

# PINCKNEY DISPATCH

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### LAKELAND CIRCLE MEETING

The Lakeland circle of King's Daughters met in regular session at the home of Mrs. Robert G. Jack Tuesday afternoon, with 19 members and 2 guests in attendance, the guests being Mrs. Cass Clinton and Mrs. Milo Kettler of Pinckney. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Myron W. Hendrick and opened with singing "Little Brown Church in the Vale," and repeating the Lord's prayer.

Minutes of last meeting was read by the secretary, Mrs. Harry Whitlock, and approved. The treasurer, Miss Viola Pettys, reported \$150.00 in the savings account and \$174.36 in the checking account. It was voted to place \$100.00 more in the savings account. It was voted to send \$25 to the University hospital in Ann Arbor for educational fund. It also was voted to send \$5.00 to Mrs. John McGregor in Arbor for the Loving Serving junior circle of the King's Daughters at the hospital in Ann Arbor. It was decided to have a state nurse visit the Lakeland circle at one of its meetings.

The following committees were then appointed for the ensuing year: Work, Mrs. Telephone Bourbonnais; Mrs. William O. Bird; Mrs. Addison Collum, and Mrs. Barbara Tessmer; social service.

### DETROIT EDISON EARNINGS

Net income after taxes of \$12,643,591 is reported for 1928 by the Detroit Edison Co. and subsidiary companies. This amount, comparing with \$10,161,537 for 1927 was carried to profit and loss, bringing that account up to \$24,540,929. From this latter amount the company appropriated \$7,198,168 for dividends paid and declared and \$1,500,000 for appropriation to retirement reserve (depreci-

ation)—additional to current appropriations form earnings which, with miscellaneous adjustments, brought profit and loss (surplus) to \$15,707,395, as per balance sheet. Net earnings from all operations, being before interest and other charges, totaled \$18,264,813 in 1928 as compared with \$15,223,803 in 1927.

### CHURCH CALENDAR

COM. CONG'L. CHURCH  
B. F. Esic, Pastor  
Sunday Morning 10:30  
Senior and Junior Church Service  
Church School 11:30  
C. E. 6:30  
Evening Service 7:30  
Junior League Prayer Wed. 7:30  
Prayer Service Thurs. 7:30

### ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Rev. Leo Dorsey, Pastor  
Masses 8:30 A. M. 10:30 A. M.  
Catechism for children every Sunday immediately after mass.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank my friends and the Kings Daughters for the beautiful flowers and many nice letters sent me when I was sick.  
Mrs. Frank Patton

The following members of Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. attended the Masonic rally at Livingston Tuesday evening: Bert Hooker, Daller, M. J. Reason, Russell, more W. C. Miller, Ross Read, Read and P. W. Curlett. Masons Eaton, Clinton, Schiawasse and ham counties were present. Louis Fead of the supreme council delivered the address and speeches were made by Rep. and Chairman Taylor of this district.

### "THE LIGHT HOUSE MYSTERY"

A Comedy Drama to Be Presented at the Pinckney Community Hall Friday Evening, February 1

The Stockbridge Dramatic Company will put on "The Lighthouse Mystery" or a "A Fisherman's Luck" at the Pinckney Community Hall Friday evening, February 1 under the auspices of St. Mary's church of Pinckney. The scenes of this play are set on the coast of Maine and in the city of Boston and is said to be filled with absorbing interest. It has already been presented successfully several times by this company before enthusiastic audiences. The Stockbridge players have a reputation of putting on excellent plays and as it is for the benefit of the church a large turnout is anticipated. The admission charges are 25c and 35c. Reserved seats are on sale at Barry's Drug Store.

### BASKET BALL SATURDAY

The Pinckney Independents will play the Howell Independents at the Pinckney Community Hall, Saturday evening, February 2. It is expected that the locals will be able to put a good team in the field. A preliminary game will be also played.

### MARKOS-GALLUP

Thursday afternoon Jan. 24, Miss Elidabeth E. Markos of Pinckney and Earl A. Gallup of West Marquette were united in marriage at the Westlyan Methodist Church of Portage Lake. Rev. R. E. Durkee performed the ceremony. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Swarthout of Portage Lake. The bride was charmingly dressed in white crepe and a China gown and wore an orange blossom wreath. She carried a quiet of white carnations and pink roses. For the present, the young couple are residing with the bride's parents Mr. and Mrs. Martin Markos. Helen Markos of Pinckney and Robert Gallup of West Marquette are known members of each community. They were united in marriage at the Westlyan Methodist Church of Portage Lake Saturday January 26th at 2:00. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. R. E. Durkee.

Miss Gladys Gallup sister of the groom and Elmer Torber brother of Howell, acted as bride maid and best man.

Friends and relatives accompanied the bride and groom to the church. The happy bride was gown in white georgette dress and white tulle veil. She carried a bouquet of carnations.

In honor of the newly wedded Mrs. Earl Gallup and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gallup a reception was given by the parents of the brides Mr. and Mrs. Martin Markos on Saturday evening. About 100 friends and relatives were present. The young couples received many beautiful and useful gifts.

### SCHOOL NOTES

Pinckney Wins from New Hudson  
The Pinckney high school basketball team won from New Hudson by a unanimous decision of the judges. The question was evenly contested. Hudson presenting the Pinckney team has met this visiting team was composed of the following members: Leita Donald Clapp, and Anna Pinckney was represented by William Wilhelmina Bourcady and Marion Derkia. The game was established by all schools completed at this time. The Pinckney team finished over 200 schools in the state. The records have not been kept for Pinckney is not known to continue or not. The Pinckney team will select.

### Basket Ball News

Pinckney high school basketball team will play the St. Thomas team at Ann Arbor Friday evening, February 1. This team is composed of tall rangy fellows and is a championship in the state at a year ago. The locals will have their hands full to meet them.

### GAMES PLAYED

The Pinckney high school basketball team took on the St. Thomas team at Ann Arbor on Friday evening. In the first game the Pinckney team were defeated by the St. Thomas team by a score of five to five. The alumni team will play their opponents, being the only high school team who scored.

Alumni  
C. Miller  
R. F. A. Campbell  
C. Swarthout  
R. G. N. Miller  
L. G. M. Campbell  
R. Reason 2, C. Miller 2, Swarthout 4, N. Miller 1, Reason 1. Referee-

Ann Arbor  
The Pinckney basketball team lost to the Broadway team at Ann Arbor by a score of 15 to 10. The Pinckney team scored 15 points. The Broadway team had an off day. The Pinckney team is coming along well. Many follows who are playing long shots.

Ann Arbor  
Keeble  
L. F. Mayer  
C. L. Siebert  
L. G. D. Siebert  
L. G. Schleicher  
Swarthout 7, Slayton 2, N. Miller 2, Keeble 2, D. Siebert 2, Schleicher 1, Swarthout 1, Keeble 1. Referee-Reason.



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TOILET PAPER	10c tissue	3 ROLLS 15c
RICE	Fancy Blue Rose	3 LBS. 15c
BUTTER	WASHTENAW CREAMERY	1 LB. 49c
CHESO	Large Pkg.	20c
RAISINS	Seedless	1 LB. PKG. 10c
JELLO	All flavors	2 PKG. 15c
FLOUR	GOLD MEDAL	SACK 98c
WHITE SOAP		10 BARS 39c
CAKE FLOUR	ROWENA	5 LB. 25c
TOMATO SOUP	CAM BELLS	CAN 10c
LARD	Armours' Star Brand	1 LB PKG. 15c
LOG'S CORN FLAKES		LGE. PKG. 12c
SHREDDED WHEAT		PER PKG. 10c
MILK	Evaporated	3 LGE. CANS 27c
SUGAR		10 LBS. 59c
PRESERVES	Fancy	2 LB. JAR 25c
PURE BUCKWHEAT		10 LB. 49c
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Ladies Zippers	\$2
Ladies Co-Eds	\$1
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Sure Pop Corn	
1 Large Jar of Apple Butter	
3 Pkgs. Spaghetti or Macaroni	25c
Large Can of Beets	21c
3 lbs. of Best Raisins	24c
Howell Flour	89c

ALL SALES CASH

## W. W. BARNARD

Regular communication of Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. Tuesday February 5. At this time the M. M. Degree will be exemplified on a candidate. All brothers are requested to attend if possible and assist in the work. Banquet will follow initiation.  
Kenneth Reason, Secy.

P. T. A. MEETING  
The regular meeting of the Pinckney P. T. A. will be held at the school house Monday evening, February 4, at 8 o'clock. Everybody invited. A special invitation is extended to the school board.

## BERRIAN SPRINGS GIVEN \$12,000 LIBRARY

Berrian Springs has been given the deed to a new library, by C. R. Sparks, acting in behalf of his late sister, Nina C. Sparks, who made this bequest.

The Sparks memorial library has been under construction for several months and is now complete.

Because Mr. and Mrs. Sparks will be away on their annual winter vacation in Florida, the official dedication of the building will be deferred until their return, probably early in March.

Built of tan colored brick, the building presents a handsome appearance. It is 48x50 feet in size, one story in height, with basement housing a fine hot water heating plant.

The interior presents a no less pleasing effect, being finished in rough plaster in cream and tan colors. The floor is of terrazzo.

Besides the library proper, the building provides a room for the use of the Wednesday club in accordance with the wishes expressed by Miss Sparks, who also left \$5,000 to the library, the income from which is to be used for the purchase of non-fiction books.

The fine job of brick work was done by Bert Slater, the cement work by Allie McOmber, the tinted plastering by Al Morgan and the woodwork finishing by Dilley, all of Berrian Springs, and is a credit to their various talents.

Following his own gift of \$100 toward shelving and furniture for the new library, W. H. Sylvester, local bank president, took upon himself the task of raising the balance of the fund necessary for that purpose.

The Berrian Springs State bank contributed \$100, and \$100 was given by Miss Mattie Garr and the balance quickly subscribed by business men.

The Wednesday club is engaged in raising funds to equip its part of the building and expects to occupy its new quarters in the near future.

## 17 at Kalamazoo Get All-A Grade

Fifty-three students of Western State Teachers' College have been honored with places on the high scholarship list for the past term, according to announcement recently by John C. Hoekje, registrar.

Included in the list are 17 who have an all A record.

They are Farel C. Davidson; Henderson; Nellie Davis, Muskegon; Ruth Ellsworth, Kalamazoo; Evelyn Engle, Muskegon; Dorothy Haight, Ionia; James V. Iff, Hopkins; Helen Keyes, Battle Creek; Mary Master Needham, Grand Rapids; Rita Nielson, Trufant; Chester Pratt, Coloma; Ruth Rossmoier, Dowagiac; Eugenia Schmitz, Grand Rapids; Leona Skory, Grand Rapids; Wilma J. Smith, Montague; Louise Sprau, Kalamazoo, and Rhea Tiffany, Athens.

## Ypsilanti to Clean Ink-Daubed Statue

Advice of chemists has been obtained and work begun on the cleaning of the statue of Gen. Demetrius Ypsilanti. On New Year's eve vandals poured a quantity of red fluid, believed to be ink, over a large portion of the figure and the shaft on which it stands. A tent was to be erected over the statue so that the marble could be warmed to permit the chemical eradicators to work more effectively. The work is being done under the direction of Alderman Ray Burrell, a monument dealer.

The statue, which is of marble, stands 14 feet high, and was presented to the city Aug. 29, by the Order of Ahepa, a national organization of Americans of Greek descent. It is the work of Christopher Nastos, famous Greek sculptor, who designed the monument to the unknown soldier which stands in Athens. The Ypsilanti monument was made in Athens at a cost of \$30,000. Ypsilanti was named in honor of General Demetrius Ypsilanti by Judge Augustus Woodward 106 years ago.

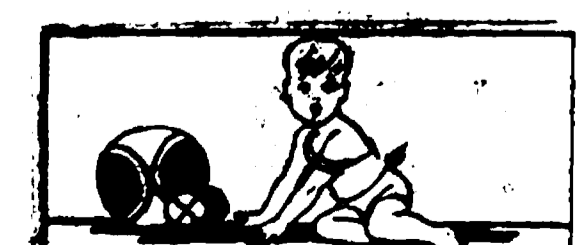
## Ferris Girl Student Is Highest in Test

Miss Bernice Simpson of Molino, Ferris institute pharmacy student, has won unusual distinction. Competing in the state pharmacy examinations at Grand Rapids Miss Simpson had the highest standing of more than 600 students taking the tests.

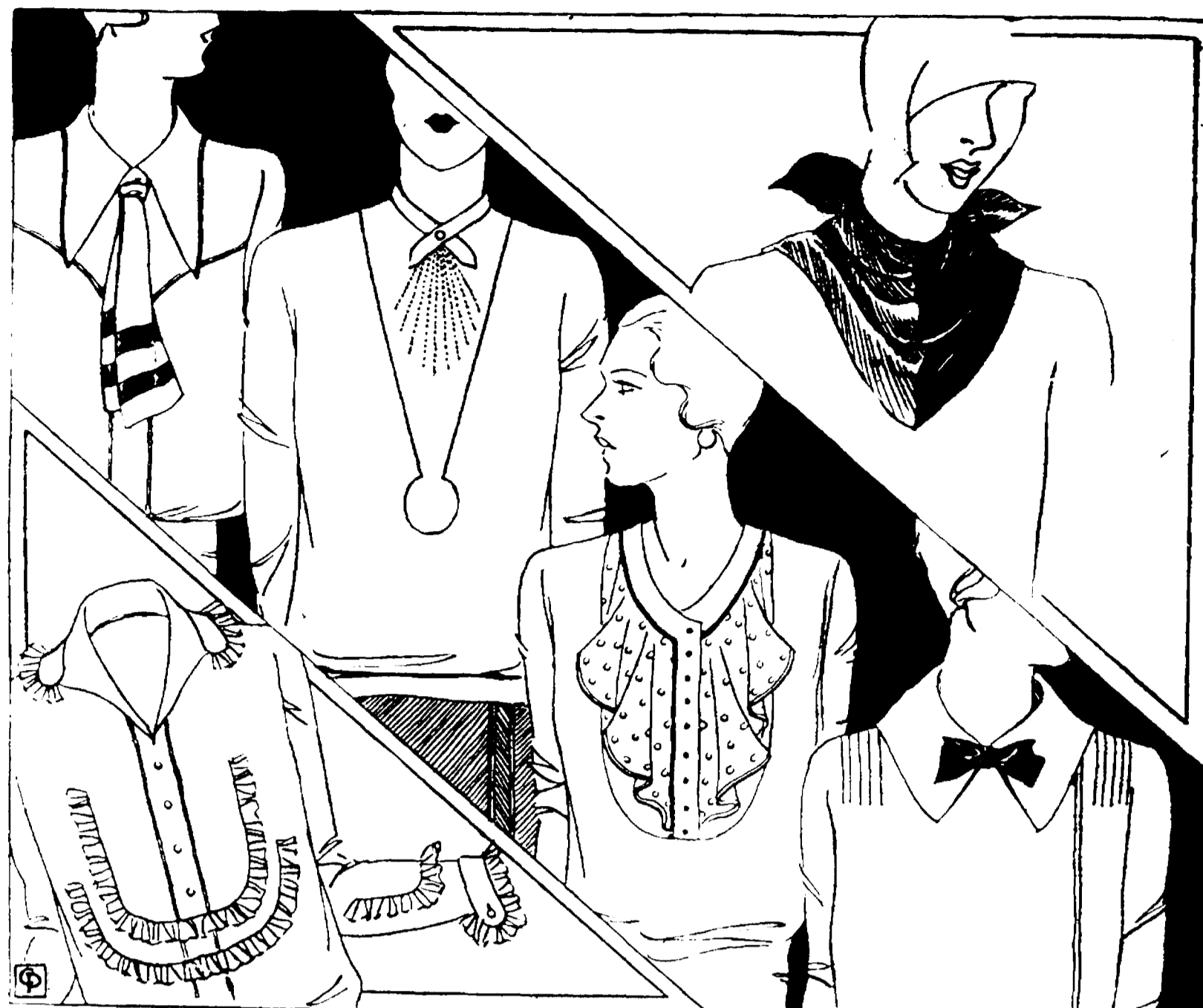
Miss Simpson has been a student at Ferris institute since the fall of 1927, taking the long term pharmacy course. Miss Simpson has accepted a position in Kalamazoo.

## Poems That Live

"AROUND THE CHILD"  
Around the child bend all the three  
Sweet Graces—Faith, Hope, Charity.  
Around the man bend other faces.  
Pride, Envy, Malice, are his Graces.  
—Walter S. Landor (1775-1864)



## Neckwear Returns With Greater Femininity



By Lucy Claire

As was to be expected, the trend toward femininity has brought neckwear back into the vogue. Frills and tuckings, with the return of the collar, are prominent details of the new spring blouses and frocks. Neckwear manufacturers are preparing for a big lace season. For the first time in many years lace houses abroad are making up finished shapes in neckwear. Collars are to be found on blouses everywhere, almost to the exclusion of the collarless neckline, except in the sweater or jumper type blouse. The yoke, too, is coming more into vogue, and the plastron front becomes effective without a hint of boyishness.

A few of the frills and tuckings and collars and trims they are using on the new blouses are shown in the sketch. The collar at the upper left

accompanies a crepe de chine blouse. It is of the same material, piped in a contrasting color, and designated as the turnover country club collar. In the lower left corner is shown a crepe de chine blouse with narrow pleated frills forming the plastron front trim, edging the collar and ingeniously placed on the sleeve to form a gauntlet cuff effect.

At the upper center, to the right of these two blouses, is a model with tiny pin tucking forming a yoke effect on the vestee. A little strap collar finishes the neck. This blouse is also of crepe. Embroidered organdie with pipings and fagotings achieves a very feminine vestee on the blouse at the lower center. The bustle collar, with its tailored bow, is shown on the blouse at the lower right.

The ever popular, colorful kerchief

scarf cannot be ignored in talking of neckwear. Every year adds to its charm a new mode. This year it is appearing for wear with the white sports dresses of the southern collections in a smaller, but no less colorful triangle. Each half of the triangle is in a contrasting color, and the points are in still another color. When knotted in the back, as shown in the upper right corner of the sketch, the effect is both colorful and original.

Speaking of the colorful scarf, the hat and scarf ensemble is much in vogue again this season. Agnes has developed a cute little brown felt hat with the ends of an orange crepe scarf set in at the back of the crown, and continuing down to wrap around the neck or floating over the shoulder, according to the whim of the wearer.

## REFORMED CHURCH SEEKS \$100,000 FUND

The centenary endowment fund for the board of education in the Reformed Church in America has reached \$8,500.07. The amounts have been contributed or pledged by 28 classes. Twenty-six Sunday schools have contributed \$1,256.78; eighteen individuals \$4,836.60; eleven churches \$1,898.26. Five centurions are listed, including one class, one consistors, one men's Bible class, one Ladies Aid society and one home department.

The plan as sponsored by general synod at its centenary session in New York city in June is to raise at least \$100,000 in connection with the centenary celebration of the board of education. The amount will be equally divided between Hope college at Holland and Central college at Pella, Ia., the two colleges maintained by the denomination.

The campaign will close in June when the Reformed church in America hold its annual synod in Holland.

## Ex-Princess Artist



A former German princess, ex-wife of Prince August Wilhelm, the kaiser's fourth son, now Mrs. Alexander Ruemann, supports herself by her paintings. Her work has attracted favorable mention at exhibits in Berlin, and several have been purchased by Americans. She was a recent visitor in the United States.

## HOUSEHOLD HINTS

**MENU HINT**  
Potato Soup with Toasted Bread Strips  
Baked Fillets of Bass  
Hollandaise Sauce  
French Fried Potatoes  
Cabbage Salad  
Sliced Oranges and Bananas  
Nuts  
Coffee

Opportunity is offered in this menu to use up the stale bread by cutting it into strips and toasting it to accompany the soup. This soup makes a good start for a meal where leftovers are to be finished.

**Today's Recipes**  
Potato Soup—Boil and mash small potatoes. Sauté a quart of potatoes and strain back into double-boiler. Bind with three spoons butter and three tablespoons flour. Season with one and one-half teaspoons celery salt, one-eighth spoon pepper, and a few grains cayenne. Now add a teaspoon fresh chopped parsley. Serve once.

Baked Fillets of Bass—Cut into small fillets and sprinkle with salt and pepper. Put in a pan, spread a coating of butter paper and cover fish with buttered side down. Bake twelve minutes in an oven of temperature of 400 degrees. Sprinkle with parsley and Hollandaise sauce.

**Suggestions**  
(Watch the gas)  
Here are some reasons why a domestic gas bill is sometimes more than it need be, says the National State Committee on Public Information:

Because the giant burner range is used when a smaller would do.

Because two burners are lit together and one kept burning some time before the food is to be cooked on it.

Because the food is taken stove and the burner is left on.

Because the gas oven is left heat the kitchen and on clothes.

Because a worn-out range with burners out of adjustment is permitted to boil furiously, although they would cook as fast with the burner turned down.

Because burners are not kept clean.

Because cooking utensils larger than are needed are used.

Because open ovens are used, consuming five times as much gas as closed vessels of the same size.

Because the gas flame is not protected from side-drafts.

Because a gallon of water is heated when only a pint is needed.

Because violent boiling, with the lid on, and the gas on full, consumes about nine times as much gas as will maintain gentle boiling.

Because for gentle boiling five times as much gas is used when the lid is off as when it is on.

## DEDICATE OLIVET DORMITORY FEB. 24

The men's new dormitory at Olivet college, now under construction, is to be dedicated on Founders Day, Feb. 24, it has been announced by the college office.

The slate roofing, which was held up by bad weather, now is completed and the inside finishing is progressing rapidly. It is expected the entire building will be ready for occupancy by the end of the month.

## The World and All

By CHARLES B. DRISCOLL

### THIS COUNTRY OF OURS

Some millions of words are written every day in criticism of the United States of America, the American people, American customs and culture, and the ideals accepted by most Americans.

Most of these words are written by Americans. Foreigners sometimes write in criticism of America by reason of anger or envy. But they do not strike home very often, for the truth is that they are generally full of secret admiration for some things American.

Americans are the severest critics of America. They say we are foolish, shallow, rattle-brained, superficial, supercilious, purse-proud, noisy, vulgar, boastful, money-mad, low, insensitive, coarse, brutal, revengeful, jazz-crazy, amateurish and drunken.

There are some other things they say about us, but perhaps it would be just as well to pause here.

The spirit of self-criticism is healthful, if it doesn't go too far. It is well that we, as a nation, can see our own faults. But we must exercise our well-known sense of humor. We mustn't become too discouraged about ourselves.

Far be it from me to deny that Americans have faults, or that the American nation, as such, makes serious mistakes.

I'll admit much of all that is charged against us.

But I must insist upon this reservation: when all is said and done, the United States of America is the most desirable nation now existing. It is the best place to live. It is the best nation to tie to, either for the present or for the predictable future.

The human race isn't perfect. Therefore, Americans aren't perfect. Americans have conspicuously human weaknesses and faults.

But the future of the human race is safer here in the United States than anywhere else.

This is a country that makes mistakes, but it is a country that is decidedly worth preserving. I wish we might live in a world in which there could be no war-making. I loathe wars.

But if there is going to be another war, I'd rather see my country win than lose.

I'm for preparedness in a prepared world. I hope for everlasting peace—beyond the veil. I hope for plenty of fighting ships and airplanes, Zeppeles and submarines, with Uncle Sam's stamp upon them, in this present world, in which the United States remains the wealthiest and the most comfortable of all nations.

It's a good country, and worth saving.

## Living and Loving

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

Here is a puzzle for someone to answer: Why is it that some girls are always taken out and treated to good times, while others are expected to do the entertaining in their own homes or taken to a cheap entertainment? Are the first girls the gold digger type that boys have to spend money on, and the second the "good sports"? Not always or consciously, I believe. There are girls who just seem to charm the money out of a man's pocket, without an effort or a thought. While others seem, just as unconsciously, to be singled out when a man is short of cash and just wants to have an inexpensive but enjoyable evening. And what, I ask you, is the latter type of girl to do about it? One of them writes as follows:

"Dear Mrs. Lee: I am 28 years old and well educated. I have a few dates with a large number of youths and several with a few. I am not a 'gold digger.' All I ask is a nice, clean time from any man. However, I invariably get hold of the type which wishes to sit out a date or spend as little money as possible. Yet I absolutely know of these same fellows spending lots of money on other girls. Can you see any special reason for this? Or is it because ALL men expect to be paid back by big 'petting parties.' Isn't this disrespect for me? What can I do to be treated like other girls? Puzzled."

Possibly you give the impression that you expect little of the young men, and they give it to you and use you for pleasant entertainment when they are short of cash, puzzled. It's not fair, and I would have it understood that I liked a good time as well

as the next girl. If your boy friends spend money on other girls they can on you, and the next time one of them rings you up and suggests he come over to spend the evening in idle chat, suggest that you would rather go out and give the old davenport a rest. You needn't be a gold digger, you can use discretion, you know.

"Dear Mrs. Lee: I am a young man 23 years old. Was married to a girl of 18 in September, '27. Things went along fine for several months, and I thought the world of her and do yet, but she loves to dance and look pretty but have a good time. I am a poor young fellow and plenty of obstacles in my path. On the 7th of December she filed suit against me for divorce and rather than let her get it I filed a counter suit. At the present time she is in company with one of the worst characterized boys in this city. I believe she is influenced by him and other people of his. What would you advise me to do? She has no place to stay only with strangers of the worst character."

"L. R. C."

Can you make an appeal to her to see you and talk it over? Maybe you didn't quite realize, in trying to solve your many problems, that she is just a kid and needs lots of fun. Maybe, too, the fun would have been good for you. It does not do for a young man to be too serious, and it does not help him to overcome his obstacles, either. Write to her, tell her how much you care for her and see if she will not come back to you and maybe you can be happy together once more.

## How to Achieve Beauty

By MME. HELENA RUBINSTEIN

### THE FROG

The third step in our evolution exercises takes care of the leg, back and abdominal muscles. This group is next in line for its "evolutionary awakening." The squatting exercises, which I shall classify under "The frog," are excellent in developing the parts of the body which otherwise might suffer from at least partial disuse.

It's particularly important for you to include some squatting exercises in your daily routine. Most of us spend a great part of our day either sitting or standing. In either case muscles which should receive certain stimulus through regular exercises are comparatively atrophied.

As I've told you dozens of times you will never attain complete physical health until every muscle and fragment in your body is doing the work that nature intended it to. That is the basis of my whole series of exercises. I want you to follow, step by step, the road which nature took. Arousing us from complete relaxation to complete motion.

I don't know how many hundreds of letters I have received from women who complain of stiff knees, and painful joints. There's no reason in the world for women becoming stiff. I know that exercising isn't as simple after sixteen as it is before; not from the viewpoint of muscles, but simply because a weird combination of disinclination and dignity makes us forget such limbering up exercises as rope skipping and hopping, knee bending, and other kindred exercises and sports.

Remember age waits upon stiffening muscles, like, springy steps are utterly impossible for the woman whose joints crack every time she takes a step upstairs. While you are young it's easy to retain grace. When youth begins to pass a little hesitantly responsive muscles are your best defense!

I cannot imagine anything much more difficult than to begin knee bending exercises after a long period

of inactivity. Don't be alarmed if you "creek" a little at first. It's a condition that you must expect. On the other hand, a "creek" in the intimacy of your boudoir is infinitely preferable to a snapping joint when you climb into a taxi or on the steps of a street car.

One incident which I noted during the performance of a very popular play this season brought these limbering exercises very clearly to my attention. A really youthful star was bending the knee to his "lady-faire," when to his shocked nerves I heard the distinct snap as the unaccustomed exercise centered in the knee joint. I'm sure that the young man was more discomforted than any of his audience, and I'm trusting most sincerely that he will go in for "frog" exercises. They'll do him a lot of good.

To the best of my knowledge, there is only one physical cause for snapping joints, and that is very seldom known in the temperate zone. In the tropics, there is a certain disease called the "break-bone fever." This leaves as its aftermath joints that snap audibly at every motion. It is more uncomfortable than dangerous, and once the fever has run its course; one might easily forget it, were it not for the social liability which it leaves behind.

Practice all the different developments of knee bending, from the simplest movement to the variation which turns into the Cossack dance. Step, hopping on one bent knee, while the other leg is flung straight out before you. Keep your joints limber through regular activity, and you need not fear encroaching stiffness.

Righto!

"I don't see any sense in quadrupeds," said the lazy soph, yawningly. "What's wrong with 'em?" demanded his roommate.

"Aw, nothin' if they like it, Bill; but what's th' use of a shape that makes you keep four legs goin' when you can get there with two?"

**DETROIT HARBOR, BAY**

**The Mysterious Stranger**

**5 Days for Workers; 6 Days for Machine**

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"Well, he isn't, they certain-  
played a dirty trick on him."



The Ford Motor Co. will continue the 5-day week, but will operate on the six-day basis. An additional 30,000 employees will be needed under the new plan.

The above is a summary of an official statement issued by the company. The new system means six days for the machine and five days for the employee.

The company will assign six men to five jobs to provide for two rest days for each employee. The five-day week has been in operation since 1926.

Detroit will soon be able to boast of the world's largest airplane hangar as a result of the action of the Common Council in awarding the contract for its construction to Louis Kamper, Inc. This million dollar project was approved by Mayor Lodge, and the funds for its construction are to be taken from the appropriation that was voted last fall to complete and equip the municipal airport at French and Lynch road. It was stated that construction would begin immediately in order to have the building completed in time for the national aircraft show, which will be held in Detroit the first week in April.

This huge building will have a capacity for 300 planes in addition to a large exhibition hall. The east side and particularly the Gratiot avenue district are indeed fortunate in having this great airport located where it is, as it is hoped that this unsurpassed equipment will make the annual aircraft show a fixture in Detroit, and the east side will therefore become the "aircraft center of the country."

**Ionia Vote for Levy For Sanitarium Asked**

A resolution was presented to the Ionia county board of supervisors, in a recent session, asking that voters be permitted at the April election to pass upon the matter of a half-mill tax levy for a sanitarium in connection with the county farm. The proposed addition would cost \$60,000, the half-mill levy producing approximately \$20,000 a year. The plan, as submitted, would provide adequate care for the county's infirm, many of whom are now cared for at state-supported institutions.

**Grand Rapids Port To Have Air School**

Curtiss Flying Service, Inc., proposes to start a school of flying instruction at the Grand Rapids airport in 1929 and is prepared to put from \$50,000 to \$100,000 into the project, it has been announced by Carl T. Batts, president of the flying club and manager of the airport.

**Flint Charter Nearly Prepared for Voters**

Flint's proposed new charter, providing for the commission-manager form of government, which will be submitted to the voters next summer, is nearly completed. Only the taxation provisions and designation of the number of commissioners and their salaries are undecided.

Harry G. Gault, vice-president, made the announcement recently, in the illness of John J. Carton, chairman of the revision commission, that only a few weeks remain before the completed draft will be ready for discussion and correction before submitting it to the voters.

**Water System Sale Up To Voters of Benton Harbor on Feb. 18**

Voters of Benton Harbor will decide the fate of the Benton Harbor waterworks and sewage system at a special election Monday, Feb. 18. The question involves the sale to a private concern, the General Utilities and Sewage Corporation, which has proposed to purchase the waterworks.

**Ford Plans Huge Tunnel**

Detroit City Council was informed recently by the Ford Motor Company of a plan for the construction of a 12,000-foot tunnel from the company's power plant to the mouth of the old Rouge River outlet into the Detroit River, which project would permit the doubling of the electrical power plant of the Fordson factory. Ownership of the intake tunnel, which will cost \$2,500,000, will be vested in the City of Detroit, but the construction cost will be paid for by the company.



**SAME PRESCRIPTION HE WROTE IN 1892**

When Dr. Caldwell started to practice medicine, back in 1875, the needs for a laxative were not as great as today. People lived normal lives, ate plain, wholesome food, and got plenty of fresh air. But even that early there were drastic physics and purges for the relief of constipation which Dr. Caldwell did not believe were good for human beings. The prescription for constipation that he used early in his practice, and which he put in 1892 under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, is a liquid vegetable remedy, intended for women, children and elderly people, and they need just such a mild, safe bowel stimulant. This prescription has proven its worth and is now the largest selling liquid laxative. It has won the confidence of people who needed it to get relief from headaches, biliousness, flatulence, indigestion, loss of appetite and sleep, bad breath, dyspepsia, colds, fevers. At your druggist, or write "Syrup Pepsin," Dept. BB, Monticello, Illinois, for free trial bottle.

**WILL EXPAND PRISON INDUSTRIES**

Michigan's prison industry at Jackson penitentiary is to enter the textile field on an impressive scale. The prison commission has decided to equip the building with textile manufacturing machinery at a cost of \$100,000. The new industry will furnish employment for from 500 to 700 convicts, and products, to be made from raw cotton, will range from sheetings, shirtings and blankets to overalls, socks and towels. As a means of minimizing competition of prison-made articles with similar products produced by free labor, it was decided to offer a bill at the impending session of the legislature designed to compel all institutions of state political subdivisions to patronize the prison industries. In this way it is hoped that nearly the entire output of the prison factories will be absorbed.

**New Kroger Plant to Serve 680 Detroit Stores**

The Kroger Grocery & Baking Company, chain store operators country-wide, have acquired a tract on Dix avenue, Detroit, west of the Garvey Hotel, and joining the Michigan Central stock yards, upon which it will shortly erect a large meat producing house.

The plant will be applied to the production of all the lines of meat products including beef killing and dressing facilities, a sheep house, and a hog-killing, dressing and production house, including the preparation of smoked pork products. Sausage and other by-product machinery will be installed. It will represent an investment of approximately \$1,500,000, it is said.

The Kroger company has 680 retail grocery stores in Detroit, of which nearly all have retail meat counters, and to the remainder of which meat-selling facilities are already available, and others will be added soon. In addition the company has 475 stores and 440 meat shops in the state served from Detroit, and 150 other stores and 100 meat shops which are directed from Grand Rapids. These will provide outlets for more than a quarter of a million pounds daily.

The adventure is no new thing for the Kroger company. It already has meat-producing facilities at Cincinnati.

Sales of Kroger in 1928 increased to \$207,244,465 from \$161,252,649 in 1927.

**Kalamazoo to Be Host To Winter Convention Of Reserve Officers**

The annual winter convention of Michigan department, Reserve Officers' association of the United States, will be held in Kalamazoo, Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 2 and 3, according to an announcement of Col. George W. Blackinton, president of Michigan department. All the arrangements and entertainment for the convention are being made by Kalamazoo chapter, R. O. A.

The principal guests of honor at the convention will be United States Senator Arthur H. Vandenberg; Maj. Gen. Paul B. Malone, commanding general of the sixth corps area of which Michigan is a part; Col. Nathaniel F. McClure, in charge of organized reserve affairs of the sixth corps area; Col. Frederick L. Knudsen, chief of staff of the 85th division, who will command Camp Custer next summer, and several other officers from the sixth corps area headquarters.

All reserve officers in Michigan are invited to attend this convention.

**Chandler New VanBuren Court Commissioner**

Attorney J. E. Chandler, Paw Paw, has been appointed circuit court commissioner to succeed Merle H. Young, who was named judge of probate to succeed the late William Killefer. A committee consisting of County Clerk Leo Mather, Prosecutor Lewis R. Williams and Probate Judge Merle H. Young made the appointment.

**VAN BUREN TO CELEBRATE CENTENNIAL**

Van Buren county becomes 100 years old in 1929. This year, generally regarded as just another span of 365 days is most significant to the county's native residents for the milestone marks the county's centennial. The county of Van Buren, named in honor of Martin Van Buren, was formed by act of the Legislature Council of Michigan October 29, 1829.

Effort is being made to arouse citizens to a realization of the historic date. That the anniversary celebration should be held in Paw Paw seems appropriate since it is the county seat and one of the oldest villages in southwestern Michigan.

It was in Paw Paw on March 27, 1837, that the first board of supervisors met and organized. The business of the meeting was for the purpose of locating the place for the circuit courts of the county. It was decided that the said courts should be held in the Paw Paw school house. Epaphroditus Ransom was the first judge. In 1929 when the January term of the circuit court convenes there will be 19 different attorneys pleading cases before Circuit Judge Glenn E. Warner, while in 1829, Aaron W. Broughton, grandfather of the present commissioner of the poor, Roscoe Broughton, was the only lawyer in Van Buren.

It is at Paw Paw that the county buildings, consisting of the court house and jail, have always been located and most of the county's legal history has been transacted there. In Paw Paw still may be seen the first court house, a frame structure, with a steeple, built by Churchill and Godfrey in 1844, and the first fireproof building erected in 1875 for the county records.

Although it appears that the county seat is the logical scene for the festival, it is not intended that it shall be a local affair. The townships of Lawton, Mattawan, Decatur, Hartford, Lawrence, Bangor, Alma, Gobles, Bloomingdale and other vicinities rich in their own lore and historic background are to consider the occasion their own.

Although the shades of the Pottawatomie chieftains and the wild paw paw must be shocked to witness the old winding Indian trail where the red man used to wait in ambush for his enemy converted into a paved highway where the merry bootlegger shoots the tires from the car of the pursuing motor cop and the road-side stand now dispensing refreshments where the wild fruit tree used to nod at the traveler, certain public spirited citizens still maintain that the county has progressed in the last 100 years and that fitting tribute should be paid to that evolution.

**Excess Tongue**

The priest was busy spreading oil on the troubled waters of Casey's marital sea. "Now, Casey, you know that a married couple should pull together like a team of horses." "Sure, father, an' they probably would if they had but one tongue between them."

**Guarding Against the FLU**



Any cold can mean the flu; the surest way to avoid flu is to avoid colds. To avoid coming down with a cold make prompt use of Bayer Aspirin. Don't wait to see if that first sneeze or cough is going to be a cold. Take Bayer Aspirin at the first sign of any cold, and be safe. And whatever you do, don't neglect a sore throat these days; gargle with Bayer Aspirin and remove the infection. Guard against the flu by guarding against the colds that make you susceptible to the flu germs that lurk in crowded and poorly ventilated places.

**What Will you do**



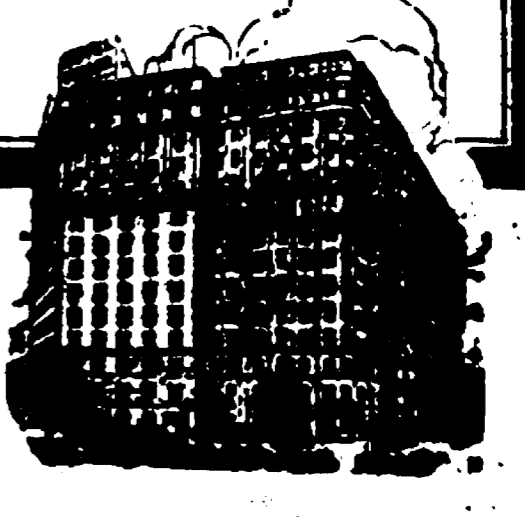
**When your Children Cry for It**

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Pinckney Dispatch

Entered at the Postoffice at Pinckney, Mich., as second class matter. Subscription, \$1.25 a year in Advance. PAUL W. CUMLETT PUBLISHER

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Greiner of Detroit, on Saturday, January 26, a son, Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Nash and son, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hicks.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Veiter and children and Den Swarthout of Detroit were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Swarthout.

Mrs. George Meabon Sr. is visiting relatives at Jackson.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Swarthout were Waldo Watters and wife of Plainfield and Clare Swarthout and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kennedy visited Dexter relatives Sunday.

Will Tiplady of Ann Arbor was a Saturday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farnam.

Will Buhl of Gregory underwent an operation for the removal of gall stones and appendix at the Pinckney Sanitarium one day last week.

Ambrose Kennedy made a business trip to Howell Saturday.

W. H. Myers and Joe Gentile and son, Phillip, were in Detroit Monday. Charles VanOrden fell on the ice Saturday and injured his hip quite badly.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Van Horn were in Ypsilanti Saturday and Mrs. Van Horn remained for a few days visit with relatives.

Wm. Doyle and son Lucius were in Detroit on business Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Brown spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Coggan at Lansing.

Jack Bidwell and wife of Detroit were week end visitors at the Will Docketing home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carr entertained Sunday Mrs. Robert Jack and daughter of Iphigene, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Kettler and daughter Yvonne. Gerald Reason was home from Detroit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Morgan of Brighton called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Euler Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Carpenter of Pontiac was a Friday guest of Mrs. Claude Reason.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meyer and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts near Gregory.

Will Cooper and wife were in Howell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Leavey of Detroit were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Lavey.

The Misses Fanny Monks and Nellie Gardner were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Roche.

Mrs. Anna Erwin and Miss Lawrence Speats were in Howell Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Vince and sons of Byron spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Richardson.

Met Chas. Greiner and Dallas Cox were in Lansing Friday and visited the state conservation department where the former purchased a 38-50 rifle or riot gun which was among the firearms confiscated by the department for illegal hunting. This gun is said to be a veritable young cannon warranted to kill at the range of two miles and capable of piercing a 12 inch stone wall. It throws a whole flock of projectiles like a machine gun. We understand that Mr. Chalker purchased it for personal protection and will obtain a permit to carry it about with him.

Roy Darwin has sold his farm near the Pinckney-Dexter road to Claude Soper.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Farnam were in Detroit Sunday afternoon.

Merwin Campbell visited his sister, Mrs. Wilbur Eisele, of Detroit last week.

Francis Martin and family of Howell spent Sunday with his parents Mr. and Mrs. James Martin.

Wayne Carr of Lansing spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Carr.

Henry Shirey, Clare Miller and Will VanBlaricum left Sunday for Detroit to work for the Hudson Motor Co.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Darrow and their children of Detroit spent Sunday with his mother Mrs. Flora Darrow.

Dave Kelly and sister, Hattie, of Detroit were over Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Kelly.

Fred Slayton and A. H. Murphy attended the Chevrolet banquet at the Hotel Statler last Tuesday evening. 1100 people were present. The evening was devoted to social and demonstrations of the new Chevrolet Six.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Battle were Frank Thompson of Howell and Mr. and Mrs. W. Thompson and daughters of Howell.

L. E. Farnam of Oklahoma City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Farnam and motored with them to Detroit to visit Mr. and Mrs. W. Fitzpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lavey and children of Gregory and John V. Lavey wife of Howell were Sunday guests at the home of Patrick Lavey.

Mrs. M. J. Reason and daughter Helen, Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Swarthout were in Jackson Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Swarthout.

Mrs. Irvin Kennedy, Mrs. Ed S. Chas. Clark and wife and Bill Lavey were in Howell Thursday.

Miss Dorothy Carr visited in Ann Arbor over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Greiner and Dreywey of Howell were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Teeple.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Dewey were entertained at dinner Sunday, by White of Howell, Mr. and Mrs. White and Miss Elizabeth Dewey Anderson.

Earl Baughn and wife were in Ypsilanti Monday.

Mrs. Mary Connors is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Thompson at Brighton.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Swarthout and son Gleason in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Frazier and Mrs. Harry Warner were in Howell Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Erwin is spending the week with relatives at Ypsilanti.

Dr. and Mrs. Heiler of Howell were Sunday dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Simpson.

Gene Sheehan was in Detroit last of the week.

Miss Carmen Leland returned from Trenton the week end.

Mrs. Frank Peters of Lansing is spending the week with her family in Pinckney.

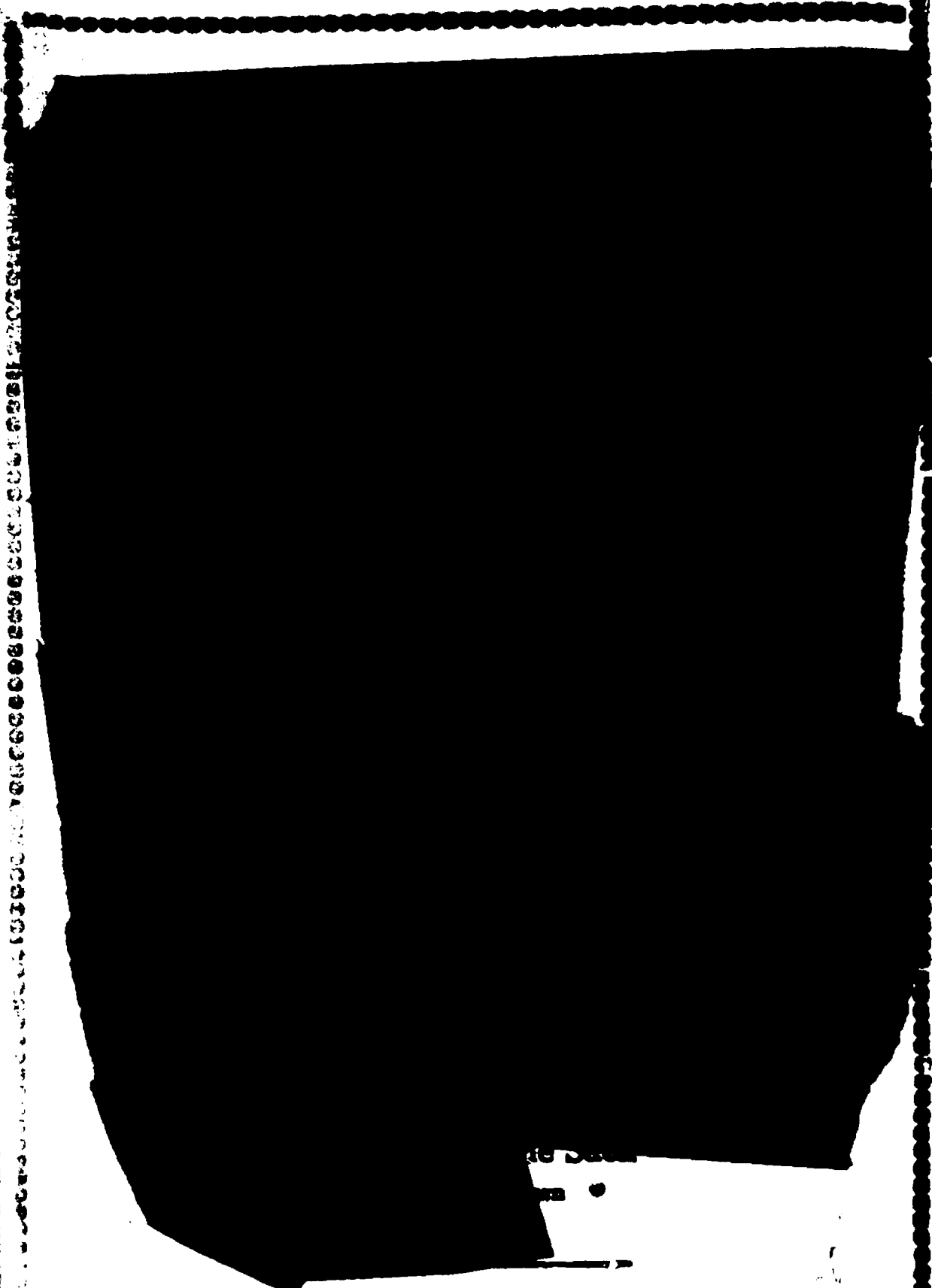
J. C. Dinkel was in Howell Sunday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Pettysville, Friday, a son, Mrs. Chas. Whalen of Howell.

Miss Irene Richardson and Locey spent Sunday with their friends.

The Misses Thessa Kelly and Gene O'Brien of Dexter were in Pinckney Sunday.

Dean Reason who is in the U. of M. spent the first of the week with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Dean Reason.



Teeple Hardware

Miss Esie was the week end guest of Miss Velna Hall of Detroit.

Charles Hair purchased a new milk to the Gordon milk last week.

Ed Pettysville of Pettysville is a patient for rheumatism in the Pinckney Sanitarium.

John Richter is assisting as a patient in the Pinckney Sanitarium.

The presence of Mrs. Vila Richardson was called home by the illness of her sister, Miss Blanche Mar-

Mr. and M. H. Chalker were in Fowlesville last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Downes and children of Howell were visiting Mr. and Mrs. Greiner.

Miss Sier recently received from Ed Kearney Sioux Falls, S. D. a new Mercury had only gone 1000 miles below zero. He enclosed a check for the fine time they spent swimming at Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Lavey entertained for the week end the Misses Greiner and Zelma Nash of Howell. Dora Nash and son of Lansing and Mrs. John R. Greiner.

Miss Sison spent the week end with her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Greiner, her daughter and Miss Justine Lodwige were in Pinckney Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gallup.

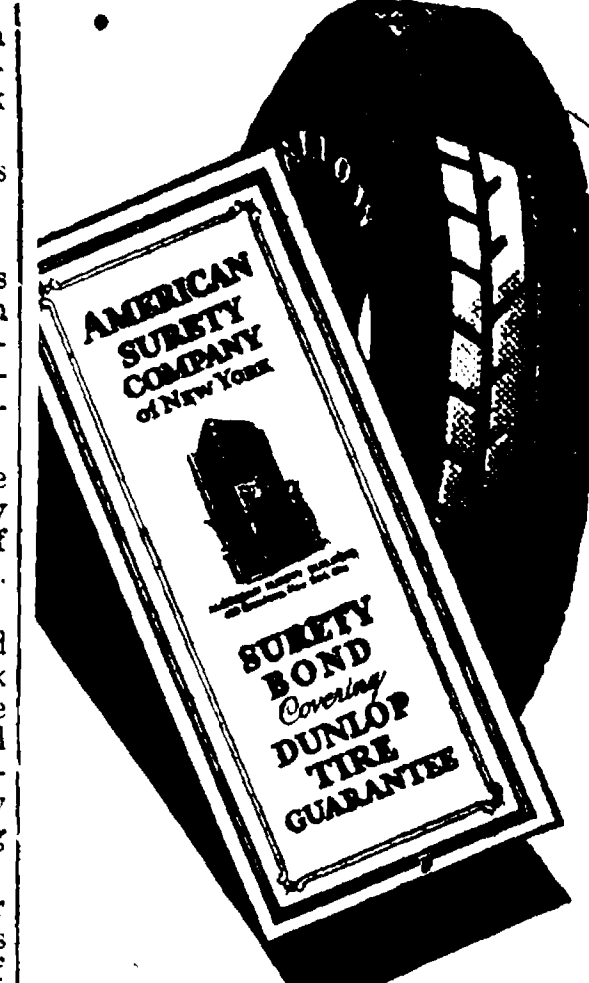
Mr. and Mrs. Gardner visited Jackson Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Read is spending the week end with Detroit friends.

The Ladies' Sewing Circle met at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Kennedy, Monday evening.

Miss Sullivan of Chelsea was a day visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Greiner.

The Bridge Club were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Monday evening. Claude Kennedy was first gentlemen prize and Mrs. Miller second. Mrs. Frank Greiner was the winner of the ladies prize. Refreshments were served by the hostess.



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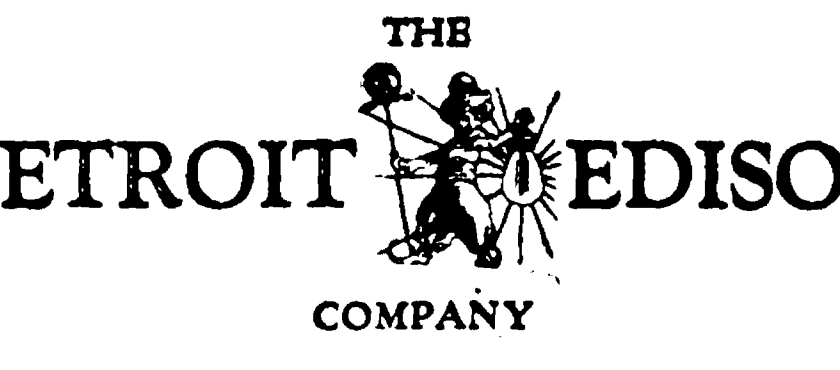
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# MANDY ABOUT PEOPLE



### MARION

Fred Fuller and family ride in a new Whippet Six Car.

Ed Booth of Howell a former resident of Marion, lost his home by fire last Wednesday night.

Dr. Hollis Sigler is caring for Hollis Backus who is ill with small pox at the home of his parents Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Backus.

Norman White was among the guests entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Devereaux of Pinckney.

Mrs. Frank Schmidt and daughter Joy of North Howell called on Dr. C. L. Sigler Sunday afternoon.

Earl Gallop and Miss Elizabeth Markos of Pinckney were married at Brighton the past week.

Robert Gallop and Helene Markos were married at Brighton Saturday afternoon. Their many friends extend their congratulations.

William Gaffney, wife and son Leon were in Lansing Tuesday.

Charlie Gehringer is spending a couple weeks here with his mother before going south with the Detroit Tigers.

The Ladies Aid of Lutheran Church at Howell will serve a chicken supper Thursday, Jan. 31 beginning at 5:30. Mrs. Fred Risch and Mrs. Henry Veith are the hostesses. Every one invited to attend.

Frank K. White and wife of Howell Howard Gentry and family and Virgil Dean were recent guests at the home of Basil White.

The Ladies Aid of Isoco will serve an oyster dinner February 7 at the home of Lemuel Hedican.

Mrs. Wm. Harwood is quite ill at her home in Howell.

One of the families who were placed under quarantine last week for small pox were not satisfied with local physicians decision. They called a physician from State Board of Health at Lansing who not only called the disease small pox but he vaccinated each member of the families, one of the neighbors children all who were vaccinated the previous Tuesday by local physicians.

Roy Ellsworth and J. D. White started their third week, Monday as Jurors on the Detroit Realty Co. and Willard Hoyt case in the Circuit court at Howell.

Mrs. Roy Ellsworth is caring for her sister Mrs. Byron White and infant daughter in Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. Mason of Howell spent Sunday at the home of the Smiths.

Mrs. Emma Miller returned to her home Sunday after her recent operation at McPherson Hospital. Her many friends hope for her speedy recovery.

Dr. Huntington was called Sunday for Robert Reed who is suffering with ear trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rathbun of Howell, Ray and Gertrude Rathbun of Fowerville were recent guests of Marion L. Smith.

The Marion Farmers Club will meet January 31 at the home of Burr Clark.

Dr. C. F. Culver was called last week for Ernest Ellsworth who has been very ill with intestinal flu.

Mrs. Chas. St. Louis is very ill at the home of her daughter Edith in River Rouge Mich.

### PLAINFIELD

Miss Nettie Daniels and Miss Lottie Braley were Thursday guests at Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Braley's.

The Ever Ready S. S. class and teacher Mrs. A. L. Dutton meet Saturday evening with Miss Marjorie VanSyckel for their January business meeting. It was conducted by Jack Donchue, pres. Devotionals led by the teacher after light refreshments were served the remainder of the evening was spent with games by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Baker and family of Owosso spent the week end with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Baker.

The W. F. M. S. will meet for dinner with Mrs. E. L. Topping Thursday each member is expected to invite two friends.

Miss Carlie Dyer was home for the week end from Cleary business College.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wasson and family spent Sunday afternoon at H. J. Dyer.

Miss Ellen Wasson will spend this week at home.

Miss Inez Buckley spent Sunday with Miss Daisy Roberts.

Mr. Welton and some of the children have joined the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Walters were Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. Frank Haines near Anderson.

Mrs. Ralph Teachout of Brighton visited her sister Friday Mrs. Clyde Jacobs.

### IOSCO

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller and son Dale of Marion visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Miller Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Carson were in Ypsilanti Tuesday.

Miss Ruth Ruttman spent Monday night with Genevieve Miller.

Mrs. Joe. Eisele and sons Edwin and Ranund were in Lansing Tuesday.

The wind Wednesday blew the roof off one of John Bladley's barns.

Marvin and Edmund Eisele and Genevieve and Robert Miller Monday evening.

Thomas Fear called on Robert Miller Sunday.

Lyle Munsell of Howell spent his vacation with his parents Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Munsell.

Genevieve Miller visited Celia and Ruth Ruttman Sunday.

### UNADILLA

Mrs. Harry Mercer is on the sick list.

Mrs. M. H. Swerdler and Mrs. Lawrence Owens of Gregory were Wednesday visitors of the former's sister Mrs. A. J. Gorton.

Mr. Ralph Kimbrough and family of Dearborn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson.

Mrs. Claude Rose is reported no better at this writing.

The annual installation of the members and Oyster supper was held at the hall Thursday evening.

Mrs. Chas. Teachout spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Chas. Teachout.

Mrs. Scotland received word last night of the death of her brother-in-law, Chas. S. Scaton of Niagara.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Canburn of Dearborn, Roy Rosevear and Mrs. B. B. Bennett were Sunday dinner guests of Maxine Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Hadley of Dearborn were recent visitors of her mother Mrs. W. T. Barnum.

Mr. George Harris is at the U of M Hospital working benefit for his eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hadley were recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Hadley.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bomersox and Dorothy of Jonesville were Tuesday guests of her brother Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Flynn.

Just work with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cannon. She is entering a nursing course in Pontiac.

The following officers were elected at Sunday School:

Supt. Mrs. L. K. Hadley  
Assistant Supt. Mrs. Wm. Marshall  
Secy. Merlin Happings  
Treas. Wilhelmina Roepcke  
Organist Esther Barnum

Miss L. L. Wilbur of Ypsilanti was a recent visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith reported gaining weight after a Bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall entertained at the Young Men's Club Thursday afternoon and party a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Johnston reported gaining weight after a Bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith and Margaret McPherson were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith.

The Sunday School Class party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Saturday night was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. A. W. Woodson and children of Dearborn and Mrs. Olin Marshall of Howell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith.

The Ladies Aid meeting held at the M. E. Church Sunday evening was well attended. R. V. Frank Hartley gave a good address following on the subject and a diet beautifully prepared by Mrs. Bert Parks of Dearborn.

Mrs. T. D. Dyer returned to her home last week from White Lodge, Ontario, Can.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Forest Aseltine.

### GREGORY BAPTIST CHURCH

L. S. Shaybaugh, pastor

Next young people qualified Sunday for the Honor Roll Church at 8 o'clock.

There will be a meeting of the Deacons and Trustees Thursday evening after prayer meeting.

The pastor will speak Sunday morning on "The Death of the Soul."

The middle of February there will be a class of those who desire to become members of the church at 8 o'clock. They may be instructed in the doctrines, ordinances, and history of the church. All desiring to join will make it known to the pastor.

In October the Sunday School added to its roll a Cradle Roll department. Among Mrs. Hazel Brennan's names are:

Following are the names of the members of this department: Mrs. Len Hollinger, Kathryn Williams, Ed. Worden, Robert Owens, Jacobine Brenner, Janet Marshall, Ardis Johnson, Gloria Bishop, Frank Wood Ritter, Jean Marston, Doris Alberta, Arline Haselesch, Betty Lorenz Wylie, Shirley Parker, Lena Worden, Dorothy Parker, Robert Fields, Ronald Rosher, and Joseph Jean Dick.

With twenty in attendance to the Baptist Young People's meeting, and Mrs. Pauline Calbreath leader for the Sunday evening.

Planning to give the members of the Y. P. U. whose birthday comes in February a birthday party we found ourselves without guests, no one having a birthday in that month.

### TOWNSHIP TAX NOTICE

I will receive taxes at my barber shop every Friday until further notice. No taxes will be received after banking hours.

R. J. Carr, Treasurer,  
Township  
Putnam Township

# "A Stitch in Time"

At this season, when the Flu and colds are so prevalent, you should have a supply of reliable home remedies ready for instant use. Then at the first sign of illness in your children or other members of the family you will be prepared to fight it at its very inception. Let us suggest the remedies to purchase for emergency use.

## Barry's Drug Store

### STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Livingston

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said County on the 19th day of January A. D. 1929.

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

In the matter of the estate of John William Napier, Deceased.

Margaret Mayville having filed in said court her petition, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Ernest F. Mayville or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 18th day of February A. D. 1929 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Pinckney Dispatch a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

A true copy  
Celestia Parshall, Register of Probate

Willis L. Lyons  
Judge of Probate

STATE OF MICHIGAN  
The Probate Court for the County of Livingston

At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said County on the 26th day of January A. D. 1929.

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

In the matter of the estate of William E. Harris, Deceased.

John M. Harris having filed in said court his petition, praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Sadie Cooper or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 25th day of February A. D. 1929 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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WEEK OF FEBRUARY 3

As predicted in last week's forecast we believe temperatures will be above the seasonal normal at the beginning of this week.

Unsettled weather with some rain or snow storms are to be expected during the first two or three days of this week, but this condition will soon be followed by a change to much colder.

During the middle days of this week the sky will have a tendency to clear, as much as it is generally possible over a state surrounded by so much water.

About Thursday temperatures will range close to the seasonal normal in most parts of Michigan with a rising tendency to be noted.

Although there will probably be a clearing of the weather about Saturday of this week there will be renewed storminess again at the beginning of next week.

Less Beans Per Acre, 1929

Michigan knew its beans during 1928, but failed on potatoes. Notwithstanding we predicted a good potato year for 1928, farmers persisted in planting too large an acreage, which greatly reduced prices and profit.

It is our forecast it will take a good bean farmer to make a good bean yield for 1929 in Michigan. The weather enters strongly into the life history of the bean and for this year climatic conditions are not propitious for as large a harvest as in 1928 with the same acreage.

Short Fishing Season Urged

Eighty Lake Michigan commercial fishermen, representing ports from Manistique to Ludington, met with William Loutit, executive chairman of the state conservation commission at Traverse City and agreed upon longer closed seasons for white fish and Mackinaw trout.

The closed season on trout is now October 10 to November 4. If the legislature accepts the recommendation the closed season in Lake Michigan will be from October 20 to November 22.

The closed season on white fish is now November 20 to December 15. The meeting agreed that in Lake Michigan it should be from November 5 to December 15.

New closed seasons for Lake Huron were agreed upon at a similar conference at Bay City recently.

"Are you engaged to him?" "Yes," answered the prudent girl. "But I have requested time to verify reports on his title and fortune."

—the public now demands

375,000

Jars of Vicks daily

Compared with 1918, this epidemic, so far, is mild; and yet, in spite of vastly increased capacity, the Vicks Laboratories are once more operating night and day to meet the emergency demand for more and more Vicks VapoRub. Over 375,000 jars are now being produced daily.

approved method of using Vicks for FLU

1. AS A PREVENTIVE

Several times a day, insert Vicks up the nostrils. Also melt a little night and morning in a bowl of boiling water and inhale the steaming medicated vapors. This helps to ward off germ-infection.

2. IF A COLD STARTS

If possible, go home and go to bed. Take a laxative and a hot lemonade. Apply hot, wet towels over throat and chest until the skin is thoroughly reddened. Then rub vigorously with Vicks. Spread on thickly and cover with warm flannel. Leave the bed-covering loose, so that the vapors, released by the body-warmth, may be freely inhaled. At the same time, Vicks acts through the skin like a poultice.

Repeat this treatment every four hours, eat lightly, and stay in bed until the cold is broken. Complete rest helps the body throw off the cold more quickly.

3. AFTER A FLU ATTACK

Physicians advise that the chief danger in this epidemic is after influenza. Then, more than ever, colds, attacking the weakened system, may lead to bronchitis, sinus-trouble or pneumonia. This is especially true of children or old folk.

Heed even the slightest cold as a danger signal. Vicks is especially valuable here, because it is applied externally, and so can be used freely, as often as needed, without upsetting delicate digestion, as too much "dosage" is so apt to do.

VICKS VAPORUB

JACK and JILL

By CLIFFORD WEBB

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"Well, I'll be jiggered!" exploded Tony, who, quite naturally, had been following the recital with ever-increasing interest.

"He didn't find," replied the girl, a whimsical smile twisting one corner of her pretty mouth.

"But," continued Mike, her smile fading, "there is a shell-shocked soldier who was discharged from a hospital in Ohio a year ago, who is, according to law, the real owner.

"Anyhow," went on the girl, "a tax title isn't worth much where there is no abstract accompanying it.

"And now, from what I've told you, I'm sure you can figure out the other possibilities. Dad wants to see and talk with you.

"But Jack—my brother-in-law—there was all around that rock mine," expostulated Tony, whose knowledge of tungsten was far too slight for him to be greatly enthused as yet, even though Mike's remarkable statements were correct.

"And Jack," he continued, "has had a lot of experience around oil wells, and he says—"

"We're not interested in the oil on that property, Tony," cut in the girl quickly.

"And again they were on their way. Suddenly the tunnel where they walked moved into a huge chamber. The girl drew a quick breath, and stopped short.

"He stared around the big chamber, which was almost square and measured probably 50 feet from wall to wall. It was well lighted, and contained no exit that Tony could see.

"Are you engaged to him?" "Yes," answered the prudent girl.

"That is not an engagement. That is an option."

green eyes sparkled a light of mischief. But she was smiling as unconcernedly as though it were perfectly natural for a girl to disappear from right under one's gaze and then pop up again a moment or so later like a jack in the box.

Standing close by her, also smiling sociably, was a red-faced, red-headed man of aldermanic proportions and the map of Ireland spread all over his jovial countenance.

CHAPTER XI

You would know at a glance that he was "dad" to a "Mike" or a "Pat," even if both were girls!

Tony glared at the "Mike" girl. He felt that he had a grievance, and

served an ordinary door. She opened this. Instantly the short passage was illuminated by a brilliant violet-colored light. He followed through into the chamber, or laboratory, a room some 15 feet square, fitted with retorts and all the paraphernalia of chemistry and for assay work.

"Dad has had four experts besides his friend, Mr. Guernsey, and several laborers at work here ever since last December," explained Mike.

"Well, it looks like this, me bye," said Pat Sweeney, turning his keen glance on the young man.

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He looked at the girl, vital, alluringly pretty and glowing with health.

he wanted to give it an airing. But she was too quick for him.

"This is Dad, Tony," she repeated, grinning at him.

"I just gave Tony a mere outline. Dad," spoke up the girl.

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would start with the first trip, for which you would receive \$10,000 apiece on your return to Elliston with a receipt for delivery from Mr. Guernsey!

Tony tried to speak. The best he could accomplish at the first attempt was an inarticulate gasp.

"Sixty-three — th-thou — th-thousand dollars!" he stuttered, incredulously, "is that—?"

CHAPTER XII

"Sixty-three thousand, three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents!" corrected Mike with her ready smile.

"I've been trying to enlighten Tony," explained Mike, "as to the why and wherefore of things.

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the same time he couldn't help being amused at the ingenuities of this girl's suggestion—the ease with which he was going to evade all responsibility, enrich himself, and feel no compunctions whatever.

"Supposing," he said sociably, "that we let the matter stand as it is until I've talked with Jack Stuart and my father?"

"But, ye are not so certain about yer brother-in-law?" said Pat Sweeney, in a tentative tone.

"I've heard," he went on, "that Jack Stuart was a bit close-hauled for riddy cash just now. Im't that a fact?"

(To be continued.)

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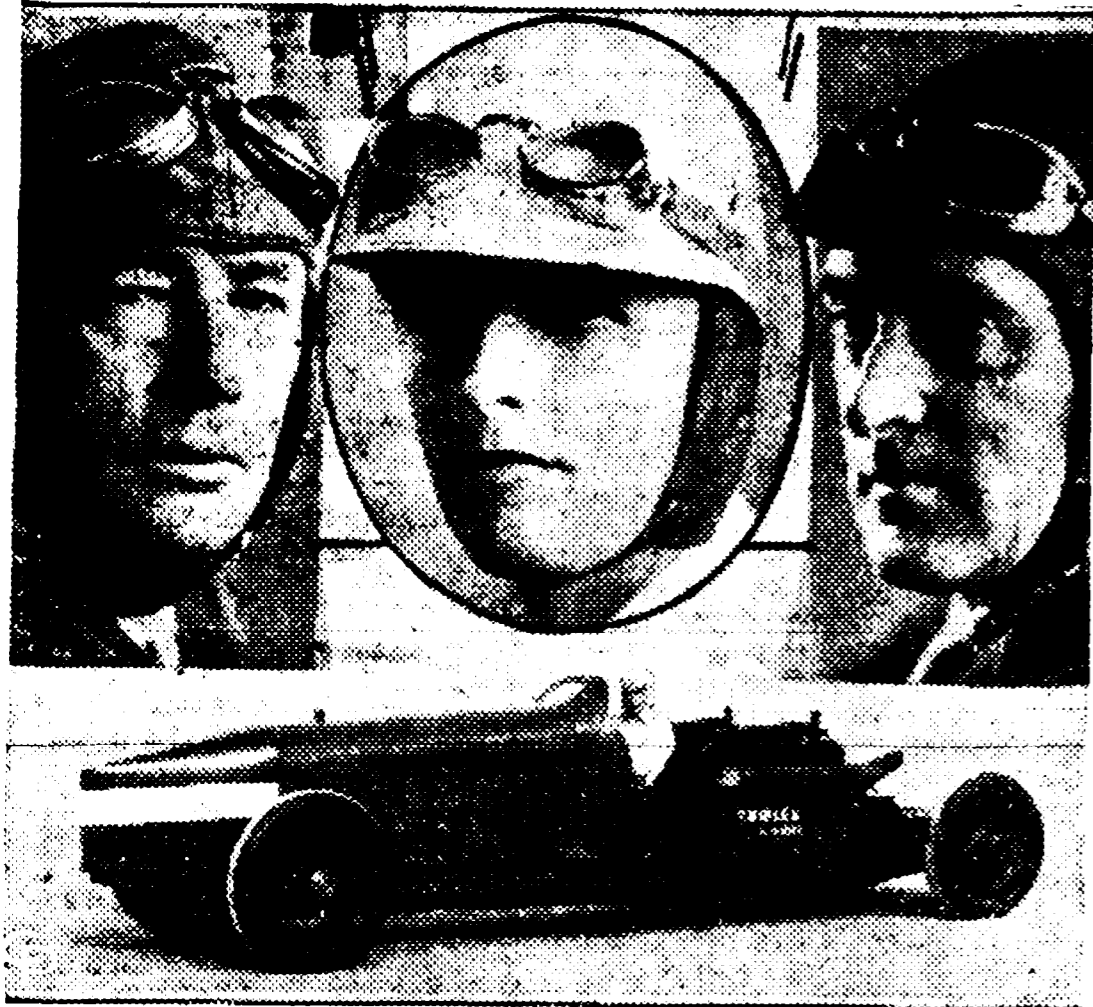
# CAMERA NEWS

## U. S. Museum Probes Boys' Find



Yale university and the U. S. National Museum have joined in an expedition to seek specimens of early American life first discovered in a cave 45 miles from El Paso, Tex., by three young El Paso musicians, Ewing Waterhouse, Wilson Esterly and Carlos Rushing. Esterly and Waterhouse are shown above at the entrance to the cave. Below are relics of a ground sloth, believed to have lived 50,000 years ago, found in the cave by the boys.

## Speed Demons Point to Daytona



New records are expected to be established in the international automobile speed classic at Daytona Beach, Fla., March 1 to March 15. J. M. White, upper left, of Philadelphia, will drive his car, the Triplex, shown above, in an effort to better its own straightaway record of 207.55 miles an hour. Maj. H. O. D. Segrave, British demon, center, will enter with a new creation, and Capt. Malcolm Campbell, right, of London, England, also plans to compete.

## Ultra Modern Proposal, Wedding



Breaking all records for spectacular proposals and weddings, George A. Henshaw, multimillionaire Texas oil man, believes in doing things right. After Miss Caledonia Cullian, of San Francisco, had listened to his proposals for three years with a deaf ear, Henshaw set out from his home in San Angelo, Tex., a week ago, went to Los Angeles where he chartered a 19-passenger airplane and an orchestra-janitized some friends and flew to San Francisco. She was accepted! They flew to Reno, were married and now plan to fly to New York, then carry the plane to Europe by boat and finish their honeymoon in European skies.

## In Oklahoma Fight



This is the latest photo of Mrs. O. O. Hammonds, who, as confidential secretary to Gov. Henry S. Johnston, has been the storm center in the Oklahoma political disturbance culminating in both branches of the legislature organizing to investigate the office of the governor.

## Freshman Scores



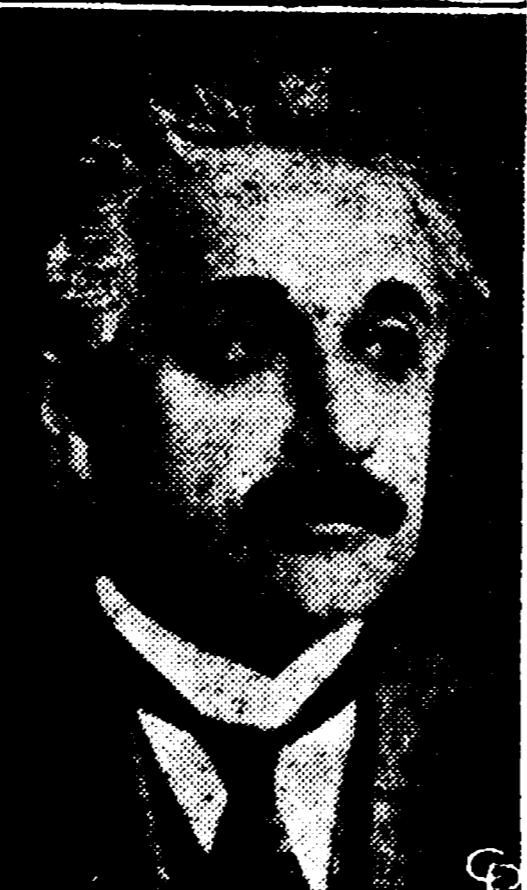
"Only a freshman" is Miss Helen Raabe at Wittenberg college, Springfield, O., but she is a real contender for beauty honors in a contest conducted by editors of the year book.

## Pitching Hawaiian



A contract to play baseball in San Francisco has brought the great grandson of Princess Like-like, Henry K. Oana, from his native Hawaii to the United States. He is 18 years old and is said to be one of the best athletes in the Hawaiian islands. In competition in Japan, Oana pitched seven games, winning six.

## New Brain Teaser



Professor Albert Einstein, German scientist, whose theory of relativity changed century old scientific notions, has promised another brain-teasing idea for the gasping world. The new theory, showing the relation between the laws of gravitation and electricity, is to be made public shortly.

## GARDNER "HORT" SOCIETY HEAD

Prof. V. R. Gardner, head of the horticultural department at Michigan State College and director of the state experiment station, has been elected president of the American Society for Horticultural Science in New York city, it was announced Wednesday. This organization is for professional horticulturists of America.

During the past 25 years seven Michigan State men have served as president of the association. They are Liberty Hyde Bailey, now dean of agriculture at Cornell University; W. A. Taylor, chief of the United States bureau of plant industry; U. P. Hedrick, director and horticulturist of the New York experiment station; C. A. McCue, director and horticulturist of the Delaware experiment station; M. J. Dorsey, professor of pomology at the University of Illinois; E. J. Krause, professor of botany at the University of Chicago, and C. P. Close, pomologist in the United States bureau of plant industry.

## Seed Stock Is Improved By Trade System

Members of the Cadillac Potato Growers Exchange are improving their seed stock through an arrangement which enables the growers to trade a bushel and a half of table stock potatoes for a bushel of certified seed.

The plan has been in operation for two years. This year the exchange placed two carloads of certified seed with 15 members of associations which are affiliated with the exchange. The seed produced 15,000 bushels of excellent potatoes which will be used for seed by other members of the associations.

Each of the 15 growers produced his crop under the supervision of the farm crops department at Michigan State College and each field was sprayed five times. Check plots left unsprayed in each field demonstrated that the spraying increased yields 42 bushels per acre.

Trials were also conducted to determine whether closeness of planting had any effect upon the percentage of hollow heart in the potatoes. It was found that when the seed was planted 36x36 inches apart, 10.1 per cent of the potatoes were hollow, while a planting distance of 36x18 inches produced a crop in which only 1.9 per cent of the potatoes were hollow.

The use of fertilizer increased the yields 39 bushels per acre on the farms of the 15 growers. The analyses used were 2-12-6 and 0-10-10.

## Indian Summer Is Not a Season, But Just a Warm Spell

There is an erroneous popular belief that Indian summer is a definite period occurring more or less regularly every autumn. This idea is not based on accurate meteorological observations, according to the weather bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture. Indian summer is the name applied in this country to a period of mild fall weather following a spell of unseasonably cold weather known as "squad winter." As a matter of fact, Indian summer is not a fixed season in the calendar, but varies in date and duration. In many years it is intermittent; that is, there may be several Indian summers in one autumn. Strictly speaking, Indian summer is not a season at all, but merely a type of weather in contrast to the usual weather for fall or early winter. Thoreau, in notes on weather conditions at Concord, Mass., from 1851 to 1860, records the occurrence of Indian summer on dates ranging from Sept. 27 to Dec. 13.

In Europe as well as in this country mild weather occurs every autumn, and it is popularly believed that a removal of the dates of its supposed occurrence are more definitely fixed than in the case in America. The period is associated with the names of various saints who have fixed dates in the ecclesiastical calendar. The mild period is accordingly known in different parts of Europe as "St. Martin's summer," "St. Luke's summer" or "St. Michael's summer," and tradition fosters the idea that it is always mild and warm about the time of these various saints' days. Climatological facts, however, do not always check up with this belief.

## Counties Still Pay Bounty

Despite the fact that state trappers wage ceaseless warfare against predatory animals in the upper peninsula, there are several counties in this section which pay a bounty on wolves, coyotes, wild cats, weasels and other forest killers.

In counties where these bounties are paid the kill of predatory animals has been heavy. In Marquette county, 4,000 weasels were destroyed in 1928, along with 416 hawks and 160 owls. This county paid \$2,400 for bounties on coyotes and \$200 on wolves. The results in Marquette county are believed to be similar to those in other counties where the bounties are paid.

In spite of hard work by state trappers it is difficult to hold predatory animals in check. Especially is this true of small killers like the weasel to which the wolf trappers pay little attention because of a lack of time.

## Helping Feathered Friends Pleasant Winter Diversion

The ground is now carpeted with snow making it almost impossible for different winter birds to secure food, especially the beautiful "Blue Jay" who stays north during all the winter months. The Blue Jay is largely a ground worker finding most of his food on the ground, that is, during the cold winter months. When the ground is covered with its thick white blanket it is difficult for the Jay to secure food, and consequently anyone may enjoy a worth while hobby of supplying food for beautiful creatures.

It is not necessary to go to any expense whatever. Just place a broad board about 2 feet by 2 feet on top of a post and then take whatever food one may have and place it on the platform. Then watch for results. It is a real pleasure to look out of a convenient window and watch the little fellows go after the food which was obligingly prepared for them, and what is more one is nicely rewarded at times with their songs, especially that of the Cardinal.

It is not necessary to go to any great bother with them although any that have already indulged in it no doubt have found it a very interesting and pleasant privilege.

Another method is to nail the food such as suet or hardened bread to the trunk of a large tree or station a board in the branches of a tree and fasten the food to the board. This is being done by a local citizen who reports very successful results.

The Brown Creeper and various species of Wood Peckers secure their food from the bark of trees, but they also will be frequent visitors at the food station. This is an excellent opportunity for bird enthusiasts to observe various birds that are otherwise difficult to get close to.

The Cardinal is a rare bird in this territory and is very shy, out in the winter they are driven by hunger to resort to almost anything rather than starve, and have been known in various cases to come upon porches in search of food.

Among the principal foods of Jays and Cardinals is field corn. If a few ears of corn can be procured take a piece of rope and anchor the ear on top of a large branch in a tree, and the birds will do the rest. It is indeed a pleasure to stand and watch the Jays pull and struggle with a kernel of corn until they free it from the cob. Then they will place the kernel under their foot, and stand on it and use their beak to peck at it until it is entirely gone. Should they drop any to the ground they fly down and gobble it up, so there is very little of the food placed out that is wasted. The Cardinal will eat corn, but seeds, very fine seeds, would be more appreciated because the Cardinals are more or less "Seed Eaters."

Those that can spare a few minutes to feed the birds each day will find that their time will be spent in a worth while way and will be rewarded by the very best gratitude which the birds can give.

## Civilization Is Killing Off Game

That civilization has much to do with the falling off of wild life, is the opinion that many conservationists are holding as a result of thorough study of problems that have arisen. Almost every day some fact comes to light that seems to uphold this belief. Recently the department of conservation was notified that six prairie chickens were found dead between two power line towers in Gladwin county. After a careful examination, Dr. M. D. Pirnie, the department's bird specialist, declared that the prairie chickens had positively met their death through collision with the power lines.

No evidence of disease or parasites was found on the specimens examined by Dr. Pirnie. It is his opinion that power and telephone lines are at just the right height from the ground to constitute a menace to this bird. P. S. Lovejoy, in charge of game refuge development, said that boyhood experience in Illinois would seem to support this statement. He related that during excursions afield he often found birds wounded or killed by the wires.

Destruction of pheasant and quail nests by man is another item that goes on the debit side of the books. These birds frequently nest in second growth alfalfa or in fields that are to be plowed. The farmer inadvertently destroys the nests while reaping his harvest or preparing the ground for planting. It is a situation that is difficult to remedy.

For instance, a farmer wrote the department that in one field he destroyed three nests. They were broken up before he could prevent it. Had these eggs been hatched and the birds raised to maturity they would have furnished game for more than one sportsman. In New York State a farmer kept account of eggs destroyed on his farm. The year's total was 600. When the sportsman pauses to consider the many repetitions of such instances he may easily realize where some of the game is going.

Last summer Fred A. Westerman, head of the fish division, counted the number of dead specimens of wild life that he found over an 80-mile section of state highway. They had been victims of automobiles. The total multiplied by the number of animals multiplied by the number of similar multiplied by the number of similar gave an astounding figure.

## Poultry

### VITAMIN E ESSENTIAL FOR BREEDING FOWLS

For many years chemists have known that some substance in the germ of corn and wheat vitally affected the growth and development of animals. Just recently the discoveries of Herbert W. Evans and George O. Burr, published in the proceedings of the National Academy of Science, gave official recognition of this substance as a vitamin.

It is called Vitamin E. It is found abundantly in nature; its chief source being in the seeds and green leaves of certain plants as well as in some of the glands of animals, as for instance the liver.

This vitamin has a great deal to do with the reproductive ability of animals. Some authorities claim that it is solely responsible for the very existence of living organisms. Researches indicate that animals, either male or female, that are deprived entirely of foods containing vitamin E appear to be absolutely incapable of reproduction.

### X-RAY EUGENIC HENS UPSET SCIENCE!

The poultry farm of Paul R. Hadley at Fanwood, New Jersey, boasts artificially sexed hens, hatched on the farm, which have upset the prognostications of scientists that they would not lay.

These artificially sexed hens are said to have proven their superiority to their naturally sexed sisters in many ways.

The artificially hatched hens began producing eggs 25 days earlier than the average hen. They grew faster, and proved immune to the germ disease that sometimes cause the death of 50 per cent of a hatching. In addition, they eat less than the normal average hen.

Mr. Hadley is the inventor of the X-Ray sex determining machine. The same rays that kill the male germs in the egg also kill disease germs and produce a sound chick. The early maturing of the artificially produced pullet means a great deal to the poultry industry, explains Mr. Hadley, saying that the saving in feeding alone would amount to \$300,000,000 annually.

### HOW BIG IS OUR BUSINESS?

The poultry industry in the United States, as well as in the corn belt and Iowa, has climbed from its position as a sideline industry to a place of prominence in the agricultural world. For years poultry was kept on the farms to supply eggs and a few spring friers for family consumption. As a rule no income was derived from this portion of the farm enterprise except during the season of heavy production—the summer months when egg prices were low and when someone else's hens were laying, as well as those on the home farm.

That situation has changed materially, however, as a few figures will show. In 1920, according to census figures, Iowa had 25,680,000 poultry. In 1927 this figure had risen to 33,000,000, showing an increase of 28 per cent. In the United States as a whole the egg crop produced in 1929 was worth \$620,000,000 while the market poultry produced amounted to \$561,000,000, giving a total value for the poultry and egg crop during the year of \$1,181,000,000. It should be remembered that these figures are based on farm poultry flocks alone and do not include the numerous small town backyard flocks. No one knows just how important a place these backyard flocks occupy in the total egg and poultry production of the nation, but even if we disregard them, as the government has done in its estimates, we find that the value of the poultry products produced in the United States in 1926 amounted to 16 per cent of the total value of livestock and its products for that year. The income derived from poultry ranged third among all sources of livestock income. The dairy industry ranked first with 40 per cent of the total and the swine industry second with 22 per cent of the total, while, as mentioned before, poultry came third with 16 per cent.

A government report calls attention to the fact that 50 per cent of the total eggs produced in the country are only slightly less than 50 per cent of the chickens raised are produced in the north central states, and calls attention to the fact that Iowa leads all other states in total chicken and egg production. The total income from poultry and eggs in Iowa in 1926 amounted to \$73,896,000. This was equal to almost 10 per cent of the total agricultural income of the state in that year and ranked poultry in fourth position. In Iowa the hog income amounted to 41 per cent of the total; the dairy cattle and dairy products income, 17.5 per cent, and the beef cattle income 16.3 per cent. These figures show that poultry production occupies a very important place in the agriculture of Iowa and the nation.

It will be some time before the new small-sized currency gets into circulation, authorities say, especially among farmers. We don't know whether this is on account of geography or economics.

The sad-looking man stopped at the lunch counter and said: "Five ham sandwiches, please."

"Will you eat them here or take them away?" asked the counter man. "I hope to do both," was the reply.

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### NEIGHBORING NEWS

The county board of supervisors have purchased a bullet proof vest for Sheriff Wimbles.

The Alma College Band and orchestra will give a concert at the Fowlerville opera house Feb. 2.

The Livingston County Credit Bureau has been formally organized with the following officers: Pres. Homer Peavy; Vice Pres., Bert Hoff; Manager E. N. Manning.

Two packed houses witnessed the Minstrel Show put on by the American Legion at the Rialto Theatre, Brighton last Thursday and Friday.

The Northville Fair Assoc. will hold another free fair this year. The dates are the week of Sept. 16.

In one day last week Tuesday, City Treasurer Howell took in \$32,859.87 in taxes. His fees for the days work amounted to more than \$325. It was the last day for tax payments.

The Tri-County Brotherhood meeting was held at Unadilla Jan. 27. Rev. Frank Hartley of Munith delivered the address.

The Consumers Power Co. which was recently granted charter in Oak Grove turned the power on there last week.

Howell Lodge No. 38 F. & A. M. will hold a Past Masters night Feb. 13.

The Livingston County Knights of Columbus have leased the second story of the new Wheeler Russell building at Howell.

F. J. Crang and W. A. Brown who were arrested while selling booze on the streets of Howell recently waived examination and were bound over to circuit court. When arraigned there Tuesday, their attorneys Nelson Biglow of Detroit and Wm. McNair of Northville claimed their rights had been misrepresented and asked that the case be sent back for re-examination by Justice Yelland. The motion was granted. Here Attorney McNair became a abusive and was fined \$10 for contempt of court by Justice Yelland.

The Hartland Congregational church property been deeded to the school for gymnasium purposes.

### ITEMS OF 25 YEARS AGO

From the Dispatch of Jan. 28, 1904 This section experienced the worst snow storm of the season last Sunday. The thermometer hovered around zero most of the time and the wind blowing a gale drifted the snow continually. No trains ran Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The Maccabees and the Lady Maccabees will put on the play "The Vag-

abonds" at the Pinckney Opera House Feb. 12. A dance will follow the play. Miss Florence Andrews entertained a number of friends last Friday evening at a literary party. Miss Beth Swarthout won first prize at the guessing game.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Homer Reason a son.

Wm. Cady of Lakeland received a special premium on some golden Polish Owls at the Washtenaw poultry show.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sheehan a son.

E. C. Glenn has purchased the Cooke farm at Half Moon Lake Ernest Cook the Twambly farm and Fred Glenn the Robert Glenn farm.

Rev. George Myline will give a lecture at Pleasant Lake under the auspices of the Epworth League. The subject is "Reflections of a Batchelor."

Sheriff Finley of Howell was in town Tuesday notifying jurors.

### DETROIT EDISON PLANS BIG CONSTRUCTION PROGRAM

About thirty million dollars will be spent by The Detroit Edison Company on new construction during 1929, according to tentative plans recently announced. Plans are sufficiently flexible that the construction program may be expanded or reduced to keep in step with general business conditions, and there will be revisions of this budget as the year advances.

This budget covers construction work only, and is entirely separate and distinct from the Company's operating and maintenance expenses.

Among the many expenditures of the company, the following improvements will be made in the Grand River and Livingston districts:

During 1929 the company expects to add about 1400 new customers in its Grand River and Livingston districts. These districts include the territory along Grand River avenue from Clarenceville to Williamston and north to North Farmington, Commerce Rose Center and Hartland and south to Plymouth, Brookville, South Lyons, Hamburg and Pinckney.

The cost of extending service to these new customers and installing the meters, etc. will amount to about \$110,000.00. In addition to this, it is expected that \$45,000.00 will be spent for farm line extensions, but some of this will be paid for by the farmers themselves.

New substations to cost \$292,400, are to be built at Howell and Walled Lake to insure better service to present customers and to provide for an expected increase in business. For the same reasons an additional \$197,000 will be spent to remodel or make additional lines in and around Northville, Plymouth, New Hudson, South Lyon, Milford, and Farmington.

Additional ornamental street lights are planned at a total cost of \$16,000 and highway lighting in various parts of these districts will amount to \$18,000 more.

\$35,000.00 will be spent to improve overhead transmission and distribution lines in and around Northville, Plymouth, Milford and Pinckney.

At Northville a new branch office is to be finished in January. This is the headquarters for the company's Grand River and Livingston districts.

### INTRODUCES NEW DEATH BILL

Senator Seymour Person of this district is one of the busiest legislators at Lansing. His latest effort is a new death bill which makes the accused of murder liable to capital punishment if the charge is not proven. The following is taken from the Lansing State Journal:

Sen. Seymour H. Person, Lansing who waged a battle of ridicule as well as logic, against capital punishment bills last session, said Wednesday morning that he would introduce in the senate an amendment to one of the pending capital punishment bills, by which the accused of murder should be executed, if the charge were not proved at the murder trial.

Senator Person's amendment was pulled from the old Babylonian laws, "The Code of Hammurabi" which the senator unearthed recently. The first section of the old law, which would constitute the senator's amendment, reads: "If a man bring an accusation against a man, and charge him with capital crime, but cannot prove it, he, the accuser, shall be put to death."

If this provision were incorporated in the criminal procedure of this state, anyone signing a murder complaint, would be executed in event the defendant were found not guilty by jury.

### LEGISLATURE NEWS

The matters which are expected to come up this week are state finance and criminal legislation. The most



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Important aspect of the financial legislation is the state property tax which Gov. Green is trying to reduce. The most important part of the criminal legislation are the capital punishment bills and changes in the criminal code.

Agriculture legislation will also occupy an important part. Rep. Hall has sponsored a bill strengthening the apple grading law. Rep. Morrison one repealing the Horton Corn Borer Bill because Federal funds for enforcement are available. The leasing of lands for oil would be placed in the hands of the State Conservation Committee while transportation and storage in hands of the public utilities committee.

Sen. Howell is the author of a bill to place a 3c tax on all gas and oil operators. Many bills tending to remove prohibition violation from the criminal code have been introduced. One bill would remove it from the list and substitute a mandatory prison sentence of 7 1/2 to 15 years for 4th time violation. Three death bills have been introduced. One by Senator Lannon provides electrocution for murders.

Drunk drivers of autos would be jailed without discretion by the judge according to a bill by Sen. Concen. Financial bills have been introduced by Senator Deland and Wood of Detroit.

One objection to an agriculture appropriation suggested in the administration's blanket appropriation bill, came to the surface, last week, when Dr. B. J. Killham state veterinarian, stated that the sum of \$125,000, to be devoted to indemnities to farmers for animals slaughtered in the bovine T B eradication campaign, was inadequate. The department of agriculture has requested \$150,000 annually for this fund.

### IS BEING RE-SURVEYED

County Surveyor Robert Long has been resurveying Baughn's Bluffs. All but 76 lots of the old plot are to be abandoned and a new plat made of the balance. The original streets were 10 feet wide the new ones will be from 30 to 36 and will be gravelled.

### WANTS, FOR SALE, ETC.

WANTED—Near Patterson Lake, 3 to 5 acres of land without building. Must be suitable for a garden. Give exact location and best cash price. Harry L. Faka, 960 Hudson Ave Detroit, Mich.

FOR SALE—Single Comb, White Leghorn Pullets, now laying. Dan Noeker, Brighton, Mich. E. E. Phone 6275

FOR SALE—Two cows, one fresh, one due to freshen soon, one yearling bull, one bronze gobler. Reade Lake Farm Dexter, Michigan

WANTED—Salesman for Lubricating Oil and Paint; two lines combine Salary or Commission. The Royce Refining Co. or The Royce Paint Co. Cleveland, Ohio

FOR SALE—143 acres 4 miles south and west of State Sanitarium. Good buildings, good land, well watered and fenced. Will sell for small down payment and easy terms or will trade for property in Pinckney, Brighton or Howell. Francis A. Gehring Howell, Mich.

FOR SALE—My own orchard, spraying machine, mowing machine, etc. Will sell at a bargain. J. A. Higgins

FOR SALE—Timothy hay and two stacks of marsh hay, also about 200 bushel of corn. Bert Hicks

LOST—A black and white Shepherd dog. Finder please return to W. B. Gardner

FOR SALE—Registered Holstein cow to freshen soon, 6 yrs old. Victor Szymanski, Pinckney

LOST—Automobile Crank for Hubmobile. Finder please return to Oza Campbell

FOR SALE—Holstein bull, also Durham bull. Lynn Hendee

LOST—Watch dog, part police and part Airdale. W. H. Meyers

FOR SERVICE—A Thoroughbred Duroc-Jersey Boar and a 4 year old Holstein Cow due to freshen soon for sale. George Greiner, Pinckney

FOR RENT—House and garage in the village of Pinckney. Paul Bock

FOR SALE—Dry slab wood. \$3.00 per cord delivered. W. C. Miller

### ORIGIN OF THE DEXTER FAMILY

Concerning this the following is submitted: The name DeExter is among the most prominent in the Irish nobility from the time of the Conquest under William II but was carried into England with William the Conqueror from Ireland. There under the form Dexter, it was brought to America from Ireland. In support of this latter we will rely upon a historical work of Fr. McKeenolds, a Chicago priest in which he states: "The ancestors of the Dexter families came from Ireland and settled in Massachusetts in 1682." All this is submitted to the readers of the Dispatch for any needed correction. M. T. Kelly, Dexter Jan. 28, 1929.

### MRS. DWIGHT WOOD

Mrs. Dwight Wood died in Asheville, N. C. at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Walter Huston on January 25, 1929. Mr. and Mrs. Wood had for a number of years in Putnam township leaving there for Caro, Michigan where Mr. Wood died 24 years ago.

### Where Tornados Occur

Tornados seldom occur outside the United States. The Mississippi valley receives them mainly for 1000 miles. Kansas, Oklahoma, Nebraska, Kansas and Missouri for both neck for funnel-cloud boners. Nebraska easily takes second place. Then comes Mississippi, Alabama, Iowa, Illinois, the Dakotas and Minnesota. Outside this region the whirling cloud seldom strikes. It is common in Florida. New England is never visited.

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