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Soft Ball League Games

This Marks the Final Week of Play in the League. Shirey's Team Wins First Place. Others Teams Closely Bunched

This week marks the 12th and final week of the Pinckney Soft Ball League. On April 13 the opening game was played of a 36 game schedule of a six club league.

In last weeks games Miller's Bearcats won from Ledwidge's Vikings 13 to 5. Campbell's Highlanders defeated Dink's Hinky Dinks 8 to 5.

Bears						
Player	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
M. Kennedy, lf	4	2	2	8	1	1
T. Singer, lb	4	0	0	10	2	1
Fish, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0
M'ler, c	5	1	1	5	0	0
Devereaux, rs	3	2	0	2	0	0
Gibmore, cf	3	3	2	0	0	0
G. Kennedy, p	3	2	1	1	3	0
Beth, ls	4	1	1	0	2	0
C. Kennedy, 3b	3	2	0	4	2	1
Carr, 2b	3	0	2	2	0	1
Victors						
Player	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Hendee, c	4	0	2	2	0	0
Swarthout, p, 3b	4	0	0	0	2	0
Carr, rs	3	2	0	1	1	1
C. Miller, cf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Dinkel, 3b, p	4	1	2	1	4	1
Ledwidge, lf	2	2	0	1	0	1
Doyle, 2b	4	0	0	4	1	0
Shirey, lb	3	1	1	11	0	0
H. Reason, ls	3	0	1	4	0	2
C. Raines, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Hinky Dinks						
Player	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Dinkel, p, 3b	2	3	1	2	1	1
M. Blades, c	4	0	0	0	0	0
A. Sliger, ls	4	1	1	2	1	0
R. Shehan, 2b	4	0	1	3	2	1
M. Kelly, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
L. Blades, cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
M. Kennedy, 3b	2	0	0	5	3	0
B. Amberg, rs	2	0	0	0	0	0
Clark, lf	3	1	1	4	0	0
F. Read, lb, p	3	0	1	8	0	0
Highlanders						
Player	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
R. Singer, 2b	4	0	0	4	4	0
J. Singer, lf	4	1	0	4	0	1
F. Raines, rf	4	2	1	1	0	0
B. Jeffreys, rs	3	2	2	0	2	0
C. Kennedy, 3b	3	0	1	2	0	0
Shirey, lb	4	1	0	15	0	0
Devereaux, ls	3	1	0	1	4	0
G. Kennedy, p	4	0	0	0	2	0
Russ Read, c	2	1	1	0	0	0
Ross Read, cf	4	0	0	1	0	0

Thursday night's game was forfeited to the Vikings when the Typhoons failed to put a team on the field.

Official Standings				
Team	G	W	L	Pct.
Vikings	11	9	2	.818
Typhoons	11	5	6	.453
Bearcats	11	5	6	.453
Victors	11	5	6	.453
Highlanders	11	5	6	.453
Hinky Dinks	11	4	7	.363

Games this week
Monday—Vikings vs. Highlanders
Wednesday—Victors vs. Hinky Dinks
Thursday—Bearcats vs. Typhoons

MARRIAGE APPLICATIONS

Applications for marriage licenses have been filed with the Livingston county clerk at Howell within the past few days by the following: Harvey Merton Stevens, 39, Conway township farmer and Mrs. Edith Mae Confer-Shoup, 38, Detroit saleswoman; Thomas E. Barlow, 21, Ann Arbor student and Isabella Ann Godard, 18, student of Brighton; Lawrence A. Riggs, 21, Stockbridge farmer and Dorothy Pauline Galbreath, 18, of Gregory; Milton Irving Porteous, 21, of Pinckney and

Ether Lucille Kennedy, 19, of Pinckney; John G. Kitchen, 23, Hartland student and Irene M. Reisema, 20, of Flint; Wilbur Edward Slonaker, 29, of Atlanta, Georgia and Melba F. Wimbles, 29, of Howell; Don Chapman, 26, and Irene Schuckaskie, 20, both of Howell.

June is keeping up its reputation as the month of weddings as more licenses have been issued here during the month than were issued during the entire five previous months of this year.

Miss Nina Weltman, John Crouse and daughter, Virginia of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith.

Boy Drowns at Hudson Mills Sunday Afternoon

Philip John Guinan, 5 Years, Losses Life in the Huron River at Hudson Mills Saturday Night.

A drowning occurred at Hudson Mills on the Huron River, six miles south of here Saturday evening when Philip Guinan, jr., the five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Guinan of 9127 Horner Ave., Detroit lost his life. The boy had come out from Detroit with his parents. He had been bathing during the day but his parents did not believe he had gone back into the water and they searched both banks of the river for him.

The boy's body was found in fairly deep water, just beyond the point where the river bottom drops suddenly, making bathing at that point dangerous. He is believed to have gone back into the river, and wandered out into the stream far enough to slip off the submerged shoulder of the bottom.

His body was recovered by Jay Ledwidge, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Ledwidge of Dexter township. Deputy Sheriff's Bennett and Gartman and Coroner Fred Hausel of Ann Arbor were summoned. The body was taken to the Gorman funeral home at Dexter and removed to Detroit Sunday where the funeral and burial will be held.

The drowning is the third reported in Washtenaw county this year, all three water deaths having occurred within the last two weeks. Two other persons both lost their lives in the Huron river, a Detroit man drowning near Rawsonville, the other side of Ypsilanti, and Rolo McCotter, a sophomore at the University high school, drowning in the river near Dexter, following a class picnic at Portage lake.

HURT IN AUTO WRECK

Herb Drown of near Stockbridge had his arm smashed and was severely cut when he collided with a car driven by George Williams of Ypsilanti on the Whitmore Lake road, eight miles north east of Ann Arbor Sunday. The latter was knocked unconscious. The injured were taken to St. Joseph's hospital in Ann Arbor.

NOTICE

The regular meeting of the King's Daughters will be held at the home of Mrs. Roy Graham at Base Lake Thursday afternoon, July 1st. Hazel Parker, Sec'y.

Beware of Vacuum Cleaner Confidence Men

An organized gang of men are going around this section representing themselves as factory representatives for certain vacuum cleaner companies. They inspect your vacuum cleaner, suggest repairs and ask to take it to their shop for overhauling after which they agree to return it. They never come back but sell your machine in another town and continue the game. One Howell woman was victimized recently by a smooth person who claimed to represent the Hoover Co. That is only incidental and they usually claim to represent the company which sold you your cleaner.

FISHING REGULATIONS

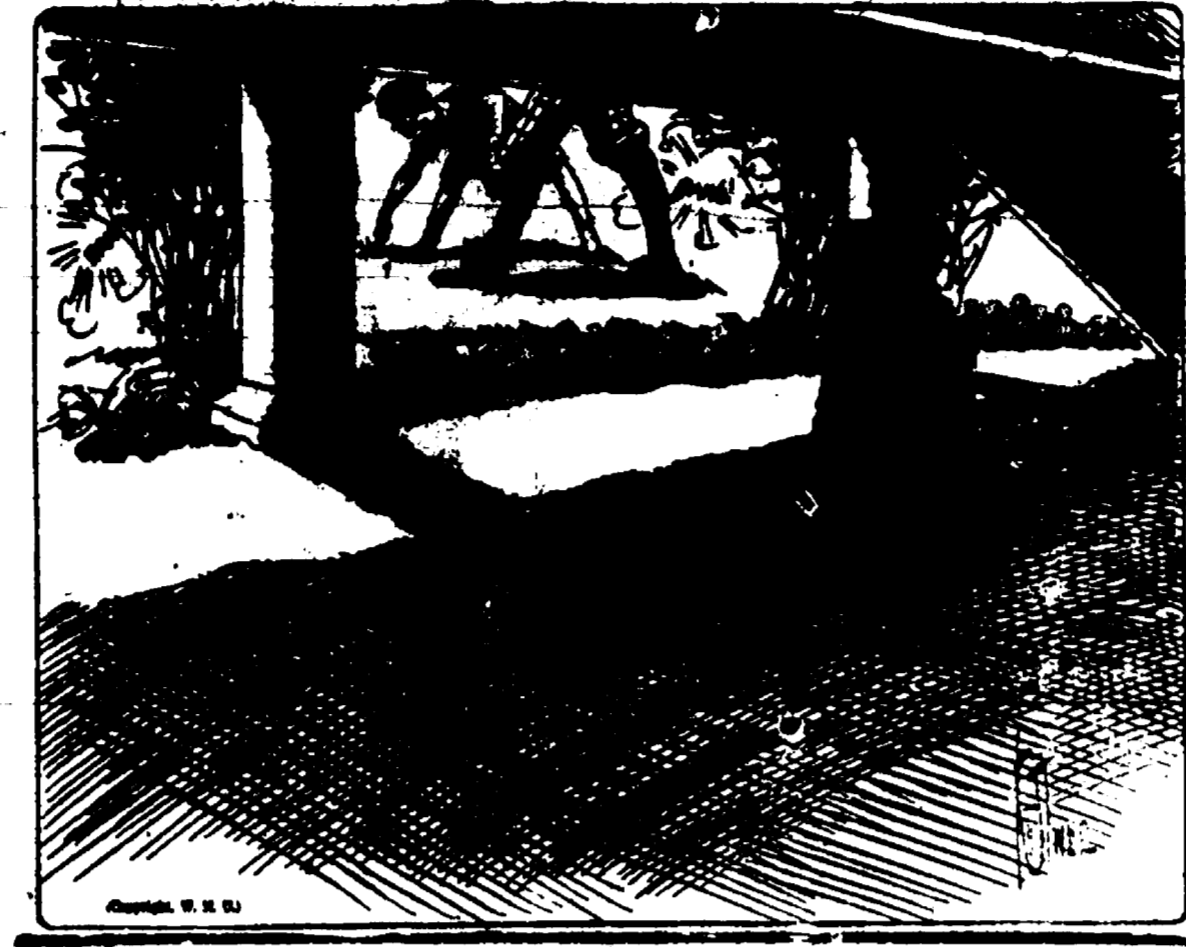
For your convenience we are printing below local 1931 fishing regulations—Clip this article out and save for future reference. Bluegills and Sunfish—6 inches in length, June 25 to Dec. 31. Rock bass, calico bass, perch—7 inches in length, May 1 to March 31, in pike lakes; June 25 to March 31, in other lakes. 25 of the above in one day or in possession, combined. Large and Small Mouth Bass—10 inches in length, June 25 to Dec. 31, 5 in possession or day. Pike—14 inches in length, May 1 to March 31, in Pike lakes, June 25 to Dec. 31, in other lakes. 5 in one day or in possession. Bullheads, Carp, Cisco, Dogfish, Mulletts, Redhorse and Suckers—May 1 to March 31 in Pike lakes, June 25 to March 31 in other lakes.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Regular communication of Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. on Tuesday evening, July 7. Work in the A. E. Degree. A good attendance is desired as matters of importance are to come up. Refreshments.

Glenn Slayton, Sec'y. Mr. and Mrs. Emil Brown and Mrs. Shirley Johnson of Los Angeles, California spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Sigler.

July, the Fourth



Harness Races and Ball Game July 4th

Forty of the Best Horses in the State Are Entered in the Races to be Held at Fowlerville.

Saturday, July 4th, there is going to be a big time in Fowlerville with four races and a ball game at the fair grounds. The four races will be given plenty of entertainment for the afternoon but a ball game between Fowlerville and the Michigan Clay Products team of Williamston will also occupy the attention of many of the visitors. The game has been provided by the Detroit Free Press to help make it full day.

A number of Detroit horse men are ready here and working out on the track in preparation for the races. There are now about 26 horses at the fair grounds. The number of entries for the races will depend on their condition as determined by these daily work-outs, but there is expected to be a number for each race. More are expected yet from different parts of the state as the purses offered are quite liberal.

With a large new grandstand, commodious grounds and one of the fastest half mile tracks in the state, this racing event will attract visitors from quite a large area and there is sure to be a large crowd present.

The new ball ground, which was made last year, lies just across the track from the grandstand and the game can be seen without obstruction from the seats in the stand, where you will be protected from the sun. The grounds have been cleaned up and put in good shape for playing. The Fowlerville team is composed of a bunch of fast playing young fellows who have been winning games this year and the ball game is going to be a good one.

Charge of admission will be only 50c for gentlemen, 25c for ladies; children under 15 and autos free. A very small charge for such a big day's program.

KENNEDY PORTEOUS

Miss Lucille Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kennedy of Pinckney was united in marriage to Milton Porteous, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Porteous of Birmingham, at Howell June 24, Rev. Noble of the Howell Presbyterian church officiating. They were attended by James and Isabelle Nash. After a short wedding trip they are at home to their many friends in Pinckney.

PHILATHEA SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASS

Did you miss the column last week? The class was functioning as usual and Mrs. Swarthout kindly taught our class with the Ladies' Bible Class. On last Sunday we were glad to have with us friends from the lakes and it is mutually pleasant to thus fellowship together and to dig out new truths from the Word of God. We hope to fill our class room with members and the many visiting friends who are summering near us. Coming events in which the Philatheas will be interested in include the meeting of the King's Daughters on this Thursday and our class party on next Wednesday. The latter at Mrs. Gladys Lee's in Lakeland. Then too there is the coming ice cream social to keep in mind. With last Sunday we completed the second quarter, a study from Luke's Gospel and an interesting 3 months course will follow now, upon the spread of Christianity, or the new testament church "The gift of the Holy Spirit" is the first topic and it would be well to read all of the first two chapters of acts before Sunday. The teacher of the class was cheered during a recent illness by offerings of flowers, fruit and is grateful for these evidences of the love of the class and interest in the work.

The Rane-Hershey Wedding

Couple to Spend Honeymoon in Northern Michigan; Will Make Home in Detroit.

Exquisite in all of its appointments was the wedding at 11 o'clock Saturday morning of Miss Virginia Mary Rane, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Rane of Whitmore Lake, and Milton E. Hershey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hershey of Detroit. The ceremony was performed by Rev. M. Thomas in the library of St. Patrick's rectory at Northfield. Pails and ferns placed in graceful groupings at the fireplace, which was flanked on either side by large book-ends filled with pink and white peonies and candleabra bearing slender lighted tapers. About 40 members of the immediate families and a few intimate friends were present.

Before the ceremony Mrs. Ambrose M. Kearney sang "Because" while her daughter, Miss Gertrude Kearney, organist, played the wedding march from Lohengrin as the bride was escorted to the altar by her father. During the ceremony she played "Because" and immediately afterward she played Mendelssohn's "Recessional."

The bride was lovely in a gown of pink silk lace, fashioned with a close-fitting square-necked bodice and a gracefully flowing skirt which almost touched the floor and just revealed the tips of her blue moire pumps. With the gown she wore a poude blue taffeta fitted jacket, with sleeves fitted to the elbow, from which they flared to the wrists. Her lace mitts were pink to match her gown, and she wore a large pink horsehair braid hat bound with a crushed band of blue taffeta, which formed a large bow across the back. Her only jewels were a three-strand necklace of pearls and crystals, the gift of the bridegroom, and she carried a cascade bouquet of Talisman roses.

Gerald E. Ritter of Detroit served as best man, and Richard Hershey, also of Detroit, acted as usher for his brother.

Following the ceremony the young couple received with Mr. and Mrs. Rane and Mr. and Mrs. Hershey, in the yard at Motor Inn, Whitmore Lake. Mrs. Rane wore a modish gown of poude blue chiffon, with close fitting bodice and ankle-length skirt formed by two full flares. A silk lace yoke in a deeper shade formed a cowl neckline, while the sleeves were short and flared, and a belt of chiffon fastened with a rhinestone buckle at the natural waistline. She wore a white Battenburg braid hat bound with a blue velvet ribbon, elbow length white gloves and white moire pumps.

Mrs. Hershey was smart in a jacket frock of cream and brown chiffon, bound at the natural waistline with a brown velvet girdle. Her pumps were of brown moire, and she wore a medium-brimmed hat of cream-colored Italian straw and long cream-colored gloves. Both had slender ivory tapers furnished the only illumination. Bowls of roses with tapers and favors in pastel shades, decorated the two other tables.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershey left by motor for a honeymoon in northern Michigan, and on their return will be home in Detroit, where Mr. Hershey is advertising manager for the Cunningham Drug company. For her traveling costume the bride chose a white silk crepe frock with smartly contrasting short belted jacket of brown crepe with three-quarter sleeves. Her hat was of white baku bound with brown grosgrain ribbon, and wore white doeskin gloves and white buckalin pumps.

The bride was graduated from Ann Arbor High school and attended Marygrove college in Detroit, while Mr. Hershey attended Detroit City college. Among the guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hershey, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Artz, Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Reason, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Reason, Miss Helen Reason, E. J. Reason, Miss Harriet Coffey, Miss Tess Gibney, Miss Mildred Craham, Jack Austey, Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Howell, jr. and J. Ripps, all of Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reason, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Reason, Gerald Reason and Harold Reason, all of Pinckney; Mrs. Albert Doe and Miss Olive Doe of Port Huron, and Miss Dorothea Scott of Ann Arbor. Ann Arbor Daily News.

Current Comment

The annual school meeting will be held on the second Monday in July this year which falls on the 13th. There are two trustees to be elected as the terms of Mrs. Alta Meyer and M. J. Reason expire. Just what the status of the local school is at the present time is hard to say. One inspector requested the district to bond for a new school about a year ago on the grounds that this one was antiquated. This demand was afterwards lowered down considerably and the school given a three year extension if they would make certain alterations, establish a sinking fund etc. So the danger of a forced bond issue at the present time is not imminent. It is hardly likely that such a vote would be demanded in these times of depression. Still a large attendance at the annual school meeting is an excellent thing.

A man and woman were in town last Friday getting members for the Association Opposed to Prohibition and also circulating a petition to permit the sale of light wines and beer in Michigan. It costs \$1.00 to join this organization. About a dozen signers were secured to the petition but getting a dollar a head from them was another matter. We understand only two of the signers coughed up a dollar.

The assertion is freely made that women jurors are more liable to be guided by their sympathies than by facts while serving on important cases. This seems to be borne out by the Buckley murder trial in Detroit where the women jurors voted for acquittal until the end when such a verdict was finally rendered. In the trial of the same men last week for Collins-Cannon murders three of the five women held out to the last for acquittal. The jury was out from Wednesday until Saturday. The reason given by one of the women jurors for their efforts to liberate Pizzino and Livechi was sympathy for the former's wife and children. All of the men jurors voted for conviction from the start with one exception. Incidentally we think that Judge Sweeney and Prosecutor McCrea should be complimented for the skillful and efficient way in which the case was handled.

NO JUNE WEDDINGS

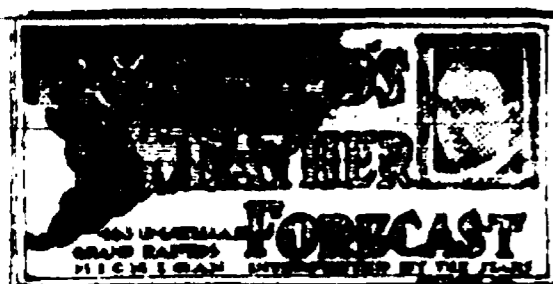
For the first time since the memory of man runneth not to the contrary there were no marriage ceremonies performed in the village of Pinckney during the month of June. This is the more remarkable as it is known that there are several couples seriously contemplating matrimony. One of Pinckney's prominent citizens informs us that he is all set to take off his coat, put his shoulder to the wheel and get the matrimonial wagon out of the mud. This public spirited citizen is none other than Judge N. O. Frye, a stalwart democrat who believes in "Tariff for Revenue Only." He was elected Justice last April and goes into office July 4. He announces that during the month of July he will marry the first couple who go to him for that purpose for nothing. This is a rare opportunity for some lucky couple to cut down the overhead and accumulate a nest egg to start house keeping on. Judge Frye states he is not infringing on the clergymen, only trying to stimulate business in the matrimonial circles besides as Junior Justice he will be too busy appraising sheep killed by dogs to make a speciality of marriage knot tying.

THIRTY YEARS ON THE JOB

Monday G. W. Dinkel of this place finished 30 yrs. service as rural mail carrier from the local postoffice. He was one of the original carriers put on when rural delivery was first started. Frank Newman being the other. Mr. Dinkel's work has always been high class and he has no demerit marks against him.

DEFEATS CHELSEA 9 TO 8

A Pinckney team defeated the Chelsea Odd Fellow diamond ball team here Tuesday night by a score of 9 to 8 in a seven inning game. Chelsea led 6 to 0 up to the 5th when Pinckney scored 8 runs. Chelsea tied the score in the 6th but Pinckney scored the winning run in their turn at bat. The seventh inning was scoreless. Batteries: Pinckney—Shicks and Habes and Dinkel Chelsea—Meares and VanGosen



WEEK OF JULY 5

The fair weather we are expecting for Independence day in the most parts of Michigan will run over into the beginning of the week of July 5th.

By Monday the winds will have shifted over to the east and southeast, the barometer will fall to lower reading and then will follow two or three days of unsettled, threatening weather. During this period covering the first half of the week there will be many sharp summer storms of wind and rain.

The early days of this week will develop temperatures considerably above the seasonable normal, resulting in thunder storms and locally heavy downpours.

After the middle of the week temperatures will take a sudden fall to more refreshing levels. This change in temperature will then remain more or less steady for the balance of this week and will run over into the coming week.

The closing days of this week will be generally pleasant.

Fire Stops Weather Predicting

A recent fire 9,000 feet above sea level temporarily interrupted a world wide study of long distance weather forecasting by means of the sun's heat variation. The computing room of the astrophysical observatory on Montezuma mountain, Chile, caught fire and destroyed many valuable tables used in calculating the solar constant.

This is but another proof that when man insists on studying second hand causes of weather, he will often be handicapped in his work from one cause or another.

The variability of the sun is not without a cause. It is only reasonable to surmise that if the moon affects the tides of the earth, surely the planets must affect conditions on the sun, which are reflected back to the various satellites in electrical currents. These take active form on this earth in heat, cold, precipitation, magnetic storms, volcanic eruptions, earthquakes, etc.

Dinner Stories

Saved Energy Too

McTavish was the proud owner of a new cash register. One day, when an old friend came into his shop and bought a sixpenny cigar, the customer noted that McTavish pocketed the money instead of putting it into the drawer.

"Why not ring it up?" He asked.

"You'll be forgetting it."

"Oh, I'll see you'll be forgetting it," replied the Scot. "Ye ken I keep track in my head until I get a dollar, an' then I ring it up. It saves the wear and tear on the machine."

Help

Green: "I understand that you got quite a good bit from some of the boys at the club to help poor Jenkins, who was so injured in that car smash."

Brown: "Yes, Smith showed a great deal of sympathy for poor Jenkins."

Green: "Did you try him for a contribution?"

Brown: "No fear. I know Smith. He is like the letter 'P.'"

Green: "What do you mean by saying he is like the letter 'P.'"

Brown: "First in pity, old boy, and last in help!"

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THE ROMANCE OF A BUSINESS GIRL

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CHAPTER I

Mary swung around from her typewriter and reached for the telephone. "Miss Vaughn speaking," she announced, briskly. Then, after a moment, "Oh, hello—Dick," with a little breathless gasp, while her heart accelerated its speed from a normal seventy-two to something over one hundred.

"At the University club?" she repeated in an incredulous tone, and her face brightened perceptibly. "Why, of course, Thanks a lot, Dick. Yes, eight o'clock, then."

She replaced the instrument slowly, grudgingly. It was so unbelievably true, Dick Baldwin, the debonnaire young wholesale man for another firm "in the street" and a former football star at Princeton, whom she had known less than a month and who had taken her to a dance at the University club? She had dreamed of invitations like that, from men like Dick, but this—this was

What could the boss want now?

She opened the big walnut-paneled door that gave access to her employer's private office from her own. Almost a year ago, when she had come here as private secretary to Ronald K. Foster of Foster & Co., Investment Brokers, another of Mary Vaughn's dreams had been realized. The thrill of it had subsided some time ago, for she had learned that human nature catalogued Ronald K. Foster in very much the same as that in the John Brown files; and that being a big broker's secretary can be just as prosaic, exacting routine and exasperating as the work of a common "stenog" in any line.

But the spacious walnut-paneled room with its hand-made furniture, silk-damask window hangings, Georgian mantel and Sarouk rug—with the buzzing, clicking translux dominating it all—had not lost its fascination for her. This was the atmosphere in which she belonged—not in the six-

crossed over to the window and slumped listlessly against the case-ment. What would five minutes, ten—a whole hour—matter now? Eight, nine, ten o'clock, were all the same to her now. With unseeing eyes, she gazed far out from the wide skyscraper window, across the peaks and plateaus and waterways of the city—steels and plateaus of concrete and steel that made a panorama like a relief map from this distant height. Far below lay the gray Hudson, flowing with commerce; endless traffic of ferries, steamships, barges, yachts and battleships, plying up and down, hither and yon, each freighted with adventure and romance as well as its cargo.

For some five minutes Mary stood at the window; listless, inert, weary, wondering what it was all about. Wasn't there, somewhere, happiness for her? Hadn't she carried her burden long enough to deserve even a little reprieve? Always, she seemed to

ment. After all, she was lucky, she told herself. Just imagine having a position like hers at a top-notch salary, and spilling blood all over New York City just because she had to break a date!

She shook herself resolutely and turned to the telephone. If Dick Baldwin never asked her for another date—what of it? When she again heard his voice, though, she knew "what of it." She told him how it was.

"Oh, say, after all, you promised me first," he objected vigorously.

"I know, Dick, and I am so sorry, really. You know I want to go, don't you? But the boss is all tangled up and I have to help straighten him out before I leave."

"Well, cut the ropes and break loose. When can you leave?"

"Not a minute before eight. And I couldn't make it, you see. I would have to go home and dress. Get someone else, Dick."

"There is no one else," gloomily.

"I'll, I can't say any more than that I'm sorry, Dick."

"All right, I'll be seeing you—later."

Mary hoped with all her heart, as she put down the telephone, that he meant those last words, that he would call her again soon. But she feared that he wouldn't.

The hours dragged on interminably after Mary had returned from a hasty lunch at 5:30. Foster dictated for an hour and then left her to clear up the wreckage. The gigantic pyramid of offices was almost silent and the slightest sounds echoed eerily.

The tumult of thudding and tapping feet; the click and clang of doors and desk drawers; the gasping of elevators stopping and starting with a low rumbling of gliding shafts, like great dragons breathing and grumbling and flowing past by the mouthful, only to go on again for more; the sharp and laughter of repartee and snarl—all of that magic, faintly exhilarating hour of 5 p. m.—had left a vast silence in its wake in that towering bundle of space.

Outside the window, bold, curious searchlights on other towering pyramids of stone were flirting with their neighbors; caressing, embracing each other's gleaming shoulders like a throng of pleasuring people. Electric signs of brilliant hues blinked and faded like precious jewels on their breasts and were reflected in the deep black waters of the river as in a mirrored wall.

Fascinating, always intriguing, this turbulent city of complex life. Mary loved it as she loved life—all the world. She liked to be in the thick of the struggle. Even if it were stifling and exhausting and heart-breaking at times, she loved it. But she was a woman. She wanted her own beside, her own man, her own children—some day.

At last the work was finished. Foster had known it would be before she left, and that every detail would be complete, as per orders. Mary was no longer conscious of the ache between her shoulders; it was so intense by this time that she felt numb with it. Her eyes burned and the muscles in her arms were strained so with hurting them at right angles that it hurt to straighten them out.

She rode down in an empty elevator and said a cheery good night to the night operator. The outer revolving doors seemed to weigh a ton. The rush of cold, foggy air welcomed her into the weird solitude of deserted Wall Street at night.

And then she saw Dick—waiting across the street in his coupe.

(To be continued.)

Modern Homes Have An Extra Room

Modern five-room houses have six rooms, and modern six-room houses now have seven rooms. For architects and builders are turning their attention to making the basement livable, with the result that thousands of homes now have children's playrooms, billiard rooms and recreation halls for both adults and children in the basement. This movement for making the basement a part of the house and thus adding a whole floor to the home has received added impetus through the wider use of fuel oil for home heating. With the absence of dust and ashes, the basement can be kept as neat and tidy as the living room.

"During the past few years several hundred thousand homes of average cost have had their basements revamped, converting what was once a cellar with all that went with it, into a modern, dry, attractive and highly useful basement, with an evenly heated, properly conditioned atmosphere rivaling that of the best rooms in the house," Morgan J. Hammers, vice-president of the Petroleum Heat and Power Company, recently said at a meeting in New York. "Every member of the family can use such an added floor. It is impossible to conceive a happier arrangement than such an added facility in connection with entertaining. The hostess can have several or a dozen tables of bridge in such a lower floor room without disrupting and generally discommoding the whole household and the living quarters above in preparing and holding such an activity."

In keeping with this trend to make the basement a part of the house, automatic heating equipment manufacturers have greatly improved the design of their domestic boilers. The heating units in the latest styles are enclosed as a unit under the boiler, and a big range of colors are available for the housewife to select from to harmonize with the decorative scheme.

C. M. T. C. Camp To Be Named After George W. Woodard

The Citizens' Military Training Camp at Camp Custer this year will be named after Ensign George W. Woodard, who joined the service at Litchfield, Michigan. His nearest living relative is Mrs. George M. Woodard, 245 Hillsdale Avenue, Hillsdale, Michigan.

Born in Wallace, Kansas, December 3, 1893, Ensign Woodard's family moved to Michigan while he was still a child. He attended grammar school in Michigan and later graduated from Hillsdale College. He became principal of the high school at Litchfield, and continued his studies at the Normal at Kalamazoo.

When the United States entered the war he enlisted in the navy and after some months of training was commissioned an ensign at Palham in August, 1918.

His death is one of the heroic tragedies of the war. He was assigned to the U. S. S. Ticanderog, and on his first trip to France this vessel was savagely attacked September 30, 1918 by a German submarine which shelled it from close range, firing on helpless life boats and murdering American sailors in the blood.

Ensign Woodard commanded the only life boat that escaped the shells of the U. S. S. Ticanderog, as he was recognized as being the only one who was taken prisoner aboard.

Some hours later he was seen in the water clinging to a submerged raft with nine other men. By climbing aboard a life boat that drifted by he could have been saved, but instead he ignored his own suffering and first assisted the other men to safety. Before he could climb aboard himself it was too late, as the heavy sea had again cast the raft adrift. Nothing more was seen of the raft or the five unfortunate men who perished.

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"I feel like a slave driver to ask you to work again tonight."

real. She held her head in her two hands, childishly, as if to steady it. That was the way Dick Baldwin, or even his voice, affected Mary. Demeanor, poised, industrious, practical, Mary—who had been forced by circumstances to wrestle with the many realities of life.

She had learned that tomorrow not only didn't provide for itself but that the tomorrows of some four others looked to her for provision, as well. In the past five years she hadn't found much time even to day-dream about University club dances, or any other pleasures. For that matter, she hadn't seen a man until a month ago whose society she preferred to a comfortable, quiet evening at the office.

Wasn't she glad, now, that she hadn't spent much of her time on the callow youths who had persistently sought her out; like Eddie Graham in Paterson who always acted when he saw her, like she now felt about Dick, Howard Davis in the other office where she had worked first, and others.

Wasn't she even more glad that she had anticipated and prepared for just such an occasion as this? After that second evening with Dick, when he had given every indication that he would be wanting to see her much more, she had decided that at all costs she must have some new evening

clothes. Nothing too expensive, either. She had selected, after hours of careful shopping and deliberation, a wine-red chiffon that swept the floor in diaphanous folds, with a cowl collar draped from a sharp V-shaped decollete and a narrow beaded yoke. She told herself repeatedly that she couldn't afford the dress and that she might never need it. But just in case he should ask her for a real date, she had to be prepared! Now it had happened!

And all so unexpectedly. A month ago, Mary hadn't known a man with whom an evening would be more important to her than working at the office. Then, vivacious, industrious Dick Baldwin, the new wholesale man for the house of Jameson-Blair, had called at the office to offer Foster a participation in a syndicate loan for the United Metal Co. that would place 100,000 shares on the market. Dick had made an instant impression on Foster, who said so to Mary; but so had Mary impressed Dick, as he practically told her so when he asked her to dinner with him the third time he talked with her.

Mary turned back to her machine with new vigor, as if she had taken a stimulant. Five minutes before, her back had been aching so it felt like hot irons were searing the flesh, and the stack of letters had seemed to grow instead of diminishing, as she struggled on and on, except to get them all out before five o'clock.

Her nimble fingers flashed over the keys. The bell buzzed. Oh, bother!

room duplex in Paterson, with its nondescript furniture and Wilton velvet rugs. Perhaps, if she were patient, she might have a home like this—or at least a one-room apartment just as she wanted it—some day.

"You called me, Mr. Foster?" Mary's voice was of such a quality that a harassed, enterprising employer would hire her as soon as he learned that she was a good typist and knew what 5's and 6's meant, in the jargon of "the street." Her voice matched her personality.

"Yes, Miss Vaughn. I feel like a slave driver to ask you to work again tonight, but this investigation has just been closed and the reports have to go out at once. We haven't too much time before the issue date, you know."

Foster spoke hurriedly and without looking at her, while he sorted papers into order on the vast, satin-rubbed surface of his desk. He was a man past middle age whose reputation in "the street" was unimpaired. His life had been his work, and although he had his clubs and social contacts, he couldn't be away from business for long. Vacations, to him, were a confession of laziness. His personality and character had been formed and molded by his business; he was a good sport, a shrewd analyst and a dynamic worker. He lived for, by and with his work.

Yet, he was an idealist at heart. Few suspected this. Perhaps no one had ever delved below that crisp, cool, indifferent surface to the emotional, simple, home-loving man. Away back in his consciousness there had always been an obscure vision of domestic comfort, human sympathy and mutual understanding. But he had never found time to bring that vision to the fore and make it a reality.

So here he was, at fifty, with an excellent secretary his nearest approach to human sympathy and understanding, and the forming of a new financial syndicate the paramount issue of his life at the moment.

As he reached over to take the ready pen from its bronze base where two ornamental pheasants strutted haughtily in opposite directions, he looked up for her acquiescent reply. "What's the matter, Miss Vaughn?"

"Oh—why, nothing. Of course, I can stay, Mr. Foster."

"Fine. It surely won't be later than eight o'clock," he promised her with sudden bright optimism.

Mary went out and closed the door quietly. But the world crashed about her, deafeningly. What a break! The first real date of her life—at least the most important in her life—and she had to work! But Mary was loyal, to everyone, and particularly to her employer. Her life, and that of her family, depended upon her job, and she never proposed to do anything half way.

Although she had so much to do that she would have to work late, she

was carrying so much for others.

At eighteen, she had had to give up college—glorious dream! She had planned to work every cent of her way, because her father couldn't have helped her. His wage, as a girder rigger had been generous, but uncertain. Then there was Bonnie, sixteen when it happened; and the twin boys, only six, who had been the calamity of the family ever since their dual arrival. Even now, it would be easier without Tim and Ted. Mary thought ruefully, though she adored them and would do anything in the world for them.

The Vaughn family had been prospering with the age of skyscrapers that sprang up like beanstalks everywhere in the cities of the east. Then, one day Tim Vaughn had been brought home on a stretcher, a shapeless form. Mary had had to take a hasty business course while Jenny Vaughn supplemented the income from the insurance by taking in sewing. They had managed to finish paying for the house Tim had started to buy, and the rent from the other half of it covered the expense for the whole, and gave them a home in which to live. Mary had to supply the rest.

Bonnie never could be depended upon. Though she was only two years younger than Mary, she had been the baby of the family for ten years before the calamity twins had arrived on the scene; and Mary could not for a moment remember a time she had not had to give the largest apple and the best of everything to Bonnie.

Bonnie had been not only the baby but the beauty. From the time she had been old enough to sit in a high chair in all her dainty, curly-gold loveliness and laugh with her big blue eyes and clap her dimpled hands, the family had bowed its knee to Bonnie. Her name hadn't been Bonnie then, it had been plain Jane; for Mrs. Vaughn liked plain, sensible names. But some Scotch neighbor had called her a bonnie lass, even when she was a wee child, and Bonnie had forthwith adopted the word as a name. She liked it—and Bonnie she grew to be.

Bonnie, too, had taken a commercial course, but she never had become acclimated to anything so cruel and stupid as work. There was something the matter with every position she had, and she never lasted long anywhere. About the time she had earned enough for a new wardrobe, something went wrong. Well, she wasn't going to slave for a meager living all her days, anyway. Not she! Work soiled her pretty hands, early morning hours were no less than criminal punishment, street cars were loathsome, and as for commuting—well, that was absolutely out of the picture for anyone so delicate as Bonnie!

Such was the family which depended upon Mary. Yet there was no reason in Mary's heart against the world, even on this particular day of sudden disappoint-

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FROM OUR EXCHANGES

The Washtenaw supervisors jail committee are investigating the reasons why prisoners are held in the jail for months without trial. The case of a 19 year old youth charged with petty larceny who was held for seven months in jail without trial is said to have caused this.

Thirty-eight people graduated from Fowlerville High school this year. This is the largest class in the history of the school.

Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the large warehouse and property of the Chelsea Lumber, Grain & Coal Co. recently. The loss is estimated at \$15,000 fully covered by insurance.

The South Lyon Chamber of Commerce is planning a Big Community Day with games and sports.

An examination will be held at Pontiac July 3 to fill the vacancy for postmaster at New Hudson.

An Oxford man was one of the many who drew their savings from the First National Bank in Pontiac last week when that bank experienced its heavy run. Not only did the man draw his savings of \$1,000, but upon presenting his withdrawal slip, the girl at the window pushed out an armful of bills that nearly made him stagger, and which later proved to be \$10,000. As he was sizing up the pile a policeman tapped him on the shoulder and ordered him to hurry along as others were waiting their turn at the window. The fellow did not count the money, but left it in his car while he transacted other business in the city. There were bank officials waiting for him upon his arrival home that night, they had discovered that they had paid him too much money. Not until then did the Oxford man count the pile, and he found he had been paid \$9,000 too much.

According to the Brighton Argus the Ben Hur Life Ins. Co. of Crawfordsville, Ind., have purchased the Wm. Hyne farm of 103 acres at Nobb Lake, north of Brighton and will establish a recreational center there for the use of their members and families.

Rev. R. A. Stonex, 81, retired Episcopal minister, died at his home in Brighton June 19. He formerly held pastorates at Alpena, Brighton, Howell, Hamburg and Dexter.

M. J. Shehan, 43, head of the Shehan Dry Cleaners of Howell died June 22 after a long illness. Funeral was held at Howell with burial at Nappolian. Surviving are his widow and one step son.

Despondency over unemployment caused Elmer Daniels, 24, to take his life at Dexter last week Tuesday by drinking insect exterminator. His body was found near the old mill at the foot of Main street.

Plymouth High school graduated a class of 75 this year the largest in its history.

The Jackson Boy Scout camp at Wolf lake was opened June 16, for an eight weeks season, with about 60 in attendance.

Robert Campbell, treasurer of the University of Michigan has resigned after some 20 years of service on account of ill health.

Twelve hundred dollars in claims resulting from sheep killed by dogs was presented to the Livingston Board of Supervisors at their June session.

Thomas Kane of Iosco had a finger badly crushed in a hay loader last week. It had to be amputated.

June 15th this year the records show that Livingston County has paid \$15,977.00 more delinquent taxes this year than at the same time last year.

The best advice of the Davey Institute is to avoid trees altogether when lightning is at work, as it would be somewhat difficult for the layman to make scientific selection in time of emergency. Better to keep in the open spaces, if no house is near, and get thoroughly wet than to offer yourself as a target for lightning.

Mr. Ernest Maves is greeting old friends after considerable time spent in the Canal Zone and later in Florida with the U. S. Army.

Christopher Fitzsimmons and family of North Lake and George Kingston and family of Jackson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzsimmons.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lake and Alden Carpenter have gone to their cottage near Portage Lake for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Cadwell and family of Detroit are spending the summer at their summer home at Portage Lake.



Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Placeway and daughter, Donna Jean, and son, Richard, of Imlay City spent the week end with his father, Roy Placeway at Twin Pine Farm.

Robert Lavey of Ann Arbor is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lavey.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Munsell and family of Howell visited their mother, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Ebeling, Leah and George of Detroit were Sunday callers in east Putnam.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Smith of Cleveland, Ohio, celebrated the former's birthday at Lakeland one day last week.

Miss Nancy Jane Smith of Cleveland, Ohio, was the guest of Virginia Baughn, a couple of days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Bourbonnais and son Victor, called on Telephore Bourbonnais at Camp Newkirk at Dexter Sunday.

Emil Weddige and friend of Saline were in town Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Martin and sons, Virgil and Bobbie, and Howard Martin and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Walker in Detroit.

Miss Berdella Euler of Brighton spent the latter part of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Euler.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Reason and sons, Gerald and Harold, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reason attended the Rane-Hershey wedding at Whitmore Lake Saturday.

John Chambers was in Howell on business last Thursday.

W. C. Miller and Met Chalkor made a business trip to Howell Thursday.

Mrs. Ellen Newman of Ann Arbor visited at the Ben White and L. G. Devereux homes a couple of days last week.

Leo Monks and John Kinnane of Bay City called on Pinckney friends one day last week.

While playing at the home of Howard Gentry in Marion Friday, Junior Dinkel son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Dinkel, fell down some steps cutting a gash in his head. It was necessary to take three stitches to close the wound.

Bert VanBaricum, jr. is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Dixon in Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wagener of Detroit spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wagener.

Mrs. Catherine Delany and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Atto and children of Detroit were recent visitors at the Isham and Fish homes.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Dunbar and family of Jackson spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Dunbar.

Mrs. Lucy Williston is spending a few weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Allyn near Howell.

Harry Storey of Dexter was in town Saturday.

Cecil Hendee and Percy Fish spent the week end in Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Smith and daughter of Los Angeles, California, are the guests of his mother, Mrs. David Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Gardner of Detroit (Gertrude - Clinton) were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Clinton.

Mr. Bernard Mirrnan of Jackson spent the past week with his sister, Mrs. A. H. Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Newill (Marion Derkis) of Detroit called on the S. H. Carr family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mylo Kettler and daughters of Jackson were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carr.

Miss Audrey Blair of Fowlerville visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hicks last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kirk VanWinkle of Lansing spent Saturday with his father, C. V. VanWinkle.

Gerald Kennedy is visiting relatives in Detroit.

Dean Reaton who is attending summer school at the U. of M. spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Reason.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Henry of Battle Creek spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Cox.

Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Sigler called on Dr. and Mrs. Morley Vaughn at Jackson one day last week. Miss Prudence Vaughn returned home with them for a short visit.

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

Gus Reissman and family of Howell spent Sunday at Highland Lake.

Mrs. Sarah Carr is spending a couple of weeks with her sons in Detroit.

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Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative, executed by Campbell H. Graves and Sarah J. Graves, his wife, to James Doyle, dated the twenty-first day of March 1917 and recorded the twenty-seventh day of March 1917 in the Office of the Register of Deeds for Livingston County, Michigan, in Liber 115 of Mortgages at page 104 thereof; which mortgage was thereafter and on November 5, 1924 duly assigned to Patrick Kennedy by assignment recorded November 7, 1924 in Liber 119 of Mortgages at page 173 thereof; upon which mortgage there is due at the date of this notice the sum of Five Hundred Fifty-one Dollars and Fifty-eight Cents (\$551.58).

And no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, notice is therefore hereby given that on Friday the fourth day of September 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon of said day, at the west front door of the Court House in the City of Howell, that being the place of holding the Circuit Court within the County in which the mortgaged premises to be sold are situated, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public vendue to the highest bidder of the premises contained in said mortgage, that is to say, all that certain piece or parcel of land situate and being in the Township of Putnam, County of Livingston and State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

The southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section number twenty-one (21) and the north half of the northeast quarter of Section number twenty-eight (28), all in Township number one (1) North of Range four (4) east, Michigan.

The whole thereof having been occupied, used and enjoyed as, one piece or parcel.

Dated: June 10, 1931.

Patrick Kennedy
Assignee of mortgage.
Don W. VanWinkle,
Attorney for assignee of mortgage.
Business Address:
Howell, Michigan.

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 the said County on the 19th day of June A. D. 1931.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Henry J. Harris, 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 26 day of October A. D. 1931, 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.

Willis L. Lyons,
Judge of Probate.
Celestial Parshall,
Register of Probate.

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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 the said County on the 29th day of June A. D. 1931.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of William R. Gray, Deceased.

Eugene T. McClear, administrator of the estate of Paul T. McClear who was the administrator of said deceased having filed in said court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment of the residue of said estate.

It is Ordered, That the 27th day of July A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

Willis L. Lyons,
Judge of Probate.
Celestial Parshall,
Register of Probate.

AVOID THE OAK TREE
To seek shelter under an oak tree during a thunder storm is almost as dangerous as to search for gasoline with a lighted match. Of all trees, the oak is most susceptible to lightning.

So says a bulletin issued by the Davey Institute of Tree Surgery, which has been studying the phenomena of lightning in relation to trees.

If you must get under a tree, says the Davey Institute, find a beech, for it is rarely ever the victim of lightning. The ratio of the oak to the beech in being struck by an electrical bolt is 60 to 1, according to observations made over a period of years.

The roots of a tree tap the electrical field of the ground. When a storm cloud is overhead the positive electricity in it is attracted by the negative electricity in the earth, and the lightning follows:

Trees, such as the oak, which have a large root area naturally have larger electrical fields than others. Oaks also have "tap" roots, which go far into the ground and bring up large quantities of water to the trees, which serves as another attraction for electrical bolts.

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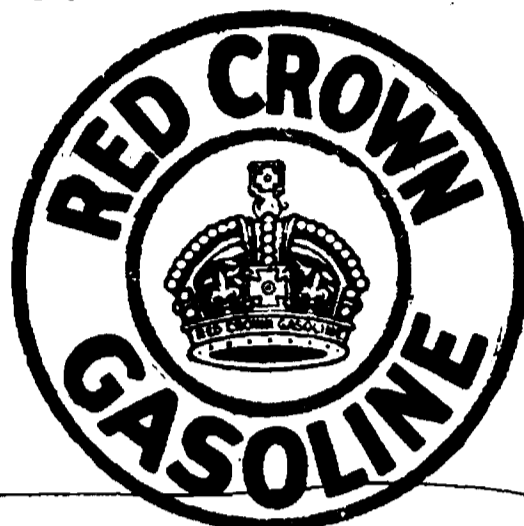
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IQSCO

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harwood and Ralph and W. B. and Dale Miller were Sunday afternoon visitors at Walter Miller's.
Misses Francis Briggs and viewe Miller were Lansing visitors Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Hoffmeyer of Lansing were Sunday visitors of

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Munsell.
Mrs. Walter Miller visited Miss Nellie Statia Saturday evening in Howell. Miss Statia and Mrs. Miller are old school mates.
Mr. Henry Curdell of Detroit is a guest at the G. A. Kirkland home. Bernice Miller, Loreen Carson, George Kirkland, Henry Curdell and Robert Miller were entertained by Miss Gertrude Peet of Lansing, a former missionary from Persia Sunday at the home of August Ruttman.

HAMBURG

William Winkelhaus, who resided with his son, William Winkelhaus, jr., at Hamburg village was taken ill Friday morning, June 28, and died at 7 o'clock the same evening. Mr. Winkelhaus was born January 19, 1844 at Blighton Road, Germany. There he was married coming later with his family to America, settling at Brighton, where Mrs. Winkelhaus died about 24 years ago. He is survived by two sons, William Winkelhaus of Hamburg and Henry Winkelhaus of Howell; four daughters, Mrs. Mary Stuhberg of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Diedrich J. Richter of Hamburg, Mrs. Fred Pentin of Brighton and Mrs. Herman Earl of Flint; twenty-one grandchildren, eleven great grandchildren and one great great grandchild. Funeral services were held at the home of his son, William Winkelhaus at 1:30 p. m., Friday and at 2 o'clock at the Lutheran church at Brighton. Rev. Elmer F. Klingensmith of Brighton officiating. Burial was in Calvary cemetery at Brighton.

The Sunday School of St. Stephen's Episcopal church enjoyed their annual picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Keedle at Buck Lake, Saturday with about 40 in attendance. A delicious dinner was served at noon. Swimming was enjoyed both forenoon and afternoon. Various races were held, such as peanut hunt, peanut race, threading the needle, ladies running race, girls running race, wheel barrow race and so on. Prize winners were Russell Smith, Eva DeWolfe, Mary Conway, Robert and Florence Carpenter, Wayne Williams, Arlene Smith, Kathryn Dillway, Betty Ann Kuchar, Mrs. Arthur Smith, Jean Bennett and Florence DeWolfe. Pictures were taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert F. Deahl and son, Albert F. jr., of Goshen, Ind., have been visiting Mrs. Deahl's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Myron W. Hendrick.

George DeWolfe of Ann Arbor township has been spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Keedle.

Jimmie and Billy Murphy of Lansing returned home Friday from a visit with their grandmother, Mrs. Mary E. Royce. Their mother, Mrs. Harry Murphy, and two brothers, Jack Royce and Bobby Joe and Mrs. Winnie Whitney of Lansing spent Friday with Mrs. Royce.

Mrs. Ruel J. Conway and daughter, Mary, of Ann Arbor came Saturday to visit Mrs. Conway's mother, Mrs. Elizabeth DeWolfe and attended the Sunday School picnic. Mr. Conway and son, Clifford, spent Sunday here, all returning home Sunday evening.

GREGORY

Glenn Peck is moving his family to Stockbridge.

We understand that the Kirk We understand that the Kirk move to their house here.

The Daily Vacation Bible School is proving very interesting to the pupils attending. Alan Wiley of Detroit has charge of the manual training class. There are about 50 pupils enrolled.

Arleen Breniser was taken to the Pinckney Sanatorium Monday night of last week with an acute attack of appendicitis. The operation was performed immediately upon her arrival and she was in a very critical condition for several days. She is now getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Waldo and daughter, Geraldine, of Norwichtown, Conn., were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bollinger Wednesday night and Thursday of the past week. Miss Geraldine remained for a week's visit. She will return to Conn. with some friends from Charlotte. Mrs. Waldo will be remembered as Merle Valteau.
John Groszans was in Chelsea on business Monday.

Miss Blanche Howlett who has been attending school in Kalamazoo, is at home with her parents for the summer vacation.

The King's Daughters met Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Margaret Gibney. There were 26 members and 5 visitors present. After the business meeting was concluded. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

PLAINFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lutman of Detroit spent the last part of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lutman.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lutman attended camp meeting at Holly Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orla Jacobs and Miss Mrs. Waldo Watters and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Jacobs of Jackson were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Watters in honor of Wirt Jacobs, Orla Watters, Mrs. Pearl Watters and Cynthia Watters who all had birthdays the last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Caskey called last Friday on Mr. and Mrs. E. Seacor.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton attended Childrens Day Sunday at the South Iosco church.

Mrs. Collard and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dillman and daughter of Owosso called Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Longnecker's.

The callers Sunday at Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Duttons were Mrs. Hiram Collard, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dillman, and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gauss were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Theo Clackner of Howell.

B. W. Roberts of Lansing wired A. L. Duttons new garage Saturday. Masters Ferris and Glenn Caskey entertained the M. C. S. S. class Saturday evening. Lemonade, sandwiches and cake was served.

Mr. and Mrs. James Caskey gave an ice cream social Wednesday evening under the auspices of the W.M. S. A good crowd was present.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Topping, Mrs. Marion Kensey and daughters and Miss Lottie Braley spent Thursday in Jackson.

The M. C. S. S. class received an interesting letter from one of its former members, Harold Fisher, of Peking, China, one of the U. S. Marines of China.

Mrs. H. J. Dyer spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. M. T. Wasson near Stockbridge who is very poorly.

John Dyer and family of Ann Arbor, Milton Dyer and family, northeast of Fowlerville, Mr. Harry Bowen and family of near Gregory, Mr. Gale Reasoner and family of Holt, Mr. B. W. Roberts and wife of Lansing were Sunday guests of Mrs. H. J. Dyer it being her birthday. Congratulations.

Robert Lidgard of Worden called Sunday around here and attended church.

A nice cream social will be given Wednesday evening July 8th at the church by S. S. class No. 2. Home made ice cream. Everyone invited.

LAKELAND NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hardy and children Raymond and Margaret of Tipton were guests this week of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee.

Robert Lane, sr., and children, Margaret, and Robert, jr., of Toledo were dinner guests Wednesday of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jack.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Phelps of Saginaw and Mrs. Roy Hoisel and children of Toledo are spending some time in the Phelps cottage here.

Those from here who attended the wedding of Miss Melba Wimbles at Howell Saturday were Mrs. Nelson Imus, Miss Marie Patrick, Mrs. Harry Lee and the Misses Madge and Mildred Jack.

Mrs. Mason Burnett and daughter, Lora, of Ann Arbor have come to spend the summer in their home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hescock and

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family of Ann Arbor have come to spend the summer in their cottage here.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee and Miss Mildred Jack called on Alger Lee at Boy Scout Camp Newkirk at Dexter Sunday where Alger is spending two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Kreyger and daughter, Ruth who have been here for two weeks have returned to their home in Toledo, Ohio.

Frank Withers was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Imus, jr.

The Lakeland Circle of Junior King's Daughters are to hold a bake

sale at the home of Mrs. Harry Lee Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Shields who have been living in part of Mrs. Emma Murta's house have moved into the east half of the Teeple house on Putnam street. Mrs. Adah Hurlburt who has been living there has moved into her own house recently vacated by Rev. Esic.

Mrs. R. J. Carr and children spent last Wednesday with her mother in Byron, N. J.

KENNEDY'S CASH SPECIALS

Lard, Armours Star	10c
Asparagus Tips 1 lb can	19c
Big Four Soap Chips, large pkgs.	17c
Oxydol, large pkg.	19c
Peaches No. 3 can	17c
Howell Flour, 24 1-2 lb sack	59c
Matches, 5 boxes	10c
Creamery Butter, per lb.	25c
Pimento 2 oz glass jar	8c
Lix Toilet Soap, 3 bars	20c
Quaker Jelly Powder, 4 pkgs.	23c
Fenché's Mustard, 2 jars	21c
Dunnings Salmon, tall can	12c
Minute Tapioca, 8 oz pkg.	12c
Oleomargarine, per lb.	12c
Bananas, 4 lbs.	19c
Toilet Paper, Red Cross, 3 rolls	16c
Wet Shrimp, 1 lb can	17c
Argo Gloss Starch	7c
Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs	25c
Canned Grape Fruit, 2 No. 2 cans	25c
Catsup, 14 oz. bottle	12c
3 Bars Good Toilet Soap	10c
Rice, fancy, per lb.	5c
Mamma's Cookies, 9c doz. 3 doz.	25c
White Beans, 1 lb	6c
Chipso, large pkg.	19c
Button Mushrooms, large 8 oz can	39c
Rinso, large pkg	19c
Raisins, seedless, 2 lbs	19c
Ivory Snow, large pkg.	9c
Pears, Bartlett's No. 3 can	19c
Maxwell House Coffee, lb.	29c
Sugar, 25 lb. cloth bag	\$1.25
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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wegener of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Wegener.

Charles Kennedy of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Anna Kennedy. J. P. Doyle and wife spent the week end with his parents near Crosswell.

Mrs. H. Klee, Mrs. W. H. Euler and daughters were Ann Arbor shoppers one day last week.

George VanHorn and wife of Howell were Pinckney callers Monday.

Tom Barron, son of R. E. Barron of Howell left last week to join Barnum & Bailey's Circus at Newark, N. J. He will play the part of a circus clown. For several years he served the Sell-Floto Circus in similar capacity.

Miss Audrey Snively, Eloyse Berquist and Mr. Merwin Campbell and Elgin Line attended the state C. E. convention at Flint last Sunday. There were over 800 delegates present.

Mr. Robert Berquist and Mr. Norman Johnson of Detroit were Saturday guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Berquist.

We understand that Earl Berquist caught six fish while his father only caught one.

Mrs. Nora Dupont, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bowers were in Detroit Monday.

Mrs. Nettie Vaughn and Mrs. Roy Merrill visited Jackson relatives last Wednesday.

Walter Fish of Saginaw is spending a few weeks with Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hendee.

Mrs. C. J. Teeple is visiting friends in Detroit.

Miss Loretta Clinton and Harold Clinton of Detroit spent the week end at the Clinton cottage at Highland lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hendee and family of Ann Arbor were Sunday visitors at the W. C. Hendee home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roche Shehan and son, Pilly, of Ann Arbor were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Shehan.

Larry Stackable was home from Lansing over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Soper had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kafple and family of Detroit, Albert

Payette and wife of Wyandotte, Mr. and Mrs. Don Paton and daughter, Donabel, of Howell, Mrs. Ezra Plummer and children.

Will Ratz and son, Bobbie of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Teeple.

Dickey Brown of Detroit is visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Brown.

Tony Swickard and John Heimsz of Flint City Police dept. were Saturday guests at the Joseph Stackable home.

Miss Lucia Soper is spending the week with relatives in Wyandotte.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bowers were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rockelman and son, Norman, of Detroit.

Mrs. Fred Bowman, Mrs. C. L. Sigler, Miss Nettie Gardner and Mrs. Francis Bowman were in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Munsell and family of Howell and Mrs. Marry Fitch were Sunday guests of Mrs. Margaret Melvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Stackable and daughter, Peggy, visited Ortonsville relatives Sunday.

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

Mrs. Louie Paton, Miss Helen Paton, Miss Gertrude Merrinan and Dick Paton of Jackson spent Sunday evening at the W. E. Murphy home.

Miss Eileen Roche of Lansing is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roche.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Ketchum and children of Stockbridge were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Meabon, sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Matt Jeffrey and son, Billie, of Detroit spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. John Jeffrey.

The Misses Lucy Harris, Fanny Monks and Nellie Gardner, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Monks at North Lake.

Harry Lavey of Detroit is spending the week at the Pat Lavey home.

Mrs. Jas. Roche, Mrs. Kathleen Crotty and daughter, Norine, were Saturday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Roche in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard McCluskey and sons of Los Angeles, Calif., are guests of his mother, Mrs. James McCluskey.

Glenn Slayton was in Howell Monday afternoon.

Mrs. George Bradley and Mrs. McKay of Flint were Friday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout.

Joe Crane of Detroit spent the week end at Portage Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. John White of Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lavey and family of Gregory were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lavey.

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Palmolive Soap, 3 bars	19c
Milk, large can, 3 cans	20c
Crackers, Graham or select Soda, 2 lbs.	25c
Soups of all kinds, 6 cans for	42c
Catsup	9c
Dill Pickles, quart jar	19c
Brooms, good quality	33c
Corn Flakes, 2 boxes	15c
Jello, 4 pkg.	29c
Spring Hill Coffee	29c
Sugar, 5 lbs.	25c
Lard, 1 pound	10c
Beef Stews	10c to 12c
Beef Roast, 1 pound	14c to 18c
Maxwell House Coffee	30c
Campbell Pork & Beans, 2 cans	15c
Salada Tea	33c
Macaroni or Spaghetti, 3 lb.	19c

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1 large can of Hominy	8c
1 large can Pineapple	25c
1 can of Corned Beef	21c
3 cans Best Milk	25c
1 lb 99 1-2 Coffee	31c
1 lb Moka & Java Coffee	39c
Rice Flakes	11c
1 Large can of Tomatoes	15c
3 cans Best Bantam Corn	25c
1 large can best Beets	16c
2 pkgs. Best Prunes	21c

W. W. Barnard

Marian Greiner, underwent an operation for the removal of her tonsils and adenoids Saturday at the Pinckney Sanatorium.

Mr. and Mrs. George Greiner had as Sunday guests, Mrs. Julia Greiner her daughter, Mary and Julia, and Ed Sullivan of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Greiner and sons, Jerry and Robert, of Gregory, John Ryan and wife of Howell.

Edsall Meyers spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts near Gregory.

Mrs. Anna Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hurd and daughters of Detroit, Bert Hoff and wife of Howell were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Eliza Gardner.

Stanley Hall and wife of Marine City were Friday guests of Guy Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Rallis, their daughter, Berniece, and son, Burdette, of St. Francis, Kansas, were recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lucius E. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bryant and daughter, Dorothy, and Mrs. H. E. Bryant and daughters spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Orville Nash. Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Smith of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford VanHorn.

Mrs. L. T. Lamborn, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Whitehead of Gregory were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Henry.

State Tax of \$3,310,971.09 Paid By Michigan Bell Telephone Co.

JULY 3, 1931 For taxes due June 1, 1931, per Auditor General's Department statement of May 19, 1931.		CHECK NO. 4217 CERTIFIED FOR PAYMENT O.P.A. AUGUST 1931 VOUCHER NO. 6 12
5,310,971.09	TO FIRST NATIONAL BANK IN DETROIT, 9-11 DETROIT JUN 30 1931	
PAY THREE MILLION THREE HUNDRED SEVENTY ONE AND 09/100 \$3,310,971.09 TO THE ORDER OF MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY		
State Treasurer Lansing, Michigan		

Primary school fund benefits from largest tax payment ever made by federal and local taxes of Michigan Bell amounts to \$5.51 for each telephone.

Three million, three hundred thousand, nine hundred seventy-one dollars and nine cents was the amount of the check handed to O. B. Fuller, state auditor general, at Lansing, Tuesday, June 29, by a representative of the Michigan Bell Telephone Company. The check was tendered in payment of the Telephone Company's state tax bill for 1930. Only one other check, representing the joint tax paid by the New York Central railroad and the Michigan utility companies. Under the law telephone and telegraph companies, railroads, railway car loaning companies, and express companies pay taxes to the state in lieu of local taxes. This money is placed in the primary school fund and later disbursed among school districts in proportion to the number of children of school age residing in the district at the time the annual school census is taken. It is estimated the primary school fund for 1931 will receive from utility taxation approximately \$14,000,000.

GRAND JURY INVESTIGATION ASKED OF FEDERAL BOND CO.

First legal steps for a one man grand jury investigation of the Federal Bond & Mortgage Co. of Detroit was taken in the Ingham County Circuit Court last Thursday when John Wendell Bird, prosecuting attorney filed a petition for such investigation. (The bill of complaint is signed by Alfred Walker, a retired farmer of Holt. The petition charges representatives of the company with fraud. It is said that a considerable number of other holders of the company's bonds will join in appearing against the company.)

The specific practice charged against the corporation in the bill of complaint on file in Ingham county court is that the company has engaged in double and triple financing on various Detroit properties.

It was charged that instances are on record where the company would finance a Detroit apartment house issue first mortgage bonds, sell the bonds, then discharge the mortgage without retiring the bonds, change the number of the apartment block and then issue a new first mortgage bond issue. This would be distributed, according to the petition, represented as a first mortgage issue on property against which there was no other direct lien.

It is charged that the Federal Bond & Mortgage Co., Inc. formed the Allied Properties corporation of Detroit, representing debenture notes to the amount of \$1,250,000 covering a large number of properties in Detroit. Much of this property, it is set forth, was already incumbered by two so-called first mortgages, and the company was charged with guilt in deliberate triple financing.

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 Thursday Praise and prayer service 7:30

WILD LIFE STUDIED IN U. OF M. FORREST TRACT

Wild life, under natural conditions is being studied on a 1,200 acre tract of land about 20 miles from Ann Arbor. The land, given to the University by Colonel Edwin S. George of Detroit, now has on it herds of antelope and deer.

Inssofar as it is possible, University scientists are keeping the land as close to the natural condition as it was in the wild state.

The Edwin S. George Reserve was presented to the University of Michigan a little more than a year ago by Colonel George of Detroit. It is a magnificent tract of wild land about twenty miles northwest of Ann Arbor, some twelve hundred acres in extent. It is an area of considerable relief, typical knob and basin topography of glacial moraine country, so that it presents a most interesting series of habitats or environments from a small lake and numerous leather leaf and tamarack bogs to white oak ridges. The extraordinary assemblage of so many of the plant and animal associations in one area gives it the highest value and interest to the biologist studying field problems. With the assurance of protection from changes, such as drainage, clearing woodlands, fires and cultivation, long time investigation programs can be undertaken on a considerable scale as well as a multitude of shorter problems. The effect of territory occupation by birds, mammals and reptiles, a relatively newly discovered and little understood phenomenon that plays a most important part in the fauna of any region can be studied. Life history observations on a multitude of animals of all kinds, ecological investigations in which botanist and zoologist join extended records of migrations of birds by banding operations, will furnish work for generations of biologists.

The Reserve was presented as an outdoor biological laboratory. It is administered by the University Museum. A curator has been appointed who will live on the tract and be responsible for its maintenance and for the direction of the researches carried on, as well as making his own studies. The policy is to disturb the area as little as possible, to allow it to continue under natural conditions. Its animal and plant life is rich, and will become richer with the generation of proper administration. It is a unique and valuable asset to the educational and research facilities of the University.

The Reserve has four houses upon it, necessary roads and trails have been constructed to allow communication. A fire line has been thrown around it and some auxiliary lines will be constructed as funds permit. Antelope and deer have been released there by Colonel George and both herds are thriving under the wild conditions. Washtenaw Tribune.

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It is set forth in the complaint that the Federal Bond & Mortgage company, through its officers, directors and representatives, appeared before the Michigan securities commission and represented that all activities of the Allied Properties corporation were legal and legitimate, and that the property secured by the debenture notes was adequate for the purpose of protection of the investor.

Officers of the company listed in documents filed with the Michigan securities commission about a year ago are Judge Murphy, president, and Felix Mahler, secretary, treasurer, and general manager. These two officers, with Harold H. Ackles, composed the board of directors at that time.

License of the company expires June 30 and no application had been filed up to Thursday for renewal. For that reason the application filed a year ago is the only record of the state of Michigan in the possession of the securities commission.

The purpose of the grand jury investigation in the language of the bill of complaint, is "to determine whether or not there have been violations of any law or statute of the state of Michigan in connection with any or all activities of the Federal Bond & Mortgage company by the so-called Allied Properties corporation or by the officers, officials, directors or agents of the company."

The Federal Bond & Mortgage company formerly had a local office in the United building but it was discontinued about eight months ago. Officials of the company were said by Mr. Bird to have formed a bondholders' protective association. Holders of bonds were said to have received letters asking them to turn their bonds over to the association to be protected and then were charged 5 percent for the service. State Journal.

Later advice is to the effect that the request was granted and that Judge Lee Carr former Pinckney boy will sit as a one man grand jury and be in charge of the investigation.

French Mind Slow to Wander in New Paths

The critical intelligence of the French at its best is very far from more than ordinary and has a limp clarity which is unmatched in the mind of any other people. Philip Carr writes, in the London Fortnightly Review. Even at its best, however, it has its limits. The Frenchman is always reasoning and not often imagining, or rather his imagination—for he is characteristically an artist—always has a reasonable quality. Perhaps it would be more true to say that he is hardly ever dreaming. He is really interested only in what can be defined, and as he has too highly developed the art of getting the very best out of the material beauties and pleasures and sensations of life, he is often unfairly accused of caring only for the material side of it. A love of system, of generalizations, of abstract principles, makes the logic which is always working in every French mind almost entirely deductive. It gives to the Frenchman the tendency which he always has to take a legal view of any question, unless he takes an even more closely reasoned scientific view. It prevents him from trying in practice any expedient of which he has not first attempted to understand the principle, but it also prevents him from being vague and happy-go-lucky.

TOO MUCH

Too much wheat and too much lumber,
 Too much steel our mills encumber,
 Too much cotton, too much corn,
 Too much clothing to be worn;
 Too much autos here's what's funny
 Even too much ready money;
 Too much hog and too much cow,
 That's, they say, the trouble now.
 Selling half and making double,
 That's not it. No here's the trouble,
 Too much waiting for the law,
 Standing still when signs say go;
 Too much question, too much fearing
 Too much talking, too much hearing,
 Too much people every day,
 Doubting the U. S. A.
 Too much waiting chicken-hearted,
 For the rest to get things started;
 Too much saying times are bad,
 Too much talk of times we had
 When we ought to start the movement.
 Too much break instead of clutch
 That's the all—much too much.
 —Exchange.

LAKELAND CIRCLE OF KING'S DAUGHTERS

With Mrs. Eva Moon of Hamburg as hostess a very enjoyable meeting of Lakeland Circle of King's Daughters was held Tuesday afternoon. Guests were Mrs. Harry Burgess of Saginaw and Mrs. Lucy Leese and Mrs. Ida Knapp. A regular business session in charge of the president, Mrs. Edward G. Houghton, was held. It was voted to hold a card party for the benefit of the circle at the home of Mrs. F. X. Zeiser of Lakeland, Tuesday afternoon, June 30. Various games will be played. Each one attending will be given a ticket on a quilt. Plans for an ice cream social were discussed, the social to be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert G. Jack of Lakeland. The date is not yet decided upon. The question of any members of the Junior Circle attending camp was discussed. Miss Jule Ball read "The Greatest of These" and "Story of the Order"; Mrs. Harry Whitlock read "Pie Plant Pie" and "Song of the Lazy Farmer" and Mrs. Charles Lewis "Unemployed." An invitation from Mrs. Clayton Carpenter of Hamburg to hold the next meeting, Tuesday afternoon July 14 at her home was accepted. Mrs. Frank Brenningstall, Mrs. Frank Wallace and Mrs. Charles Lewis were appointed to furnish entertainment. Mrs. Moon served lemonade and wafers.

Proof of Education

William F. Dunbar, selected the following from "The Marks of an Educated Man": An educated man cultivates the open mind; never begins at new ideas; knows the secret of getting along with other people; cultivates the habit of success; knows as a man thinketh, so is he; knows popular notions are always wrong; always listens to the man who knows; links himself with a great cause; builds an ambition picture to fit his abilities; keeps busy at his highest natural level; knows it is never too late to learn; never loses faith in the man he might have been; achieves the masteries that make him a world citizen; and lives a great religious life.

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Vaughn De Leath

New York City.—Crooning according to its originator, Vaughn De Leath, the famous radio star, was the result of a lucky accident.

"In the early days of radio broadcasting, before the microphone had been perfectly adjusted to the range of the human voice," explains Miss de Leath, "a soprano's high notes often shattered a delicate tube in the transmitting panel. Tubes cost \$110 each, and the seconds it took to insert a new one meant interrupted programs.

"In order to avoid this annoyance, I tried singing with a note, a 'throaty' note, a note that kept within the microphone's range."

The new style of singing made an instantaneous hit with the radio public. They wrote their appreciation and imitative copyers began to spring up everywhere. Now many of the best loved and valuable songs of the day, such as "You're Just a

man" are written with the singer definitely in mind. Vaughn De Leath has been singing since she has been talking. She made her musical debut at three in an amateur minstrel show in her native town, Mount Pulaski, Illinois.

Miss de Leath is known as the original radio girl because in January, 1929, before the first regularly scheduled broadcast of a radio program was made from Station KDKA, Pittsburgh, her voice was heard on the air in a broadcast from a stuffy little "wireless room" atop a New York skyscraper.

Her "radio public" on that day was made up of a handful of radio enthusiasts, owners of crystal sets and amateur experimenters in wireless. Her voice as it came through the headphones was hoarse and hoarse, but her first broadcast was considered a success, so much so that she kept on her program and added an accordion player as an accompanist.

Today, she probably has the largest following of any woman on the air and it is her unusual for her to be the soloist with a symphony orchestra.

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- Self cleaning generator.
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BOY SCOUT NEWS

The second period of Camp Newkirk, boy scout camp for all scouts and cubs of Livingston and Washburn counties, will open Sunday, July 5th. The camp is in the midst of the second week of the first period, with 120 campers and officers enrolled.

The climax of the first week came Sunday afternoon with the court of honor, at which 89 awards for advancement were made. A feature of the court was the presentation of bathing caps to a large number of campers, denoting their progress in

swimming and life-saving. The camp-fires during the first week have been of unusual interest, due to the continued accounts by Robert Shaw, of his "bumming" trip around the world.

Among the extra activities offered during the first week of camp might be mentioned the marksmanship, cherry bugling, and axe-throwing.

The cubs, about 25 in number, are under the leadership of Rev. John Shilling and four junior officers who are experienced in work with younger boys.

TRUTH THE WHOLE TRUTH AND NOTHING BUT TRUTH!

Any game that will attract millions of players in one year has to be good, hasn't it? Therefore miniature golf must be good. The fundamental principles of the game are sound. All right, so much for that. Now, let's analyze the game—let's find out what makes it good.

First of all it's adaptable, any person between the ages of nine and ninety can play the game. It's true they can't all play with the same degree of proficiency; but it's just as much fun for the person who plays in the eighties as it is for the person who plays in the fifties if they are both playing their very best. Once a player gets in the right frame of mind there is no limit to the amount of enjoyment he can have.

We have one player who is about seventy years old, he hasn't played a game of skill in years but he is crazy about BONNIE WEE—he gets a kick out of it. If he plays with some young person that is pretty good he doesn't expect to beat him, but if he beats him on only one or two holes he is satisfied—he's tickled to death. He goes home and gets in bed and laughs himself to sleep. You see he is in the right frame of mind.

We have another player who started in playing when we first opened up, he took the game seriously and played to break par. He occasionally played a brilliant game, but he

wasn't consistent, his average was high. He finally came to the conclusion that the course was too tough, and gave up. When we explained that very few golfers, probably less than one in three hundred, ever reach par, and then it is usually done after years of persistence, he got the idea and now he is consistent, and has a very low average. He is in the right frame of mind now and has stopped worrying about par, and some day he is at least going to equal it.

The game is all right, it just grew too fast. Some people conceived the idea that any haphazard course would do. Some courses are rough and ill-kept, some are too easy. We studied the game and different courses for months before we ever started to build, and ours is a combination of them all. We have a putting surface that is smooth and true as a billiard table. We planned our layout so that nearly every hole could be played for a birdie, for par, or played safe. We planned to please the beginner as well as the skillful player. It's well balanced.

We've made mistakes of course, everybody has. We found that some holes were too hard for the beginner, and we've made some radical changes in the past two weeks. Some holes appear the same but there was some little thing that was causing all the trouble, and now it's all been remedied. You'll find that you won't run up your score on two or three holes like you did before.

Now you see it's a good game for the person who hasn't natural skill as well as the skillful player. In other words it's hard enough for all but not too hard for anybody. It's adaptable.

Get in the right frame of mind, don't expect to break par first thing, it can't be done. If it could it wouldn't be any fun.

We believe our course is laid out just about right. Par is 46. We've had two 47's and several 48's turned in and that's about as close as you should come this early in the season but nevertheless we'd like to see someone smash par.

Don't be self-conscious. Players all remember the first time they picked up a club and ball; also they are too busy with their own game to watch you.

Every hole at BONNIE WEE has been made in par or less hundreds of times, but there isn't anybody who can do that on any single hole all the time—that's what makes it good.

Come down some evening, play a round or two. We'll be glad to teach

you the fundamentals, the rest comes natural. We don't have a lot of complicated rules to confuse you. And don't think you have to be good to get a kick out of it. Bring your gang, wear any shoes you happen to have on, our greens are durable and you won't hurt them a bit. Play to improve your score. But above everything else, remember that you are out doors, and that you can laugh and have all the fun you want.

Yours sincerely,
S. E. McQuillan,
Bonnie Wee Golf Course
Howell, Michigan

MARION

The marriage of Miss Beatrice Woodin and Mr. Al'an Brichan of Owosso was solemnized at the house of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Woodin on Wednesday evening, June 17, by Rev. H. M. Noble of the First Presbyterian church, Howell. Owing to the illness of Mrs. Woodin the marriage service was very short only the immediate family was present. Dainty refreshments were served following the service. The bride has a host of friends who join in extending congratulations. Mrs. Brichan has been a teacher in the Howell city schools for several years. They will be at their farm home near Owosso to their many friends after July 15.

A pretty wedding took place Thursday afternoon at 3:30 at the home of the brides parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus B. Smith, when Rev. Noble of Howell united in marriage, Miss Marion L. Smith and Ray Rathbun of Fowlerville. Luncheon was served to forty-seven guests. After a trip to Washington, D. C. They will go to their new home just recently built at Fowlerville.

A mile of state road is being built from the corner to the north of Fred Berry's farm.

Mrs. Julia Moore and Bailey, Kenneth and Dennis Roberts spent Sunday at Basil White's.

Mrs. Alma Harvey is quite ill at her home south and west of Howell. Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Gentry entertained relatives from Ann Arbor recently.

Irene Smith, teacher in Ann Arbor Junior High spent last week here with her parents. She returned Monday to attend summer school at U. of M.

Mrs. Allan Brichan of Owosso spent Friday here with her mother, Mrs. L. M. Woodin.

Mrs. Ann Hurd, Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hurd and children, Mrs. Schneider, Ed Schneider and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Eaman and daughter of Detroit visited at J. D. White's Sunday afternoon.

Alfred Pfau and family, Ray Miller and family were Sunday dinner guests of their cousin, Met Chalke, at his log cabin at Patterson Lake.

Mrs. Harry Coley returned last week from a visit in Detroit with her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gaffney and daughter, Virginia, attended the funeral of M. J. Shehan at Howell Wednesday morning.

Harry Lavey of Detroit and Patrick Lavey of Pinckney visited at J. D. White's Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. Cynthia Wellman and Mrs. Julia Moore have been very ill with heart trouble the past week and Marjorie Huff is seriously ill with acute Bright's disease, all are under the care of Dr. Hollis Sigler of Howell.

The Ladies Aid will give an ice cream social at the Pingree church Thursday evening, July 2nd. Everyone invited.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fitzsimmons are moving from the Ed Farnam house on W. Main St. to the Sam Grimes house on East Main St. Pat Dillon who has been living in the Grimes house has moved to the Kearney house he recently purchased.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Brown, daughter, Mrs. Shirley Anderson, and granddaughter, Harriett, of Los Angeles, California, spent the first of the week with Dr. and Mrs. C.L. Sigler. They left here to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Reason at Detroit and will go with them on a trip to Niagara Falls.

Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Isham were recent visitors in St. Johns, where they attended the high school commencement exercises in which their daughter, Bernice, received her diploma, among a class of about eighty and where their daughter, Joyce was a member of the Junior class.

Mrs. Laura Rolison, the Misses Violet and Helen Rolison of Brighton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Kice.

PLAY AT MURTH SUNDAY

The Fouty Family team of Jackson who were scheduled to play Pinckney here Sunday failed to show up. Pinckney's next game is at Murth July 5 when they play Murth there.

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VILLAGE TAXES NOW DUE
I will receive the Village Taxes at my home, on Wednesday during July and August. Blanche Martin, Village Treasurer

FOR SALE—Model A two door Ford sedan. Norman Reason

FOR SALE—A quantity of good seed potatoes. John R. Martin.

FOR SALE—26 horses, matched teams and single horses, wt. from 1250 to 1500. Will take horses and cows in trade also. Bert Harris.

FOR SALE—A large kerosene stove with four burners in good condition. Almost new. Mrs. Eli Area, Pinckney, Mich.

FOR SALE—Pure bred, heavy laying strain Barred Rock pullets, 3 months old, from Forman's & Holtzman. Also mammoth Brown turkey eggs and poult. George Long

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FOR SALE—Row Boats. Will sell at reasonable price. Phone 455, Howell Thos. Johanon

STORM DID CONSIDERABLE DAMAGE
The heavy storm here Sunday evening did quite a bit of damage. The residence of W. H. Meyer was struck by lightning. Mrs. Meyer and daughter, Wills, were knocked down by the shock but not otherwise injured. The lights were put out and a hole torn in the roof through which the rain poured in a torrent. Several roadbeds were washed out and on the Charles Galligan farm near Portage Lake the basement wall of the barn was so undermined by the rain that it collapsed.

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