacht, built here especially for the trip. The yacht has two 500 horse power engines, and tanks for 3,500 gallons of gasoline, sufficient to take her 4,000 miles. The 18-month cruise that will take the party to the South Sea Islands, China, the Philippines and Africa. The prime purpose of the trip is to explore the rivers of the South Sea Islands.

Carries 45 Caliber Gun
to Protect Dollar Bill

Detroit—Convinced that Detroit was a wicked city and determined to protect the dollar bill in his pocket, Kenneth Martin, 17 years old, stepped off a Grand Rapids train last week with a .45-caliber revolver nearly as large as himself strapped to his belt. He ran afoul of Patrolman Luther Hamlin, of Scotten Station, however, and was arrested for carrying concealed weapons. Martin was sent to the Juvenile Detention Home. Two youths with him were not held. The prisoner told Lieut. William Fitzpatrick he came here to find work and was going to take no chances with bandits.

CANADA RUM IMPORTS CHECKED

U. S. Officials, State Troopers and Police Watch Shores of River.

Detroit—United States customs officials here are throwing the entire strength of their organization against liquor smuggling from Canada. They have stationed agents at secret points along the river to check up on liquor boats en route from Canada.

A number of state troopers are also at work to stop the flow of beer and liquor into down river points.

The present carnival of rum running was started by Magistrate Gundy's decision in a recent case, at Windsor, Ontario, that officials could not interfere with shipments of beer from Canada to the United States.

Pending the decision of cases in New York and Detroit, and a final judicial interpretation of the matter of rum shipments from a foreign point passing over the United States en route to a foreign destination, orders have been issued by Andrew W. Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury, instructing customs agents not to tamper with such shipments.

FRIDAY EXCEPTS M. A. C. POST

New College Executive Will Assume
His Duties January 1.

Lansing—Professor David Friday of

cultural college at the meeting last week of the state board of agriculture and will assume his duties January 1. The salary of President-elect Friday will be \$12,000 a year.

Professor Friday has been connected with the economics department of the University of Michigan for several years.

President Kedzie will retire September 1 but will probably accept one of the important places on its faculty. The board has arranged with Professor Shaw to remain in charge until the new president takes the office.

CITIZENS' PHONE RATES RAISED

Commission Authorizes Increase Averaging About 15 Per Cent.

Lansing—Telephone rates in all exchanges of the Citizens' Telephone company, except in Grand Rapids, were increased by an order of the state public utilities commission issued August 19. The average increase is 15 per cent and the new rates are effective October 1.

The company had asked that its rates be increased to the level of the Michigan Telephone company, which would have meant a raise of about 25 per cent, but the request was denied.

C. B. WARREN LEAVES FOR JAPAN

New Ambassador to Take Up His
New Work in the Orient.

Detroit—Charles B. Warren of this city, who was appointed recently by President Harding as ambassador to Japan, left here August 25 for San Francisco from where he will sail on August 31 for the Orient where he will take up his new work.

Accompanying Mr. Warren to Tokyo were Mrs. Warren and their three sons, also an American tutor for the Warren children.

RATE HEARING SET FOR SEPT. 2

Bell Telephone Company Rates in Detroit May Be Reduced.

Lansing—The public utilities commission, acting on its own motion, has issued an order requiring the Michigan State Telephone company to appear September 2, to show cause why its rates in the city of Detroit should not be reduced.

Under this order, the whole question of rates and service in Detroit will be reopened.

"Peace Portal" to Be Dedicated.

Blaine, Wash.—Dedication of a huge "Peace Portal," built across the boundary line between Canada and the United States here will take place September 6. The portal was built to commemorate the century or more of peace between Canada and the United States. The dedication will be attended by representatives of the Canadian, French and American governments, as well as by hundreds of residents of British Columbia and the Pacific Northwest.

Items Of Interest in World's News

Third Set of Twins Born to Couple.
Hope, Ind.—The third set of twins has been born to Mr. and Mrs. Melvin G. Lasgow of Hope. The mother is only 30 years old. The couple have 11 children.

Prison Films Shown At Fairs.
Lansing—Three reels comprising 3,000 feet of film picturing the activities of the Michigan State prison at Jackson, are being shown at county fairs throughout the state.

Farmer Killed By Hay Tedder.
Griggstown, N. Y.—Jacob Drake, a 65-year-old farmer, was killed while at work in his hay field, when he was caught in a tedder. The forks of the machine pierced his body, killing him instantly.

Detroit May Have Community Markets.
Detroit—Organization of a system of community markets is being considered by the Detroit Board of Commerce. The agricultural division of the board has begun an investigation of the subject.

Harding Signs Packer Control Bill.
Washington—The bill providing for Federal regulation of the meat packing industry has been signed by President Harding. Under the law, the secretary of agriculture is given broad powers of control and supervision of the industry.

Lash For Wife Beaters Restored.
Rockville, Md.—Public whipping as a punishment for wife beating was restored here when Judge Vielt ordered Sheriff Nicholson to lay a dozen lashes on the bare backs of Frank Williams and Clem Green, colored, both found guilty of wife beating.

U. S. Has 6,735,000 Unemployed.
Washington—There are 6,735,000 persons out of work in the United States, according to official estimates, submitted by Secretary of Labor Davis to the senate in response to a senate resolution requesting information regarding unemployment.

Washington—The denationalization of real estate in soviet Russia, through a decree authorizing former owners or other persons to buy houses and land from the government, is announced in a Moscow dispatch to the Rosta agency, the official soviet news disseminator.

White Smoke Screen New Invention.
Baltimore, Md.—A white smoke screen, denser and more impenetrable to vision than any smoke screen yet invented, has been demonstrated at Camp Meade for the members of the reserve officers' training camp. It is a new invention, the secret of which is being guarded closely by chemists and army officers directing its use.

Writes Death Message But Is Saved.
Bayfield, Wis.—K. L. Shiras, a Canadian, spending the Summer here, was marooned for 36 hours in a stony, wave-beaten cave at Squaw Bay Point, one of the most desolate on Lake Superior. He was brought here by fishermen who found him clinging to his desolate haven exhausted. Prepared for death, Shiras had scratched a farewell message into the rocks with a sharp piece of sandstone.

Horse's Wooden Leg Worth \$10,000.
Hammond, Ind.—Jacob Diamond, a peddler, has filed suit in superior court for \$10,000 damages against an autoist who ran into Diamond's three legged horse and broke its wooden leg. The suit alleges the animal was "bruised and humiliated" to that extent. The horse, which has worn the wooden leg for five years, has had a troubled career. On one occasion the leg caught fire and the fire department was called.

U. S. to Lease Ships on Tonnage Basis.
Washington, D. C.—Decision to substitute a "bare boat" charter for the system under which practically all shipping board vessels are operated, is announced by Chairman Laaker. Instead of the boats being turned over to operators on a 5 per cent commission basis, it is the board's intention to adopt a uniform charter under which its vessels will be leased on a tonnage basis, the lessee assuming the risks of profit or loss.

Breaks Own Leg Lifting Too Hard.
Berkeley, Calif.—The case of a man who is strong enough to break his own leg came to the attention of the police here a few days ago in a report from the Berkeley Emergency Hospital that G. A. Gannetti, a factory employe, had been treated for a fractured leg. According to the report, Gannetti was heaving on the handle of a jack, lifting upward. He lifted so hard that his right leg could not stand the strain, and snapped just above the ankle.

D. A. R. TO HONOR INDIAN TREATY

WILL VISIT PLACES OF HISTORICAL
LORE AUGUST 29 AS CENTENARY
PILGRIMAGE.

TERMS OF TREATY INTERESTING

In Addition to Cash Payment, U. S.
Promised Indians a "Blacksmith and Teacher."

Three Rivers, Mich.—In honor of the 100th anniversary of the Chicago treaty, Daughters of the American Revolution on August 29 will make a "centenary pilgrimage," following old Indian trails and visiting places of historical lore.

Under the Chicago treaty, signed at Fort Dearborn, chiefs of the Ottawa, Chippewa and Pottawatomie tribes ceded their land to the government, thus bringing to a close their battle with the "white men."

The D. A. R.'s itinerary for the pilgrimage follows the Cassawary and Gibson trading post and the Sac's war trail, the Jacksonburg road, the Chicago trail, Bucks, Moab, Eschol, Wagon-seepes ford, Dowling trading post, Fort Hogan, Appletree ford, Beisel, Puddleburg and Marquette trading post.

The Chicago treaty was signed by the authorized commissioners, General Lewis Cass and Solomon Sibley, surrounded by more than 60 Indian warriors, as they pledged the word of the United States government to three uncivilized nations.

The terms of the treaty are interesting. The United States promised the Ottawa nation \$1,000 in specie annually forever and \$1,500 annual for ten years for the support of a "Blacksmith and a Teacher and a person to instruct the Ottawas in agriculture." The Pottawatomie nation was to receive \$5,000 annually for 20 years and \$1,000 for 15 years for a "Blacksmith and a Teacher."

The Indians granted the United States the privileges of constructing a road from Chicago to Detroit by way of Ft. Wayne along the Indian trail now known as the Chicago road. The treaty ceded the territory that lies between Lake Michigan

and the Grand River. The treaty also includes many places of commercial importance, Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo, Niles, St. Joseph, Three Rivers, Hastings, Allegan, Marshall and Coldwater. The proclamation of the Chicago treaty occurred March 22, 1822.

SPECIAL RATES GRANTED LEGION

Railroads Reduce Fares for Convention at Kansas City.

Kansas City, Mo.—Four more railroads have announced a special rate of one cent a mile for members of the American Legion and the Women's Auxiliary who attend the legion's annual national convention at Kansas City October 31 to November 2. The additional lines granting the special rate are Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul, Wabash, Illinois Central and Chicago & Great Western.

The roads which up to date have offered the special rate are, besides those mentioned, the Frisco, Kansas City Southern, Missouri Pacific and the Rock Island.

EX-JUROR SEEKS PROTECTION

Home of Former Grand Jury Member Bombed Second Time.

Chicago—Ferdinand Winkler, 6631 South Lincoln street, is beginning to think that grand jury service is expensive. For the second time within a month his bungalow was wrecked by a bomb. "I was on the federal grand jury that indicted 'Big Tim' Murphy," Winkler told the police. "We also handled a few cases of building indictments. That's the only reason I know of why I should be bombed. I'm going to lay the matter before Judge Landis and ask him for government protection."

FIND OIL FIELDS IN ALASKA

California Prospecting Party Reports Important Discovery.

Nome, Alaska.—Discovery of new oil fields near Wainwright Inlet and Point Barrow on the Arctic coast of Alaska, which it is believed here may rival in importance the MacKenzie river fields of Northern Canada, was reported August 21 by members of a California prospecting party which has been in the district since July 14.

Loses \$19,000,000 Suit Over Patent.

Duluth, Minn.—Captain Alexander McDougall, Duluth inventor and shipbuilder, has lost his suit to recover royalties amounting to more than \$19,000,000 from the Oliver Mining company, on his claim that the corporation's engineers were guilty of infringement on his patent ore washer, in a decision received here from Federal Judge Wilbur Booth. Captain McDougall had laid claim to royalties of \$2 a ton on all ore treated by the corporation with this ore washer.

"Leaflets Three, Let It Be!"



AYS Mother Nature, "Leaflets three, let it be!" Which being interpreted is, "Ware poison ivy!"

This same Mother Nature may be a genial old dame, as the poets are always singing, but the botanist and the naturalist and the woodsman bask in her smiles with their eyes open. Really, in some ways Nature is as "cruel as the grave," as the saying goes. She has no patience with ignorance and inefficiency. She works along the line of the "survival of the fittest." Let a competent woodsman go into the

POISON IVY AND SUMAC.

Poison ivy may appear in

a shrub in clumps with tall, slender stems 6 to 10 feet or more in height; also frequently as a tree up to 20 or 30 feet high, with a trunk 5 to 10 inches in diameter.

The leaves of poison sumac are divided into 7 to 13 leaflets, arranged in pairs with a single leaflet at the end. The avoidance of shrubs growing in low land with leaves of this general character is a safe rule for persons not well acquainted with poison sumac.

Poison sumac is often confused with elder, certain kinds of ash, and various other shrubs and trees bearing somewhat similar foliage; also with dogwood, to which it bears no resemblance. Its loose, drooping clusters of flowers, followed by smooth, ivory-

berfoot in the wilderness throw himself on her mercy and he will perish miserably.

Mother Nature also evidently has a sense of humor, which is not always good-natured, by a jugful. Now, here's this poison ivy; it's a good example of her practical-joke methods.

Nature has created the sumac (Rhus), a genus of small trees and shrubs of the natural order of Anacardiaceae. The species are numerous and are found all over the world except in the coldest regions and Australia. The sumac is a useful sort of thing. Various species furnish dyes, tanning material, edible seeds, varnish, oil for candles, medicines and condiments.

As a matter of fact all the species of sumac the world over are useful, except three. And these three make a lot of trouble. The three are the poison ivy (Rhus radicans) and poison sumac (Rhus vernix) of North America and a Japanese sumac (Rhus pumila).

And how is anyone to know that this particular kind of ivy and this particular kind of sumac are poisonous? That's where Mother Nature's practical-joke humor comes in. Also it is a good object lesson of the fact that she has no patience with ignorance and inefficiency. For most certainly it is ignorance not to know poison ivy and most certainly it is inefficiency to become poisoned by it.

Incidentally, a big dose of poison ivy poisoning is no joke. Of course, it frequently happens that the poisoning is not serious. Then everyone laughs at the itching one and says, "Well, you'll know better next time." But a good many cases are serious enough to demand a doctor. And there have been cases that ended with the death of the poisoned.

Many interesting facts concerning poison ivy and poison sumac, how to recognize the plants, and how to treat the poisoning, are contained in Farmers' Bulletin 1168, now published by the Department of Agriculture. The bulletin is illustrated with pictures of the two plants, which are often confused. Copies of the bulletin may be had upon request of the department at Washington, D. C. This bulletin brings out the following facts, among others:

The homely saying "leaflets three, let it be" may cause unjust suspicion of some innocent and harmless plants, but it offers a deal of good advice to those who are unacquainted with poison ivy. Many persons each year suffer the smarts of ivy poisoning be-

cause they do not know how to recognize or avoid the plant in its various forms.

The poison-ivy plant is also known as poison oak and by various local names, such as three-leaved ivy, poison creeper, climbing sumac, parkweed, ptery, and mercury. It grows in the form of woody vines, trailing shrubs, or low, erect bushes and adapts itself to the greatest variety of conditions, flourishing in woods or in the open, in low, moist soil or in dry soil and on hillsides. It is especially abundant along fence rows and at the edges of paths and roadways, scrambling over rocks and walls, climbing posts or trees to considerable heights, often mixed with other shrubbery in such a way as to escape notice until its presence is made known by a case of poisoning.

Poison ivy, or poison oak, is found in one or more forms in practically all sections of the country. In its various forms the plant is most readily recognized by its leaves, which are always divided into three leaflets, and by its whitish waxy fruits, which look somewhat like mistletoe berries. All varieties do not bear fruits, but when discovered the whitish or cream-colored berries make recognition positive.

Poison sumac is also known as swamp sumac, poison elder, poison ash, poison dogwood, and thunderwood. It grows only in swamps or in wet ground, and is found from the New England states south as far as Florida and westward to Minnesota, Arkansas and Louisiana. It grows as

other differences are readily noticeable, such as the wing-like growth along the margins of the leaf stalks of the dwarf sumac and the hairy coverings of the leafstalks and twigs of the staghorn sumac.

After exposure to poison ivy, measures to insure the removal of the poison are of primary importance. At first the poison is on the surface of the skin and may be removed by washing with ordinary kitchen or laundry soap and hot water. Care should be taken, however, not to spread the poison by careless washing.

Mild cases of ivy poisoning generally subside within a few days and do not cause alarm. Fatal cases, however, have occurred, and where the inflammation is extensive or severe, a physician should be consulted. In the early stages of ivy poisoning, remedies having a fatty or oily base, such as ointments, should not be used, as the grease or oil tends to dissolve and spread the poison, say specialists of the Department of Agriculture. Instead they advise simple remedies, such as local application of solutions of cooking soda or of Epsom salt, one or two teaspoonfuls to a cupful of water. Fluid extract of grindella, diluted with four to eight parts of water, is often used with success.

Solutions of this kind may be applied with light bandages or clean cloths, which should be kept moist and should be changed and discarded frequently to avoid infection. During the night, or when moist applications cannot be used, the poisoned surfaces should be carefully cleaned and dried and left exposed to the air rather than tightly bandaged. In the later stage, after the toxic material has exhausted itself, zinc-oxide ointment and similar mild antiseptics and astringent applications hasten healing.

We Wonder.

A sufferer who lives close to a railroad in the suburbs wrote the following to the railroad company, complaining about the racket made by a switch engine: "Gentlemen—Why is it that your switch engine has to ding and dong and fizz and spit and bang and hiss and pant and grate and grind and puff and bump and clug and hoot and toot and whistle and wheeze and jar and howl and snarl and puff and growl and thump and boom and crash and slam and throb and roar and rattle and yell and smoke and snarl and shriek like hell all night long?"—Boston Globe.

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WOOD MAY TAKE POST IN ISLANDS

RUMOR THAT HE WILL BE MADE GOVERNOR GENERAL OF THE PHILIPPINES.

NATIVES WANT HIM APPOINTED

Sending the Woods-Forbes Mission Was a Diplomatic Step Toward the Refusal to Grant the Philippines Immediate Independence.

By EDWARD B. CLARK.

Washington.—There has been considerable interest in Washington in the whisper in administration circles that Maj. Gen. Leonard Wood, now in the Philippines on inquiry tour, may once more be asked to take the governor generalship of the islands, and that possibly he may accept it.

The country has understood that General Wood already has accepted the place of provost of the University of Pennsylvania. It is possible that he has not committed himself wholly in this matter, and if he should change his mind, or, rather, if he feels that he can change it, his friends say that the action will be due to things that he feels he has learned in the Philippines and to pressure which has been brought to bear upon him to undertake the Philippines duty.

The conception of the Woods-Forbes mission to the Philippines was curious. There is not the slightest doubt that the administration, or rather the War department, which is the same thing in this case, knew everything that was going on in the Philippines, and really needed no report even from such a deep student of affairs as the general. The word is that the administration wanted something which it could put forward definitely as the basis of future dealings with the Filipinos, and that rather than use the documents and information already in the hands of the War department, it concluded that what it intended to do in the islands would be better received when based on a new report.

Bureau Undoubtedly Knew.

There is a bureau of insular affairs functioning in Washington. It is a

It, for instance, they should take the tax off something which all men, women and children buy nearly every day of their lives, the people probably would feel that they had been relieved of some expense, forgetting perhaps the tax would go somewhere else and that in the long run it might have its effect upon them.

The plain truth about taxation is that the government needs a huge amount of money to pay the interest on its bonds and to pay its running expenses. There is only one way to raise this money, and that is by taxation, except of course through tariff, and some persons maintain that the tariff is a tax. It follows, therefore, that unless the expenses of government are cut, taxation cannot be cut. It is not Uncle Sam's fault that bills fall due and it is a credit, of course, to his honesty that he wants to pay them.

Little Reduction in Sight.

There was a strong belief that taxation this year might be cut materially. It is the solid truth today, however, to say that few men in congress seemingly believe that any great amount of the burden can be lifted. The chairman of the house committee on ways and means, Mr. Fordney, says that the attempt will be to cut half a billion dollars from the tax bill of next year. His fellow members of the committee are very much less optimistic. They say that they do not want to make any promises because if disappointment shall come the promises will return to plague them.

All the members of congress, members of the minority party as well as of the majority, seem to be in sympathy with the proposal to repeal the transportation taxes, those which hit freight as they hit the passenger by land and sea. When a man travels today he not only pays a good deal more for his straight ticket than he did a few years ago, but he has to pay a tax in addition, and as Americans like to travel, this form of taxation has been felt keenly.

It has been said that the taxes collected each year from the passengers and the freight shippers amount to considerably more than one-third of a billion dollars. Of course if this tax is lifted the third of a billion dollars must be raised in some other way and as yet no specific plan for doing it has developed. It seems likely today that only a part of the transportation tax will be lifted.

The government is going to save some money this year through economy in the administration of the de-

YOUNG GIRL FINDS RELIEF

Wants to Tell Other Girls All About It

Evansville, Ind.—"I am eighteen years old and have been bothered for several months with irregular periods. Every month my back would ache and I always had a cold and felt drowsy and sleepy. I went in a military shop and I went to work every day, but felt stupid and would have such cramps. I had seen Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound advertised and had heard several women talk of it, so mother got me some. This Vegetable Compound is wonderful and it helped me very much, so that during my periods I am not now sick or drowsy. I have told many girls about your medicine and would be glad to help anyone who is troubled with similar ailments. You may use my testimonial as you like."—STELLA LUX-WILSON, 6 Second St., Evansville, Indiana.

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Conservation.

"What is Canada doing? What are Canadians doing to stop this fearful waste of our country's precious lumber?" cried the fervent orator. "Is there one Canadian here who can truthfully tell me he is doing anything at all to save our forests from depletion?"

Gravely the little man in the front row rose with upturned hand.

"What! Is there actually one?" exclaimed the orator, "and what, may I ask, are you doing to save our lumber?"

"I," said the little man solemnly, "always use a toothpick twice."—Toronto Telegram.

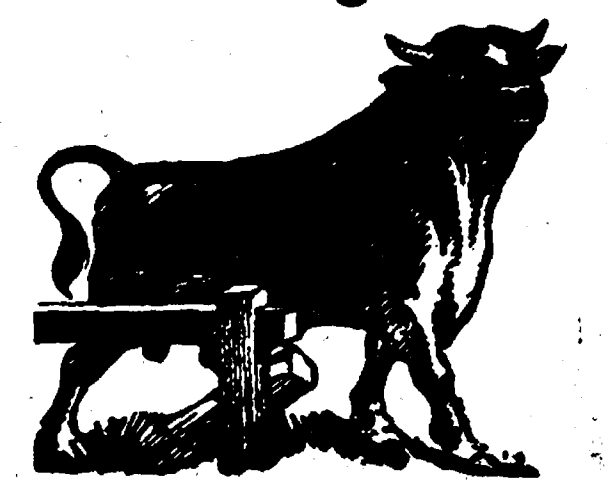
Facilitated Melting of Snow.

Automobile highways which cross the Sierra Nevada mountains of California are usually closed to traffic as late as June on account of the slow melting of the deep snow which covers the higher levels. In order to accelerate the melting of the snow and thus to expedite the opening of the highways, the experiment was made this spring of scattering black soil and ashes on snow which covered the highways. As a result of the increased absorption of solar heat the snow melted rapidly, and the roads were opened several weeks earlier than would otherwise have obtained.

Jury Duty.

"Court procedure is very dull." "Yes, they offer very little to interest a tired business man."

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One of the government experts at Washington gives a striking description of the treasure that the state of Montana possesses in sapphires. The only systematic mining for these precious stones in the United States is done in that state. The annual output exceeds 500,000 carats, including the stones that are suitable for cutting as gems and those that are useful only for mechanical purposes. It is said

that the lapidaries in Montana do finer work than is done on the stones that are sent to London to be cut. Montana might well be called the "Gem State," in view of the fact that her output of precious stones exceeds the production in that line of all the rest of the United States.

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Reduced Taxes Not Likely.

How much is the tax bill of the American citizen to be cut by the revenue measure which before the frost comes will have a place upon the statute books of the United States?

It is a mighty hard thing to tell. It may not be cut at all, and it may be increased, but perhaps the country generally speaking will feel that it has been relieved a bit by the shifting of burdens of taxation from one place to

another.

Washington society of the smart set kind would have a great time of it if it had two princes to entertain at once. As to the rest of the Washington world, it probably would manage to take the matter calmly, but there would be interest enough everywhere, although the Washington populace is a little bit fed up on dignitaries, another, and by the new means of raising the necessary money.

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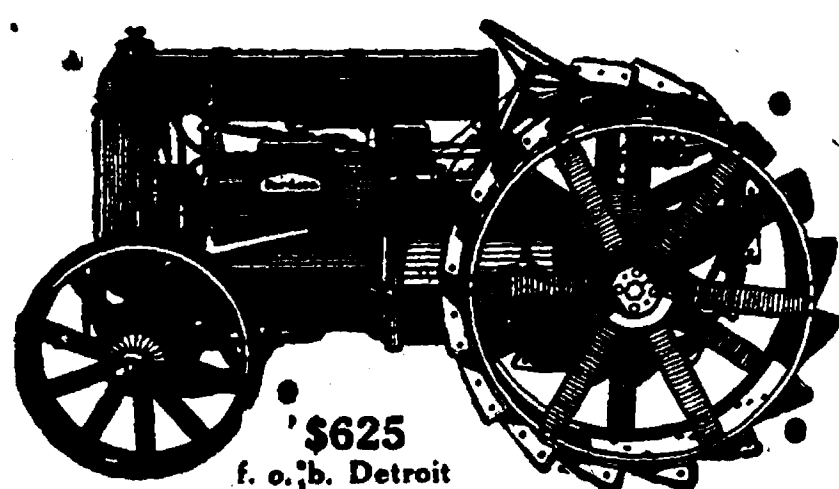
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RODEO AND WILD WEST IN STATE FAIR ATTRACTIONS

Rodeo stunts and the real "wild and woolly" western cowboy brand of exciting entertainment will be seen at the state fair in Detroit, Sept. 2 to 11. Secretary-Manager G. W. Dickinson, of the fair, has arranged. Purely American are the thrills to be had in these events.

A "wild west demonstration" will be a feature that will attract many of the daily visitors at the fair. Trick and fancy rifle shooting will be shown by California Glenna. With one flick of his trusty lariat Dakota Max, who hails from Deadwood, will catch five mounted horses running at full speed. Tommy Privitt, of Ada, Okla., America's youngest successful cowboy, will show trick and fancy roping, as well as riding bucking bronchos.

Little Dot Anderson, dainty miss from Cheyenne, will do some fancy and trick riding. The original Zooger Red, from San Angelo, Texas, oldest and ugliest cowboy in America, with the distinction of being the oldest bucking horse rider in the world, will demonstrate his skill. At 65 he has yet to see the broncho he cannot ride.



H. S. NEWTON.

Hart man who is Michigan State Fair Board member in charge of the fruits department at the fair in Detroit, Sept. 2-11. Increased premiums are attracting the fruit growers of the state and exhibitors are glad to learn that Mr. Newton, who comes from the western Michigan fruit belt, will personally look after their department.

You can sit in the grandstand at

loon ascensions, parachute jumps, air plane daredeviltry, harness horse races, livestock parades, auto races, auto polo, tremendous fireworks spectacles, wild west exhibitions and other entertainment; listen to band concerts and singing, and feel every thrill known to man. Don't miss the fair!

DAREDEVIL AIR STUNTS GALORE AT STATE FAIR

The world famous aviator, Al Wilson; the Jersey Ringel Aerial Circus; and "The Rileys", balloonists and parachute jumpers, will join in furnishing crowds at the State Fair in Detroit, Sept. 2 to 11, with thrills that will hold them breathless.

The airplane stunts will include looping the loop while standing upright on top of the plane, walking on wings of the plane while in flight, changing from plane to plane in mid-air, racing with motor cars around the mile track, picking up passenger from motor car by airplane, parachute jumps from airplanes and numerous other death-defying acts that require both consummate skill in the handling of the air craft and intrepidity as well as nerves of steel on the part of the stunt artists.

Another spectacular airplane stunt that is beautiful as well as thrilling is night flying with fireworks. This will feature the evening programs at the fair grounds.

Balloon ascensions, always of intense interest, will be featured this year by "The Rileys" special act, a triple parachute jump from a balloon more than a mile up in the air. If you like thrills, you'll get them in heap measure at the state fair.

More fun at the State Fair in Detroit, Sept. 2-11, than you ever saw before.



ARTHUR PETERSON.

Escanaba man who is Michigan State Fair Board member in charge of the exhibits of plants and flowers, one of the most delightful features of the many displays at the state fair in Detroit, Sept. 2-11. Premium awards are offered in his department to both professionals and amateurs, attracting many beautiful exhibits.

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