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Though Easter comes earlier than spring this year, there is still a mode to greet it.

And Mack's everready with the newest of the new presents these first fashions in their most engaging forms.

They are the gay frocks in the arresting prints and in bright colored crepes. Coats and ensembles, influenced by the spring mode as to their casual softness of silhouette, but warm enough for in-between wear. Hats of straw and felt fashioned in the supple flattering way of spring hats.

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ANOTHER BIG SUCCESS

The masquerade dance held at the Masonic hall on the evening of Washington's birthday was well attended, 86 numbers being sold. The costumes were varied and distinctive. Miss Lola Flintoft of Howell was awarded the girl's prize for the best costume and the boys prize was also awarded to a Howell entrant.

We understand that the next entertainment put on by the O. E. S. will be somewhat different. It will be a blackface minstrel show and will be staged under the direction of P. H. Swarthout, veteran amateur actor of this village. He has picked a strong cast and it will be undoubtedly be well worth seeing. The date is Monday, April 1, town meeting day.

PEARSON BOUND OVER

The hearing of Dr. Alex Pearson of Ann Arbor on charge of arson in connection with the burning of his barn in Hamburg township last fall, was held before Justice Yelland at Howell last Saturday. Deputy Fire Marshall Allen was the only witness examined. The defendant was represented by Carl Lehman of Ann Arbor and Prosecuting Attorney Sweeney appeared for the people. The doctor was bound over to the circuit court for trial on March 11. Bail was fixed at \$5,000 which was furnished.

TO CLOSE SEASON

The Pinckney Independents will close their basket ball season, Saturday evening, March 2. When they play the Dexter Independents at the Pinckney Community Hall. The latter has a strong team and has not lost a game this year. However Pinckney expects to have her strongest lineup of the season on the floor as she is desirous of ending the season with a victory. The local team has played 13 games up to date and while the defeats are somewhat greater than the victories are far from disheartened.

A preliminary game is being arranged between the Rinky Dinks and the Dexter Boy Scouts team.

RECORD COLD FAILS TO STOP CROWD

Notwithstanding the intense cold last week, many folks, not only from Howell, but from rather distant country points, braved the weather and slippery roads to attend the Howll Theatre last Wednesday where a five act Stage Performance was given.

Judging from the remarks dropped by many of those attending it was well worth the trip. There is not the slightest doubt but that the State Show excelled anything of like nature heretofore given in Howell.

The Schulte Amusement Company is certainly building up a splendid patronage for the new Howell with the high-class shows they are offering both on the screen and on the stage, and it is felt certain, given mild weather, the attendance Wednesday March 6th, when the next Stage Show will be offered, all records for attendance should be broken, as there must be hundreds unable to attend last week who will be on hand.

PLAYS AT DEXTER

The Pinckney High School team will play at Dexter Friday evening, March 1. They defeated Dexter here two weeks ago by a score of 12 to 18. The two teams are about evenly matched and a good game should result. A big Pinckney delegation is planning on accompanying them. This will probably be Pinckney's last game before the "Spilanti" tournament in which they are entered.

WE ARE THANKED

Editor Dispatch: In my overweening vanity I must thank you for the flattering reference whether you were truthful or not.

Your understanding of the terms, memorial and pioneer are accepted in view of the authorities you quote. However may I not ask you to accept the definition of a gentleman "A man who wears a shirt with collar and cuffs attached," on the authority of Mark Twain?

You can please me greatly, for I wear that kind at least six days a week. Another pleasure, you seem to make of me a kind of super-pioneer, for the time was known to me when good whiskey sold for less than 25c per quart, and with less of deadly content than there is now. This might be examined by your students of psychology, biology, sociology, child-nature and birth control.

On the whole please allow me to commend your enterprise which seems to be operating to place the Dispatch in the front rank of the up-and-coming forward-looking, outstanding newspapers of Michigan.

Yours truly
Dexter, Feb. 22-'29 M. T. Kelly.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all who assisted in any way during our recent bereavement.
Mrs. Frankie C. Leland
Carmen J. Leleand

38TH BIRTHDAY SALE

In appreciation of the wonderful trade I have enjoyed during the past 38 years, I take this opportunity of returning thanks.

Starting March 1st, I will place my entire stock on sale (Farm and Garden Seeds excepted), consisting of 8 cars of new 1928 goods, at a big discount. AS HIGH AS 25c. All I ask of you is to get my prices before you buy.

R. E. Barron, Howell

PINCKNEY SCHOOL STILL IN COMPETITION

The Michigan High School Debating League composed of approximately 300 schools is rapidly bringing its schedule to a close. Friday Mar. 1 there are but 15 debates to be held in the state. These debates will be held in the following cities: Detroit, Flint, Grand Rapids, Kalamazoo, Lapeer, Algonac, Ishpeming, Mason, Port Huron, Manistee, Cheboygan, River Rouge, Birmingham, Traverse City, and St. Mary's High School of Royal Oak.

Competition is now so keen, and the remaining teams are so evenly matched that the choice of winners is a difficult matter Pinckney still remains in the race for state honors. The team goes to Mason to debate the team of that place Friday afternoon.

DR. C. R. BLACHFORD WEDS MISS MARY STACKABLE

One of the most interesting weddings of the late winter season was solemnized at Holy Rosary church Detroit, Tuesday, February 12, when Miss Mary Stackable, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Stackable of Gregory was united in marriage to Dr. C. R. Blachford of this city. The bridal pair was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Meohan of Detroit and the officiating clergyman was Rev. Fr. Betting, of the same city.

Mrs. Blachford has been employed for the past number of months as nurse at the Mellus Hospital and her husband has lived in Brighton all his life. Both young people are very popular and their many friends unite in congratulations and best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

Dr. and Mrs. Blachford will be at home to their many friends in Flint after March first. Brighton Argus.

PROGRAM SUNDAY EVENING

The Busy Bee Sunday school class are putting on a program Sunday evening at the Congregational church commencing at 7:30 p. m.

P. T. A. MEETING

The March meeting of the P. T. A. will be held at the school house on Monday evening, March 4 at 8:00 p. m. Everybody invited.

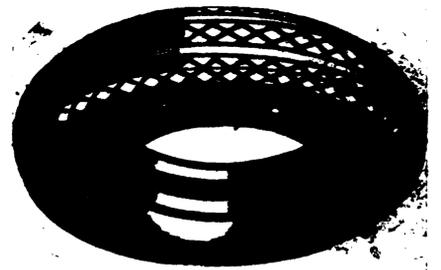
REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Regular communication of the Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. will be held Tuesday evening, March 5. Entertainment and refreshments. All brothers are asked to be present.
Kenneth Reason, Sec'y

LAST CALL FOR TAXES

Thursday, February 28, 1929, is the last day for the collection of taxes. All taxes unpaid after that date will be turned into the county treasurer as delinquent.

R. J. Carr, Treasurer,
Township
Putnam Township



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MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE 1 lb can 47c		RED SALMON Tall Can 25c
PANCAKE FLOUR 5 lb Sack 23c FLAKE WHITE SOAP, 10 Bars 37c HARD WATER CASTILE SOAP, 4 Bars 29c SUGAR CANE, 10 lb Cloth Bag 59c BEANS, 3 Cans 25c SARDINES, 4 Cans in Oil 25c ORANGES, 216 Size Dozen 29c		

JELLO All Flavors 4 Pkgs. 29c	SHREDDED WHEAT 10c	RAISINS Seedless New 2 Pkgs. 15c
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GIVE \$433,081 FOR MISSIONS

The Lake Union Conference of Seventh-Day Adventists, the second largest union numerically throughout denominational ranks, finished second in the total amount of funds given to missions by the twelve union conferences in the United States and Canada in 1928, according to a report just issued by Prof. J. L. Shaw, treasurer of the Foreign Mission Board, The Lake Union Conference, which includes Indiana, Michigan, Illinois, and Wisconsin in its territory, contributed \$433,081.86 to the grand total of \$2,820,114.11 which the 110,422 adherents in the United States and Canada gave, passing the total given in 1927 by \$127,583.41.

Treasurer Shaw says the leading mission fields abroad will secure additional appropriations as the result of the liberality of the believers at the home base, these missions being in Europe, Asia, Africa, South America and Inter-America. The goal of giving was 60-cents-a-week per member, and for the 15,803 members in the Lake Union, 53.7 cents per week per member was reached. The Chicago Conference not only reached its goal but totaled 65.7 cents. Its total for 2,525 members was \$86,224.53. The East Michigan and West Michigan Conferences tied for honors, each averaging 56.4 cents per week per member. The 2,740 members in East Michigan, which includes Detroit, Flint, Lansing, Holly, Jackson, Pontiac and other cities in the eastern half of the state in its territory, gave \$80,308.10, while the 3,890 members in West Michigan in Grand Rapids, Battle Creek, Kalamazoo, Petoskey and other cities in the northern and western sections of the state gave \$114,037.23. The Indiana Conference, whose 2,345 members live in Indianapolis, Evansville, Fort Wayne, Marion, Anderson, Richmond, Terre Haute, South Bend, Logansport and other cities of the state, gave \$54,626.36 or 49 cents per week per member.

The Illinois Conference of 1,388 members whose territory includes all the state except around Chicago gave \$32,826.44, or 45.5 cents per week per member.

State Debaters Face Hard Schedule

A hard schedule faces the Michigan State college varsity debating team which debates for the first time Feb. 20 against the University of Cincinnati on the home platform.

This year several debates will be held on neutral floors and in these towns State alumni will take charge of arrangements.

The schedule of 12 debates ends April 11, when the team will be sent to the provincial Pi Kappa Delta convention at Ypsilanti.

The schedule follows: March 6—University of Cincinnati affirmative team at Cincinnati; March 8—Purdue affirmative team at Lafayette and Marquette negative team at East Lansing; March 11—University of Kansas affirmative team at East Lansing; March 15—Western State Teachers negative team at Kalamazoo and Western State Teachers affirmative team at Sand Lake; March 17—Albion affirmative team at Albion and Albion negative team at Ionia; March 18—University of Florida (tentative); March 21—Western Reserve university; April 11 and 12—Convention at Ypsilanti.

1,000 Canaries Were Imported Every Day During Year of 1928

More than half a million foreign birds were imported into this country during 1928, a figure never before attained, according to the Biological Survey of the United States Department of Agriculture. The bureau is charged with the supervision of all importations of foreign birds and some mammals to prevent the introduction of injurious species and diseases. Canaries, as before, constitute the largest number of these bird immigrants, averaging more than 1,000 a day for 1928. Nearly two-thirds of all game birds imported have been Mexican quail. Next to these stand pheasants, formerly a large item in the entries, but State game farms and private enterprises now supply most of the stock for this country, and importations have fallen off considerably.

Poems That Live

MARGARET AND DORA
Margaret's beautiful—Grecian art—
Ne'er draw form completer.
Yet why, in my heart of hearts,
Hold I Dora's sweeter?
Dora's eyes of heavenly blue—
Pass all the painting's reach.
Ringdoves' notes are discord to
The music of her speech.
Artists! Margaret's smile receive,
And on canvas show it;
But for perfect worship leave
Dora to her poet.
—Thomas Campbell (1777-1844).



Teacher Is "Pride of Tennessee"



From a field of 300 contestants Miss Elizabeth McDonald, 20, of Memphis, Tenn., has been chosen to bear the title "The Pride of Tennessee." She is descended from John Sevier, first governor of Tennessee, and a typical southern beauty. She is a school teacher.

Lack of Slumber Held Handicap to Work in Schools

Getting children to bed on time seems to be one of the real health problems of the modern home, according to reports made by school principals to Mrs. Elizabeth Pfarrer, director of child health education for the Grand Rapids Anti-Tuberculosis society. One principal stated that undoubtedly her pupils all have enough relatively wholesome food, but she is sure most of the malnutrition in her building is caused by lack of rest. Movies and the radio head the list of diversions more attractive than sleep to many children.

"What time do you go to bed?" was asked many a youngster in the grade schools of Grand Rapids and Kent county by their teachers during the past month. All this curiosity was aroused by the outline of health topics which has been sent to all buildings by the Anti-Tuberculosis society in co-operation with Leslie A. Butler, superintendent of schools, and Allen M. Freeland, school commissioner. This outline stressed plenty of rest and advised a sleep schedule ranging from 12 hours for 5 and 6-year-old pupils down to 10 hours nightly for seventh and eighth grade and through the strenuous high school age.

In all of her 79 school health talks to 1,975 children during January Mrs. Pfarrer stressed this one health habit. Reports on the modern health crusade have been received from practically all grade teachers who are doing this work and 4,000 posters were distributed for continuation of the health program through the second term of school.

Tucks, Pleats, Lace



Tucking, pleating and lace are all used to make this pretty little evening georgette frock.

University of Michigan Loses \$150,000 Legacy

The University of Michigan recently learned it had lost its \$150,000 share of the \$300,000 estate of Dr. Victor Hugo Jackson, New York dentist and physician, who died Jan. 26.

Surrogate John P. O'Brien, of New York, set the will aside because Dr. Jackson neglected to have it witnessed.

Dr. Jackson was graduated from the dental school of the University of Michigan in 1877 and from the medical school in 1878. He was given an honorary degree in 1914.

Besides the residuary legacy, valued at \$150,000, Dr. Jackson left part of his models and manuscripts, representing 30 years' pioneering in orthodontia to the University of Michigan. The University of Buffalo dental school also lost \$100,000 when the will was set aside.

Coeds of W. S. T. C. Planning to Build Their Own 'Shack'

Western State Teachers college coeds, under the leadership of Miss Ruth Bose of Grand Rapids, are promoting plans for the construction of a "shack" which will serve as a terminal for their hikes. It is the plan of the coeds to raise the money for the shack themselves and to do all the manual labor which would be required to erect the building. The estimated cost is \$75 and the girls now are planning a vaudeville show for March 14 to raise money for the fund.

Miss Alto McDermott of South Bend is chairman of the finance committee and Miss Marie Eitel of South Haven is in charge of plans for the vaudeville show.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

MENU HINT

Baked Cheese Omelet
Baked Apples—Whole Wheat Muffins
Celery or Lettuce, French Dressing
Devil's Food Cake—Coffee
This is a luncheon menu, with the cheese omelet as the principal dish. It will serve three.

Today's Recipes

Baked Cheese Omelet—One cup milk, two table-spoons cornmeal, one-half teaspoon salt, paprika, one-half cup grated cheese, two eggs. Scald the milk in a double boiler, add the salt and cornmeal. Stir until thick, then cook for 30 minutes; add the cheese and stir until melted. Add seasonings and the beaten egg yolks. Fold in the stiffly-beaten egg whites. Pour into a greased baking dish and bake in a slow oven (250 degrees Fahrenheit) until firm, about 20 minutes.

Whole Wheat Muffins—Two cups whole wheat flour, one cup sour milk, one-third cup molasses, three-fourths teaspoon soda, one teaspoon salt, one egg. Mix and sift in dry ingredients, add the milk to the molasses, add the beaten egg and combine the mixtures. Pour into gem pans and bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees Fahrenheit) 25 minutes.

SUGGESTION

Wide-Top Shades
In choosing lamshades remember that the shade with a wide top will diffuse light generally. A lamp so equipped should be placed in that part of the room where the draperies and walls will be most effectively reflected.

KELLOGG BIRD SANCTUARY TO RECEIVE SWANS

W. K. Kellogg Bird Sanctuary at Wintergreen Lake is to receive a shipment of swans in the immediate future, these coming all the way from Holland. There will be nine in the shipment, all being of the huge Trumpeteer species and they range in age from one to five years. Mr. Kellogg secured them from S. A. Blauw, of Holland, and while the cost of the swans has not been made public, it is felt they will undoubtedly be the highest-priced birds ever imported into America.

Mr. Blauw is a very wealthy man who has raised the Trumpeteer swan more or less as a hobby rather than a business. Several years ago some of his birds were given to the New York Zoo and a few were sold to an American. But all these died and, it is stated, Mr. Blauw declared that never again would he send any birds to this country, all of which is making Mr. Kellogg's acquisition the more interesting and valuable.

Years and years ago, it is stated, there were millions of Trumpeteer swans on the North American continent. Their line of flight was up and down the Mississippi Valley. They flew very high, making a loud noise as they flew, this similar to a trumpet, and from this they were given their name.

Hudson Bay Company gradually killed off the birds for their down and now there is not a Trumpeteer swan in North America and few if any at large in the world. It is for just this reason that Mr. Kellogg seeks this shipment of Trumpeteers from Holland, it being his aim to save the species from total extinction.

News of the undertaking will be received all over the country with a great deal of interest and, added to the present collection of birds and outlay at Kellogg Bird Sanctuary at Wintergreen Lake, it will make that institution one of the most valuable of its kind in the entire world.

The swans will be shipped to the United States with every precaution taken to guarantee their safe arrival in New York city.

Oldest W. S. T. C. Organization to Banquet March 8

Plans are being made for the celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Western State Teachers college chapter of the Collegiate Country Life Clubs of America with a banquet March 8.

This banquet will be the closing feature of the annual Rural Progress day observance. Dr. Ernest Burnham of the faculty, who was responsible for the organization of the club, will be the principal speaker. Representatives from five of the classes graduated at intervals of five years will respond to toasts.

The Country Life club is the oldest organization on the local campus. It was organized in the fall of the first year of the school's history with about 30 members. In 1924 it became affiliated as a chapter of the national association and now has a membership of 135.

Officers are: President, Richard Wheeler, Mattawan; vice president, Lester Trenary, Walkerville; secretary, Marjorie Johnson, Farwell; treasurer, Nellie Kaufman, Conklin.

C. S. T. C. Student Nurses Get Practical Work

A new method of obtaining training in practical nursing for students enrolled in the home economics department at Central State Teachers college has been instituted. Practice work in the Dormitory hospital now is a part of the home nursing course offered at the school.

"All things change, nothing perishes."—Ovid.

Escapes Kidnaping



Lured from her home by a stranger, who promised to furnish her with evidence against a blind pig operator, Mrs. Nettie A. Sletten, president of the Muskegon, Mich., W. S. T. C., narrowly escaped violence from kidnapers. Her suspicions aroused, she called the sheriff's office. One man is held. Mrs. Sletten's prohibition activities have incurred the enmity of Muskegon bootleggers.

The World and All

By CHARLES B. DRISCOLL

WHAT'S YOUR REMEDY?

Crime has increased vastly in the United States since the World war. Of course, violent crime always increases after every war, everywhere. You can't take the young manhood of a nation and drill it to shoot and club and disembowel other young men, without paying a penalty in increase of violent crime. A certain per cent of the well-drilled young men will come back home and kill and mutilate private enemies instead of saving these attentions for the public enemies whom one is duly authorized to kill.

So a part of this increase in violent crime is easy to understand.

But the thing that is not quite so easy to comprehend is why there is more crime in the United States of America than in other civilized countries.

H. Addington Bruce, writing in the February Century, points out that four times as many criminals are now in prison in New York state as in the whole of England. Also, that ten times as many automobiles are stolen in Cleveland as in London, which is about ten times the size of Cleveland.

There are several ways of looking at these figures. One reason why we might be expected to have more persons in prison than England, for instance, is that we imprison people for

acts that are not offenses against the law at all in England. It is not against the law in England to sell and manufacture liquor, while in some of the American states one may go to prison for life, under certain circumstances, for possessing even the smallest imaginable quantity of liquor.

Then, too, while London is much larger than Cleveland, Clevelanders probably own more cars than Londoners.

But even such considerations and allowances do not explain all of the difference.

I remember comparing the homicide figures of London with those of a Kansas town more than 90 per cent American born of American parents where I once lived. Although the Kansas town was less than a hundred thousand in population its annual murder toll was twice that of London for several years.

In that particular case, I knew that unbecomingly local politics which offered sanctuary to certain kinds of criminals, was responsible for most of the crimes of violence. How much does crooked political manipulation of American city governments have to do with the crime situation in this country? It would be interesting to have an intelligent study of this question.

And what are we going to do about it?

Living and Loving

By MRS. VIRGINIA LEE

SCAMP IS OFTEN LOVED BUT GOOD CHARACTER MAY JUST BE ADMIRABLE

One admires the good person, we may even rhapsodize over him in private, but how often, oh, how often, do we LOVE the graceless scamp that does all the things he ought not to do and cheerfully leaves undone all the things he ought to do.

Personally—I say it with shame—I have always secretly sympathized with the good brother of the prodigal son. I think it was pretty hard to go on working and slaving and suppressing his desire to rove, and then have such a fuss made over the prodigal when he got to the end of his rope and came home for help.

I realize that it shows what a nasty disposition I have, but I'm going to be brave and acknowledge that that is how I've always felt about it. I know that I have done just as he did when he groused about that fattened calf business to his father.

A young girl asks me to decide which of two lovers she should marry, and here is her letter.

"Dear Virginia Lee: You have helped others and I am sure you can help me. I need advice and need it quick. I love two boys, both of the same age. Now I have to choose which ONE it will be.

"No. 1 is kind and considerate, always willing to do his part. Not a spendthrift, but not a tightwad, either. Seems to love me in a kind

and tender way and has always acted a gentleman in my presence. Also, he is a member of my church.

"No. 2 is not so thoughtful of anyone except himself. I have to pet him up to keep him in a good humor. Also he is the kind that hates to turn a nickel loose. But he is just the kind that you can't resist, and I am always happier when I am with him. He is not a member of any church.

"Now, Mrs. Lee, which would make a better husband? I think I know which one you will say, but do you believe I could be happy with No. 2? When I am with him I don't think I could be happy without him, and when I think about No. 1 and how sweet he is to me, I think I love him best. So what am I gonna do? I love both, but each in a different way. Please, dear Mrs. Lee, answer me before it is too late. Jenan."

I don't like to advise you to marry either when you can not decide for yourself which one you like best, but I know that ~~you should choose the one which would make the better husband, and that is No. 1—absolutely. Heaven deliver any woman from the kind of man who has to be coaxed to be nice, with whom you are in terror, when you have invited company, that he will throw some kind of a temperamental fit or indulge in the sulks. And as to a tightwad. When a woman has to depend on a husband for every cent she spends, she has a hard enough time without having to coax it out of him like a beggar. If you can't marry No. 1, don't marry either, for you'll never know happiness with No. 2.~~

Star Gazing

Chinning about the cinema: Harry Langdon has gone vaudeville. . . . The screen comedian plays in a small sketch. . . . Kyle Bellew, now breaking into the flickers, is the son of the noted stage actor of the same name.

Director Clarence Brown thinks Doug Fairbanks, Jr., will some day be one of the greatest of screen actors. . . . Says the boy uses his bean.

Doris Kenyon, Milton Sills' former leading woman, will again play opposite him. . . . Richard Barthelmess, 'tis said, has turned down an offer to appear in a Ziegfeld musical stage show. . . . To date they give Nancy Carroll credit for speaking more lines in talkies than any other actress. . . . Louise Fazenda is making great strides as a talkie comedienne. . . . Baclanova has the title role of "The Woman Who Needed Killing."

Hereafter photos of movie stars will cost fans 10c to \$1. . . . Producers estimate cutting off free pies to fans who write for them will offset a \$200,000 annual saving. . . . So watch this newspaper and cut out your favorites when they appear in the column. . . . Philip Holmes, son of the well known Taylor, has quit Princeton university to go movie. . . . Pat Rooney, his wife, Marion Bert, and their son, Junior, all appear in "Sweethearts," forthcoming talkie. . . . Clifford (not Clive) Brook stage director who bossed Lionel and John Barrymore, John Drew, Fay Bainter and other notables in stage shows, has

gone over to sound films. . . . Marilyn Miller is giving her parents a car as a wedding gift. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Carole Miller are remarrying after ten years separation.



Loretta Young, above, is glad she met Colleen Moore. Loretta was discovered in extra ranks by Colleen and was given her first chance. Now she's a Wampus baby star.

W. S. T. C. Professor Will Go to Geneva

Dr. William McKinley Robinson of the faculty of Western State Teachers college department of rural education has been invited to serve as a delegate from the National Education association to the World Federation of Education meeting to be held in Geneva, Switzerland, July 25 to Aug. 4. He also has been invited to serve on the international relations committee of the world conference.

Dr. Robinson is president of the rural education department of the

National Education association and prominent in national circles devoted to the study of rural education. Dr. Robinson plans to attend the conference.

"Heaven takes care that no man secures happiness by crime."—Aesop.

"Nothing is stronger than habit."—Ovid.

"New Office Boy—I've added those figures up ten times, six."

Employer—Good boy!

New Office Boy—And here's the ten answers, sir!

TWIN CITIES FACE TIME QUESTION AGAIN

The annual question of the adoption of "daylight saving" time has bubbled up in St. Joseph and the city commissioners are anxious to learn the opinions of the citizens, the business men, the lawyers and the farmers as to whether or not the clocks should be set ahead in that city for the spring, summer and fall months. St. Joseph does not want to go on "daylight time" as Benton Harbor and the voters in the sister city have repeatedly turned down the proposition. It is true that nearly every other city in Michigan adopts the daylight saving time each summer, but the other cities are differently located than the twin cities, where so much depends upon the farmers and the fruit growers. If the business houses and the factories of the twin cities want to go to work an hour earlier in the day and close their stores and factories an hour earlier in the evening they have the privilege of doing so, but it is not necessary for them to set their clocks ahead and put everything on fast time, which would work to disadvantage of the residents of the neighboring villages, or which the two towns depend to a certain extent for a share of their business.

Cutover Land Tax Revision Is Sought

A delegation from the upper peninsula appeared before the state tax commission to ask for a revision of basic assessments on cutover lands, which were represented as covering millions of acres in the northern part of the state.

It was asked that the lands be classified in four groups, those fit for agriculture purposes, those fit for reforestation, those appropriate for artificial reforestation, and those of a worthless character; and that assessments range from \$2 per acre maximum to \$1 per acre minimum.

In a delegation were William Bonifas, Escanaba; John Bush, Negaunee; E. A. Peterson, Calumet; and Herman Holmes, Crystal Falls.



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 drug stores 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.

DAM IT!



FIRE LINES TOTAL 1,176 MILES

Maintenance of fire lines in Michigan forests although relatively inexpensive has developed into a task of considerable proportions with the expansion of the areas being guarded. The department of conservation must send men over it frequently to remove all material that might nullify its value.

Every five or ten years it is necessary to rebrush the line in order to keep down the growth that invariably encroaches from the sides of the adjacent forest and the branches of trees overhead. Light tractors and discs are used in maintenance work.

In the past two years 160 miles of fire lines were constructed in nine state forests. The entire mileage built consisted of the standard line brushed out 16 feet wide, grubbed 14 feet and plowed 10 or 11 feet. The total mileage of fire lines in all state forests now is 1,176 miles.

Plan Muskegon Theater

Announcement has been made by Paul J. Schlossman, Muskegon theater owner, of the merger of the Public-Keith-Butterfield interests with Paul J. Schlossman Company within a short time for the operation of a new Muskegon \$350,000 theater, to be built by the Continental Realty Company. The theater will be erected on property at Western and Third avenues, on which Schlossman holds a 30-year lease. Construction of the new building, to be designed by C. Howard Crane, prominent Detroit theater architect, is expected to be started early in the spring.

Ford By-Products Reach Huge Totals in 1928

Some indication of the magnitude of the Ford Motor Company's industrial activities, aside from the production of motor cars and trucks, is given in a statement by the company showing production of by-products in 1928.

From its coal and coking operations the company derived and sold 13,552,394 gallons of coal tar; 17,238 tons of ammonium sulphate; 13,661,595 gallons of motor benzol; 16,845,232,000 cubic feet of gas; 1,101,680 tons of coke.

From hardwood lumbering operations the company derived and marketed 15,898 tons of charcoal briquets; 2,827,237 pounds of hardwood pitch; 197,406 gallons of wood alcohol (known under the trade name of C. P. Mathanol); 853 tons of calcium acetate and 550,408 gallons of ethyl acetate.

At the Rouge plant in Dearborn were produced 620,075 barrels of Portland cement; 283,210 net tons of slag; 304,191 gross tons of pig iron in the blast furnaces and 321,476 gross tons of ingots in the open hearth.

During 1928, 14,115,507 square feet of plate glass was manufactured as follows: Rouge, 5,399,773 square feet; St. Paul, 2,240,526 square feet; Glassmere, 6,515,208 square feet. The paper production for the same period amounted to 4,443 1/2 tons. Coal mined by the company in 1928 totaled 2,884,728 tons.

Ford Motor Company officials have announced details of a five-year lease under which the Briggs Manufacturing Company will take over half of the Ford Highland Park plant. Nine buildings, having a total floor space of 1,649,080 square feet, will be occupied by the Briggs Company. The Briggs company will build all coupe and Fordor model bodies.

Ford Motor Company now employs 30,272 at its Highland Park plant. Employment at the Fordson plant now totals 94,992, and at the Lincoln plant, 4,967, making a total of 130,231 at the three Detroit district plants. This sets a new high record for the Ford company. It represents an increase of approximately 10,000 for January and compares with a total of 89,758 a year ago.

The new Ford Motor Company policy of six days a week for machinery and five days for men was placed in effect at the Kansas City plant January 26. Four hundred additional employees will be put to work under the new plan, bringing the total for the plant to 2,250. Under the new schedule 2,160 automobiles and trucks will be produced at the plant each week.

An increase of 150 operatives at the Ford plant in Milwaukee was reported by Harry M. Buckley, manager, bringing the total pay roll to 995 men. The plant is being placed on the same production basis as Detroit.

Traffic Cop—Come on. What's the matter with you?
Truck Driver—I'm well, thanks, but my engine's dead.—Detroit Motor News.

"The only way to have a friend is to be one."—Emerson.

STATE PARKS DRAW THOUSANDS

Some idea of the popularity of winter sports as sponsored in state parks may be gained by reviewing attendance figures turned in at the Dodge Brothers state park No. 10 at Highland.

On Sundays and holidays the superintendent at the park reports it is not unusual to see from 1,200 to 1,500 people making use of the facilities provided. As many as 300 cars have been parked in the vicinity of the winter playground at one time. Eleven toboggans and 40 sets of skis frequently are in use at one time.

The department of conservation provides a shelter house where stoves are available and a man to see that the activities properly are carried on. The department is convinced that the promotion of winter sports in many of the state parks is a worth while movement and as soon as additional funds are available, expansion along these lines will be undertaken.

Ford Air Activities Told

Report of the Ford Motor company on air transportation for 1928 shows that Ford freight planes, operated not as common carriers but on a regular schedule for business purposes of the company only, carried 1,663,120 pounds of freight over a distance of 278,943 miles in 3,198 1/2 flying hours during the last year. Of 2,333 flights scheduled between Dearborn and Chicago, Cleveland and Buffalo, 2,225, or 91.1 per cent, were completed.

Most of the delays among the 8.9 per cent of flights not completed on scheduled time resulted from bad weather, which caused the largest number of forced landings. Figures for 1928 show 547,003 miles were flown over the Chicago-Detroit route to carry 2,744,454 pounds of freight. The Ford planes carried 1,014,987 pounds of freight between Detroit and Buffalo. The Cleveland-Detroit freight lines was discontinued July 19, 1928, after having been in operation nearly three years.

Porto Ricans Fond of Michigan Grape Juice

Porto Ricans are the world's champion drinkers of unfermented American produced Concord grape juice, according to juice manufacturers. This, in spite of tons of grapes grown on the island and numerous other delicious tropical fruits that can be had for a few cents.

This grape juice comes from various plants in the Michigan grape belt where the finest Concord grapes in the world are produced.

Each car load shipped to Porto Rico contains 50,000 bottles of grape juice. The bottles are of the four-ounce size and the Porto Ricans prefer to have their grape juice served in individual bottles and drink it immediately at the places served. The northern grown fruit seems to satisfy the thirst better than the less acid and sweeter tropical fruits.

Cancer Institute Operator Jailed

Operation of a "cancer institute" at Garden, Delta county, caused the arrest of Edward Lamotte on a charge of practicing medicine without a license.

Arraigned before Justice of the Peace Phil Hupy of Gladstone, Lamotte waived preliminary examination and supplied bond of \$500 for his appearance in circuit court.

Attention of the Michigan department of public safety was said to have been called to the Lamotte establishment by the American Medical Association which is engaged in nationwide campaign against "irregular healers."

It is charged that Lamotte diagnosed a birthmark, shown to him by a woman, as a cancer and he is alleged to have agreed to remove it for a fee of \$75.

The Lamottes have been "doctoring" in cancer at Garden for more than 40 years. The late Edward Lamotte, Sr., father of the defendant, claimed to have produced a secret formula for "herb paste" from an Indian. Lamotte found the herbs and roots in the woods and compounded the preparation with great secrecy. Before his death he passed the formula on to his son.

The cancer institute is an impressive brick structure containing accommodations for about 40 patients. Many of the patients came from long distances for treatment.

Average Day's Run For Motor Tourist Reported 234 Miles

The average day's run of motor tourists now is 234 miles, as compared with about 100 miles a day ten years ago, according to the national touring board of the American Automobile association.

The question, "when touring what is your average daily mileage?" was addressed to thousands of motorists in every state of the Union in an effort to secure definite data on motor touring. Out of every hundred persons who answered the questionnaire, 30 reported 200 miles for their average daily run; 25 advised 250 miles; 16 averaged 300 miles per day and 15 said they traveled 150 miles a day. The average daily run was 234 miles.

Outstanding among the reasons advanced for this decided increase in the mileage covered by motorists were the following:

1. Better highways throughout the country.
2. Improvement of the motorcar from the standpoint of ease of operation, comfort, safety and stability.
3. More adequate sign-posting and marking of important highways.
4. Improved motoring facilities, including standardized services in all sections and up-to-the-minute reports on road conditions.
5. A nation-wide tendency to illustrate speed laws and the passing of the roadside justice of the peace courts.

Thumb Association Plans Advertising

An advertising program was outlined for the Thumb of Michigan association by the executive committee of the organization held in Harbor Beach recently. A budget of \$1,900 for advertising was voted. Approximately \$1,000 will be spent for 35,000 booklets which will contain pictures and descriptions of Thumb resorts. The remaining amount will be spent for newspaper advertising.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

Class A Chicks at 8 1/2¢ up

From healthy, heavy layers. S. C. Eng. White and Brown Leghorns, Anconas, Rocks, Reds, and Assorted Chicks. No money down. Pay 10 days before shipment or C. O. D. 100% live delivery guaranteed. Catalog free. BOS HATCHERY, ZEELAND, MICH. R. U.

MICHIGAN AIR MAIL DECLINES

A decrease in mail carried over the Michigan Cities' air mail route, hooking up 10 cities on the Chicago-Bay City line, was reported for January, in contrast with the heavy December record, in a tabulation issued by Postmaster-General Harry S. New.

The line in January carried 7,533 pounds, as against 8,693 pounds in December, and 8,829 in November.

The National Air Transport company, however, operating the Detroit-Toledo and the New York-Chicago service, showed an increase for the month, 128,085 pounds being carried in January, 126,179 pounds in December and 105,293 pounds in November.

Only seven of the 23 air mail lines operating in the United States showed increases in cargoes in January after the Christmas rush. These were the New York-Chicago service, its feeders and lines operating to the south.

The total volume carried during the month was 475,931 pounds, as against 537,113 in December. The services which showed increases besides the New York-Chicago route included the Cleveland-Albany, Cleveland-Louisville, Chicago-Cincinnati, feeding off the trunk route, and the New York-Atlanta, Atlanta-Miami and Atlanta-New Orleans routes.

A close-fisted man bought two tickets at a raffle and won a \$1,500 car. A friend rushed up to his home to congratulate him, and found him looking as miserable as could be.

"Why, man, what's the matter with you?" he asked.

"It's that second ticket. Why I ever bought it I can't imagine."

"Who's in there?" called the owner at the door of his chicken house one dark night.

"Nobuddy but us chickens," came the response.

It May Be Urgent



When your Children Cry for It

Castoria is a comfort when Baby is fretful. No sooner taken than the little one is at ease. If restless, a few drops soon bring contentment. No harm done, for Castoria is a baby remedy, meant for babies. Perfectly safe to give the youngest infant; you have the doctors' word for that! It is a vegetable product and you could use it every day. But it's in an emergency that Castoria means most. Some night when constipation must be relieved—or colic pains—or other suffering. Never be without it; some mothers keep an extra bottle, unopened, to make sure there will always be Castoria in the house. It is effective for older children, too; read the book that comes with it.



Genuine BAYER ASPIRIN

SAY "BAYER ASPIRIN" and INSIST!

Unless you see the "Bayer Cross" on tablets you are not getting the genuine Bayer Aspirin proved safe by millions and prescribed by physicians for 25 years.

DOES NOT AFFECT THE HEART

Safe Accept only "Bayer" package which contains proven directions. Handy "Bayer" boxes of 12 tablets. Also bottles of 24 and 100—Druggists

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WARD B. JAMES, Manager

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PAUL W. CURLETT

PUBLISHER

The Misses Florence Murphy and Madeline Kelly and Lorenzo Murphy of Jackson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Murphy.

Lucius Doyle was in Detroit Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. Hollis Sigler of Howell were Sunday dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Sigler.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reason and son, Dean, motored to Pontiac Sunday to visit Mrs. Sarah Reason who is convalescing from a serious illness.

Mrs. Hattie Decker and Miss Katherine Hoff were in Howell Wednesday.

Louis Coyle and wife visited his father near Ann Arbor Sunday.

Will Smith, Norman Reason and Marvin Shirey were in Detroit on business Friday.

Arthur Swarthout of Washington, D. C., and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swarthout and son of Detroit were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Swarthout.

Miss Elizabeth Steptoe and Edward Steptoe of Dexter were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Sheehan.

John Martin and wife were in Howell Thursday.

Mrs. Patrick Kennedy and Mrs. Irvin Kennedy spent last week with relatives in Detroit.

James Doyle who has been visiting friends and relatives here for a couple of weeks returned to Jackson Sunday.

Tracy Hall has been home from Detroit this week recovering from an attack of the mumps.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ellsworth of Marion was a recent guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, Lucius Doyle and wife were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gleason of Howell.

Clara Hendee was home from Lansing Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Swarthout had for Sunday dinner guests Mr. and Will Dixon and son, Maynard, of Dexter, A. C. Watkins of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Swarthout and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Doyle and son, Junior, were Jackson visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Eliza Gardner spent Sunday with Howell relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Liphart have sold their farm in Marion, known as the Abbott farm, to Detroit parties who will use it for a summer home.

Will Pennington of Toumset visited Pinckney friends Friday.

Mrs. John Cronin and daughter Vivian of Howell were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Elstoft and family of Howell were Pinckney callers Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Daller and Clyngalloway of Howell were in town Friday evening.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George McDonon Jr. Sunday, February 24, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meyers at the Pinckney Sanitarium, Saturday, February 23, a son who was christened James Ludwig.

Mrs. Gerald Reason who has been a nurse at the Pinckney Sanitarium for several years past has resigned and will go with her husband to Jackson to reside.

M. H. Chalkey transacted business in Detroit last Thursday.

Harry Fike and son of Detroit spent the week end at their cottage at Patterson Lake.

The Misses Dorothy Carr, Bordella Euler and Marion Derkis attended the dance at Webster Friday evening.

Clifford VanHorn transacted business in Howell Saturday.

Mrs. Norma Merrill and daughters of Webster spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Nattie Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Larkin of Howell called on Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lake Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Elsie and children of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. David Steptoe and children of Dexter were Pinckney callers Sunday.

Miss Genevieve Alley and Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Hodgeman of Dexter called on Mrs. Elizabeth Curlett Sunday.

Miss Dorothy Wilson who is attending the U. of M. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Schaefer.

Mrs. Maria Dinkel was home from Jackson Sunday.

M. E. Darrow was in Howell Wednesday afternoon.

Roy Reason and Herman Nash were in Detroit Saturday.

Clarence Dorrance of Fowlerville was a Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kennedy.

Glen Gardner of Stanton spent Friday and Saturday with his mother Mrs. Eliza Gardner.

Will Dunbar of Jackson visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dunbar Sunday.

Walter Clark and wife were in Detroit Saturday.

Emil Weddige of Carnegie Tech, Pittsburg, Penn., is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Weddige.

George Green and wife of Howell called on Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Teeple Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Roche had as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Russell West of Mt. Clemens, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Roche and family of Lansing.

Mrs. Will Cooper and Roy Harris were in Howell Friday.

Jack Bidwell and wife of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Will Allen and sons of Howell were Sunday visitors at the Will Docking home.

Harry Warner and wife of Jackson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. N. O. Frye.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Slayton were in Howell Monday.

George Bradley and wife of Linden spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout.

Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lake were Mr. and Mrs. Roston, Mrs. Will Gettes and Mrs. Jay Stanton of Detroit.

Mrs. Ida Feidler and Mrs. R. T. Road were in Howell Saturday.

Fred Campbell of Ann Arbor was a Sunday caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Campbell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Gorham of Detroit.

Preston Packard of Jackson is a visitor at the home of Fred Road.

Mrs. Ida Feidler is spending the week with Cleveland friends.

Victor Bourbonnais was in Jackson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Schaefer entertained a group of friends at Bridge Monday evening.

Mylo Kettler was in Howell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Read and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Peters at Jackson Sunday.

Charles Reason was in Stockbridge Tuesday.

Gilbert Madden, supervisor of Dexter township, was a caller at the Dispatch office Saturday. He has been appointed guardian for John H. Smith who has been at the U. of M. Hospital for the past four months.

Mr. Smith was very ill with pneumonia and erysipelas in January but recovered from both. He is still in a feeble condition.

Fred Slayton and Cashmir Clinton were in Flint last Wednesday and brought back two new Chevrolts.

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

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

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If you contemplate building a new home, lake cottage, garage or barn let us give you the lowest prices at which quality hardware can be bought.

Nails, screws, bolts, hinges, locks and every kind of hardware used in the building line. We are prepared to handle your immediate needs. Before letting your figures rest, see us, so that we can furnish you with quality hardware at the right price.

Teeple Hardware

TIMES HAVE CHANGED
Pinckney is getting a whole lot of free advertising because a night prowler with a pick tried to dig the pint of whiskey out of the corner stone of their town hall. That pint is only a relic of its time. The old Reeves distillery in that township was the biggest local enterprise when the old township hall was built. It's the common custom to put some of the big things of the community in the corner stone of a public building. In the change from the days of the old distillery to now mark progress. From a common acceptance in its day through the days when the local neighborhood one of the most picturesque in the county, was generally known as "hell", because of the still and its influence on the town, to the upward trend.

And yet there are people who want for the good old days, declaring that the world is growing worse and worse. Livingston County Press. We agree with you Brother Crittenden that times have changed. However, the Reeves distillery had been out of business nearly 15 years when the town hall was built in 1883. So it was hardly a leading industry of the time.

CURRENT COMMENT
The Green bill now up in the legislature to legalize betting on horse races in Michigan is a step backward as it would be nothing more than legalized gambling. The paper which is giving the most active support is the Hearst owned Detroit Times. It carried Sunday a fantastic account of two race tracks which would be placed in operation in Wayne county by Jack Dempsey and also stated that he was contemplating holding the next heavyweight championship fight in Michigan if the bill passed.

Williamston which voted down a bond issue to bill a new school a short time ago has just voted in favor of a much larger one for the same purpose. According to press reports the first one failed of passage because the people were not well enough informed on the subject. Saline and Stekbridge where the proposition was voted down a short time ago have announced that the proposition will again be brought to a vote. The increasing exactions being made on the country school house are becoming so severe that in many cases it is being put out of business. Two farmers living in the Sprout district west of town paid school taxes alone of nearly \$200 each last year. It was necessary to install a furnace and water system.

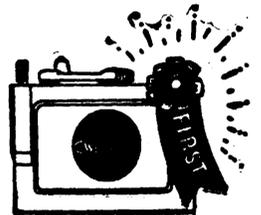
The gangsters who pulled off the St. Valentine's massacre in Chicago are still at large. First the Purple Gang of Detroit was accused, then the Camponi Gang of Chicago, and now they are trying to fasten the blame on a St. Louis Gang. The police are getting nowhere and maybe they don't want to.

The delinquent tax list grows each year. In this section the owners of lake homes are the biggest offenders. So many taxes were turned in as delinquent last year that this township has been without money to meet its bills for the past two months.

IOSCO

E. W. Allison an old and highly respected resident of Iosco passed peacefully away at the U. of M. hospital Wednesday morning. Mr. Allison was in serious condition from cancer of the bowels; pneumonia was the cause of his death.

Mrs. Sarah Hughes of Ann Arbor spent a few days with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Emma Allison. The Sunday School party at Percy Carsons Saturday night was a grand success and greatly enjoyed by all. Proceeds \$12.50.



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Seventy-six leading builders of motor cars, trucks, buses, and fire engines have all selected Willard Batteries for standard equipment. That doesn't surprise us at all. We have known right along that the WILLARD is the best battery made. We want you to know it, too.

W. H. Meyer LOCAL DEALER

Mrs. Walter Miller spent Saturday night with Mrs. Emma Allison. Those from away who attended Mr. Allison's funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Baumgartner and family, Mrs. Sarah Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Ross all of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. Miller of Brighton, Mr. and Mrs. C. Burkhardt, W. Harford and Wm. Tunnard of Howell, Mark Allison and family and Eugene Dinkel and family of Pinckney.

Miss Alberta Carson and girl friend of Flint spent the week end at home. James Allison of Fowlerville called on Walter Miller Sunday.

Isabelle Munsell is under the Dr. care.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Jackson have bought the old Thomas Sager farm near Parkers Corners.

Mrs. J. D. White spent Thursday with her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. W. Allison.

Rev. and Mrs. Butts, Sev. Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rutman were Wednesday callers at Mrs. E. W. Allison's.

Wales Henry Leland

Wales Henry Leland, youngest son of Amasa and Sarah Leland was born in Northfield Township, Washtenaw County Michigan, March 16, 1857, and passed away at his home in Pinckney, Feb. 19, 1929, at the age of 71 years, 11 months, and 3 days.

At the age of 10, he moved with his parents to Putnam Township where he has since resided. August 13, 1883, he was married to Frankie C. Horton who survives him, together with one son, Fred, of Pontiac; and one daughter, Carmen of the Trenton Public Schools.

Although it has been known for several weeks that Mr. Leland was in failing health, his passing was sudden, and proved a real shock to the entire community. Kind in his associations firm in his friendships he will be greatly missed in his home, and throughout the circle of his acquaintances.

Funeral services were held on Friday afternoon at the Congregational Church of which he was a member, Rev. B. F. Esic officiating; services at the cemetery were under the auspices of the Masonic Order.

HOWELL THEATRE

HOWELL - MICHIGAN

Thursday and Friday, Feb. 28, Mar. 1

WALLACE BERRY in

"Beggars of Life"

A Drama of Hobo Life and Love
Comedy—Allenta Vaughn in The Six Best Fellows
Latest Fox News Events

Saturday, March 2

LOIS MORAN AND EDMUND LOWE in

"Making the Grade"

Comedy "Believe It or Not" News Weekly
Tarzan, the Mighty, chapter 4
Matinee 2:00 - m. continuous to 11:00 p.m. Attend Matinee

Sunday, March 3

featuring MARY ASTER AND BEN BURD

ROMANCE of the UNDERWORLD

CHILLS - THRILLS - GASPS

Comedy "A Pair of Tights" Latest News Events

Monday, Tuesday, Mar. 4, 5 D. W. Griffith's latest

Lady of the Pavements

featuring Wm. Boyd and Lupe Velez
(Direct from the Detroit United Artists Theatre)
Comedy "Off to Buffalo" Regular admission 15c, 30c

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 6

4 BIG ACTS VAUDEVILLE 4

A variety of talent to please all from 7 to 70 yrs.
Charles (Buddy Rogers) in "Someone to Love"
Doors open at 6:15 last show starts at 9:15 P. M.
Admission 25c and 50c Come early for seats

Coming— "Hunchback of Notre Dame"

"Uncle Tom's Cabin"

The Playhouse of Livingston County

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Helena Feidler

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Wilcox Livery Barn, Pinckney, Mich.

Tuesday, March 5th, 2:00 P.M.

The undersigned will sell at Public Auction 16 head of good working farm horses and mares, quiet and well broken. 6 to 9 years old, weighing from 1250 to 1600 lbs. Horses may be taken home and tried before being paid for.
Terms of Sale will be announced by auctioneer at time of sale.

William Prucka, Owner

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FOR LENTEN SEASON

**Fresh and Smoked Fish,
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- TRY OUR SEVEN O'CLOCK COFFEE @ 35c
- ALSO ONE @ 39c
- 1 1/2 lb LOAF OF BREAD @ 10c
- 2 lbs. OF PRUNES @ 23c
- MACARONI & SPAGHETTI 2 lbs. @ 23c
- ALSO MEATS OF VARIOUS KINDS ON SALE

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OPALINE MOTOR OIL**
Fits the Degree of Wear

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The Grade that makes the Grade
LEE LEAVEY

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MARION

Alfred Praas, C. C. St. Louis and J. B. Buckley attended the auction at the Henry Ford farm in Detroit Thursday.

Ella Ruttmann and Leo Chaplin were in Lansing Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Maycock and Basil White have been suffering from the effects of vaccination the past week.

The Marion Farmers Club will meet with Gentry and Deans on the D. D. Monroe farm Thursday Feb. 28. Pot luck lunch at noon.

Herbert Lane was the guest of Dr. Eugene Joslin in Fowlerville Sunday. Irene Smith was home from the U of M over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoesel and daughter Roseama were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Housheer in Howell.

Mrs. C. C. St. Louis who has been very ill in Detroit since Christmas was brought to her home here last week.

Norman White has been assisting with drawing milk for his brother Ben White who has been confined to his bed since last Monday.

Bruce Roberts is having his house wired for Edison Lights.

Dr. Hollis Sigler was called Sunday for Wilmont Lewis who was very ill with the flu.

Merwin Nile, wife and sons, Edwin, Joe and George, Mrs. Ella Leavey and daughter Marie of Jackson Patrick and Lee Leavey, Ray Leavey and family visited at J. D. Whites Sunday.

Lucius Doyle and son, Jr. of Pinckney called at Lucius Smiths Sunday. Wm. and George Ruttmann and John White visited Ben White at Anderson Thursday.

Dr. Theodore Lane of Ann Arbor Dr. Chandler Lane and wife of Chelsea were called here last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Viola Joslin Lane.

Willis Eugene Allison was born Jan. 11 1856 in Putnam township, and passed away Feb. 20 1929 at the University Hospital, Ann Arbor after three weeks illness of cancer. He was united in marriage Oct. 25 1877 to Miss Mary Buskwell to this union were born four children Mrs. Grant McCann of Spokane, Wash. Willis who passed away at his home in Kennewick Wash. in 1919, Mrs. Burton Miller of Brighton, and James Allison of Fowlerville. He also leaves 7 grand children, one sister, Mrs. Sarah Hughes of Mt. Clemens, one brother Wirt of Manatee Florida.

Mr. Allison was a successful school teacher for many years after which he took up farming as his occupation. He was one of Livingston Countys most prosperous farmers. In 1911 he was married to Emogene White, Smith who survives him. Among those who attended funeral held at Greene Church, with Revs. Luther Butts and Clark officiating were A. Gehringer and family of Dexter, Ed White and family, Corruna G. White, Wm. Baumgartner and family, Ann Arbor, Sarah McClemens, E. W. Harford, Mr. and Mrs. C. Burkhardt, Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allison, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkler, Pinckney, Mr. and Mrs. Burton Miller.

Burial took place at the Mount Cemetery at Anderson under the auspices of the Masonic order of Fowlerville.

Mrs. Leonard Gehringer and son, Charles, of Detroit spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gehringer.

PLAINFIELD

Rev. H. V. Clark and Stephon Bakes visited in Charlotte last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Isham entertained the Gleaners for dinner Thursday.

The sawmill moved into McPhee's woods last Thursday and Friday.

Miss Zula Clark called on Mrs. A. L. Dutton last Tuesday forenoon.

Mrs. Charles Bradfield was grief stricken over the death of her mother Thursday night.

Mrs. H. V. Clark attended church Sunday for the first time in four months.

Miss Trula King spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton. Sunday when Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton returned home, they found a nice box of candy on the table and Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Roberts preparing a fish dinner in honor of their birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lillywhite and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bradfield attended the funeral of Mrs. Watterhouse near Bunkerhill Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Dutton entertained The Ever Ready S. S. Class Saturday evening with games and refreshments. George Washington program was enjoyed by all.

Max and Charlie Dyer spent the week end at home with Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. James Caskey and family took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kleinsmith of Parkers Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Shelhart and family of Unadilla were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Waters.

Floid Leach of Lansing spent the week end with his grand parents Mr. and Mrs. Allie Holmes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lovejoy of Jackson were guests of Mrs. Nettie Kellog Sunday.

Meegan and Garth Meyers are staying with their Aunt Mrs. John Roberts while their mother, Mrs. Will Meyers is in the hospital with a new baby boy.

Mrs. E. J. Kensy and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Topping and their families were guests at the E.L. Topping home Sunday.

GREGORY

Joseph McCleer spent a few days of the past week with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McCleer. Will Buhl is home from the hospital.

Koy Placeway who has been very ill with pneumonia is staying with his sister Mrs. Frankie Baker.

Our Basket Ball Team played the Pinckney High School Reserves team at Pinckney Tuesday night.

Margaret Kuhn is reported as gaining slowly.

The Home Economics Club met with Mrs. Clarence Marshall Wednesday and in spite of the intense cold the usual number were present. The lesson consisted of sleeve cutting and fitting. Pot luck dinner was served at noon. The next meeting will be March 20th at the home of Mrs. Ray Leavey.

Several from here attended the dance at Plainfield Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bollinger were in Howell Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Ruth Bollinger and Mrs. Fred Bollinger called on Mrs. Mina Rose of Unadilla Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Coy of Ann Arbor is visitng Mrs. Vet Bullis.

CHUBBS CORNERS

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkel entertained at an oyster supper Saturday night Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dinkel, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hoisel, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gehringer, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Wagoner and Mr. and Mrs. Clark of Detroit.

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. C. Kingsley entertained Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trost and daughter, Marjorie Anna, of Dearborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allison entertained Mr. and Mrs. McGregor and Mrs. Ella Mercer of Detroit last week.

M. J. Hoisel has purchased an Electric Radio of John Dinkel.

Miss Fern Snow and Virginia Holmes of Conway spent last Saturday with Vivian and Edna Kingsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allison and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkel attended the funeral of Eugene Allison of Isoco Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stackable and daughters of Ypsilanti spent Sunday evening at the home of M. J. Hoisel.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkel entertained a few friends at their home Saturday evening.

Miss Hazel Smith has returned home from Denver Col.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Smith and son of Detroit spent the week end at the home of Chas. Smith.

UNADILLA

Walter, Ruth and Margaret McRobbie were week end visitors of their parents Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McRobbie.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Hadley and daughter attended a Washington dinner at the North Lake church parlors Friday.

The Mesdames Jennie Hopkins, Lou Marshall, Arola Hadley, Maude Bullis, Inez Hadley, and Sarah Barnum attended a quilting bee at Mrs. Howard Mays Wednesday.

Mrs. Ed. Cranna is on the sick list. Miss Maxine Marshall attended church in Howell Sunday morning latter being the guest at a dinner party given by Mrs. Eliza Van Keuran at the Hotel Livingston.

The Missionary meeting will be held Friday with Mrs. Claude Rose. Carl Lillywhite's of Howell visited Sunday at Earl Wheeler's.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Pypor were Thursday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Vet Pullis of Gregory.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Gallup of Pinckney were Sunday evening visitors at O. W. Marshall's.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Camburn were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Barnum.

Chief bee inspectors Kriebs of Lansing Haven of Fowlerville, Barrett of Howell spent Saturday with A. J. Gorton.

Mrs. Harry Mercer is in Jackson visiting her niece, Sena.

Several from here attended the Brotherhood meeting at Stockbridge Sunday evening.

Will and Lewis Stevenson of Detroit were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Mashall.

Miss Evelyn Gorton was happily surprised at her home by 16 guests Wednesday evening who helped celebrate her eleventh birthday all reported a fine time.

Miss Muriel Webb of Howell spent the week end with Marine Marshall and attended a Sunday School Class party at the latters home Saturday evening.

The Presby. annual Church meeting was held recently and the following officers elected: Eld. Cranna, Elder; Carmi Webb Treas.; Myme Rose, Clerk and organist.

RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT
In memory of Brother Wales H. Leland deceased.

Once again a brother Mason, having completed the designs written for him on life's trestle board, has passed through the portals of Eternity and entered the Grand Lodge of the new Jerusalem and has received as his reward the white stone with the new name written thereon.

And whereas, The All-Wise and Merciful Master of the Universe has called from labor to refreshment our respected brother.

And, whereas He having been a true and respected brother of our beloved Order, therefore be it

Resolved that Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M., Pinckney Michigan be draped in mourning for 60 days and that we tender to the family of our deceased brother our sincere sympathy in their bereavement and that a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family.

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- Hupp Pickup, 1928 and Rickenbacker Sedan

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CAMERA NEWS

Former Prime Minister Marries



Ed Palen Roblin, former prime minister of Manitoba, Canada, the former Ethel May Leggett of Los Angeles, snapped in the just after their wedding ceremony. The couple is en route to honeymoon prior to returning to Winnipeg.

Woman Enters Dog Derby



Three years have been spent in training the racing dogs which Lydia Hutchinson, otherwise known as "Whistlin' Lyd," has entered in the American Dog Derby at Ashton, Idaho. She has trained her dogs since they were Puppies, and this race finds them pitted against the best male driven teams in the country. Experts give her an even chance to win.

Canada Opens Sixteenth Parliament



Lord Willington, governor general of Canada, left, in official attire, stepped on the steps of the parliament building at Ottawa, Ont., with a group of officials as he officially opened Canada's sixteenth parliamentary session.

Fights Blindness



This is a new photograph of Booth Tarkington of Indianapolis, Ind., creator of Penrod and other lovable fiction characters, who has been fighting against loss of sight. He has been trying to complete a new novel before returning to the east for further treatment.

Seeks \$101,000



Jetta Gould, film star, shown in a new role as she appears on the witness stand in superior court at Los Angeles in a suit to obtain \$101,000 as back salary from Cecil B. DeMille. Jetta maintains she had a five-year contract with the producer but that she was discharged for staging temperamental outbursts.

Gets A. A. U. Post



Leslie A. Henry, chairman of the board of governors of the Los Angeles Athletic Club, has been appointed chairman of the track and field committee of the National Amateur Athletic Union. He is a prominent figure in national amateur athletics.

MARKETING LIVE STOCK SHOWS HOW CO-OPERATION PAYS

With the exception of a few agricultural commodities that are sold by the ton, such as hay and sugar beets, cattle occur in larger production and market units than any other agricultural commodity. For the market the carload of cattle is often the practical unit. Experience has proved that in selling cattle, as well as most other farm products, standardization and rigid grading are desirable and profitable. Nevertheless, the great bulk of cattle shipped to market are not graded according to fixed standards. The stockyards receive all kinds of animals, ranging from discarded cows of the strictly dairy breeds which are usually poor meat animals to the choicest products of the purebred beef strains.

Often a single car will compass most of this range. But before the animals are finally sold for slaughter there is usually a more or less thorough sorting of the cattle into bunches that will meet the demand for even running lots. In this sorting of mixed lots of cattle buyers and sellers both are constantly seeking a price advantage. Furthermore, sorting usually means a loss of weight in the animals and therefore is expensive for the seller.

To obviate this loss, livestock experts of the United States Department of Agriculture have been co-operating with state specialists in holding cattle grading demonstrations. These demonstrations seek to show by specimen and comparison the different grades recognized by the department and the points of excellence and deficiency of each. One of the immediate results is to indicate the desirability of local co-operative organizations for marketing cattle.

A single shipper frequently does not have a full car of evenly finished animals to ship at one time, and unevenly graded carlots are penalized. In co-operative shipments it is possible for farmers to do for themselves the grading and sorting which must otherwise be done at the market. It often happens that a co-operative shipping agency will not send all its animals to one market, but will divert one or more cars from a large joint shipment to some special market which offers more favorable sales opportunities for a particular grade of cattle. In this way the individual small lot producer gets the benefit of the best market for his particular animals. This he can seldom do when he ships alone.

Livestock Firm's Sales \$8,188,429

Sales of the Michigan Livestock Exchange in 1928 amounted to \$8,188,429. The organization is preparing to distribute refunds of \$17,500 to patrons. The sum represents 18 per cent of the commissions received. The growth of this livestock sales agency since it began operating in 1922 is indicated by the following figures for business transacted: 1922, \$5,000,000; 1923, \$7,000,000; 1924, \$8,000,000; 1925, \$7,153,000; 1926, \$8,000,000; 1927, \$8,512,487; 1928, \$8,188,429.

Greenville Potato Show Group Plans for 1929

The annual meeting of the Greenville Potato Show association will be held at the Hotel Phelps Friday evening in conjunction with a banquet of the Greenville Chamber of Commerce. Directors for the ensuing year will be elected and plans started for the 1929 show.

Good Money in Sheep, Belief

G. A. Roat, of McMillan, Luce county, believes there is good money in the sheep business. He not only believes it but practices sheep husbandry on his farm, and has for forty years. He says in part: "We have kept from 25 to 100 sheep here for forty years and could keep more if our pasture permitted. In the spring of 1928 we had 47 ewes and raised 40 lambs. The sheep gave us an average of 7 1/2 pounds of wool which sold for 42 1/2 cents per pound. I am carrying over 70 head this winter and enjoy caring for them more than cattle. I believe that a great many farmers in the upper peninsula could profitably have sheep on their farms. It would not only increase their income but would make it more profitable for all concerned if we could make the upper peninsula known as a sheep country."

Figuring Mr. Roat's investment for 1928 on a basis of 50 sheep at \$12.00 per ewe he would have \$600.00 invested in sheep. He sold his wool for \$159.60 and his increase of lambs worth \$5.00 each, he would have a gross return of about \$360.00 on his \$600.00 investment. These figures are very conservative as the average gross returns per ewe at the Chatham Experiment Station in 1928 were \$11.05 per ewe.

Mr. Roat does not say how his sheep were fed but it is assumed they were fed all home grown feed and the majority of it was roughage that otherwise would have gone to waste.

"What is honorable is also profitable." —Livv.

Keep Milk in the Dark; Light Develops Off Flavor

Sunlight — nature's cure-all for many ailments — is bad medicine for milk. Milk kept in the "outdoor ice-box" or on the window sill sometimes develops an off flavor that has been described as a "cardboard taste" having an odor like drying linseed oil. Such a defect may be due to any of several causes, but one of the most common causes, according to Dr. William C. Frazier of the Bureau of Dairy Industry, United States Department of Agriculture, is ordinary daylight. The light apparently acts as a catalyst in the oxidation of the milk fat, he says.

That light is essential for the development of the cardboard taste has been demonstrated recently by Dr. Frazier in a series of tests in which duplicate sets of samples of milk were prepared, one of which was exposed to daylight and the other placed in the dark. In all cases the samples kept in the dark developed no off flavors or odors, even after 7 to 9 days at near freezing temperatures, whereas the samples kept in the light at the same temperatures developed the characteristic cardboard odor and taste after 20 to 48 hours of which 8 to 26 hours were daylight.

Further tests showed that the cardboard taste is not due to the cardboard cap, and that it develops in the cream or in the whole milk and not in skim milk. Furthermore, milk from cows that have received no oil feeds was found to be just as susceptible when exposed to light as that from cows that consumed large quantities of oil feeds.

Other investigators have shown that the action of direct sunlight on butterfat or on milk rapidly produces off flavors. It is generally supposed, however, that diffuse daylight has a much slower action and would have little effect on milk flavor. Doctor Frazier reports, however, that the test samples were never exposed to direct sunlight but were placed in a north window in diffuse light. It is apparent, he says, that exposure to light so shortens the induction period of the milk fat that oxidation may begin with consequent production of undesirable odors and flavors. The few hours of exposure to light apparently starts a process which continues in the dark and is accelerated by more daylight. Consumers are cautioned to keep milk in the dark, even when temperatures in the light are near freezing, to avoid the development of cardboard taste and linseed oil odor.

Better Seed Train To Make 26 Stops

The first of three better seed trains will start from Michigan State College March 4 and will make 26 stops along the New York Central lines in southern and south-eastern Michigan during the next 12 days. Thirteen counties will be served. The train's schedule follows:

March 4, evening, Laingsburg; March 5, morning, Chesaning; afternoon, Owosso; evening, St. Charles; March 6, morning, Saginaw; evening, Bay City; March 7, morning, Muncie; afternoon, Rosebush; evening, Vassar; March 8, morning, Owndale; afternoon, Caro; March 9, morning, Millington; afternoon, Oxford; March 11, morning, Lapeer; afternoon, Metamora; evening, Columbiaville; March 12, morning, Grass Lake; evening, Chelsea; March 13, morning, Jackson; evening, Leslie; March 14, morning, Mason; evening, Hanover; March 15, morning, Hillsdale; afternoon, Litchfield; evening, Albion; March 16, morning, Eaton Rapids.

Bean Market May See Wild Fluctuations

Wild fluctuations in the bean market may be expected during the next few months, warns the Michigan Elevator Exchange in a statement to its membership. The exchange is the central sales agency for approximately 100 farmers' co-operative elevators. "Michigan beans now are selling at the highest price in 10 years," the exchange pointed out in its statement. "It makes a mighty good figure for a farmer to sell at and we certainly suggest to our friends they begin to think about cashing in on beans they have on hand.

The market will be wild and subjected to wild fluctuations. A setback of 50c to \$1 per bag would still leave beans bringing a very attractive price."

Some jobbers estimate that 3,000 cars of beans remain on farms or in elevators.

June Bug Is Placed Third Among Most Destructive Pests

Where the June bug spends all his three years of life except the three-week period he devotes to bumping his head against closed doors was explained here in exhibits of the entomology department at the annual Farmers week sessions.

Although the June beetle is of no concern to boys looking for fish bait and to farmers who find the larvae or grub spending all but three weeks of their three-year life eating the roots of corn or strawberries, this insect was accorded third rank in the order of destructiveness in the exhibit prepared by the entomology department of the college. The Hessian fly and the codling moth were placed ahead of the June beetle.

Poultry

POULTRY SURVEY

Future bookings of baby chicks made by a number of the hatcheries throughout the country indicate a greater production during the spring months of 1929. Many of the hatcheries are reporting an increase amounting to about 40 per cent for this year. When we consider that our production this past year was about 10 per cent below the previous year throughout the producing territory we will have to increase our production considerably to show an average increase for the past three years. There is one gratifying feature regarding this sentiment for greater production and that is the fact that the producers are re-establishing a confidence in the industry, and no doubt will manifest a greater interest.

One of the vital factors that we must always take into consideration is naturally the weather conditions. If we have unfavorable weather conditions we can expect to see less chicks produced early. On the other hand, with favorable weather conditions the early hatches should be greater with less late hatched stock. Past experience has proven that our early hatched stock is far superior to the late hatched stock both from the standpoint of production on the farm and also in market channels.

In recent years the flush of our spring egg production has been advancing materially. This must be kept in mind when we consider the production for the entire spring season. There should be unusually heavy demands for hatching eggs early. Buyers of eggs cannot compete with this demand for hatching eggs.

NEW LAYING RECORD SET BY LOWRY HENS

The world's egg-laying record was broken when a pen of ten White Leghorn hens, owned by George Lowry of West Wellington, Conn., laid 3,007 eggs for the year. This is twenty-one eggs better than the former record of 2,986, which was held by a pen entered by the University of British Columbia at the Agassiz contest in 1926. Included in this pen of Lowry's was the hen which broke her leg while leading the seventeenth annual Storrs egg laying contest. She had her leg in a cast for twenty-seven days, but laid 314 eggs in 338 days. The egg-laying contest came to a close at the end of fifty-one weeks, but the leading ten were kept there for another week in order to give the birds an opportunity to break the record which has stood since 1926. The Storrs egg-laying contest is run for fifty-one weeks, another week being necessary to finish out the full year.

George Lowry has had more than twenty years of experience in the poultry business, but only three years of competition in the egg-laying contest of Connecticut Agricultural College, having entered a pen of White Leghorns in 1926 for the first time. He entered two pens in the contest for 1928, carrying away first and second honors in the White Leghorn class in competition with 140 pens from thirty-two States, Canada and England.

The ten White Leghorn hens which broke the world's record produced more than eight times their weight in eggs and finished the year in the best condition of all the pens entered in the contest. The achievements of Lowry's hens in breaking the world's record and winning first and second places in the seventeenth annual Storrs egg-laying contest stamp him as one of the outstanding poultry breeders in the world.

Dairy cows, for best milk production, must have a sufficient supply of available lime in their feed, say dairy specialists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture. The best way to furnish lime is by feeding a legume hay. Properly cured legume hays are much richer in lime than non-legume hays. Alfalfa, for example, produces about 1 1/2 times as much lime per acre as does timothy. High-producing cows receiving a ration deficient in lime are forced to draw the needed supply from their bodies.

MICHIGAN POULTRYMAN RANKS AMONG LEADERS

We have just recently received a fine letter from the Karsten Brothers who operate a poultry farm in Michigan. In this letter they tell us something of their breeding plans for the coming year, and also summarize the record of their best egg laying contests in the United States.

In the Wisconsin contest held at Milwaukee, a pen of 10 pullets entered by the Karsten Brothers ranked first. They also won a pen of the 12 honors for high production and because of their high production won the silver cup offered as a contest. Another pen of 10 hens took second at the West Virginia contest and if this pen was high producing, hen of the contest.

The Michigan National Contest, another contest in which the pens are made up with 10 hens, was the one in which the Karsten birds made a record of 2,905 eggs in 240 days. Another pen of 10 hens laid 2,000 eggs in 48 days at the Maryland contest. At the egg laying contest staged at Quincy, Illinois, five birds averaged 338 eggs. The five birds entered by the Iowa contest placed fourth in a pen of one of the five hens ranked second in individual laying records.

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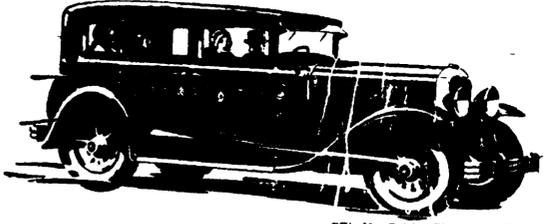
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NEIGHBORING NEWS

32 candidates have filed petitions for nomination at Brighton in the city primaries there March 6.

W. E. Robb of Howell has been elected head of the Mutual Insurance Companies of Michigan.

Floyd Perkins, rural carrier at Howell, has been retired with a monthly pension.

The proposition to bond the Stockbridge school district for \$100,000 for a new school which lost by a small vote several weeks ago will soon be voted on again. It is thought that a mere lack of understanding caused the defeat of the first proposition.

At the election at Williamsion recently the proposition to bond for \$115,000 for a new school carried by 29 majority. There were 368 votes cast. The same proposition was defeated a short time ago.

Wallace and Lester Jacobs and D. S. Webster of Brighton were arrested recently by Livingston County officers at the request of Detroit police to answer to a charge of robbing a Detroit drug store and shooting the proprietor.

Two full houses greeted the "Womanless Wedding" staged Wednesday and Thursday night. This has been a tremendous success everywhere it was staged.—South Lyon Herald.

A Holly farmer recently received \$1300 for his bean crop from an 11 acre field.

The estimated cost of the new "Sacred Heart" Catholic Church to be erected at Dearborn is \$250,000.

ITEMS OF 26 YEARS AGO

From the Dispatch of Feb. 25, 1904
Last Saturday closed the tenth week of successive sleighing in this vicinity.

Dr. J. M. Brown who opened a dental office 6 months ago has moved his outfit to Morenci, Mich.

Mrs. C. L. Sigler had her hand badly burned Monday while cleaning a collar with gasoline.

Norman Reason, N. D. Wilson of this place and Murray Walker of Detroit who have been spending the past year in the west have returned home.

A deal was consummated Tuesday whereby P. H. Swarthout purchased the undertaking business of Mrs. C. N. Plimpton also the building occupied by the undertaking parlors.

Mrs. L. Kenney celebrated her 88th birthday Sunday.

The following is the program of the Putnam-Hamburg Farmers Club to be held at the home of H. F. Kice Saturday, Feb. 27:

- Instrumental Solo Florence Kice
 - Reading Mae Van Fleet
 - Duet Arthur Schoenhals
 - Paper Fred Fish
 - Solo Iva Placeway
 - Reading Mrs. Arthur Schoenhals
 - Solo Adzie Kice
 - Reading Mabel Fish
- Ralph Bennett's sleigh load of coal slid off the bank near the Henry Kice farm dumping the load in the creek.

COUNTY HEALTH NOTICE

A county-wide educational program has been arranged by the county nurse, for the week of March fourth. During that week and part of the next, Miss Hutzel and Dr. Frank Poole, both of whom are well known speakers connected with the bureau of education of Michigan Dept. of Health, will be in Livingston County. They will talk to groups of students on the subject of health education and in some of the communities, there are to be meetings for the grown folks. The schedule, which will be of general interest, follows:

Monday, March 4—Howell City Schools, all day; Tuesday, Hartland in the morning; Brighton school in the afternoon, with an evening meeting at Brighton for adults; Wednesday, Gregory School in the morning, and Pinckney in the afternoon; Thursday, Fowlerville School in the morning, and a meeting with the Howell Farmers' Club in the afternoon; Tuesday March twelfth, Oak Grove School in the morning at which time the parents are invited to be present. On Tuesday afternoon, there will be a joint meeting of the Lakeland King's Daughters, and the parents of the Hamburg children, at Hamburg.

HOWELL 21, PINCKNEY 16

Pinckney dropped a close game to Howell at the Pinckney Community Hall Saturday evening by a score of 21 to 16. Both teams missed many shots and played roughly. Clayton and N. Miller scored all of Pinckney's points getting 8 each.

Pinckney	R F	Howell
Slayton	R F	Mangel
C. Miller	L F	Cooper
Carr	C	Sawdy
Campbell	R G	Bruce
N. Miller	L G	Briggs

Field goals—Slayton 3, N. Miller 3, Mangel, 3, Cooper 2, Sawdy 1, Bruce 3, Foul goals—Slayton 2, N. Miller 2, Mangel 1, Cooper 1, Bruce 1. Substitution—Kennedy for C. Miller, Meabon for Kennedy, Hughes for Briggs.

WAS CLOSELY CONTESTED

In a game that required two overtime periods before the final result was known, the Pinckney Rinky Dinks lost to Gregory high school by a score of 19 to 23. The game ended with the count 17 to 17. A three minute period was played and Bishop for Gregory and L. Meabon for Pinckney each got field goals knocking the count again at 19 all. Another overtime period was played in which Bishop sunk two field goals.

Pinckney	R F	Gregory
Haines	R F	Bishop
M. Meabon	L F	M. Cleary
L. Meabon	C	Bowditch
Kennedy	R G	Wylie
Miller	L G	Galbraith

Field goals—Haines 2, M. Meabon 5, L. Meabon 3, Bishop 7, Bowditch 4, Foul goals—L. Meabon 1, Bishop 1. Substitutions—Battle for Miller, Referee—Reason.

HISTORY OF THE PINCKNEY PUBLIC SQUARE

The most prominent of the early settlers of Pinckney was William Kirkland, New York City, who came here about 1837 or shortly before. He was a man of some education following the profession of teaching. His wife, Caroline Kirkland, was of considerable talent and likewise a teacher. She was also an author of some note having written eleven books all of which are in the state library at Lansing. The original plat of the village of Pinckney shows that it was platted and recorded August 9, 1837 by Wm. Kirkland 64 blocks with eight lots to a block, the town of Pinckney with the following description:

"The Village of Pinckney is situated in the southern part of Livingston County on Portage Creek, two miles from its entrance into Portage Lake. It is in the midst of one of the finest and best settled agricultural districts in the state and is already the natural center of business for not less than three hundred families. A flour mill is now in operation which has just been constructed at a cost of from seven to eight thousand dollars, and there is no mill nearer than ten miles, and, in some directions, it will command the business for twenty miles. A good temperance tavern and store have also been erected and other buildings are in progress. A healthier spot is not to be found in Michigan. The state road from Saginaw to Chicago road at Clinton passes through this place and the Grand River and Allegan State road is executed to intersect the former at this point. The lots are generous in size being four rods by eight rods and a block is reserved for a public square sixteen rods by sixteen rods. Signed Wm. Kirkland, Aug. 3, 1837."

The land described was taken up from the government on January 19, 1834 by Benjamin Weller. On Sept. 23, 1834 he disposed of his interest to Sol Peterson and he in turn sold out to William Kirkland on Dec. 30, 1835. This is shown by the records of the register of deeds at Howell. This was a time of intense land speculation. Towns and cities were laid out promiscuously, many of which failed to materialize. Weller and Peterson were probably speculators of the kind who obtained huge grants and then sold again without even seeing their property. Mr. Kirkland lived here about seven years, platted the village and built the first frame house, most of the material being brought from Detroit by wagon. He returned to New York in 1842.

The Public Square was given to the township by Mr. Kirkland for use as a park on the condition that certain improvements be put upon it. Putnam township seems to have been negligent in this respect, doing nothing on improvements. They did not dedicate the square or get the plat properly recorded. However they held possession of it for some forty years and then suddenly awoke to the fact that it had been jumped one morning in February 1883 by James Pearson an enterprising Pinckney citizen who showed all the tenacity of a claim jumper of the old gold mining days. We reprint the following from the Pinckney Dispatch of March 15, 1883. The editor was Jerome Weller, founder of this paper.

THE PUBLIC SQUARE

Mr. Pearson Lays a Claim on It and Puts Some Stone on It To Hold It Down

Our citizens were greatly surprised Monday morning last to see loads of stone and lumber placed upon what has always been known as the "village square." A question of title has often been raised regarding this property but parties who investigated the matter seemed to satisfy themselves that the village or township had a good title to it. But it seems that a few weeks since Messrs Bullock and Haven of Howell secured from the heirs of the late William Kirkland a certain claim deed to certain lands in Livingston County, the description covering, besides some farm property in Marion township, all the lands which have not previously been sold or contracted (whether recorded or not) in a certain description covering that portion of the village of Pinckney in which the public square is located. It is said that the village plat as such was never legally recorded, and that the public square was not properly dedicated to or recorded by the township. The only mention made of it is the following paragraph from the descriptive matter on a lithographed copy of the village plat, probably issued by Mr. Kirkland, but bearing no name or date:

"The lots are 66 ft. front by 132 ft. depth. The Streets are four rods in width, and the public square is sixteen rods square."

James Pearson of Pinckney has purchased from the Howell parties their title to the property, as secured by the deed above mentioned, and so confident were they of the legality of this title that they offered a warranty deed. Mr. Pearson seems perfectly satisfied that he has a legal title, and has already laid out "Pearson's addition to the village of Pinckney," the plat of which will be placed in record today. It consists of 12 lots fronting on East Main Street, 22x122 6 lots fronting on Howell St., 22x122 2 lots fronting on Mill St., designed for residence, 66x132; with on foot alleys. Whether it is more desirable for the village that this property should remain a public square or be built up for business purposes, is a question upon which the opinion of our citizens is honestly divided but if Pearson's title is sustained and we hope for the good of all concerned it will soon be contested and settled, it is in good hands and will be sold at reasonably prices to parties who will erect substantial brick buildings thereon. Mr. Pearson offers lots for sale, and says he will give warranty deeds for the same. We hope before our next paper is issued to be in possession of all obtainable facts regarding this matter.

To be faithful and just

To be faithful to our trust and to be just in all things is not only our ambition; it has become an accomplished part of Our Service of Sincerity

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ter, and shall treat it in a perfectly impartial manner.
The Miles Bullock named above at one time lived on the farm at Anderson owned now by Michael Roche. He was county surveyor for years. Harry Haven is register of deeds at one time we are informed. At this time he was employed in the office of Robert Dudley, then register of deeds.
This article will be continued next week.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Circuit Court for the County of Livingston, in Chancery.

At session of said court held in the court house in the city of Howell, in said county on the 6th day of February A. D. 1929.

Present: Hon. Jos. H. Collins, Circuit Judge.

Minnie Gardner, Carrie Gardner, Mary Gardner Hibbard, Ethel Gardner and Laura Gardner, in their own right and Orville Gardner, Albert Gardner, Jr., Irene Gardner, Dean Gardner, and Tresa Gardner, infants, by Minnie Gardner, their next friend and guardian of their estate. Plaintiffs

vs.
Israel Easter, Lauren K. Hewitt, Charles H. Shepard, Andrew Miller, Francis M. Smith, F. J. Lee, Frederick J. Lee, John Devereaux, John Devero, Felix Dunlavy, Annie Dunlavy, Edward Dunlavy, Freeman W. Allison, James Burke, Francis Crawford, Judah T. Ainsworth, Seymour N. Nash, Mary Emmons, Marquis E. Sill, Daniel Quick, Mary Lamoreaux, and John Costella or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns; and the unknown wives of all said male defendants. Defendants.

In this cause it appearing to the satisfaction of the Court now here that it can not be ascertained in what State or Country the defendants or any of them reside.

It further appearing that all the defendants named in said cause, except those described as heirs, and those described as the unknown wives of male defendants, are persons whose names appear in the office of the register of deeds of said county as having at some time claimed some right, title interest or estate in the subject matter of said suit or some part thereof without having conveyed or released same or who might at some time under the provisions of legal effect of certain instruments of record described in the bill of complaint filed in said cause claim or be entitled to claim benefits thereunder and it is not known whether such persons are living or dead or where they or any of them reside, if living, or whether the title, interest, claim, lien or possible right has been by them or any of them assigned to any person or persons or, if dead, whether they or any of them have personal representatives or heirs living or where they or any of them reside, or whether such title interest, claim, lien or possible right has been disposed of by will.

It further appearing that more than fifteen years have elapsed since the recording of the title, claim or lien of all said defendants whose unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns are included as defendants here;

On motion of Hiram R. Smith, attorney for plaintiffs, it is ordered that the appearance of the said defendants,

Israel Easter, Lauren K. Hewitt, Charles H. Shepard, Andrew Miller, Francis M. Smith, F. J. Lee, Frederick J. Lee, John Devereaux, John Devero, Felix Dunlavy, Annie Dunlavy, Edward Dunlavy, Freeman W. Allison, James Burke, Francis Crawford, Judah T. Ainsworth, Seymour N. Nash, Mary Emmons, Marquis E. Sill, Daniel Quick, Mary Lamoreaux, and John Costella or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns; and the unknown wives of all said male defendants be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order; and that in case of their appearance or the appearance of any of them they respectively cause their answer or the answer or answers of such of them as shall have appeared to the bill of complaint in this case to be filed and a copy thereof to be served on plaintiffs' attorney within fifteen days after service on them or such of them as shall have appeared respectively or on their respective attorneys and that in default thereof the said bill be taken as confessed by said defendants named and described in this paragraph.

It is further ordered that within forty days the plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be published in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper, printed, published and circulated in said county of Livingston and that such publication be continued therein once in each week for at least six suc-

cessive weeks or that a copy of this order to be served on each of said persons at least two weeks before the time prescribed for the appearance or service of answer according to the provisions made and provided.

Joseph H. Collins, Clerk of Court.

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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 5th day of January A. D. 1929.
Present, Hon. Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.
In the Matter of the Estate of Sarah J. Burchell, Deceased.
It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court:
It is Ordered, That creditors of

said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 6th day of May A. D. 1929, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.
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: Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.
Celesta Parrshall, Register of Probate.