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A SQUARE DEAL PRICE TAG SAYS DOLLARS
SAVED TO PINCKNEY PATRONS-We Don't Mean
Maybe

MORE FARMS SOLD

Another farm development project cropped up in this section last week a representative of the Nicolai & Harger Realty firm of Pontiac purchasing the Bert Gardner farm and securing an option on the Frank Mowers farm. Both of these farms are located near Bently Lake which is about three miles north of Pinckney. The Mowers farm includes nearly all the southern frontage of the lake while the Gardner farm lies just west of it. It is understood that other farms in the vicinity of Bently Lake are also desired.

The 1,000 acre farm project west of here seems to be a surety. Many of the people who sold farms have received the entire amount of the purchase price and others the down payment agreed upon. The others have been assured that they will receive their money as soon as satisfactory abstracts are furnished. Edward Georges, Detroit capitalist, is behind this project and as Nicolai & Harger were his agents and are also in this latest development it is believed that they are working in his interests here also.

TWO GAMES PLAYED

Two games of basket ball were played at the local gym last evening the Pinckney high school winning from Dexter high school by a score of 20 to 12 and the town team being defeated by the Dexter Independents by a score of 48 to 11. In the first game the Pinckney high school team had their opponents hopelessly outclassed and became careless and committed numerous fouls and as a result Dexter scored six points on fouls, being able to make but 3 field goals. Reason and Swarthout each scored 8 points for Pinckney and Campbell got 4. Cushing was Dexter's high scorer with 8.

Pinckney					Dexter
R. Reason	F				Cushing
Swarthout	F				Briston
Weddige	C				Haworth
Campbell	G				Nixon
N. Miller	G				Wheeler
Substitution--C. Miller for N. Miller, N. Miller for Reason, Pidd for Nixon.					
Score	1	2	3	4	Total
Pinckney	10	0	4	6	20
Dexter	2	3	3	4	12

Referree--VanHorn. Field Goals--Reason 4, Swarthout 4, Campbell 2, Cushing 2, Nixon 1. Foul Goals--Cushing 4, Nixon 1, Wheeler 1.

Fouls Pinckney--8, Dexter 4. In the second game the Dexter team started their second string men and as a result Pinckney held them fairly even, the score standing 6 to 4 at the end of the first quarter. In the second period their first string men went in and scored 16 points.

Red McNair, formerly of the Moe Shop basket ball team of Ann Arbor, champions of Southern Michigan in 1925-26 gave an exhibition of accurate basket shooting throwing 4 baskets in about as many minutes.

Pinckney					Dexter
H. Reason	F				Sims
Campbell	F				Elsasser
Bowman	C				Kenny
Henry	G				Blanchard
VanHorn	G				Coy

Substitution--VanSlambrook for VanHorn, MacNair for Simms, Beeler for lsasser, Board for Kenny and Likely for Coy.

Score	1	2	3	4	Total
Pinckney	4	3	4	0	11
Dexter	6	16	10	16	48

Referree--Roberts. Field Goals--Reason, Campbell, Bowman 3, Sims 5; Elsasser 1, Kenny 1, Blanchard 2, Likely 2, McNair 8, Beeler 5, Foul Goals--Reason. Fouls Dexter 5, Pinckney 2.

AUTO ACCIDENT

Tuesday afternoon the automobiles of Earl Baughn and Louis Coyle came together at the intersection of M-49 and the Cordley Lake road. Earl was driving west on M-49 and Mr. Coyle was bringing his wife home from the school where she teaches. Both cars were badly wrecked, the Baughn car turned completely over but no one was seriously hurt.

Attorney General Potter in a recent ruling says that Osteopaths cannot prescribe drugs. They have heretofore had that privilege. The attorney general also struck at certain dental firms when he ruled that persons not licensed under the Michigan laws cannot do dental work, except mechanical work on inert matter. This will do away with dental assistants making impressions, cleaning teeth and other minor jobs about the dental offices.

A NARROW ESCAPE

Last Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bird who live on Pontiac Road, Ann Arbor and Mrs. Bird's grandmother, Mrs. Clarence Baughn of Pinckney who was visiting them had a narrow escape from death by asphyxiation. A tile had become loosened in the chimney and fell down completely blocking it. This caused the gas from the stove to fill the room. The family dog which was asleep on the bed of Mr. and Mrs. Bird became overcome and fell to the floor, awakening Mr. Bird. He at once sensed the danger and wakened his wife and together they managed to get Mrs. Baughn out of the house. Leaving the two women in the snow clad only in their night clothes, Mr. Bird started for the nearest house to get help but was forced to make the journey on his hands and knees and arriving became unconscious but not before he had informed them what happened. The neighbors at once went to the aid of the women. Mr. and Mrs. Bird soon recovered but it was not until Thursday afternoon that Mrs. Baughn became conscious.

MASONIC BANQUET

About sixty visiting Masons from Dexter, Howell and Ann Arbor attended the Masonic banquet at Pinckney last Friday evening given by Livingston Lodge, No. 76 F. & A. M.

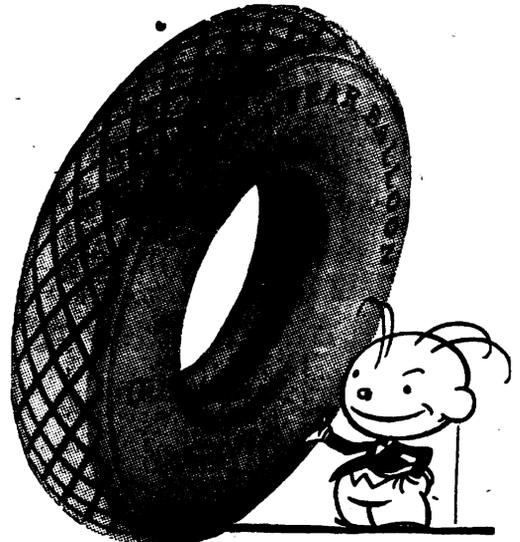
Baldy Girard of Lakeland, cook par excellence, said at one time to have been a chef for Delmonico, New York City, had charge of the feast and served a seventyfive pound roast with all the trimmings and fixings, to which the visitors did full justice as well as the Pinckney Masons. At the conclusion of the repast, Norman Reason acting as toastmaster called on a number of those present for speeches. Among those who responded were: W. B. Reader of Howell, W. C. Clark Ira Ott, C. F. Bates, Henry Steinbach and C. B. Alley all of Dexter, A. F. Watters of Ann Arbor and last but not least Baldy Girard of Lakeland all decked out in his chef's uniform. After this the crack Dexter degree team proceeded to confer the third degree on three candidates.

FIRE AT HOWELL

Fire broke out in the block on Michigan Ave., Howell, just north of Grand River, last Saturday and before it was extinguished had done about \$8,000 worth of damage.

The buildings which were damaged are Johnson's Bakery, Bill Cooper's Restaurant, Parkers Furniture Store, Odd Fellow's Hall and the City Hall.

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Ladie's 4 Buckle Golashes	\$2.49--\$3.39
Men's Leather Coats, \$15 Value	\$9.69
Men's Leather Coats, Sheepskin Lined	\$11.59
Odd Lot Men's Dress Shoes and Oxfords	\$2.98

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P. G. or Flake White Soap 10 bars	.37	C. W. Coffee	.49
Howell Flour	.94	Matches, per box	.04
Betty Crocker Flour	\$1.19	Seedless Raisins, 2 lbs.	.23
Extra Fancy Rice, 3lbs.	.25	Mixed Nuts, per lb.	.23
French Mustard, 2 for	.25	Shredded Wheat, per lb.	.12
Large size bottle Catsup	.18	Palm Olive, Jap Rose or Hard Water Soap, per bar	.08
Mincemeat, per pkg.	.10		

C. H. KENNEDY

W. W. BARNARD

HOW IS YOUR SUBSCRIPTION?

January is the month when the greater part of the subscriptions to the Dispatch expire. Statements will be sent to all delinquent subscribers about the first of February. If you are behind in your subscription now is the time to fix it up.

ATTENTION FARMERS

On Tuesday, February 1st, we will hold our annual tractor school. Everyone interested in power farming is cordially invited to attend.

R. E. Barron, Howell.

Dr. Mark Marshall of Ann Arbor was in town Monday.



1. Scene during run on Broadway Central bank, New York, that caused its sale to another bank. 2. Wreck of the Olympian, crack C. M. & St. P. train, near Missoula, Mont. 3. Cruiser Cincinnati, one of the six vessels sent to reinforce the American naval forces in Nicaraguan waters.

NEWS REVIEW OF CURRENT EVENTS

President Justifies His Nicaragua Policy and Accuses Mexico.

Explaining and justifying his Latin American policy, President Coolidge in a special message to congress related the events that have led up to the administration's action in the case of Nicaragua, and directly accused the Mexican government of promoting the revolution in that country that, he said, is endangering the lives and property of American citizens and the interests of the United States in Nicaragua—the latter being the canal route rights and the lease of a navy base on the Gulf of Fonseca. These rights and American investments, Mr. Coolidge asserted, placed a "peculiar responsibility" on the United States in Central America.

While disclaiming any desire of intervention in their internal affairs, the President declared that "the stability, prosperity, and independence" of the Central American republics "can never be a matter of indifference to us," and served notice on President Calles of Mexico and all others concerned that the United States will not tolerate "the jeopardizing of American interests" and impairment of constitutional government in that region.

"I have the most conclusive evidence," said President Coolidge, "that arms and munitions in large quantities have been on several occasions since August, 1928, shipped to the revolutionists in Nicaragua.

"Boats carrying these munitions have been fitted out in Mexican ports and some of the munitions bear evidence of having belonged to the Mexican government. It also appears that the ships were fitted out with the full knowledge of and, in some cases, with the encouragement of Mexican officials, and were, in one instance, at least, commanded by a Mexican naval reserve officer."

The President told of the starting of the revolution and the election of Adolfo Diaz as president-designate by the congress, arguing that that election was quite constitutional. On Wednesday Secretary of State Kellogg, appearing before the senate foreign relations committee, presented the same arguments, amplified the administration policy and then declared his department was in possession of documentary proof that the Mexican government had been active not only in arming the Nicaraguan revolutionists but also in plotting the bolshevik penetration of Central America to the injury of the United States.

Senator Borah, chairman of the committee, was unconvinced and made a long speech attacking the administration's policy. It was predicted in Washington, however, that the message and Mr. Kellogg's statement would serve to bring a majority of congress to the support of the President in the course he is pursuing. The house committee on foreign affairs also undertook an examination of the situation but spent much of its time in partisan squabbling.

Meanwhile efforts were being made in Nicaragua to bring about peace. Leading liberals proposed a conference and the conservatives seemed willing to hold such a meeting with Rear Admiral Latimer as arbitrator. Sacasa vetoed the plan but it seemed he might be ignored by a large faction of his party. Considerable reinforcements to the American naval forces in Nicaraguan waters were on their way, and Admiral Latimer established new neutral zones.

FROM the Mexican government came a denial, in general terms, of the accusations in President Coolidge's message concerning anti-American plotting in Central America. With this disclaimer was a suggestion that any American aggrieved by enforcement of the oil and alien land laws file a claim for compensation with the Mexican-American mixed claims commission constituted while Mr. Hughes was secretary of state.

However defiant he may seem to be, it is certain President Calles is not looking for trouble with the United States, for he has enough of that already within his own country. There was a new outbreak of Catholic uprisings in various regions in which scores were killed in street fighting and other scores were executed by the government. Bishop Pascual Diaz, secretary of the Catholic episcopate, and other prelates were arrested on charges of sedition, and Monsignor Diaz was taken to Vera Cruz, presumably to be exported. These arrests immediately followed the proclamation, issued in El Paso, Texas, of a state of revolution in Mexico, and the setting up of a government with Rene Capistrano Garza, a Catholic leader, as provisional president. Jose F. Gandara, "chief of military operations," said fifteen thousand rebels were under arms in Mexico, not including various independent groups in the south. Durango and other towns were reported captured by the revolutionists, and an American correspondent says the rebel bands are burning bridges and ranch houses, wrecking railways and generally harassing the government forces.

OVER in China, where our naval forces are active or ready to become so at need, matters seemed to have quieted down a little pending the expected movement of the Cantonese armies against Shanghai. The foreign authorities in that city have formally warned the Chinese against invading the foreign concessions and their police force and volunteer units have been ordered to keep them out by force of arms. Warfare of the several foreign nations concerned, including the United States, are concentrating at Shanghai. Admiral Williams went from Manila to the U. S. S. Pittsburgh and resumed command of eight American destroyers already there, and Admiral Sir Reginald Tyrwhitt arrived to command the British squadron. All up the Yangtze, whence foreigners were fleeing, the anti-foreign feeling was growing stronger and the prospects for a serious conflict at Shanghai were good.

Eugene Chen, foreign minister of the Cantonese government, urges the United States to take no part in the opposition to the occupation of Shanghai by the Nationalist forces, saying the Cantonese would enter that city, not as conquerors, but as conservers of the work done by the foreigners during the last century. The British authorities in Hankow are reported to have demanded the speedy return of the British concession there. Representatives of the Peking government are said to have "suggested" that the foreign concessions in that city be handed over to the Chinese.

DEFEATED in all their efforts for a "big navy" except a provision for the construction of a new dirigible, the advocates of strong national defenses last week turned their attention to the War department supply bill, seeking to boost the budget bureau figures by about \$8,000,000. Here is what they wanted to do:

- 1. To increase the army's enlisted personnel from 115,000 to 118,750.
- 2. To increase the daily ration allowance 5 cents a day per man.
- 3. To increase the allowance for the National Guard establishment by \$800,000 and that for the officers' organized reserves by \$400,000.
- 4. To provide increased funds for the reconditioning of the army transport grant and the purchases of 725 additional mules and 15,000 horses.
- 5. To provide \$310,000 for the erection of sorely needed buildings at West Point.

The house committee rejected most of the budget bureau economies.

FULL indorsement of the new McNary-Haugen farm relief bill was laid before the house agriculture committee by four farm organizations—the American Farm Bureau federation, the Cotton Growers' exchange, the Corn Belt federation, and the executive committee of twenty-two. In view of this organized action Chairman Haugen said his committee might not wish to consider further either the A-well or Curtis-Crisp bills, particularly since the equalization fee, which has been the center of farm-relief controversy, was approved by a 13-to-6 vote.

OSTENSIBLY because of his connection with railway and coal companies, the appointment of Cyrus E. Woods of Pennsylvania to the interstate commerce commission was disapproved by the senate committee on interstate commerce by a vote of 8 to 6. The contest thus was transferred to the floor of the senate, where it was expected the senators from Virginia, West Virginia, Tennessee and Kentucky would lead the opposition to Woods and those from Pennsylvania would support the nomination.

The committee held to be unfounded the charge, made by Senator Steck of Iowa, that Senator-elect Brookhart of Iowa had been a paid lobbyist for Woods. Mr. Steck already had withdrawn the charge.

THOROUGH investigation of reported graft and scandal in the operation of the "under cover" branch of the prohibition service will be made by the senate, which adopted a resolution to that effect introduced by Reed of Missouri. Mellon, Andrews and Blair are instructed to furnish all the correspondence in the department relating to the special agents, their orders and their expenditures. This inquiry is expected to bring out the facts concerning the operation by A. Bruce Bielaski of a speak-easy club in New York to trap bootleggers and patrons, and also concerning the reported operation of stills by dry agents.

GOVERNOR RITCHIE of Maryland, on his third inauguration, reaffirmed his stand for the rights of states against "encroachment of centralized federal government" and decried sumptuary laws regulating personal practices and relations. He didn't mention next year's Presidential campaign and its possibilities, but all through the hall were gold banners bearing the words: "Ritchie for President."

Governor Moore of New Jersey in his annual message advocated a state prohibition referendum and repeal of the state enforcement act.

GOVERNOR PINCHOT of Pennsylvania has refused to certify, in the usual form, the election of W. S. Vare as senator, according to a letter from him read to the senate. Certifying "that on the face of the returns Vare appears to have been chosen by the qualified electorate," Governor Pinchot expressed the opinion that his nomination was "partly bought and partly stolen" and that the election, as well as the primary, were tainted with fraud.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA may be relied on to keep the country supplied with scandals. Just as the Almee Semple McPherson sensation died with the dismissal of the charges against her, Mrs. Charlie Chaplin began suit for divorce from the famous screen star, whom she accused of all sorts of things, including cruelty and infidelity. Charlie had left Los Angeles, whereupon a court there appointed receivers for all his property and his palatial residence and movie studio. Mrs. Chaplin in her bill estimated her husband's wealth at \$16,000,000, of which she declared \$10,000,000 is community property; from which it is seen that she will demand approximately \$5,000,000 if a decree is granted.

DR. JULIUS CURTIUS, former minister of economics and member of the People's party, has been appointed chancellor of Germany by President von Hindenburg and is trying to form a new cabinet based on a coalition of the bourgeois parties. He has the support of Foreign Minister Stresemann, the chief figure today in German politics, but Berlin is skeptical about his prospects of forming a government that will stand up.

SEVENTY-FIVE children were killed and many others injured as the result of a blaze in a moving picture theater in Montreal. When the flames broke out the children rushed in panic for a door leading from a balcony, and in less than ten minutes the tragedy was over, most of the deaths being from smoke asphyxiation and suffocation.

This Mortal Life Merely Qualifying Ground for the Life Hereafter

By REV. DR. BENNETT, Dean Chester Cathedral, England.

UNLESS man qualifies himself during his sojourn on earth he cannot hope for any sort of life in the world to come. The outstanding lesson of the whole organic process of life is that any organ which would enrich itself must first qualify itself, and, therefore, if we who are here are to have any life at all hereafter we must qualify ourselves. And that is the sole purpose of the life we spend here—to qualify ourselves, to save our soul, that bundle of our doings and our thoughts which we create for ourselves.

Since man must qualify himself for life hereafter, he can merit only complete destruction if he does not tend his soul, as is the purpose of life. I do not believe that there is any such thing as "eternal punishment," because if there is to be punishment there must be life, and that life is to be attained only by man's efforts to qualify his soul here, and such qualification merits not punishment or destruction but the reward of an eternal life.

Forms of "Hookworm" That Are to Be Blamed for Farm Decadence

By PROF. CAMPBELL, Iowa State Teachers' College.

We need not be concerned about the departure of many young people from farm communities. That is a wholesome economic readjustment. There is not room on the farm for every boy and girl born there. What is of vital concern is the fact that it is the big potatoes that are going, leaving the little potatoes to be the parents of the next generation in the farming industry.

If the most capable young people are constantly drained out of the farming communities, leaving the inferiors to be the parents of the next generation, the race of farmers will deteriorate.

Rural life at present is pale and weak. It staggers. It is being bled white by hookworms—the hookworm of mortgage indebtedness, the hookworm of the depreciated farm dollar, the hookworm of absentee landlords.

An investigation I recently completed, revealed that 80 to 95 per cent of the young farm people of intelligence and enterprise, the cream of the young people of the community, quit farming because they can find better opportunity in other lines.

Education is a prerequisite of co-operative marketing. The problems of co-operative marketing are too big to be solved by ignorance. There is but one weapon against ignorance, and that is education.

Parents' Duty to Guard Youth Against "Strange and New" of Modern Times

By DR. W. P. DEARING, President Oakland (Ind.) City College.

The greatest need of youth today is just simply their parents. There are certain forces "strange and new" of modern times that the youth must oppose and that parents must watch and train their children to stand against. The child may ask when a problem arises, "Which way's the gang going?" or "Which has the most kick?" or "Which has the most money in it?" but it is the parents' task to make the question "Which is right?" a habit with the son or daughter.

The undertow has many cross-currents. Waste, for instance. America is a nation of prodigals. Think of how our boys and girls live and spend now. If the boys and girls start where we left off as they do, where are they going to stop? Ease is a dangerous current. Taking it easy, the line of least resistance taken by the children, while the parents try to make things as easy as possible, smoothing the rough spots. Strong men and women are not built in a hothouse.

Then there is the present dark shadow of lawlessness over America. Let us see to it that we don't breed it in our homes and schools. All anarchists are not shipped in; some are being bred unconsciously in homes.

Fundamentalism Cause Unity and Co-operation

By REV. JOHN HENMAN

If the Savior were to enter a modern church, he would hear the theological bosh preached in it was talking about. Sixty per cent of the people who enter a church, and one reason for that, are entering a church to hear the dogmas of the dead past have been repeated.

The present generation is not interested in the old dogmas.

Each religion started with the moral and spiritual message dealing with a creed to be believed. If the religion were alive today they would fraternize with the same thing; but their followers have been kept apart.

Religion can exert real influence on the lives of its founders and brings about something within itself.

Work of the Health Department Unprogressive

By DR. ARLINGTON AILEY

Public opinion that is "almost medieval" harasses too many health departments. Frequently in smaller cities the health department is given niggardly support financially; the health officer is harassed by the force of almost medieval public opinion, the relatively unimportant health hobby of some social leaders and the short-sightedness of his city council or commission in the relative value of health expenditures.

The health officer, of course, must decide what he can accomplish with his resources of personnel and money, more or less regardless of this pressure. He must then collect, compile and use his vital statistics with a view to changing this public opinion and presenting cold facts to the sometimes so-called hard-headed board of aldermen, which make the city's appropriations. To them, what happens elsewhere has little weight, but definite figures of their home town have a fascinating tunc.

Vital statistics, properly collected, compiled and used, are probably the most vital function of a health department. It is to the preservation and progress of official public health what bookkeeping is to business. Both must fall without it.

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Czechoslovakia's Athletics

Seven per cent of the pupils and students of Czechoslovakia's schools, colleges and universities are athletes, or without confession, according to the statistics recently made public. Among the university students the percentage is highest, namely 18 per cent. In the industrial schools the figure is 13, in the commercial schools 12 and in the elementary or graded schools 7. The average in the kindergartens, where the religion of each child or absence thereof is given by the parents, the percentage is 10.

If Back Hurts Flush Kidneys

Drink Plenty of Water and Take Glass of Salts Before Breakfast Occasionally.

When your kidneys hurt and your back feels sore, don't get scared and proceed to load your stomach with a lot of drugs that excite the kidneys and irritate the entire urinary tract. Keep your kidneys clean like you keep your bowels clean, by flushing them with a mild, harmless salts which helps to remove the body's urinous waste and stimulate them to their normal activity.

The function of the kidneys is to filter the blood. In 24 hours they strain from it 500 grains of acid and waste, so we can readily understand the vital importance of keeping the kidneys active.

Drink lots of good water—you can't drink too much; also get from any pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts. Take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast each morning for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help clean and stimulate clogged kidneys; also to neutralize the acids in the system so they are no longer a source of irritation, thus often relieving bladder weakness.

Jad Salts is inexpensive; cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everyone should take now and then to help keep their kidneys clean and active. Try this; also keep up the water drinking, and no doubt you will wonder what became of your kidney troubles.

Customer—How are your kidneys? Fresh? Clerk—"No, they're salted."—Boston Transcript.

To pity distress is but human; to relieve it is Godlike.—H. Mann.

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WHAT THE GRACIOUS HOSTESS SAYS:

By DELLA THOMPSON LUDES

A BREAKFAST PARTY

MY meal that is served before one o'clock is a breakfast. After that is called luncheon. There is a fashion now in some tearooms and coffee shops of calling the meal served from ten o'clock to noon, "brunch" or "break-lunch"—a combination of breakfast and lunch.

The cloth for the breakfast or "brunch" party may be as gay as you like. Colored linens made into runners and embroidered, or not; place mats of Indian head or the ever-fast textiles; ecru art crash in cross-stitch embroidery; old-fashioned yellow and white or blue and white tablecloths cut over into breakfast cloth, runners, or mats and napkins; pale yellow oil-cloth decorated with stencil painting; unbleached muslin with applique design or border of cretonne—there are any number of fascinating cloths with which to dress the table.

The decorations should be simple, with a blue cloth; lilacs of the valley with runners of green checked gingham, pussy-willows with runners of orchid; a brown basket of fruit with a cloth of unbleached muslin or heavy ecru linen applied in fruit design; a high glass compote overflowing with grapes on a blue-and-white or yellow cloth; or a glass basket in the center, with smaller glass baskets (all alike) at each of the four corners. Baskets of Dresden are also lovely, and the grass and reed baskets that some of us are sufficiently accomplished to make ourselves, make very charming decorations when filled with flowers, fruit or candy.

If baskets, compotiers or other ornamental holders are used, however, they must be all alike. If the table is small or narrow it is not best to use too many decorative articles, but where it is large, additional flower holders, bowls, compotiers or figures may be used. You must, however, guard against getting too many different kinds of decorative articles on the table. For instance, you might use an old-fashioned high-standard compotier or "sauce-dish" of pressed glass—such as belonged to your grandmother—for a centerpiece. With this you could use four small silver or glass baskets or compotiers, or four colored bird-figures at the corners of the table for candy, but these four must be all alike. Your table would look like the glass counter in a department store if each of the four baskets was different.

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History of Poplin

Poplin came from Avignon, and the reason for its name is not immediately apparent until we remember that, until 1791, Avignon was a papal town, and therefore the silk manufactured there was called by the Italians papalino, and by the French papelin, so that when it was introduced into England in 1698 by the Huguenot refugees it automatically became poplin.

Today, most poplins are of worsted and flax or wool and cotton, and those of Irish manufacture are deservedly popular. Readers of Jane Austen will recall the delightful confession in "Emma": "I have some notion of putting such a trimming as this to my white and silver poplin."—Exchange.

The throne in the Swedish royal palace in Stockholm is a massive high seat in solid silver.

Let Them Choose Colors They Like

Children Should Be Allowed to Make Own Selections, Doctor Says.

Dr. Harold Prichard, London, has been making some investigations into the effect of colors on the health and happiness of children. He may be working out some really great truths or he may be starting upon another false trail, such as many a faddist leads.

Doctor Prichard believes that children should be permitted to choose their own clothes, at least as far as color is concerned. Certain individual kiddies are happiest in red, others in blue, others in green and a very few in yellow.

Green and yellow are favorites among children and psychologically they are the most restful and stimulating strength-giving among all the colors.

Reds rouse commotion, but do not supply the strength for it, being of the nature of an excitant rather than of a stimulant.

Doctor Prichard's studies of children and their ailments are among the most notable made recently in Europe. He believes most healthy children are fondest of green and yellow, the most restful colors. It must not be understood that red is harmful to children.

It attracts light and children need all the light that they can get. Only

Exquisite Accessories Grace Evening Costumes



This is a season of gorgeous accessories. Especially have shoulder-trims captured the fancy of maid and matron. The flower which is being exploited, for the moment, by the Parisienne is the carnation. Sometimes it is of mammoth size, like the one which enlivens the decolette frock in this picture. The glitter of silver outlines its bluish-pink fluted edges, for metal effects gleam on almost every flower for evening wear.

Evening Frocks Varied; Rich Fabrics Offered

Evening frocks are marked by a wide range of idea and diversity of treatment this year. In some of the models presented, a richness of fabric offers contrast to an almost severe simplicity of line, whereas other, less sophisticated, frocks employ softer, more supple fabrics and depend for their effects on a skillful intricacy of cut and trimming application.

Lace and georgette are favored combinations for dinner and dance frocks. Premet's crepe georgette dress frequently had the skirts formed of lace panels and flounces. At Martial et Armand, the dinner frocks often are made in black and consist frequently of lace employed with crepe georgette and crepe de chine. The frocks all have the same blousing bodice with sometimes a long pointed decolette at the back. Here the skirts are allowed a little more fantasia and are sometimes formed of two gathered flounces.

Choker Scarf Is Among Most Popular Fashions

The well-dressed woman isn't wearing cheaply printed scarfs of chiffon or crepe de chine. She searches for a scarf which has just the desired color contrast required for the gown with which it is to be worn. She wants good material and beautifully blended colorings. Therefore she chooses taffeta, radium or a heavy crepe de chine for day wear. Small choker lengths are quite popular at present and due to their softness they must be worn correctly if smartness is achieved. Usually these chokers have embroidered or printed ends. They may be worn tied in a double knot at one side of the neck or folded and worn as a stock with the tailored suit. Radium silk has a stiff texture similar to taffeta and is much softer about the neck than taffeta.

Imitation Diamonds of Crystal or Sapphires

Imitation diamonds of rock crystal or white sapphires are in a fair way to become as unabashedly good form as artificial pearls have become. The wide bracelet of diamonds, when possible, or of rhinestones almost as acceptably when diamonds are out of the question, has become an indispensable adjunct to the afternoon and evening toilette of the well-dressed Parisienne. When first introduced, these bracelets were solidly paved with brilliants with a pattern in enamel or colored stones imposed upon this shimmering surface. Now this style is sharing honors with bracelets made in the ordinary manner—with the brilliants merely accenting the intricacies of the pierced metal foundation. The glitter's the thing.

Two-Color Leathers Are Used for Motor Coats

Leather motor coats, formerly brown, ugly and useful, combine brightness and novelty as worn by the English woman. Some are lined with fleece and beautified with a deep hem and collar of plaited leather. A blue leather coat with trimmings of black and white leather in a checker-board effect is another version. Sometimes the coats are made in two-color leathers, while others have the plaiting in contrasting colors.

Neck Frills

Fancy neckwear is being exploited by some of the shops. Collars and frills made to fit a neck of any shape are being shown in organdie, lines, satin and in metal cloth, which is a distinctly American style. A French woman's idea of the neck finish of a frock is white-mousseline, lace, net, georgette or chiffon.

Pearl Fastenings

Pearl buckles have returned to favor and serve as fastenings for jersey and velvet frocks, and sometimes on the more fragile fabrics like chiffon.

Special Offer to Victims of Indigestion

Your Druggist Says Pleasant to Take, Elixir Must Help Poor Distressed Stomachs or Money Gladly Refunded.

You can be so distressed with gas and fullness from poor digestion or dyspepsia that you think your heart is going to stop beating. Your stomach may be so distended that your breathing is short and gassy. You are dizzy and gray for quick relief—what's to be done? Just one tablespoonful of Dare's Mentha Peppin and speedily the gas disappears, the pressing on the head ceases and you can breathe deep and naturally. Oh! What blessed relief; but why not get rid of such attacks altogether? Why have them at all? Especially when any druggist anywhere guarantees Dare's Mentha Peppin, a pleasant elixir, to help you to money back.



DIURETIC STIMULANT TO THE KIDNEYS

R. M. Fleenor, Otterbein, Ind., writes: "I suffered from kidney trouble for twenty-five years. Nothing helped me. Kept getting worse. Inflammation of the bladder set in, and I gave up all hope. Was induced to try Dodd's. Took only two boxes, and I am now sound and well." If you have kidney, bladder, or urinary trouble, backache, pain, rheumatism, try Dodd's Pills. Buy a box today at your drug store, 600 or the Dodd's Medicine Co., 704 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y.

CHILDREN WHO ARE SICKLY

Mothers who value the health of their children, should never be without MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN, for use when needed. They tend to Break up Colds, Relieve Feverishness, Worms, Constipation, Headache, Teething disorders and Stomach Troubles. ANY SUBSTITUTE Used by Mothers for over 30 years. At Druggists everywhere. Ask today. Trial package FREE, address THE MOTHER GRAY CO., LeRoy, N. Y.

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Mushroom Belongs to Family of Toadstools

In discussing the edible fungi, the layman makes a distinction, referring to the poisonous growth as toadstools and the palatable kind as mushrooms, but the scientist makes no such difference. They are all toadstools, some few are deadly, and many are not only harmless but palatable and nourishing food. There are thousands of different species of toadstools, but it is a very simple matter to recognize the poisonous kinds with absolute certainty. Every autumn, when the mushroom, or rather toadstool season is about opening, there are special classes open to the public at the Cleveland Museum of Natural History for the instruction of persons who desire to become acquainted with the toadstool. The course is quite simple and has become very popular. It is not necessary to become acquainted with the entire toadstool family in order to be able to separate the good from the bad. A short course of instruction answers all purposes.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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Warning! Unless you see the name "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 28 years. Say "Bayer" when you buy Aspirin. Imitations may prove dangerous.—Adv.

Aim High

Who shoots at the midday sun though he be sure he shall never hit the mark, yet as sure he is that he shall shoot higher than he who aims at a bush.—Sir Phillip Sidney.

Ah, Yes

"Harold, let's have soup for lunch." "Sure, what kind, dear?" "Canned, of course."

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Be Quick—Be Sure! Get the right remedy—the best now known. So quick, so sure that millions now employ it. The utmost in a lucrative, Reliable Remedy in ideal form. Colds stop in 24 hours. Grippe in 3 days. The system is cleared and toned. Nothing compares with Hill's.

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"You Are a Fat Pair, but You Do Look So Jolly."

did so they hugged each other and fell over on the ground. "Not hurt, I trust," said the girl. "Not a bit of it," said the Brownie brothers together, as they picked themselves up. "I do believe you're Brownies," said the boy. "You are right," said Billie. "My name," he added, "is Billie Brownie, and this is my brother."

THE WHY of SUPERSTITIONS

By H. IRVING KING

AMBER

OF THE many mystic qualities which were formerly supposed to pertain to amber its potency as a charm against rheumatism appears to be about the only one which survives in popular superstition. But a belief in this quality persists with remarkable vitality and is defended by persons whom one would least suspect of such credulity. Henry Ward Beecher always carried about with him a string of amber beads to cure or to ward off his rheumatic attacks; and amber set as jewelry is still sold in London for the cure of this malady. Only a few years ago amber had a much more prominent place in therapeutics. In 1865 Rev. C. W. King, in his "Natural History of Precious Stones" wrote: "That the wearing of an amber necklace will keep off an attack of erysipelas has been proved by experiments beyond the possibility of a doubt." Oil of amber still has a place in the United States dispensary and perhaps there still exist some old-time doctors who use it medicinally.

The ancients, who attached mystic qualities to all sorts of precious and semi-precious stones, were not likely to neglect amber; that strange substance born of the sea and of the color of yellow sunlight. The Romans used to place in their mortuary urns pieces of amber and jet, the jet symbolizing the darkness of death and the amber the light of immortality. Possibly the black stone was an offering to Pluto and the yellow substance an offering to the sun-god. In the medicine of the Middle Ages, which was largely folk-medicine, amber played an important part, and, as has been said, has continued to play a medicinal role down to our own times. The reverence with which the ancients regarded amber was increased by the discovery of its electrical properties. Doctor Kuss says: "The electric property of amber was remarked as early as 600 B. C. by the Ionic philosopher, Thales, and from this observation may be dated the study of electric phenomena."

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U. S. Patent Office

The first patent letters issued by the United States patent office in Washington were to Samuel Hopkins, July 31, 1790, for a process of manufacturing potash and pearlsh. Since that time the patent office has granted more than 4,500,000 licenses.

WHEN I WAS TWENTY-ONE

BY JOSEPH KAYE

AT 21—Brander Matthews Had His Manuscripts Rejected With Unfailing Regularity.

I WAS only two months more than twenty-one when my two years' attendance at Columbia Law school ended at last. I managed somehow to answer the questions put to me. After I passed the examination, and before the commencement at which I was to receive my degree I married and left almost immediately for a honeymoon in Europe. "While I was still at law school my contributions to the magazines were rejected with exemplary speed. In 'The Critic' Sheridan tells us that 'When they do agree on the stage their unanimity is wonderful,' and equally wonderful to me was the unanimity of editors. No matter how laboriously I might feather my essays they were homing pigeons; and I could always count on another swift return. With the modest confidence of youth I was but little discouraged; and while one article was vainly paying its round of visits I was already engaged upon another.—Brander Matthews."

TODAY—The receipt of a Brander Matthews in an editorial office is hailed with respect and pleasure and a check is made out even before it is read, for Mr. Matthews is among the most famous of all American critics and writers on the theater, besides being a notable figure in the other branches of literature. Perhaps it might be said that Matthews is the George Brandes of this country, a comparison with which even his name is in harmony.

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TRAVELERS' GUIDE

G. T. R. R.

West	East
12:10 A. M.	5:45 P. M.

AUTO BUSES

To Jackson To Howell
 Central Standard Time

8:30 P. M. 8:15 A. M.
 Eastern Time

To Lansing To Ann Arbor

8:40 A. M.	9:50 A. M.
1:40 P. M.	3:50 P. M.
5:40 P. M.	6:50 P. M.

COMMUNITY CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

Rev. H. E. Mayeroff, Pastor

Morning worship 10:30.
 Sunday School 11:30.
 Christian Endeavor 8:30.
 Evening Service 7:30.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Rev. J. McQuillan, Pastor

Masses 8:30 a m 10:30 A. M.
 Last mass followed by Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.
 Catechism for children every Sunday immediately after mass.
 Also on Saturday at 1:30 P. M.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

Department of the Interior
 Land Office at Washington, D. C.
 November 27, 1926

Notice is hereby given that Mrs. May Wilson, widow of James M. Wilson, deceased, of Pinckney, Michigan, who on March 11, 1924, made homestead entry Marquette, No. 65140, for SE 1/4, NE 1/4, NE 1/4 SE 1/4, W 1/2 SE 1/4 Section-36, Township 1 N Range 4 E, Mich. Meridian, has filed notice of intention to make a 3 year proof to establish claim to the land above described before R. H. Killian, Notary Public, at Pinckney, Michigan, R. D. 2, on the 29th day of January, A. D. 1927.

Claimant names as witnesses: Paul Block of Pinckney, Michigan (Portage Lake), Carson K. Kobb, Pinckney, Michigan, R. D. 2, Gerald Everett, of Ypsilanti, Michigan, R. D. 3, and Frank J. Hints of 888 Brown St., Ann Arbor Michigan.

D. K. Parrott, Acting Assistant Commissioner.

DECLARE A HOLIDAY

And attend our tractor school and have farm entertainment to be held Tuesday, February 1st. We know that you will feel the time well spent.

R. E. Barron, Howell.

BEGIN HOME FOR LONE CITY GIRL

Detroit Catholic League Will Welcome Workers of Every Faith in New Building

Ground for the new activities building of the Detroit branch of the League of Catholic Women was broken recently, in the presence of league members, prominent clergymen and representatives from various Catholic organizations of the city. The new building will accommodate about 150 women, and will be completed at a cost of \$600,000 by next September.

Following the turning of the first sod, Bishop Michael J. Gallagher, D. D., who officiated, gave a short talk in which he declared that while the Catholic church in Detroit had obtained homes for orphans and the aged, as well as the House of the Good Shepherd for delinquent girls, it had failed until now to provide a home for girls out of work and open to the temptations of a large city.

"This occasion marks a period in our history that is of especial importance," he said. "This home, so generously contributed by our Catholic women, will not be a home for Catholic girls alone, but for girls of all creeds. Jewish and Protestant girls will be equally welcome. This home will be the center of women's activities and the pride of the Catholic women of Detroit in their accomplishment is entirely justifiable."

The new building, of brick and stone construction, is the outgrowth of the dream of an unknown donor who, 10 years ago, presented the League of Catholic Women with \$10 as the beginning of a building fund. Since that time, thousands of dollars have been contributed and raised by parties and campaigns of various kinds. In addition to dormitories and executive offices, the home will contain a large auditorium, a cafeteria and an infirmary.

PIONEER NUN COMPLETES FIFTY YEARS OF SERVICE

Jubilee Exercises at Adrian Attended by Many Friends of Veteran Teacher

Fifty years in the service of Christian education were solemnly commemorated at St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian, recently, when Sister M. Hieronyma, O. S. D., observed her golden jubilee as a member of the Order of St. Dominic.

A native of the Bronx, Sister Hieronyma entered the order in New York City, in September, 1875, at the age of 16. At that time, the Rule of St. Dominic was observed in its ancient severity and the nuns were strictly cloistered. A few years later the work of teaching was taken up by the community, and Sister Hieronyma and her companions were sent to Bay City, Mich., where they endured all the privations of pioneer life.

Subsequently she labored in the Marquette diocese and in the archdiocese of Chicago, but her greatest work has been done in St. Joseph's school, Port Huron, where she has spent 25 years and where she is stationed at the present time.

The jubilee mass was celebrated by the Rev. Fr. M. Walsh, of Fenton, with the Rev. Fr. J. D. Walsh, O. P., Chicago, as deacon, and the Rev. Fr. D. Wynn, O. P., Chicago, as sub-deacon. The Rev. A. Phibbin, chaplain of St. Joseph's Academy, acted as master of ceremonies. Present in the sanctuary were the Rev. Frs. F. W. McQueen and F. Schaeper, of Detroit; C. J. Meade, Chicago; J. Cotter, Williamston; J. McGuire, Aurora, Ill.; and P. A. McDerry, Cary, Ill. The sermon was delivered by Father McQueen.

CONVENTUAL CHAPEL DEDICATED BY BISHOP

Capuchin Chapel is Unique in Furnishings and Design

The conventual chapel of St. Bonaventure's Monastery on Mt. Elliott avenue, Detroit, which has been enlarged and completely re-decorated, was dedicated recently by Bishop Michael J. Gallagher, D. D.

This chapel of the Capuchin Fathers has long been a familiar spot to the faithful of Detroit and southern Michigan. While not a parochial edifice, thousands have visited it as the headquarters of the Third Order of St. Francis in the Detroit diocese. A striking feature of the chapel is the main altar, of beautifully carved wood, one of the few full-sized ornamented wood altars in the middle west. Flanking the main altar are two smaller altars, both of wood and both of medieval Gothic design.

In addition to the enlargements, which permit the seating of a considerably greater number of persons than in the past, the chapel has been lavishly decorated in oils, both on the ceiling and on the walls. The Very Rev. Benno Aichinger, O. M. Cap., who heads the Province of St. Joseph, is in charge of St. Bonaventure's Monastery.

evening a splendid program is being arranged for by C. H. McRorie, Superintendent of the schools, and Rev. E. E. Dressel, which will be followed by the evening address by some exceptional speaker that will be arranged for.

SCHOOL NOTES, DIST NO. 10

Miss Gertrude Battle, Teacher

The weekly class meeting was held at the school Friday at 3:00 P. M.

After a sharp talk given by the president of the class, Lyle Euler, reports were given by the following pupils:

"He Smiled His Way to the Governor's hair," Nellie Euler.

"Early American Inventors," Lyle Euler.

"How the President and Vice President are Nominated," Clifford Chambers.

"Short Talk on the Groesbeck Victory and Defeat," June Roberts.

The meeting was closed by the collection of dues and the singing of the Star Spangle Banner.

The children are working hard since the Xmas holidays.

CLUB NEWS

During the past week, Mrs. Hazel O'Dell, teacher of 15 Fr. School District of Cohoctah, has organized a Clothing and Handicraft Club in her school, and having the largest membership of any similar clubs in the county.

The following members are enrolled in the Handicraft Club: Gales Antcliff, President, Kenneth Olsen, Vice Pres., Dewitt Steinacker, Sec'y. and Treas., Kenneth Steinacker, Willard Steinacker, J. E. Knoop and Kern Steinacker.

Mr. Paul Steinacker was chosen as club leader to be assisted by an advisory board consisting of C. O. Olsen Royal Schrepfer, and Howard Steinacker.

The girls organized a clothing club with the following members: Doris Olsen, President, Isabel Maxwell, Vice Pres., Eva Frederickson Sec'y. and Treas., Carmon Schrepfer, Wilma Steinacker, Rosamond Frederickson, Minnie Miller, Crystal Steinacker and Dorothy Makins.

The teacher, Mrs. O'Dell will act as club leader and will be assisted by Mrs. C. C. Olsen, Mrs. Paul Steinacker and Mrs. Howard Steinacker who were chosen as members of the advisory board.

ANNUAL MEETING

George Gurrbach, specialist of the Dairy Department of the Michigan State College, addressed the farmers of the Livingston Cow Testing Association, at its sixth annual meeting held at Howell Friday, January 21st at the court house.

Report of last year's work was made by Chas. Metz, the association tester, and proved very interesting. County Agent Bolander in comparing the interest manifested in the work of this year with the past years stated that more than 80 per cent last year's members are continuing in the association, this number exceeding previous years by about 25 per cent, which certainly shows greater interest.

The following men were elected to fill the various offices for the ensuing year:

Chas. P. Read, Marion, President
 E. H. Morelock, Conway, Vice Pres.
 Stanley Latson, Genoa, Sec'y-Treas.
 Russell Livermore, Unadilla, and Thomas Armstrong, Iosco, Directors

The tester, Chas. Metz, has been retained for another year.

The following is the December report of the cow testing association showing a splendid gain in production. This month without a doubt exceeds any previous month on cows producing over 50 lbs. of butter fat in 30 days, 41 having reached the stake.

The two high herds for the month in 1 to 6 cow class goes to R. W. Darlington and L. D. Coffey, averaging 41.6 and 36.3 lbs. of butterfat per cow respectively. Armstrong Bros. whose herd produced 44.7 lbs. butterfat and Hays & Worthington whose herd produced 38.9 lbs. butterfat, on an average received the high herd honors for the 7 to 15 cow herd. In the large herd of 16 or more cow class, J. R. Crouse Farm and the Michigan State Sanatorium took high places with an average production of butterfat of 35.1 and 31.0 respectively.

The high individual cows according to age are as follows:

Under three years.

Herd	lbs milk	lbs. fat
Armstrong Bros.	1810	65.2
Mich. San.	1999	64.0
Armstrong Bros.	1574	59.8

Under four years.

J. R. Crouse	225	80.1
McPherson Vil. Farm	1670	66.8
Mich. San.	1574	55.1

Under five years.

Hays & Worthington	2507	75.2
Mature Class—five years and over.		
J. R. Crouse	27	80.6
Mich. San.	2507	75.2
R. W. Darlington	1925	73.1

CHURCH CORNERS

Senford Reason of Detroit spent last week with M. W. Allison and family.

Mrs. Karl Niskanen and daughter, Hertha, and son, Axel, of Fenton spent last Tuesday evening at the home of Ezra Brigham.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Gardner spent the week end in Wayne.

Robert Granger is driving a new Chevrolet touring car.

Mrs. V. G. Dinkel and Mr. and Mrs. Will Dunbar and daughters of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkel.

Mrs. A. J. Gaffney spent last week in Howell with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Gehringer, assisting in the care of her little granddaughter who has been seriously ill.

A number from this community attended the funeral of William Woods, which was held at Howell at Schnackenberg's funeral parlors last Thursday afternoon. Burial was at the Harger cemetery.

MARION

Irving Woodin of Sacramento, California, spent Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Charles P. Reed. Mr. Woodin is the sales manager of the California Fruit Grower's Association.

David Smith spent the week end in Ypsilanti with his mother.

Mrs. E. S. Nichols suffered a stroke of paralysis last week.

Mrs. Gus Smith and daughter, Marion, called on Mrs. Raymond Allen and daughter, Helen Mae, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gaffney were in Lansing Monday to visit their daughter, Mrs. Glen Miller.

Bruce Roberts and family spent Sunday at the Fred Moore home.

Krause VanGorder has been very ill the past two weeks with sciatic rheumatism. He is under the care of Dr. Hendron of Fowlerville.

Several young folks of this vicinity enjoyed a sleigh ride Saturday evening to the home of Nina Pfau.

Mrs. J. D. White was called to Jackson last week by the death of Mrs. Francis Ione Nile who died at the home of her son, Mervin Nile, after several months illness from cancer. Burial took place Friday at Middleberg, Indiana, cemetery.

UNADILLA

Warren Barton was a Detroit visitor last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Houch of North Lake spent Tuesday of last week with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hadley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Teachout and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Jacobs of Plainfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roepcke of Stockbridge and Julius Roepcke of Hartland visited at the Barney Roepcke home last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Barnhart and Milo Corser of Lansing were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Corser.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hadley were Jackson visitors last Saturday.

Mrs. Wirt Barnum and son, Clare were Jackson visitors last Sunday.

Maxine Marshall is ill with the flu. Will Collins who has been in the hospital in Ann Arbor returned home Friday with his neck and shoulders in a plaster paris cast. Mr. Collins fell from a load of hay recently and some of the ligaments in his shoulders were torn loose.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Marshall entertained Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hadley, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Hadley and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rose at a dinner party last Tuesday.

Mrs. Kate Lantis and family are sick with the with the grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Durkee of Jackson were Thursday evening callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cranna. Clarence Cranna has a new radio.

The Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church will meet with Mrs. Claude Rose this Wednesday and will serve dinner.

Agnes and Ruth Watson were in Ann Arbor last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hadley, Billy Travis and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Teachout were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Hadley Sunday.

Billy Pyper has the mumps.

Jay Hadley's little son, Jay Jr., broke his arm in several places while sliding down hill last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lawler called on Mr. and Mrs. William Goodband Sunday.

A WINTER COMMUNITY DAY

The town of Gregory and community have now definitely arranged for a Community Day to be held Friday, February 18th. Arrangements are being made to have a dinner served at the town hall at noon, with a program in the afternoon and evening. In the

It Pay To Know

The slip of paper which represents deposits and passes for currency is well named a Check.

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REGISTRATION NOTICE
 For
VILLAGE ELECTION

MONDAY, MARCH 14, 1927
 To the Qualified Electors of the Village of Pinckney, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law," I, the undersigned Village Clerk, will upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of any legal voter in said Village not already registered who may **APPLY TO ME PERSONALLY** for such registration. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Second Saturday before any regular, special or official primary election and the day of such election. The last day for General Registration does not apply to persons who vote under the Absent Voters' Law. (See Registration by Affidavit) **MARCH 5, 1927, LAST DAY** for General Registration by personal application for said election.

Notice is further given that I will be at my place of business on the third and fourth Saturdays before said election to review the Registration Book and Register Electors on **FEB. 19 AND FEB. 26, A. D. 1927** From 8 o'clock a. m. until 3 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of Reviewing the Registration and Registering such of the qualified electors in said Village as Shall Properly apply therefor.

The name of no person but an **ACTUAL RESIDENT** of the precinct at the time of registration, and entitled under the constitution, if remain-such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

REGISTRATION BY AFFIDAVIT
 Sec. 10--Registering of Electors: Regular Session of 1925--Any absent voter, as defined in this act, whose name is not registered and who shall claim the right to vote by absent voters' ballot at any election or primary election, may at the time of making application for absent voter's ballot present to the village clerk an affidavit for registration which shall be substantially the following form:
Affidavit for Registration
 State of Michigan
 County of Livingston

being duly sworn and say that I am a citizen and duly qualified elector of the village of Pinckney, in the county of Livingston and State of Michigan; that my postoffice address is Pinckney, Michigan; that I am not now registered as an elector therein and that I am voting by absent voters' ballot at the election (or primary election) to be held upon the _____ day of _____, 1927, the application for which ballot accompanies this application; that I make this affidavit for the purpose of procuring my registration as an elector in accordance with the statute; that I make the following statements in compliance with the Michigan Election Law: Age _____; Birthplace _____; Date of Naturalization _____
 I further swear or affirm that the answers given to the questions concerning my qualifications as an elector are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.
 Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____ 192____
 Signed _____
 My Commission expires _____ 192____

Notary Public in and for said County of Michigan.
 Note--If this acknowledgement is taken outside of the State, the Certificate of the Court that the person taking the acknowledgement is a notary must be attached.

Registration of Absentees by Oath
 Sec. 9.

If any person whose name is not registered shall offer and claim the right to vote at any election or primary election, and shall, Under Oath state that he or she is a resident of such precinct and has resided in the Village Twenty Days next preceding such election or primary election, designating particularly the place of his or her residence and that he or she possesses the other qualifications of an elector under the constitution; and that owing to the sickness or bodily infirmity of himself or herself or some member of his or her family, or owing to his or her absence from the Village on public business or his or her own business, and without intent to avoid or delay his or her registration, he or she was unable to make application for registration on the last day provided by law for the registering of electors preceding such election or primary election. If such applicant shall in said matter, wilfully make any false statement, he or she shall be deemed guilty of perjury, and upon conviction, be subject to the pains and penalties thereof.

All the provisions relative to registration in Townships and cities shall apply and be in force as to registration in Villages
 Dated February 1, A. D. 1927
 Nellie Gardner, Village Clerk.

GREGORY CHURCH NOTES

Milton W. Daessel, Pastor. Week of **Week of February 13-20**
 "Give God thy talent, whole and fresh, to be increased by early devotion and a lifelong fidelity in his service." This from the pen of Horace Bushnell calls for earnest life service to God. Show your fidelity to God and His Christ by reverent worship in his Home.
 The mid-week service on Thursday night will have for leader Mr. McKee Livingston Y. M. C. A. Sec'y. and the pastor is sure that you will miss something if you pass this meeting by. Give our Sec'y. a good hearing.
 Please remember that while the pastor hasn't announced a sermon topic for next Sunday there will be the regular services as usual. Preaching at 10:30 and 7:30. Sunday school at 11:30 and B. Y. P. U. at 6:30, the leader Wayne Farrel. Subject "Paul, the Apostle."
 There will be a splendid meeting at the hall in the interests of the farmers Friday. Ladies will serve dinner. Rev. McDonald will speak in the evening.

CHUBB'S CORNERS

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hoisel visited Mrs. Clarence Stackable at St. Joseph's hospital Ann Arbor last Thursday.
 Mrs. C. Kingsley and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Niskanen at Fern on Sunday.
 Sanford Reason of Detroit spent the week end at the home of M. W. Allison.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jay Brigham and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Brigham were in Ann Arbor Thursday.
 Miss Louise Granger spent Sunday at Howell the guest of the Misses Haasher.
 Mr. and Mrs. Jay Brigham spent Friday in Dearborn.
 Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kew and family spent Sunday at the home of Albert Dinkel.
 Mr. and Mrs. Albert Schuler who have sold their farm have purchased a home in Pinckney where they will soon move.

GREGORY

Mrs. Mike Heselschwerdt and son, Edward, were in Ann Arbor Saturday.
 Miss Lois Worden spent Wednesday to Sunday with her sister here.
 Vere Worden and family and F. A. Worden took Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bollinger.
 Henry Thompson and sister, Miss Addie Thompson, of Dansville were Sunday guests of their sister, Mrs. Fred Bollinger.
 Dr. and Mrs. Holt and son, Junior, of Stockbridge called at the C. F. Bollinger home Sunday.
 Rev. Dressel and Mrs. Hichue were in Ann Arbor Friday to call on Milford Hichue who is at the U of M hospital. His friends will be pleased to know he is improving.
 Mrs. Gertrude Bradshaw of Jackson spent part of last week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Chipman.
 Lucy Tuttle is staying with Mr. and Mrs. Vet Bullis this winter.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid and family were in Jackson Thursday on business and called on Mrs. Reid's sister Mrs. Wayne Bradshaw.
 Mrs. Frankie Baker has returned to her home from Stockbridge where she has been nursing.
 Miss Francis McCleer was home from Jackson for the week end.
 Mrs. Alice Owens and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Heselschwerdt were in Jackson Thursday.
 Neil McCleer of Ann Arbor spent from Wednesday to Sunday with his parents.

The basket ball game between the Munith and Gregory teams last Tuesday were won by Gregory. The scores being as follows: Girl's game, Munith 3, Gregory 43; Boy's game Munith 15, Gregory 18; Independents, Munith 14, Gregory 20.

Mrs. Monica McKune and James and Margaret Kuhn were Jackson callers Wednesday.
 Agnes McGee has scarlet fever.

Fred Howlett was in Ann Arbor Tuesday.
 Leo Spranger returned from Ann Arbor Friday. He has been having his hand treated at the hospital.

The basket ball game Friday night between Gregory and Fowlerville second team was won by Fowlerville by a score of 26 to 6.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Peck and family and Mrs. Belle Leach and Elizabeth and Madeline called on Lansing friends Sunday.

Howard Howlett of Ann Arbor visited his parents over the week end.
 The debate at the hall Saturday night between Leslie and Gregory teams was won by Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Howlett of Detroit spent the week end with his parents.

Will Slavin of Howell and E. A. Kuhn spent a part of last week in Marion, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Kernan of Lansing were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mapes.

Rev. and Mrs. Dressel and Ruth McRobbie were in Ann Arbor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Barrett spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Howlett.

Rev. and Mrs. Dressel were in Howell and Hartland last Wednesday in the interest of the county Sunday school work.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whitehead and Ecatrice Lamborne were in Jackson Saturday.

Mr. Bolander and the Howell postmaster were in Gregory Saturday on business relative to the Farmers Institute on Friday, Feb. 18.

Miss Vida Keebaudh and Indian friend and Florence Powell were in church Sunday. Miss Powell is from Plainfield and the others are from Ann Arbor and Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Hazel Breniser and Ariene and Bernita Rowe called on Rev. and Mrs. Bachus at Millville Saturday.

Mrs. Ed Brotherton of Stockbridge spent Monday afternoon with her daughter, Mrs. Melvin Conk.

Emory Hoard who has been ill is improving.

If a certain telephone company is aiming for efficiency service they can be said to have attained the pre-ultimate of success. For instance if the wife of one of our local merchants whose home is a few rods from his place of business, wishes to call her husband home to dinner, she proceeds thus, calls the telephone central of an adjoining town, gets Gregory central over the Bell line, Gregory calls said husband who pays 10c toll. Neatness and dispatch to the 9th degree. This policy has at least one point in its favor. It will probably save wear and tear on the telephone belonging to the company.

NOTICE

W. J. Tiplady of Dexter having sold his farm will sell his personal property at Public Auction on Tuesday, March 1st. Watch for bills later.

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BUSINESS CHANGE

Joe Gentile who has conducted a fruit store and ice cream parlor in this village on two different occasions is coming back to Pinckney again. He left her last September and opened a store at Brighton which he later sold and went to Detroit and went into the grocery and meat business. He has now traded his Detroit store for the Pinckney Restaurant and Ice Cream Parlor and will take possession at once. He is glad to be back and says there is no place like Pinckney.

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

A number of friends and relatives of C. G. Smith of Lakeland gathered at his home Sunday to help him celebrate his 77th birthday. Among those present were his son, Guy Smith of Cleveland, Ohio and his daughter, Mrs. John R. Strain of Wichita, Kansas, Dr. Gardner and Mrs. Drouillard of Detroit, Edward Drowery and Mrs. Addie Kice of Howell, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Kice and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baughn of Pinckney. A fine dinner was served and the afternoon was spent in renewing old friendships.

Lyle Hendee and family of Ann Arbor and Paul Miller and family of Howell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hendee.

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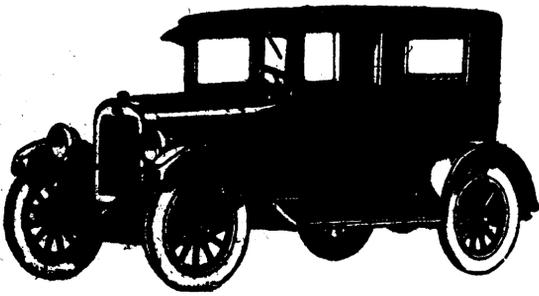
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LOCAL AND GENERAL

Mrs. John Bradley and daughter and Mrs. H. W. Davis and family of Pontiac visited at the home of M. P. and Mrs. James Docking Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coyle were in Howell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reason were Ypsilanti callers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Lavey and family of Gregory were Sunday visitors at the home of Pat Lavey.

Miss Nellie Gardner visited relatives Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hoff and son, James were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Eliza Gardner.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Blanchard of Dexter at the Pinckney Sanatorium on Friday, January 21, a son. Mrs. Blanchard was formerly Mary Devine, a granddaughter of Mrs. Mary Haney.

Miss Ola Docking was home from Detroit over the week end.

C. A. Weddige spent the week end in Detroit.

Mrs. W. H. Gardner was in Howell one day last week.

Lee Lavey was a Jackson visitor last Thursday.

Mrs. S. H. Carr, Mrs. Robt. Jack and Mrs. Harry Lee attended the Washtenaw Kings Daughter's convention at Ann Arbor last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Pacey were the guests of Fowlerville relatives last Friday.

Allen Bowman of Marion underwent an operation at the Pinckney Sanatorium for mastoid Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Swarthout were Dexter visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hendee were Stockbridge Monday.

Walter Clark attended the auto show at Detroit Monday.

Mrs. Anna Henry is spending a few weeks with Mrs. Sam Wasson of near Stockbridge.

Roy Clinton is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Kuhn, of Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Hendee and family of Ann Arbor were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Burgess.

Mrs. R. T. Read and Mrs. Ida Fiedler were in Howell Monday.

Mrs. V. G. Dinkel was home from Jackson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Martin spent Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer of Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Swarthout and son of Jackson were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout.

The Lakeland Kings Daughters were very pleasantly entertained at the home of Mrs. August Tessmer last Thursday afternoon. Mrs. E. W. Hinckley of Hamburg, will be the hostess on January 26th.

A. D. Swarthout and W. Swarthout of Detroit were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Swarthout last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Shehan were Howell callers Sunday.

Emory Dietrich of Howell underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Pinckney Sanatorium Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rathbone are Detroit visitors this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ona Campbell were in Howell one day last week.

Duane Lavey of Howell spent the week end with Pinckney relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith were in Detroit last Friday.

The following people from here attended the banquet at Howell last Thursday night given in honor of Hon. Lynn Gardner: Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baughn, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reason, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kice, Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Frye, Mr. and Mrs. Will Shehan, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Roche, Miss Madeline Roche, Roche Shehan, Rev. Frank McQuillan, Ambrose Murphy, L. J. Hendee and Wirt Hendee.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Martin and little daughter, Mary Ellen, of Lansing were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin.

Bob Dancer of Stockbridge was a Pinckney visitor Monday.

Theodore Seligen purchased a Chevrolet sedan of Slayton & Parker last week.

W. C. Miller was in Lansing on business Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Amberguey and Mrs. Flora Darrow visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Allen of Lansing Sunday.

James Smith and Harry Frost attended the funeral of Wm. Woods at Howell last Thursday.

Mrs. Albert Haller, Mrs. Andrew Torch and son of Detroit were visitors at the home of Russell Bokros several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George VanHorn of Howell were Saturday evening callers at the home of Prof. and Mrs. J. P. Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Schoenhals of Chelsea were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lake.

Mrs. Will Chambers and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dillingham were Lansing visitors Saturday.

Mrs. Ross Read and Mrs. Fred Read were Howell visitors one day last week.

S. E. Darwin spent the week end in Lansing.

Mrs. Michael Lavey, Mrs. L. C. Lavey and sons and Miss Laura Hoff were in Howell Saturday.

Mrs. Earl Mason spent the week end in Detroit.

Adrian Lavey was in Howell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reason were in Ann Arbor last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo Kettler were in Howell Tuesday.

Miss Dorothy Carr spent the week end with Lakeland relatives.

Rev. Frank McQuillan was in Ann Arbor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Connors of Jackson were Saturday visitors at the home of Mrs. J. H. Connors.

Mrs. C. L. Sigler was the guest of Howell relatives Thursday.

Miss Madeline Roche and Roche Shehan spent Sunday with relatives in Ionia.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Dunbar and family of Jackson visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunbar Sunday.

R. E. Clinton of Detroit was a visitor Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bortz of Ypsilanti were week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin.

Mrs. E. A. Kuhn of Gregory spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Louis Clinton.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wallace of Ann Arbor were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reason.

John Hornshaw visited Detroit relatives several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roche and son, James, of Fowlerville were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Roche.

John Chambers and Henry Johnson were in Lansing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith and family spent Sunday with relatives in Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Plummer and son, Douglas, were Gregory visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Frye were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Duning of Howell.

Clifford VanHorn was in Detroit on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Allen and son of Howell were Sunday visitors at the home of Will Docking.

Carl Hinckley of Detroit is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford VanHorn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meyer were Detroit visitors Tuesday.

Bert Roche and wife spent Sunday with Prof. and Mrs. Russel West of Mt. Clemens.

Miss Gertrude Battle was in Ann Arbor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Smith and son of Howell were Sunday visitors at the home of William Doyle.

Mr. and Mrs. B. D. Amberguey were in Pontiac last Thursday.

Victor Johnson of Detroit spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Teeple entertained Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. George Green and Edward Drewery of Howell.

Mrs. Ruth Manning was in Stockbridge Friday.

Dr. W. C. Wylie of Dexter was in Pinckney Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Monks and daughter, Marie, of Jackson were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Murphy.

Calvin Hooker was in Howell Monday evening.

Ambrose Murphy and Kenneth Reason attended the Michigan basketball game at Ann Arbor Monday night.

S. H. Carr finished filling his ice house at Portage Lake last Thursday.

Because of the heavy snow that blankets Michigan the state conservation department has instructed conservation officers and their deputies in all sections to put out feed for quail and pheasants. District conservation officers request all persons knowing the location of quail or pheasant coveys in this section to notify him in order that feed may be provided for the birds while the snow covers the natural food. Cracked corn and low grade wheat are used for feeding the birds. The conservation officers began putting out corn last week in districts known to be frequented by quail or pheasants and they will continue the work as long as the snow remains.

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Cunning Forgery Plot Is Revealed

Girl's Fascination for Ice Machine Helps in Solving Big Crime.

New York.—The cast of "The Great Capitol Theater \$148,000 Check Forgery" includes a sign painter, a Fatty Arbuckle-sized elevator boy, a girl fascinated by an automatic ice-producing machine, an elderly and innocent New Jersey business man of established honesty and several as yet unidentified persons. The elevator boy, who admits, according to the police, that he got \$1,500 out of the \$148,000, is held in the Tombs on a forgery charge. The girl is being detained as a material witness.

William Roedel, the elevator operator, is what detectives call a "sap" or "sucker." He was not, according to the charge against him, unaware of the plot. But he was so naive that he got but a fraction of his share of the loot. The respectable business man was E. P. Ford, sixty-four years old.

Mr. Ford knew nothing of the plot, and when he finally became suspicious, notified the authorities. The sign painter, whose name is either unknown or being withheld, was the "master mind" in a scheme as clever as any that clever criminals have yet evolved. Nancy Kirby, the girl interested in refrigeration, was merely Roedel's sweetheart.

The largest, if not the chief, character in the plot, was Roedel. The elevator boy had been an object of pride, if also of some embarrassment, at the Capitol theater on Broadway. Once he had been a slender chap, but the ease of his life caused him to grow rapidly. Hired eight years ago, he was becoming so large that passengers in the building began to complain that no one else could get into his elevator. He weighed 250 pounds.

The Moredall Realty corporation runs the Capitol theater. One of its rules has been never to discharge an employee who was faithfully performing his duties. Even the most exacting official could not complain that Roedel was doing anything else. If he was growing corpulent it was an act of God and certainly not a cause for discharge. There were no other places vacant in the theater and he could not be transferred.

So Roedel continued operating the elevator, even if casual inspectors making their periodical examinations of the machinery looked at him with a suspicious eye and intimated that they were going to reduce the number of persons legally permissible as long as he continued to operate the hoist. "Fatty"—so he was called by his phrase-making fellow workers—was paid \$28 a week and seemed contented.

Liked His Job.
His salary may not have been com-

Realty corporation. All that he was to do, in return for \$15,000, was to admit them to the offices of the corporation. The whole thing was to be done on a high plane—no safe-blowing, robbery or gun-play.

"You're the kind of a man that could use money," they told him. "You ought to be a heavy spender—not just a \$28-a-week elevator pusher. With fifteen grand you can have a swell time. Haven't you got a girl that can help you have a good time?"

The picture was, too alluring for Roedel, as he thought of the luxury-loving Nancy Kirby, and he gave in. He closed his eyes. The sign painter and his associates went into the Moredall Realty corporation offices one night, got out the company's check book and wrote two checks—each for \$76,500. They used the special machine by which authentic checks of the company are identified, handed Roedel \$1,500 in part payment of his share and departed.

Hire an Executive.
Then they left Manhattan and took up headquarters in Newark. Their first step there was to insert an advertisement in a newspaper saying that they wanted an executive to operate an office. This was in the name of the Foveo Products company. Mr. Ford answered their advertisement and agreed to a salary of \$150 a week and a share of the profits. He was told to open offices in the Military Park building in Newark, engage stenographic help and prepare for a rush of business. One of his supposed employers called himself Howard P. Dwyer and the other went by the name of Graham.

Soon afterward the two men came in with checks that they wished to deposit. They told Ford to open an account, and he did so, in his own name, at the National Newark and Essex Banking company. He was told to deposit two checks, each for \$76,500 each drawn on the Equitable Trust company of New York, and each apparently signed by the Moredall Realty corporation. Dwyer and Graham explained they were the profits from a real estate deal. Ford deposited the checks.

A few days later the two business men breezed in smoking big cigars. Ford had been slightly puzzled by the fact that he had been asked to do nothing at all. But his employers explained all this by saying that a big deal, which was to start everything, was hanging fire. They told him to draw \$68,500 in cash. This he did. The next day they said to draw \$79,500 additional, leaving \$5,000 on deposit. Ford also did this.

From then on, for almost a week, Ford sat in his office and waited for developments in Washington. He became suspicious that his employers were not entirely honest and suggest-

Montreal Man Lays Claim to Labrador

London.—Rev. Isaac de la Penho of the Sephardi congregation of Spanish and Portuguese Jews at Montreal has just submitted to the privy council of the British empire a modest claim to ownership of the whole of Labrador. The land claimed comprises 511,000 square miles—about ten times the area of England.

Penho bases his claim, according to the Jewish World, upon a charter granted to one Joseph de la Penho, a wealthy merchant of Rotterdam, by King William III.

According to Reverend Penho his ancestor on one occasion saved King William and several members of the royal family from drowning when shipwrecked, and the king in appreciation bestowed upon "Joseph de la Penho and his heirs possession of Labrador."

heard that "Fatty" Roedel had resigned his job at the Capitol.

"This was a thin clue to work on. Doing so they heard that Roedel had a girl friend named Nancy and they looked up some of the girl's friends. Where was she living? The friends said they did not know, but some of them remarked that there had been reports that she seemed to be prospering.

"She's living in a flat where there's an ice-making machine," the detectives finally were told.

Fascinated by Machine.
This proved a fertile source of information. If developed that Nancy Kirby was living at No. 7 West Ninth street, a fine new apartment hotel at the corner of Fifth avenue, where there were refrigerating machines in each apartment. Nancy had promised "Fatty" that she would keep quiet about their sudden affluence. But the ice machine was too much for her.

"All you do," she told friends, "is to slip a tray of water in it. In a couple of minutes you yank it out and you have a lot of small cubes of ice. It's just like magic."

Her friends were properly impressed, so much so that when detectives crossed their trail they told of it. Then followed the unhappy evening recently when the operatives called at the Fifth avenue apartment. "Fatty" himself, gorgeous in a brocade bathrobe, opened the door. He looked at the men and knew at once who they were.

"Come on in," he said. "I saw you at the Capitol last week. I'll tell you all about it. I'm tired of this Fifth avenue stuff, anyway. Give me Second avenue every time."

The detectives removed their derby hats and went in. They found the place stocked with cigars, candies and fruits. "Fatty" had been partial to these. They also found Nancy, unhappy and bitterly regretting she had told her friends in various motion picture theater ticket cages what she had struck it rich. The rent of the place, it developed, was \$325 a month.

Roedel was taken in charge by the police and so was the girl. He talked freely, the police say, about the sign painter and his friends and about how he had permitted them to enter the offices of the Moredall Realty corporation.

"Fatty" admitted that he had been played for an easy thing. They never paid him more than the \$1,500. He had ten \$100 bills and \$15 in small bills with him. The rest had been spent for the necessities of life on Fifth avenue. He begged the detectives to let him keep the \$15 as a souvenir of his days of luxury.

One Man Spends Time in Collecting Odd Names

Tacoma, Wash.—Speaking of names, D. W. Clapsaddle declares he has found many others as bad or worse than his own. For twenty-five years he has carried a book in which he jots down names of people whose nomenclature is unusual, and it contains a Whiteleather, Turnipseed, Waggon-wheel, Leatherberry, Grindstone, Shears, Brickbat, and Whetstone. The shortest he has heard of is Ek.

Dogs Start Fire

South Weare, N. H.—Two dogs fighting in a barn near here caused a \$3,000 fire. They upset a lantern.

GRASSHOPPERS, ONCE PEST, ARE NOW MISSED IN WYOMING

Cowboy Stats Now Ready to Declare Truce With Ancient Enemy and Welcome Them Back.

Cheyenne, Wyo.—Wyoming wants more grasshoppers. The cowboy state is ready not only to declare a truce with its ancient enemy, but to bid the pest welcome home to the Big Horn basin.

In the Wyoming of antiquity the hoppers flew in clouds thick enough to obscure the sun. Five years ago the basin had plenty. The plague did its annual damage to farm crops. Turkeys were introduced to combat the insects, and did so successfully. They roated the hoppers from the farm land and pursued the depleted insect army to mountain terrain.

Now a severe decline threatens the grasshopper crop and lamentations are being heard from the ranchmen, who, in the meantime have discovered that

they can reap enormous profits from turkeys, grown half wild on the grasshopper range in the mountain foothills. The turkey growing industry has increased by leaps and bounds; grasshoppers have accordingly declined. Grasshopper preserves for the propagation of turkey food are a possibility of the future.

Big Horn basin turkeys, excelling others because the climate and food conditions found in the basin make it a natural paradise for turkeys, already are famous all over the United States for their superiority. They are sought eagerly by dealers, who pay exceptional prices to the growers. A cent a pound being the 1925 rate. Big Horn basin ranchmen can grow rich on turkeys if only they can produce enough fowls. An unlimited number of fowls can be produced if only the grasshopper range bears up. As matters are, production cost is one-third, or less, of the selling price.

Carnegie Hero Works Way Through College

Eugene, Ore.—Although he has access to \$1,600 from the Carnegie hero fund, awarded him in addition to a medal for bravery, Vernon Callaway, University of Oregon senior, is working his way through school by washing dishes. This became known when trustees of the Carnegie fund wrote the university for a record of Callaway's scholastic standing.

Callaway received the awards for attempting to save the life of a schoolmate at St. Joe, Idaho. The ice broke while the boys were skating and the friend fell through.

Callaway jumped in and tried to keep him from sinking until help came. The boy drowned, however, before help came.

Glad to Pay

Philadelphia.—Bernard J. Willis is happy to pay a fine of \$100 to a bachelors' club for getting married. Mrs. Willis recently won a bathing-beauty contest.

POULTRY

INFLUENCES ON VALUE OF EGGS

Eggs vary in size and color, but investigations show that healthy hens, fed normal rations, lay eggs that are consistently of good quality. However, there are many factors that influence the market value of eggs, most of which are within the control of the producer and dealer of eggs.

Eggs are not bought and sold by the pound, but the size of the eggs causes considerable difference in their value. "Extras" must weigh 46 pounds net per case of 30 dozen.

This is an average of slightly over two ounces per egg. "Extra firsts" must weigh 44 pounds per case. The proper selection of breeding stock is undoubtedly the biggest factor in securing eggs of good size, although the size is influenced to some extent by proper feeding.

Cleanliness has an important influence on the value of eggs. Dirty eggs deteriorate more rapidly than clean eggs, do not present as pleasant an appearance, are not fit for storage, and, therefore, do not sell for as high a price as eggs that are clean. Dirty eggs may be largely eliminated by providing plenty of clean nests which are well supplied with clean litter. On rainy days it may be helpful to keep the hens confined until 10 a. m., when most of the hens will be through laying for the day.

Some markets pay a premium for white eggs. A few markets pay a premium for brown eggs. Dealers seldom pay a premium for eggs of one color, as compared with mixed colors. In shipping eggs, it is necessary to take this characteristic of the market into consideration. Uniformity of color is always appreciated and this is one of the advantages gained by improving the flock through the use of improved stock.

Eggs may be of the same size and color but vary considerably in market value. This is on account of the difference in quality of the interior. Most eggs are good when they are first laid, but different methods of handling influence the quality to a large extent. Therefore, the problem of handling eggs is important as well as proper management of the flock.

Singing Hen Not Happy as Many People Thought

Singing hens have long been thought to be happy when, in fact, she sings only when all is not well in poultrydom. Hens, like human beings, are at most all very temperamental. The singing of a hen must not be confused with clucking. Biddy's song starts softly, proceeds without break for as long as breath will allow, and often ends in a high, nasal intonation. If the hen finds no suitable place to lay, she sings; when all the nests are full and she can't find one, she sings. Song gives vent to her feelings if hunger is troubling her, or thirst. She sings in strange surroundings like the small boy sent on an errand in the dark. Worry and shyness also bring song. She tries by singing to make herself look brave and at home at times when her self-assurance has been shaken.

Poultrymen who want to keep their flocks in perfect contentment will keep them from singing.

Rations Fed to Layers Are Lacking in Protein

During recent experiments at the Nebraska Agricultural college, it was found that rations fed to laying hens were commonly lacking in some form of complete protein like meat meal, skim milk, tankage, dried buttermilk, or liquid buttermilk. An addition of six pounds of high-grade tankage to a typical corn-belt ration increased the egg production from 59 in the check pen to 123 eggs per hen in the tankage-fed lot. Skim milk or buttermilk, when available at all times, may take the place of meat meal or tankage in the mash mixture, but it is necessary that each hen consume about 110 pounds of milk in a year in order to get the equivalent protein furnished by six pounds of tankage.

Separate Breeding Pen

Many seem to have acquired the idea that keeping a separate breeding pen means a considerable expense and much extra labor for the farmer. This is not the case or if there are such cases it is unnecessary. Maintaining a breeding pen simply means that the best birds in the flock are selected and placed by themselves during the breeding season. The breeding pen furnishes eggs for hatching during the hatching season. This means that the chicks will be much improved.

Importance of Rooster

The male is as important in poultry as in dairying. Be sure that he is out of a good flock. It does not matter whether or not he is a cockerel, or an old cock, as long as he has a good physical make-up, plenty of fight, and fully matured. Males show a preference for certain hens, and there should be plenty of males in the flock. The number of females and males, and the relation between them, depends upon breed characteristic, size of flock, and time of season.

Know Your Sweetheart by His Handwriting

By EDNA PURDY WALSH
Editor, Character Reader Magazine.

Is He Jealous?

Do not confuse jealousy with love. It is born of suspicion, distrust and selfishness. The very suspicious, distrustful person is naturally secretive himself.

penetrates and if his writing is combined with all T Bars Close Top of Bar, the signs to follow, of selfishness, domineering qualities

and lack of taste, he will be dangerously jealous. Closed and looped s's indicate secretiveness, but they may not be combined with other signs of selfishness. They may indicate in some writing an ability to hold the tongue and to conserve money, so be just in your judgment, and look for other signs combined.

An interesting sign of suspicion is an angular, contracted, p, h, m, or n with the tops of the curves squeezed together, with the curve missing at the base.

The more the terminals of words curve back to the left, the more the capitals are wrapped up in themselves, the more self-centered will the individual be. And it is the self-centered person who is jealous, sensitive, suspiciously imaginative. The writing full of sharp, contracted narrow letters is of course more critical than the rounded writing with comparative width between the strokes, but here again, this criticism may be constructive.

Is He Cruel?

Cruelty is the effect of selfishness. The inspiration for the cruel act is the desire for personal satisfaction or gain.

The signs of cruelty in writing are easily read. A good test is to try to

get out

Downward Thrusts.

scription

Daggerlike T-Bars.

write a few lines when angry. The points of violent emphasis will then be seen.

Whenever down strokes are made heavier than usual, and heavier than the rest of the writing, the writer will gain his end sometimes with force. T bars which descend to the right with a pronounced pressure indicate a mind capable of much anger.

A very narrow margin and words cramped and close together, written in a heavy style showing uneven pressure, written in an untidy way, show a type of mind that puts personal interests first. Sharply pointed letters, and dagger-thrust t bars show an inclination to cut with the tongue.

Cruelty shows in the writing as though the writer was shouting at the top of his voice.

Flattery

Does he flatter you or does he compliment you? Does he like flattery or does he just want to know of your appreciation? His writing tells you.

My Darling

Loops and Curls of Flattery.

Her writing tells you. Look for these signs in the writing:

Look at the capital M. If the start is made high, with a flourish or definite curl, you can expect habits in the writer such as saying things for effect. Perfectly round o's and a's show a writer who likes to hear the pleasant things—usually unconcerned as to the real truth of the pretty words.

Underscoring the signature with scrolls and loops entwining indicates a character who has extreme vanity and who tells others nice things in order to gain his own end. And a secret few know is that this writer is decidedly affected by flattery.

Wherever unnecessary loops are to be found there also can be found the sign that shows the writer to be affectations and flowery in word composition. Open letters such as the a and o indicate a desire to flatter on the part of the writer.

Note.—Do not make final judgment until other signs in writing are studied.

Cut Magellan's Time

Magellan's ship made the first journey around the world in 12 days less than three years (1519-1522). The record made by Evans and Wells on arriving in New York on July 14, 1923, was 28 days, 14 hours, 58 minutes, 5 seconds. The Evans-Wells mileage schedule was: By rail (and motor car), 4,100; by plane, 6,300; by steamer, 8,000.

Left-Handed Virtue

Don't hold that a mistake is necessarily serious. Many a man has done a good deed by mistake.

Too Much "Acid?"

Remove This Acid Cause to Many Unpleasant Troubles.

AUTHORITIES agree that an excess of uric acid is probably due to faulty kidney action. Retention of this toxic material often makes its presence felt by such painful joints, a tired, languid feeling and sometimes, toxic headache and rashes. That the kidneys are not functioning right is often shown by scanty or burning passages of secretions. Doan's sends under their kidney each time by the use of Doan's Pills—a stimulant diuretic. Doan's are recommended by many local people. Ask your neighbor!

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Severe Test Made of Steel Girders

Looking at the thick steel girders of a bridge, or of a large building under construction, it seems as though nothing short of an earthquake could break their rigidity.

Yet, for the biggest single span bridge in the world, in course of erection across Sydney harbor in New South Wales, Australia—the steel work for which is being constructed by an English firm—an entirely new steel-testing machine has been built.

This machine will be housed in a workshop at Middlesbrough, and will test the compression and straining power of each of the girders, which are to be sent separately to Australia.

No previous steel-testing machine has been so powerful as this new British one, which is capable of exerting a force of 1,250 tons. With the greatest possible ease it can tear to pieces a steel bar six inches thick.

Stop Croup in 15 Minutes

Croup usually comes suddenly—at midnight—without warning. Be prepared to open the dangerously clogged throat at once. Have on hand this physician's prescription which often brings relief in 15 minutes—no vomiting. Used in millions of homes for 25 years. The quickest known relief for Coughs, Colds and Whooping Cough. If you have children, get a bottle of this time-tried remedy—Dr. Drake's Glisocin from your druggist. Only 50c a bottle.—Adv.

Proof Enough

"I must tell you this story. I don't think I have told it to you before."
"Is it really a funny story?"
"Yes, awfully funny."
"Then you have never told it to me before!"—Kasper, Stockholm.

Too often, in an amateur show—a good time was had by all" except those who had to look on.

She neglects her heart who studies her glass.—Lavater.

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100% Pure Glycerine Soap. 25c a box. 50c a dozen. Cuticura Soap Co., New York, N. Y.



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FIND TWO COMETS IN SINGLE DAY

Scientists Hang Up New Astronomical Record.

Boston, Mass.—Discovery of a new comet on the same day as the rediscovery of an old one...

The new comet was picked up by Dr. J. Comas-Sola...

When discovered, it was in the constellation of Coma...

Neujmin's comet was the celestial visitor which returned...

When rediscovered on this trip, Neujmin's comet was in the constellation of Leo...

France May Sell Prison of 'Man in Iron Mask'

Paris.—Plans of the French government to sell the island of Ste. Marguerite...

The island of Ste. Marguerite, which is about four miles in circumference...

Rain-Making Machinery Constructed in Russia

Leningrad.—A factory for building rain-making machinery is under construction here...

360-Pound Snake Caught After More Than a Year

Rio de Janeiro.—A giant "Sucuri" snake, member of the boa family...

Otherwise All Right

New York.—Thomas F. Manville, Jr., heir of millions...

Device May Help Find Ships on Ocean's Bed

Tacoma, Wash.—Forgotten tragedies of the Pacific may soon be revealed...

SO MANY ALIASES, FORGOT OWN NAME

Crook Apparently Puzzled for Some Time.

New York.—A criminal of many aliases was being interrogated by detectives...

His captors were fairly familiar with his numerous aliases...

The crook examined the list intently and appeared puzzled...

Would Like to Forget. "I think this fellow," said a detective...

"After being initiated into the criminal fraternity the crook resolves to cast aside his own name...

He decides to take a name, and while he is a criminal that name will suffice for his purpose...

Government Railroad Reports \$1,116,000 Loss

Washington.—While the railroads throughout the United States are enjoying their greatest period of prosperity...

Here Are New Words, Take 'Em or Leave 'Em

London.—Mayfair has developed two new slang words which are now being worked overtime...

Sand Heralds Artificial Lighting

Darrington, Wash.—Here's a mighty interesting incident, if true, vouched for by George Van Cleave...

Anatomy of Hindu Lad Seems to Be All Wrong

Bombay.—Medical science is baffled by the strange case of a Hindu lad of thirteen...

Freak Chickens Subject of Study by Zoologist

Philadelphia.—Chickens with two wings and four legs and even with four wings and four legs...

CONSTANTINOPLE MAY CHANGE NAME

City by the Bosphorus Known by Many Titles.

Washington.—The suggestion has been made in Turkey that Constantinople be renamed for Kemal Pascha...

Constantinople has had many names at various times...

"Not for 400 years has Constantinople been Constantinople to the Turks. It is Stamboul to them...

"Emperor Constantine, for whom Constantinople is named, did not himself give it that name...

"It was the Greeks who called it Constantinopolis and finally it became Constantinople...

"Turks have had other affectionate names for Constantinople just as Americans call New York, Father Knickerbocker...

Treasure Trove

At Grand Rapids, Mich., Hugh P. Perry is showing a diamond ring appraised at \$500...

Preparing for a Career

"Why don't you get your boy Josh to help you?" "I don't want to interrupt him..."

"DANDELION BUTTER COLOR"

A harmless vegetable butter color used by millions for 50 years...

The Rebound

"That new club member struck me as having money." "That must have been after he struck me."

Dragons Die in Captivity

Both of the giant lizards captured on the island of Komodo, near Java, and brought to New York have died...

On the Ritalo

"Is that educated dog a part of your act?" "I'm a part of his act."

Temperamental

"Temperamental" usually applies to those who are long on the temper and short on mental.

Children Cry for



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Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN

SAY "BAYER ASPIRIN" and INSIST! Proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for...

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Safe Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions...

Catarrh Now Cleared in 3 Minutes

This wonderful discovery opens up the nose and throat and makes it easy to breathe...

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Suffering from Headaches, Sour Stomach and Sluggish Liver, Boat Builder Recovers Health. Thanks Tanlac

The remarkable experience of W. E. Croswell of 4243 Vermont Avenue, Detroit...



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quick, efficient, economical, ever on-the-job, give modern housewives the comfort and leisure denied to the women of an older generation—
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The Detroit Edison Company

Post This Sign on YOUR Hen House

Let's Drive the Poultry Thieves out of Michigan

Stealing chickens, ducks and turkeys from the farms of this State has proven so profitable that we are fighting an organized gang of bandits who use motor trucks to rush their spoils to city markets. It has got to stop.

The Michigan Business Farmer has set aside ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS (\$1,000.00) to be paid in rewards to anyone, including state and county police officers, who secures the evidence and conviction of poultry thieves who steal chickens, ducks, turkeys or guinea fowl from its subscribers.

FIRST REWARD PAID

Frank Watkins, R. 2, Holly, Michigan, was paid the first reward under this offer. The thief he caught served 30 days in the Oakland county jail and paid \$65 fine. Frank has \$50 to show for ridding Michigan of one poultry thief.

If You Are a Poultry Raiser

you need this protection and this paper is cooperating in this campaign by offering three signs, (size 6x8 inches like the above) to be posted on your farm buildings, a certificate of membership in the Michigan Business Farmer Service and Protective Bureau, a one year new or renewal subscription to

The Michigan BUSINESS FARMER

THE PINCKNEY DISPATCH \$1.50 per year

SCHOOL NOTES

Semester tests are to be given this week Thursday and Friday.

Mr. Kaphma, representing the State Department of Public Instruction and the University of Michigan made a thorough study and inspection of the Pinckney school last week. He expressed himself as highly pleased with the work and the organization of the school, however he is expected to offer a few suggestions which will call for some improvements to be made in a physical way. When his final recommendations reach the school they will be published in the school notes.

Michigan History was made the base of study for many classes today Wednesday, January 26. Ninety years ago Michigan became a state.

The basket ball team goes to Saline Friday, February 4.

Declamations and debates hold the attention of many students. Miss Harris has charge of the declamations.

A play suitable for the school is being chosen at this time.

The Freshman class in Community Civics pledged themselves to support a citizenship organization that tends to make better citizens and better students. Each Freshman may earn five points daily in citizenship. The executive board will announce the points earned by each at the end of the month. Watch for the report and see those earning the highest number.

DEXTER WINS

The Dexter Independents defeated the Pinckney team at Pinckney last Thursday night by a score of 28 to 10. The Dexter team who had several college stars in their line-up were too fast and shifty for the local boys who were lacking in experience. However they put up a hard fight and kept the score fairly low. The visitors got 12 points in the first quarter and then slacked up a bit and began putting in substitutes. They also tried a lot of pivot shots and other fancy stuff.

	1	2	3	4	Total
Pinckney	0	4	0	6	10
Dexter	12	6	4	28	

Substitution—Blanchard for Beeler, Coy for Cole, Cole for Likely.

Referee—Don Roberts. Field Goals—Campbell 2, Bowman 2, VanHorn 1, Elsassar 7, Likely 4, Cole 2, Beeler 2, Blanchard 1. Fouls—Pinckney 3, Dexter 2.

Ohio's First Sawmill

Located at Marietta

Ohio's first sawmill was built at Marietta in 1789. The crank, weighing 180 pounds, was made in New Haven, Conn., and taken by "pack horse" over the mountains to Simms Ferry on the Youngblood river, and thence by water, says the Antiquarian.

The mill near Colebrook was of great importance to the settlers. It was on a small stream, and had an overshot wheel. Logs were conveyed into boards, and the long-talked-of "frame" house could be built.

The mill was sent and brought by "runners." "Through" mill was carried in a small bag with a key, designated by a wooden tag attached to it, and the "way" mill was tied in a handkerchief. The post boy "ran" the mill at first on foot—then on horse-back.

When their fields were cleared, flax was sown that these pioneers might weave on their handmade looms, linen and cloth materials with which to clothe themselves.

We wonder at, and revere, the persistent diligence of these forefathers of ours; for they seem to have had no time nor inclination to be indolent or inactive.

Obligation and Right

Constitute Legal Tie

An obligation in law is defined as "a legal tie that binds us to another, either to give him something, or to do or abstain from doing some act." For instance, an agreement or contract of sale creates a legal tie between the two parties, the seller being obliged to deliver the thing sold and warrant it, and the buyer being obliged to pay the price. In ordinary use obligation has a different meaning from right. A person is obliged to do that which he can be compelled by law to do, but a right commonly means something that one can compel others to do. For instance, it would not be correct to say that a landowner has a right to build half the line fence. He is obliged—under legal obligation—to build half of such fence, and he has the right to compel the adjoining owner to fulfill his obligation and build the other half. Generally speaking, obligation and right are the opposite ends of the legal tie, the obligation of one party being the right of the other. The noun, obligation, and the verb, obligate, are from the Latin verb, obligo, I bind.

NEIGHBORING NEWS

The Fenton band has been reorganized and will furnish music for any and all occasions the coming season.

Fenton High School basket ball team defeated Brighton in a game last week by a score of 27 to 18 but the Brighton High School girls defeated the Fenton girls by a score of 12 to 4.

At the annual meeting of the Citizen's Mutual Automobile Insurance Co. at Howell the following officers were elected for the following year: Pres., Edwin Farmer; Directors, George Burke, Ann Arbor; Dr. C. E. Skinner, Detroit; H. W. Ellis, Fowlerville. The treasurer's report showed assets of \$840,845.24, a gain during the year of \$136,692.83.

Dr. J. G. Erwin of Howell has accepted a position as instructor in the U. of M. dental dept.

Mrs. Pearl Parker Roche, retiring county treasurer, was presented with a large walnut framed mirror by the county officials.

According to the Livingston Democrat nearly a quarter of the auto owners of Livingston county have not as yet taken out 1927 licenses.

Melvin Manser, living near Fenton recently lost 17 fat hogs that were killed by eating toothpicks which was in the city garbage on which they were fed.

Judge Willis L. Lyons has gone on a trip to the Philippine Islands.

The Brighton Board of Commerce has elected the following officers: Pres., Rev. L. Price; Vice Pres., Dr. H. L. Lewis, S. B. Jacobs; Treas., C. Cash. Membership dues are \$5.00 and yearly dues \$2.00.

James A. Green, a former Pinckney boy, who for some years past has been an assistant attorney general, has opened up a law office at Lansing in partnership with Frank L. Dodge.

Some time ago Francis Seymour who lives on a farm on M-17 near Chelsea was taken into custody and lodged in the county jail to await trial on an embezzlement charge. A report later reached the sheriff's office that his family were in destitute circumstances and an investigation was made. The man's wife and children and the farm stock consisting of 17 hogs, 2 horses and a flock of geese were found to be in a starving condition, having had no food for several days. Owing to the hostility of the neighbors it was necessary to send out a load of food from the city.

Rev. V. F. Griffen of Dexter who has been pastor of St. Joseph's church for the past 3 years has been transferred to Detroit and Rev. Fr. Higgins of Paw Paw will succeed him.

An exchange says a pioneer is a person who can remember when a farmer thawed out a pump instead of a radiator on a frosty morning.

THE CAPITAL PUNISHMENT BILL

The Michigan State Legislature will soon vote to pass a capital punishment law. This paper wishes to go on record as opposed to any such law which is entirely unnecessary and is opposed to all Christian precepts. This bill is the result of the hysteria caused by the so called crime wave in the cities of this country since the World war and is a result of a breakdown and lack unity in the law enforcing bodies in the large congested districts, the wholesale issue of paroles and politics. In the cities the prosecuting attorney and his assistants are usually green inexperienced lawyers and are opposed by the best lawyers in the land drawn to the practise of criminal law by fat fees. The result is the states lawyer is usually outclassed by the criminals attorney. If he should happen to be convicted the legal fraternity friendly to them is at once set to work to get him admitted to parole and in a majority of cases is successful. Certain judges in the city courts elected for short terms have been known to be more solicitous about a criminals rights than those of the public, especially if he has political pull. The last public execution in Michigan took place in 1846. Do you want to go back 80 years? In those days executions were public and the people came from far and near to witness them. How would you like to read in your home paper that the following Pinckney people:

and yourself went to Howell Thursday to see Sheriff Wimbles execute Jack Jones for the murder of Tom Doe.

GET YOUR RECORD CARDS

Would you like some practical egg record-cards? Come in and get enough for your laying houses and your trapnest birds FREE. Feed your flock Purina Hen Chow and Chicken Chowder and the extra eggs will make your records look mighty pretty.
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WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC.

FOR SALE—Seed Potatoes and eating potatoes. Irish Cobbler variety.
Bert Harris

FOR SALE—Stack of marsh hay, 2 cutters, 2 buggies, 2 heating stoves, oil stove, hard coal base burner stove, light wagon and 30 White Leghorn hens.
Lawrence Spears

FOR SALE—Registered Guernsey Bull, 14 months old.
G. W. Driver, Fowlerville, Mich
R. F. D. No. 3, Phone 59F5

FOR SALE—Good winter apples of several varieties.
M. Graves

FOR SALE—Mixed Hay
Fanny Monks

FOR SALE—40 gal iron kettle with jacket, suitable for use in butchering or stock food cooking.
Frank Haynes

FOR SALE—Heating stove. Burns wood or soft coal. Also has a detachable magazine for hard coal.
Wm. Darrow

LOST—An overcoat in or near the Pinckney School. If left at the school a liberal reward will be paid and no questions asked.
Bernard McClusky

FOR SALE—Peerless Pop Corn popper nearly new. Lee Lavey.

FOR SALE—Popcorn a year old. A. W. Nelson on Norman Reason farm.

WANTED—Washing and ironings.
Mrs. Ed. Singer

FOR SALE—Art Laurel heating stove in good condition. Inquire at Dispatch office.

FOR SALE—Dry wood. Norman Reason.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Probate Court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of the said court held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said county, on the 24th day of January A. D., 1927.

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

In the matter of the estate of Mary F. Read, deceased.
Ross T. Read having filed in said Court his petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court, be admitted to probate and that the administration of said estate be granted to Ross T. Read or some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 19th day of February A. D., 1927, at one o'clock in the afternoon at the said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;
It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate
Atrue copy
Celesta Parshall, Register of Probate

Mrs. Earl Baughn and Mrs. Fred Read were Howell visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Emma Eisele was in Howell Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catrell of Howell are rejoicing over the birth of a daughter January 14th. Mrs. Catrell was formerly Lucy Cook.

Try Pinckney Bread. It's mighty nice. "Fresh at Every Sunrise."
R. E. Barron, Howell.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, made by The Keystone Realty Company, a Corporation of Detroit, Michigan, to Carl F. Bollinger, dated October 8, 1925 and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Livingston, State of Michigan, April 22, 1926, in Liber 108 of Mortgages at page 422 thereof, upon which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Ten Hundred Seventy-one Dollars and Thirty-three Cents (\$1071.33) and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the said debt now remaining secured by said mortgage or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that on Friday the eleventh day of March, A. D., 1927 at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, Eastern Standard time, at the west front door of the Court House in the City of Howell, County of Livingston, State of Michigan, (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court in the County in which the mortgaged premises to be sold are situated, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue to the highest bidder of the premises contained in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy the amount due with interest and legal costs including an attorney fee of Thirty-five (\$35) that is to say all that certain piece or parcel of land situated and being in the Township of Putnam, Livingston County, Michigan described as follows, to-wit:

Lot number eighty-five (85) of Lakewoods Subdivision Number one (1) of a part of the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section number thirty-six (36), Town one (1) North of Range three (3) east, Michigan and the northeast quarter of the southwest fractional quarter (¼) of Section number thirty-one (31), Town one (1) North of Range four (4) east, Michigan.
Carl F. Bollinger, Mortgagee.
Don W. VanWinkle, Attorney for Mortgagee. Business Address
Howell, Mich. 12-8-26

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage, dated February 21, 1921, executed by George R. Lewis and Nellie G. Lewis, his wife, of the city of St. Louis, Missouri, mortgagors unto Minnie A. Purdy of Fowlerville, Livingston County, Michigan, mortgagee, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of register of deeds for Livingston County, Michigan, in Liber 118 at page 84, and

WHEREAS, the full amount of the principal and interest having been due and remaining unpaid since February 21, 1926, and

WHEREAS, the amount due at the date hereof is the sum of four thousand one hundred sixty-three dollars and eighty-six cents (\$4163.86) principal and interest, and the sum of fifty (\$50.00) dollars as an attorney fee stipulated in said mortgage, and no suit or proceeding having been instituted at law or in equity to recover said debt, or any part thereof, and

WHEREAS, by reason of said default the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

NOW THEREFORE notice is hereby given that by virtue of said power of sale and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction to the highest bidder at the West front door of the Court House in the City of Howell, Michigan, on the 31st day of March 1927, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day.

The premises are described in said mortgage as follows: Land situated in the Township of Conway, County of Livingston, State of Michigan, described as the Northwest Quarter (¼) of Section number twenty-six (26), Township number four (4) North of Range number three (3) East, Michigan.

Minnie A. Purdy, Mortgagee.
Dated December 17, 1926.
J. B. Munsell Jr. and A. E. Cole
Attorneys for Mortgagee.
Business address Fowlerville, Mich.

NOTICE

I will be at the Pinckney State Bank every Friday during banking hours to receive taxes, beginning Dec. 3. Will receive taxes at home any night after 6.00 P. M. Checks only accepted.

W. E. MURPHY,
Treasurer of Putnam Township.