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## Cassius Valentine Commits Suicide

Prominent Webster Stock Buyer Died Saturday Night. Had Threatened to Take Life on Several Occasions.

Cassius Valentine, 71 well known stock buyer of Webster township, known as "Cash" Valentine, committed suicide Saturday night at 11 o'clock by shooting himself through the head with a single barrel shotgun in the pantry of his home. He was a life-long resident of Washtenaw county and was known throughout the county in his stock transactions. He specialized in sheep buying.

No motive can be advanced by the widow or his friends for taking his own life. Coroner E. C. Ganzhorn, who was called to investigate, stated that he had threatened to take his life on several occasions. No inquest will be held, it is announced.

The funeral will be held on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the late residence with Rev. J. V. Fradenburgh, pastor of the Dexter Federated church, in charge. Interment will be made in Webster township.

Mr. Valentine was married three times. His first wife was Edna Bennett, died shortly after he was married at the age of 19 years. He was married the second time in 1884 to Flora Terry, who died in December, 1926. He was married the third time on January 17, 1928, to Mrs. Rose Booth, who survives him. He is also survived by a sister, Mrs. Catherine Winans, Preston, Montana.

### PINCKNEY TRIMS

**BRIGHTON 5 TO 3**  
Pinckney defeated the General Motors Proving Ground team of Brighton here in a close game Sunday by a score of 5 to 3. Reason started slow and Brighton got across two counters in the first inning when they bunched three hits with a Pinckney error. For the balance of the game they were only able to find Reason for two hits. Pinckney scored a run in the second when Budd walked and Springman drove him in with a two base hit. Brighton scored again in the fifth on a hit and a Pinckney error but Pinckney came back in their half and tied the score when Miller singled, Reason hit for 2 bases and Cox got a hit. Pinckney scored what proved to be the winning run in the sixth when Campbell hit safely, went to second when Miller was walked and scored on Ward's hit. Pinckney scored their last counter in the eighth when Miller reached first on an error and scored on hits by Ward and Reason. Brighton filled the bases in the seventh with one out. The side was retired scoreless, however, when one man was forced out at the plate and another was caught off third.

Dallas Cox got back into the harness for the second time this year. He played a bangup game at second, handling nine chances and also punched out two hits.

Pinckney plays Wyoming A. C. of Detroit here Sunday and the Howell All Stars at the Howell Fair next Wednesday.

Brighton		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Standick, c	4	1	0	9	2	0	0
Beelman, 3b	3	0	0	3	4	0	0
Navarre, 2b	4	0	0	2	1	0	0
Singer, ss	4	1	1	2	1	1	1
Kiel, cf	4	0	1	2	0	2	0
Syler, p, 3b	4	0	1	1	1	0	0
Pearsall, 1b	4	0	0	5	0	1	0
I. Terry, lf	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
O. Terry, rf	4	1	1	0	0	0	0

Pinckney		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Miller, lf	4	2	1	0	0	0	0
Ward, c	3	0	2	7	1	0	0
Reason, p	5	1	2	1	1	0	0
Cox, 2b	5	0	2	5	4	1	0
Shicks, 3b	5	0	0	1	3	0	0
Budd, 1b	2	1	0	12	1	0	0
Springman, ss	4	0	1	1	4	2	0
Campbell, cf	3	1	2	0	0	1	0
Risman, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0	0

Two base hits—Springman, Campbell, Reason. Struck out by Reason 7, Syler 5, Beelman 4. Bases on balls off Reason 3, Syler 4. Double play—Reason to Cox to Budd. Left on bases—Pinckney 11, Brighton 6. Umpires—Grossman and Whitlock.

### NOTICE

The regular meeting of the Philatelic Club will be held at the home of Mrs. M. T. Graves, Wednesday, Sept. 9.

Chas. Kennedy and family of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Anna Kennedy.

## Annual Clark Gilchrist Reunion

Seventy-three Descendants of This Pioneer Putnam Family Held Annual Reunion Sunday

The annual reunion of the descendants of Hugh and Ann Gilchrist Clark was held at the ancestral home at Silver Lake Sunday. This farm is now owned by Mrs. Amelia Wilcox, a daughter of the pioneers and the only living one of the thirteen children. 73 descendants of Hugh and Anna Clark were present and their families. A pot luck dinner was served at noon on the spacious lawn of the old homestead to which all did ample justice. Mrs. Sarah Carr, 82, of Pinckney was the oldest member present and Norma Gardner, aged 3 weeks of Ann Arbor was the youngest. The old officers were re-elected for another year. They were W. C. Miller, Pinckney, president; Ora Kime, Brokenridge, vice president; and Will Meyer of Ann Arbor secretary. The reunion next year will also be held at the Clark homestead.

The Clark-Gilchrist family is one of the old pioneer families of this section and a little of their early history would not be amiss at this time.

Hugh Clark and his wife, Anna Gilchrist Clark came to Putnam from County Down, Ireland, in 1835. They took up land from the government and started life here practically penniless. With aid of neighbors they erected a log cabin. It had no windows and a blanket for a door. Then started a precarious battle for existence. Times were hard, money was scarce and neighbors were few and distant. The roving bands of Indians were in the main friendly and did many favors for the early settlers. Mrs. Clark used to relate that soon after Hugh, her first child was born she heard a noise at the entrance of the cabin. Crossing the dirt floor to the blanket which served as a door she discovered a black bear there which fled at her approach. Soon after this the railroad was built through to Dexter which was at that time the western terminal. This was a bit of luck for the early settlers as it meant ready money. Hugh Clark with many other pioneers went to work on the railroad with a pick and shovel and earned sufficient money to finish paying for his farm.

By this time the farms began to be cleared off and when the civil war came with its high prices these thrifty pioneers who had gone through many an ordeal profited thereby. Mr. Clark often used to tell of his first venture in live stock. He purchased a hen and some chicks. It threatened to end disastrously as a fox gobbled to end the old hen and the chicks had to be raised in the cabin with the family. In the old days stores were few and far between. All clothing and bedding was made by the family from the wool of their own sheep. Mrs. Wilcox still has in her possession blankets and clothes which were made by her mother in the old days.

Besides the thirteen children born to this couple, four more relatives were taken into the family and raised to man and womanhood. They were Mrs. Sarah Carr, a niece, whose father was killed by Indians while on his way to California in 1849, William Steptoe, a nephew, Mrs. Anna Docking, another niece and James Clark, a relative. Pioneer families were as a rule large. The descendants are now scattered all over the various states of the union.

### GOODEN-EULER

A quiet wedding of interest occurred at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Euler near Pinckney on Sept. 1, when their daughter, Berdella, became the wife of a young man from Fairhope, Alabama.

Miss Euler graduated from Pinckney with the class of '29 and has made many friends in the various positions she has held since. While spending the past winter in the south with the other members of her family, it was only natural she listened to wooing of the southern lad, Braward B. Gooden whose bride she became. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. Berquist of the Pinckney Congregational church in the presence of a few very near friends. After which a four course luncheon was served.

Two prenuptial events—showers of linen and lingerie were given during the past week honoring Miss Berdella at which she received many beautiful gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Gooden will leave at once to make their home at Fairhope Ala., where the groom is a highly respected citizen and is employed at the Gaston Motor Co. of that place. Congratulations accompany them.

## The Labor Day Parade



### Asks Federal Investigation

Prosecuting Attorney Wendell Bird of Lansing Claims Federal Bond and Mortgage Co. used Mail To Defraud.

According to Prosecuting Attorney Wendell Bird of Lansing, Michigan, where the affairs of Federal Bond and Mortgage Company of Detroit are being investigated by Judge Leland Carr, sitting as a one-man grand jury, many instances of using the mails to defraud as well as violations of other statutes during the last ten years by the above company are indicated by the testimony given at the grand jury investigation. Prosecutor Bird has written a letter to the district attorneys office at Detroit suggesting the need for a federal investigation of the company's affairs.

District Attorney Friedrichs of Detroit indicated that he would investigate and that if the fact warranted he would ask a federal investigation. The Detroit Trust Co. received for the Federal Bond and Mortgage Co. had started suit against Peter M. M. Detroit attorney, for the return of \$7,500 which it is claimed is owed by the company.

### RURAL SCHOOLS TO ADOPT NAMES

Those driving along rural roads this fall will see mail boxes at the sides of the roads before each rural school. A new law which was passed by the last legislature has provided that each school in the state be named. Now, with schools named, mail addressed to a rural school and bearing the name of the proper mail office will be delivered by the rural carrier.

The new law states that rural school boards must make a list of a name within 30 days of September 17, 1931, and that the school boards shall notify the county school commissioner of the choice of a name. The county commissioner will check the names for possible duplications and send the list to the department of public instruction.

County Commissioner E. John Sharpe has notified the various rural boards in Livingston county of this new law.

### VIOLATORS OF DEER LAW CAN NOT GET LICENSES

Anyone who has violated a deer law within the past three years or who wounded or killed another by shooting within the past five years cannot obtain a deer license from the Department of Conservation this year.

Affidavit forms to be filled out by all applicants for deer licenses have been prepared and will be distributed to all license agents with the deer licenses.

The 1931 legislature provided that no deer license should be issued to any person who has been convicted of violating the deer laws within the preceding three years, or who has during the preceding five years, "accidentally shot or otherwise wounded or killed by shooting any human being."

### HOME BAKERY

Home baked goods one sale at "Bill's Place" every Saturday. Baking done to order any day. Phone 44. Bessie Swarthout, E. Beth Kennedy.

Mrs. T. W. Walker, Mrs. W. H. Taylor and the Misses Raymond of Lansing were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Sigler.

### The Weekly Church Program

**CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVICES**  
Sunday Divine Services at 8:00 and 10:00 A. M.  
Catechism after each Mass.  
Confessions Saturday evening at 7:30.  
Rev. Lewis M. Dion, Pastor

**BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES**  
Rev. B. F. Eic, Pastor  
Services each Sunday  
Morning Worship ..... 10:30  
Special and separate service for the little folk.  
Sunday School ..... 11:45  
Classes for all  
B. Y. P. U. .... 3:00  
Evening ..... 7:30  
Thursday evening ..... 7:30  
Adult prayer service and B. Y. P. U.

**CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH**  
E. J. Berquist, Minister  
Miss Elly Isler, Organist  
Mrs. E. Baughn, Directress of Music  
Percy Swarthout, Supt. of S. S.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:30 a. m.  
Junior Church ..... 10:30 a. m.  
Sunday School ..... 11:30 a. m.  
Christian Endeavor ..... 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p. m.  
Senior Choir Rehearsal, Wed. 7:45  
Prayer meeting, Thurs. 7:30 p. m.  
Orchestra practice, Thurs. 7:30  
The special last Sunday morning by Miss Dorothy Wilson and the church choir will be the day worship and the splendid sermon by Rev. W. H. Simmons of Brighton. Many people have looked forward to this day of worship which was manifested by the many who found their way to the church Sunday. And it is hoped that there may be a fine turnout for next Sunday when the choir will again be at their place and Mr. Berquist will again preach. In the morning his subject will be "Those charming eyes up set him" and in the evening "The Believers Gift."

**WYOMING A. C. OF DETROIT TO PLAY HERE SUNDAY**  
The Pinckney Independents will meet the Wyoming A. C. of Detroit here next Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m. This team is said to be a good one and in a recent game with the Hamburg team were defeated by one run. Pinckney expects to put up a strong lineup against them. Next Wednesday the local team meets Howell at the Howell Fair. Howell has won two close games from Pinckney this year but the home boys are determined to take the third one. Jimmie Moran will pitch for Pinckney.

In 15 games played up-to-date the Pinckney team has won nine lost five and tied one. This is not a bad record considering the fact that the team was made up almost entirely of green players, none of whom had had much experience. Some of them have developed into good players and next year should star regularly. Pinckney has lost two games to Howell, two to Chelsea and one to Munnith. They won from Dexter, State Sanitarium, Fowlerville, Chilson, Greenville Oils, two from Brighton, the American Legion and the Michigan Oils of Ann Arbor. A game with Munnith ended in a tie.

**DANCE AT PATTERSON LAKE**  
There will be a dance at Patterson Lake every Saturday evening. Good music, good floor and good time promised. Dances part old, part new. Bill 75c.

## Dr. Leslie Is Convicted

Howell Jury Finds Sanitarium Head Guilty of Assaulting Dr. Huffman.

Dr. G. L. Leslie, Superintendent of the Michigan Tuberculosis Sanitarium at Howell was found guilty of assault and battery against the person of Dr. James Huffman, a physician employed at the institution. The trial was held before Justice Glenn Yelland at Howell last Wednesday. The high light of the trial was the testimony of three nurses, Miss Amy Lacey, Miss Martha Williams and Mrs. Elizabeth Dana, all whom supported Dr. Huffman in his contention that Dr. Leslie had attacked and forcibly ejected him from his office. Dr. Leslie testifying in his own behalf denied that he had used undue force in ejecting Huffman from the room.

The jury was of one hour and one-half. The following Howell business men composed it: Glenn Beermann, Norman Larkin, Charles Monroe, W. O. Richards, H. J. Watson, Mark Baldwin. Prosecutor Jay Sweeney conducted the case for the state and Don VanWinkle, appeared for Dr. Leslie. There is some talk of an appeal being taken to a higher court. Dr. Leslie was fined costs of about \$29.

At the present time Dr. Huffman is on an indefinite leave of absence. According to an item in a Detroit daily paper Tuesday, Dr. Leslie announced that he would take steps to remove Dr. Huffman from insubordination.

**WIN MANY PREMIUMS**  
W. C. Hondoo and Sons had a very successful week at the fairs last week. At the Marshall Fair Cecil Hondoo won six out of eight first prizes and three seconds with the Heald fine wool Black Top sheep. There were over 500 sheep exhibited here. At the Northville fair W. C. Hondoo took eight first and six second prizes, making a clean sweep. He is not exhibiting this week. Next week they will exhibit at both the Stratford and Howell fairs and then at the Jackson, Adrian and Fowlerville fairs.

Boys' Rifle team from Pinckney at Northville with N. L. Diamond, Dewey, James Roebis had Peter Millward out in one of the races but he failed to finish in the money.

**INVERNESS GOLF TOURNAMENT**  
The semi-finals of the annual Inverness Golf tournament at the Inverness Club at Northville in the championship flight Gray defeated Judson Prince beat P. McClain, Greg Gentry, 4-4; in the 1st flight Hooker defeated Monks 4-3; in the second flight Selinger defeated Thompson 2-1. In the finals to be played Sunday, September 5th Gray meets Prince, in the championship flight; Hooker meets Dorothy Luck in the first flight for the lead in each flight.

Everyone is welcome to drive over and see these matches which will start about 9 o'clock and will continue until about 1 o'clock, and after the matches one can get a delicious chicken dinner at the club house.

**WILL ENTERTAIN CITY OF STRAITS LODGE**  
Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. will entertain the City of Straits Lodge of Detroit on Friday evening, September 18. This will be the fourth consecutive year that Livingston Lodge has been host to the City of Straits Lodge. Jack Crane, summer mayor of Pinckney who has a cottage at Portage Lake is a past master of this lodge.

A banquet will be served at 6:30 p. m. after which a program will be put on. Following this City of Straits will exemplify the third degree in long form. This lodge has one of the best Fellowshipcraft teams in the state.

The following committees have been appointed: banquet, C. W. Hooker, H. C. Vedder, Walter Mowbray, Glenn Slayton; reception, W. C. Miller, J. H. Hooker, Reginald Schaeffer, Paul Clark; program, Norman Reason, Ross Read, N. O. Frye; examination, Axel Carpenter, John Martin, Percy Ellis.

Louis Coyle and wife spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Steptoe in Chelsea.

**NOTICE**  
Having hired Mr. Ludwig to pick and care for my grape crop, I will prosecute anyone found stealing them.  
H. G. Swarthout

## Current Comment

Now is a bad time to start grass or marsh fires in the country. The blaze is very liable to run down into the muck where it is almost impossible to put it out. There it is liable to burn for weeks and even months. A windy day comes, the sparks are carried far and other fires result. The swamp on the Bailey or Hemmingway farm has been burning for several weeks and it has been necessary to hire men to guard it day and night. It will continue to burn until the fall rains put it out. The Brighton fire department made three runs last Sunday which were the result of grass fires. One should be very careful of burning marsh or grass at the present time.

If the present state of unemployment continues or grows worse, the "Dole" which the leading men and papers of the country seem to be solidly against will become a reality. Already the cities are making plans to feed and pay for the keep of thousands of unemployed. Many will be kept in flop houses and soup kitchens supported by the public and others will be given a dole or enough money to enable them to barely exist. Of course, this condition makes professional paupers out of thousands of people and is extremely dangerous as it puts a premium upon laziness and indolence and saps the character and moral fiber of even the strongest individuals, much less the weak and under privileged. It will be years after better times return before the damage already done is repaired. Only necessity of the extremest kind should force the use of the dole.

Some of the schools started this week. The rest will open next Tuesday. Owing to the uncollected tax some of the schools will undoubtedly find the going rather hard. Especially as some of them were compelled to go in debt last year in order to comply with some of the demands of the department of education. In this matter we would like to say a few words. In our opinion the department should hold off in their demands for improvements and increased expenditures of money in our educational institutions, particularly the district schools, until better times return and the parents have the money to pay for them. Progress is all right if the times warrant it.

**HOWELL FAIR NEXT WEEK**  
Next week on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, Sept. 8, 9, and 10 the Howell Fair occurs. This will consist of three wonderful days and nights, every minute of which will be brim full of enjoyment and fun.

Wednesday is Farmer's Day. On this day the cattle and crop judging takes place. The 4-H club work, old time barn dance and the Brighton singers are all billed for this day. And last but not least is the base ball game in which Pinckney meets Howell. These two teams have staged two close games this year. The first one of which went twelve innings. There will be races, band concerts and free platform acts each day and night.

Thursday is Home-Coming Day. In which thousands of former residents will revisit their former home town. The 119th Field Artillery Band will be here on this day. The tug-war contests and quill games will take place on this day. The base ball game is between Stockbridge and Williamston.

Friday is Children's Day. All children will be admitted free. The championship play day events will be pulled off on this day. The Perry Junior drill team and the Boy Scouts will go through their drills. There will be the final horse races and the winners of the base ball contests the first two days will meet. All in all it promises to be one grand time and those who stay away will be the sorry ones.

### REID POULTRY HOUSE BURNS

The John Reid poultry house at Buck Lake, east of here burned to the ground Sunday. With it perished several thousand ducks and chickens. The building itself cost \$4,000 to construct and was equipped with \$1,500 worth of extras including a furnace, water system, electric motors, etc. The loss was partially covered by insurance. The origin of the fire is undetermined.

**NOTICE**  
On account of the Howell Fair week we are getting out the next weeks issue on Tuesday evening. All correspondents and news items must be in Monday.  
The Editor



WEEK OF AUGUST 30

The period of cool weather which we predicted in this column for last week will be moderating at the very beginning of the week of August 30th in Michigan.

The first half of this week in Michigan will witness some general rains and in sections these may be unusually severe.

With a change to cooler weather about Wednesday there may be some renewed rain and wind storms that will last over Thursday.

Friday will probably be fair and cool, especially during the evening. However, this day will be the turning point in temperature in most parts of the state.

Will September Be Wet?

For the 12 months ending last July precipitation in Michigan has been below normal with a year ago August being next to the driest August in over 40 years of Michigan history.

September rainfall was heavy in 1911 and 1921. Will it repeat in 1931? The tendency seems to be for such an act.

Will Take 60 Years To Correct Acidity Of Michigan Soils

Sixty years will be required to correct the acidity of soils in Michigan, according to the soils department at Michigan State College.

Officials base their prediction on the rate which lime has been applied during the last few years.

Police at Holland Get Two Radio Sets

The Holland police department will be equipped with two police radio receiving sets for reports on crime. One will be installed in headquarters for reports from Lansing and Grand Rapids and the other, tuned with the state police broadcast station in Lansing, will be in a police automobile.

Dinner Stories

On Her

Wife: "Did you notice the chinchilla coat on the woman sitting in front of us at church this morning?"

Originality

Penwife: "That article of yours, 'Truth is Stranger Than Fiction,' is a dandy. Found to attract attention. Where did you get the facts?"

Still There

Teacher: "I have went. That is wrong, isn't it?"

Logical

Teacher: "John, this essay on 'My Mother' is just the same as your brother's."

Modern Marriage

Mr. Newlywed: "Darling, did you sew the button on my coat?"

Considerate

Judge: "If you were in that house for no dishonest purpose, why were you in your stocking feet?"

Cheaper

Mrs. Suburban: "It's time to get dog licenses again. You keep a dog, don't you?"

LOVE, PREFERRED

THE ROMANCE OF A BUSINESS GIRL

By EDNA BOBB WEBSTER

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The astrologer crossed the room to Mary. "May I dance with you before Willa drags you away to culinary duties?" His eyes smiled with his lips.

"You're a treat, Mary. Most outsiders who come here regard us with a sort of envy for the lazy, carefree



"I've never known another like you, Mary."

with that if she didn't belong to you," he warned. But he smiled at Mary. "If you handle the chafing dish like you danced, this ravenous crowd will be hunting up your street and number."

"I know they would like you," Dick told her proudly. "What do you think of him?"

"Why, Dick, they're wonderful. You do know the nicest people—worthwhile people. I don't wonder that you wish you were one of them."

CHAPTER XVI

"Here are canned chicken, mushrooms, butter, milk—whatever you need. Make them into something, please."

Mary noted the orange linen cottage curtains at the one window, a brightly decorated squat cookie jar in the same colors, the cream walls.

She said so to Willa, whose black eyes twinkled her appreciation. "We love it, too. Though we haven't much time to think about where we live. For six days a week, we work like slaves, about twelve hours a day. Sundays we rest and Sunday evenings we entertain, or go out."

"But don't you go out evenings?" "Rarely. An occasional play, dinner with clients or something. Creative work demands not only much time, but the best that's in you. And you can't give it, wandering hither and yon, dashing here and there to please your friends. Our own kind understand and respect the rights of each other. Oh! I know," she laughed, whipping cream in a bright orange bowl.

"What's more," Willa continued, peering through the glass door of the little electric oven, "punching a time clock for someone else is soft compared with being your own boss. No one can drive you like you can drive yourself. Why, if I take an hour off or a half day, I feel twice as guilty as if I could say to a boss, 'May I have an extra hour this noon?' Because when I come back, my work that no

one else could ever do for me, is still staring me in the face. There are always half a dozen things I should be doing at once."

"And 'hat's the fun of living—being busy, isn't it?' Mary agreed. "I shouldn't want to exchange my work for idleness if I had ten times the income. That is why all your friends here tonight look so interesting. One just knows that their hands and brains are busy. They look keen—and happy. Work is real happiness, isn't it?"

"You're a treat, Mary. Most outsiders who come here regard us with a sort of envy for the lazy, carefree

everything in the world, in life, in love, were hers. It was as vast and sweeping as all eternity and as brief as the moment of its duration. Her own lips answered his without hesitation, question or fear. She had lived every day since she first saw Dick, for this very moment. It was hers, by every primal law of the universe.

"Mary," he murmured against her face, his voice shaken. "You—do care like that? Sweetheart?"

Vaguely, she wondered, was he proposing to her? Did he love her? Of course, he did. The thought and the moment were too sweet for doubts. She whispered, "Yes, Dick, I do. And—you?"

"I've never found another girl like you, Mary. But we're going to pal around until I reach the goal I've set for myself before I start another project. Then we can talk business. I don't think we should tie ourselves up to any promises until I know what I can do for you. By that time, we'll both be sure, and know each other better. Okay, darling?"

She nodded, happily. That a toast was better than none for a girl like Mary. She knew she was very sure now, of herself. Weeks or months, or years could never change her love for Dick. She would be waiting for him whenever he was ready to offer her everything.

"Good-night, dear," he told her, his voice tender. "I'll see you some more this week and we go to the Duchons' again next Sunday night, remember."

"Then you come out here for dinner first." "That's jake with me, honey. You can't get me to veto a suggestion like that," he happily.

Mary lingered over her preparations for what was left of the night, thinking of Dick, how deeply stirred his voice had been, how his arms had held her; and felt asleep with the warmth of his kisses on her lips.

Mary was the kind of girl who loves completely, and knows her man when she finds him. To be happy required for her his whole devotion in return. But whether happy or unhappy, she was wholly his and not even all the fears and trials of life could swerve her loyalty and love. He might deny her his love, might accept hers and abuse it, might never recognize it even—but it would be there, waiting for him, if ever he wanted it.

When such a woman captures the love of that man and his devotion, then life is gloriously complete and her cup of happiness is filled to overflowing. For as her love accepts, it gives out double measure and her small world is blessed by the redundancy.

CHAPTER XVII

"Life is good," sang Mary's heart, on her way to the office the next morning. She felt strong and ready to battle obstinate forces. Love gave her that strength.

The office with its luxurious, rich-cooled appointments seemed to greet her with the embrace and well wishes of a good friend. Its mood matched hers. As she had told Willa Duchon last evening, to be busy was to be happy. Ah! and added to that to be in love and loved!

Foster was not oblivious of her new vigor that seemed to emanate from a glowing force within her.

"Have a good time this week-end?" he asked her once, between letters. "Oh, very," she replied with emphasis, and felt her face flush warmly under his glance. She might as well have told him in exact words just what had happened.

"Well, someone will get a mighty good wife, but I'll be losing a good secretary. Sorry, Miss Vaughn, for myself," he smiled.

"Oh, I'll not be leaving for ever so long, Mr. Foster. We have no plans at all. Dick has to get into business before we make plans for ourselves."

"Young Baldwin, eh? Well, he's a most promising fellow. I might say, one of the most promising in the business right now. He will outstep his father—but then, Baldwin died young. Fine fellow, too. Another evidence of his son's ability is displayed in picking out a girl like you. He couldn't do better."

"Thank you," Mary murmured, and flushed again, self-consciously. But Foster seemed not to have heard, and sat meditating for some minutes while he gazed out of the window, seeing more distant places than were apparent before his vision.

That is just what I should have done," he said finally, half to Mary and half to himself. Mary felt as if she were listening to a private confessor. "What have I to work for, anyway? What's it all for?" Then he seemed to arouse and return to his natural mood and the present. "Oh, well. It could be worse. A lot of poor devils I know would give half of what they have to trade places with me. The wrong wife is worse than none, isn't she?"

"I suppose so," Mary agreed, smiling. "But I shall try not to be the wrong kind."

"No, you won't be. More likely to

be the other way around with you." "Oh, not Dick!" she defended him. "I wouldn't say so, no. But you will have to be patient with that fellow. Remember, a plodder is easy to manage, but he doesn't get anywhere. The thoroughbred pacer that has the best chance to win is also most likely to break and run at the wrong moment. High metal, high temper—and temperamental."

"I'll remember that, Mr. Foster," she laughed.

"It takes a bachelor to advise you on marriage, just as an old maid can tell you how to rear children," he said with a quizzical smile.

"But you know people—and life better than I do. You have studied character and evolved a philosophy that only time can give to us."

"Yes, when we are young we know and have too little, and when we are old we know and have too much, to be happy. There should be a balance somewhere," sagely.

Mary did not know how to answer him, so she sat quietly and waited until the mood had passed. The whir and click of the translux dominated the brief silence.

"Market's pretty slow this morning," he observed. "Quality Products seems to be the only active stock. It looks good. You had better call Hathaway and advise him to switch some of his investment in Co-operative Merchants, or all of it, that seems to be steadily losing."

Mary expected, and rather dreaded, that Frazier would drop in. It seemed so long since she had been with him on Saturday night. Her whole world had changed since then. She just couldn't go out with Martin again, the way things were with her and Dick. Of course he had said they would tie themselves with no promises, but it amounted to the same thing with Mary. Her heart was Dick's always, so what was the use of playing around with others? Why, she would rather just be alone thinking about Dick, than to be entertained anywhere by another man. Foster knew about her and Dick now. He would understand that she couldn't humor Frazier, even for business reasons.

But Frazier did not come in that day. He was a shrewd and clever sportsman. He played to win, always. A girl like Mary needed special handling, and he enjoyed the game quite as much as the winning—so long as he knew he held the right cards. There was not a chance in a thousand but that his hand would win.

He still puzzled Mary. But she didn't know men like Martin—who play their game with their cards under the table and a blank expression on their faces. She was frank and kindly and honest and expected other people to be the same. Of course, she had learned in the business world that few people were like that, but it never occurred to her that deceit and strategy ruled the personal relations of many people the same as their business. She had analyzed Martin as selfish, grasping and cruel; so she expected him to be like that. Perhaps she had misjudged him, after all, she regretted.

It was Dick who dropped in late in the afternoon. Mary's heart leaped to her throat at sight of him. The cold wind had whipped a ruddy color into his face, his eyes sparkled with the smile on his lips. He seemed to grow more handsome every day, she thought, with pride swelling her heart. And he was her's almost.

"Hello, Mary," he said simply, not taking advantage of her private office to make love to her as Frazier always did. Mary liked the way Dick respected her position and her zeal for her work. But his eyes told her what his lips might have. He was saying, "Just dropped in on my way back to the office to tell you I got a pair of tickets for 'Merry Mannequins' tomorrow night. Just luck. They're sold out for a month ahead, but one of the fellows had to leave town today. We'll have dinner—somewhere uptown, what say?"

Mary consulted her calendar, "As far as I know—if nothing new comes up to keep me here late. It's been pretty quiet since the last rush."

"I'll always come in second, don't I?" "Well, you understand, Dick. Only second to my work—nothing else."

"Sure! I know. Same here, honey. Well, you might stay an extra hour tomorrow and I'll be around about six. How would you like to go to a Hindu restaurant up in the Forties? I know the old chap who owns the place and he gives you the real stuff."

"Anywhere you say, Dick. You know I like to vagabond around the world with you," she smiled.

"Well, we won't always travel around the world just staying in New York. But you can be cultivating the foreign preference right here so when we do start, Market's been slow today, hasn't it? Quality Products is rather a surprise, though. I took a flier in that and didn't expect much of it. Wish I'd taken a flier now. But I have to be cautious. The sooner I get that seat on the Exchange—well, you know the rest. But don't call me and tell me you can't make it tomorrow night, because I want to see that show—and you, too."

"I see the critics are giving it a good send-off."

(To be continued)

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**NEIGHBORING NEWS**

The paving on U. S. 23 has been completed up to the Pere Marquette railroad, where the viaduct is to be constructed. The railroad company has raised their tracks at this point and for a considerable distance on either side, so that there is now an even grade from Island Lake to the first city crossing—Brighton Argus.

One hundred twenty-five thousand legionaries are expected to attend the American Legion convention to be held in Detroit on September 21 to 24.

Dorothy Sawallich, 15, died at the Mellus hospital at Brighton last Tuesday from burns received from a gasoline camp stove on which she was preparing a meal. The family home is in Green Oak.

A statement of the financial condition of the State Savings Bank of Fenton, which closed its doors some time ago, signed by Clarence Tinker, the receiver, is published in last week's issue of the Fenton papers. The receiver says that the statement indicates that the bank is solvent but that its cash on hand was so low that the further continuance of the banking business was impossible. The receiver's opinion is that the depositors will receive one hundred per cent. He expects to declare a dividend early in December.

The Ionia County News states that the Ionia population there is at its peak. The number of those confined for prohibition violations has dropped from 5th to 6th place and is only about 8 per cent of the reformatory population, the wet press to the contrary.

The oil well drilling rig on the Houghton farm near Mtford has been in actual operation since August 17.

The city of Flint is operating a hog farm of 250 acres. 5,000 hogs are on the farm. They are fed on city garbage and consume nine truck loads a day.

The freshmen enrollment at the U. of M. threatens to exceed last year's. 1,500 have already been enrolled. This was last year's figure.

Peter Parsons, 75, a Webster farmer was found dead in a field near his home there last Wednesday night.

Judge Reid of Mt. Clemens was slightly hurt last Thursday when his car collided with one driven by A. P. Haggerman of Armada, five miles west of Mt. Clemens.

Fred Keister has sold the Ionia County News to Clifford Burkbank of St. Johns, Harold Conner of Toledo and Miss Lois McDonald of Bad Axe. They take possession Sept. 1. This paper was awarded first prize some years ago as the best weekly in Michigan. It was regarded as the official organ of former Governor Andrew Green.

George Sullivan of Detroit who has a home in Isoco township was fined \$31.25 for violating of the dog tax law. It was alleged that he transported three dogs back to Detroit to avoid paying the tax.

Andrew Parker, well known Howell mechanic, has been granted a patent on a shackle bolt cleaner by the United States Patent office. It is for cleaning all types of bolts fitted with alomite or zerg fittings.

Tuesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. George Wimbles and Miss Minnie VanSlyke were in Lakeland to attend a shower given for Miss Esther Kramm whose marriage to Lawrence Imus will be an event of early autumn. County Press.

It is rumored that the Fenton schools may not open this fall for lack of funds.

**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 29th day of August A. D. 1931.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Jefferson C. Bowman, Deceased.

Mildred Bowman having filed in said court her final administration account, and her petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate,

It is Ordered, That the 28th day of September 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 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.  
A true copy: Celestia Parshall, Register of Probate.  
James H. Hooker and wife to Lester Baeningstall, land in section 16, Hamburg twp.  
John P. Stone to Will J. Webb, land in Ore Lake Shores Country Club, Hamburg twp.

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GOODYEAR TIRES

**ITEMS OF 25 YEARS AGO**

From the Dispatch of Sept. 6, 1931  
Miss Ethel Read left Saturday for Saline to resume her work in the school there as preceptress.

The dates of the Fowlerville Fair are Oct. 9 to 12 this year.

Arthur Swarhout, Wm. Kennedy, jr., and Clayton Placeway left last week for Big Rapids to attend school.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Kavanaugh of Ann Arbor, Aug. 26, a son.

George Rease made an 80 mile trip with his Reo auto one day last week.

Miss Mollie Wilson left last week for Dubuque, Iowa, to teach school in the Bayless Business University.

Born to Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Myline of Cement City, Aug. 26 a son.

L. E. Smith who will leave soon for California will sell his household goods at auction, Sept. 15.

The remains of Donald McIntyre of Howell who disappeared some time ago were found last week hanging from a tree near Battle Creek.

Miss Ida Tillman of Tyrone while visiting at the home of Mark Chamberlain in Marion fell down killed last Thursday and was instantly killed.

The following were the results of the Republican primary last Tuesday: State Senator, Thos. Allen.

Clint: Representative, Chas. Van Keuran, Howell; Clerk, Willis Lyons; Prosecutor, James Green; Register of Deeds, A. D. Thompson; Sheriff, Ed Pratt; Drain Commissioner, Frank Mowers; School Com., J. A. Woodruff; School Examiners, Henry Duffee, T. J. Gaul.

The new Plainfield hall will be dedicated Sept. 12.

Emmett Harris is the teacher in the Anderson district.

Joe Harris in the Hause district; Lorena Black in the Wright school; Sadie Swarhout in the Beurnann; Miss Melvin in the Salmon, Beatrice Lamborn in the Pettysville, Alma McCluskey in the Cordley and Clara Switzer in district No. 2.

Sanford Reason has purchased the 80 acre Walters farm.

Mrs. George Griener's horse ran away last Saturday. She was thrown out but suffered no serious injuries.

**ECHOES FROM THE PHILATHEA CLASS**

Our last August Sunday class proved cool as to climate but warm in fellowship. Friends who meet with us for a time each summer were present and our guest minister for the day, the Rev. W. H. Simmons from the Federated church of Brighton was a pleasant caller in our class for a few minutes. His text for the morning sermon was from 1 Kings 18:32. As true Philatheas we can well heed his thought concerning the necessity of Christians keeping the altars of our spiritual life built and ready for worship. As usual the special music was much appreciated by our members.

The place for our next business and social meeting was not definitely settled on Sunday, but undoubtedly will be noted in the Dispatch before the time arrives.

The question as to the relationship of Barnabas and John Mark was carried over to next Sunday. The lesson theme at that time will be, "Turning to the Gentiles," Acts 13:42-52. Romans 1:14-16. Let us apply Romans 1:15 to our own home town.

It will soon be time for a general Sunday School Rally Day. All our Philatheas, many of whom have found it difficult to be regular in attendance this summer, should make a special effort these coming Sundays to get back into the regular class routine. Our own pastor will give us the message next Sunday and the choir and all church departments will try to get into line for the years work. This means us, too, Philatheas.

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**MORTGAGE NOTICE**

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 178 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 situated 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 mortgagee.

Don W. VanWinkle, Attorney for assignee of mortgagee. Business Address, Howell, Michigan.

**NOTICE OF SALE**

that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias issue out of the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston, in favor of the First State and Savings Bank, a Michigan banking corporation, of Holly, Michigan, against the goods and chattels and real estate of Virgil Luttman, Lena Luttman and Ray Luckenbill, in said county, to me directed and delivered, I did, on the seventeenth day of July A. D. 1931, levy upon and take all right, title and interest of the Virgil Luttman, Lena Luttman, in and to the following described lands, to-wit:

Commencing at the southeast corner of Section five thence north eighty rods; thence east twenty rods; thence south eighty rods; thence west twenty rods to the place of beginning; also the east half of the southeast quarter of Section six, except ten acres off the west side thereof; also the south half of the northwest quarter of Section seven, all in Township one north, Range three east, Michigan, Township of Unadilla, Livingston county, Michigan, all of which I shall expose for sale at public vendue, to the highest bidder, at the southerly or Grand River front door of the Court House in the City of Howell, in said County of Livingston, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston is held and in which said county said real estate is situated, on the fifteenth day of September next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time. Dated July 28, 1931.

Henry D. Finley Sheriff of Livingston County.

Clement E. Miner, Attorney for First State and Savings Bank, Business address: Holly, Michigan.

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### MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage whereby the power therein contained to sell has become operative executed by Boleslaw Samborski and Anna Samborski, his wife, to Fred C. Read and Ross T. Read, dated the 15th day of February, 1930, and recorded on the 17th day of February, 1930, in the Office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Livingston, Michigan, in Liber 104 of Mortgages on page 466; which said mortgage was afterwards and on March 7, 1930, assigned by Fred C. Read and Ross T. Read to Joseph A. Wessinger, such assignment having been on March 5, 1931, recorded in the same office in Liber 134 of Mortgages on page 284. It being expressly provided in said mortgage that should default be made in the payment of principal interest or taxes on any date when the same is made payable and should the same remain unpaid for a period of thirty days, then the principal sum mentioned in said mortgage, with all arrearage of interest shall at the option of said mortgagee be come immediately payable.

sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises contained in said mortgage, or so much thereof as shall be required to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and all legal cost. That is to say all those certain pieces or parcels of land located in the Township of Putnam, Livingston County Michigan, as described as follows:

The west half of the northwest quarter of section twelve (12); The south half of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section one (1); The south one-eighth of the east-half of the southeast quarter of section two (2); all in township one (1) north, range four (4) east, Michigan and containing one hundred ten acres of land more or less. The whole thereof having been occupied, used and enjoyed as one piece or parcel.  
Dated July 22, 1931.

Joseph A. Wessinger,  
Assignee of Mortgagees.  
Don W. VanWinkle,  
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagees.  
Howell, Michigan.

### LAKELAND CIRCLE OF KING'S DAUGHTERS

Mrs. C. H. Downing most pleasantly entertained the Lakeland Circle of King's Daughters Tuesday afternoon at her home at Strawberry Lake. 35 were in attendance, guests being Mrs. Marion Birch of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Mae Bennett of Detroit, Mrs. Elmer Bennett of Silver Lake and Mrs. B. Fryer.

The president, Mrs. Edward G. Houghton, president, Officers & committee reports were read and other regular business transacted. An invitation from Mrs. Myron W. Hendrick to hold the next meeting, Tuesday afternoon, September 8 at her home was accepted. Mrs. E. Clyde Dunning, Mrs. Eva Moon and Mrs. Harry Whitlock were appointed to furnish entertainment at the meeting.

For entertainment, Mr. V. Wray Hinkley read a history of Lakeland Circle of King's Daughters. Facts and fancies were given out by Mrs. Emil Kuchar and read by each one and M. Barbara Tesmer conducted a guessing contest of rice in a vial. Mrs. Edwin Shannon, Sr. guessed within one of the correct number and won the prize. Mrs. Downing served candy. Miss Julie Ball made some remarks about Hamburg's Centennial. Home Coming. The meeting closed.

### HAMBURG

Mrs. Ralph Winkelhaus of Ann Arbor and Mrs. Charles I. Bennett of Hamburg entertained at a delightful farewell party Thursday evening in honor of Miss Arlene Smith at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Smith, Hamburg village. Guests, other than those named were Prof. and Mrs. Robert Paton of Cleveland, Ohio, Ralph Winkelhaus of Ann Arbor, Miss Opal Clows of Pontiac, Arlene Taylor, Billy Thorpe, Jack Taylor and Miss Goidie Masak of Detroit, and Miss Hazel Winkelhaus, Miss Ventura Shannon, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Johnson, Jack Dillway, Walter Dewolfe, J. R. Hayner, Bernard Dillway and Robert Kennedy of Hamburg. Various games were played, contests held, songs sung and the turning of the light fantastic. A dainty luncheon was served. Miss Smith was the recipient of a beautiful gift. Miss Smith in company with Prof. and Mrs. Paton left Monday morning for Cleveland, where Miss Smith will attend the Shaker Heights High School the ensuing year. Prof. Paton being superintendent of the school. Miss Smith will fit herself for a kindergarten teacher.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland H. Ball came Wednesday to visit Mr. Ball's aunt, Miss Julie Ball Sunday in company with Miss Ball they were dinner guests of Miss Ball's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Henry M. Queal.

During the absence of Mr. and Mrs. William A. Sheffer Thursday afternoon some one broke into their residence by raising a window, stealing Mr. Sheffer's revolver and a purse containing about fifteen dollars of Mrs. Sheffer's. One evening earlier in the week burglars broke into the residences of Mr. Frederick and Mr. Kennedy, without awaking anyone, securing about fifteen dollars at one place and about fourteen dollars at the other.

Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Lee of Ann Arbor came Friday to spend a week with Mr. Lee's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. William H. Gilbister.

Mrs. Mark Rice of Hamburg and mother, Mrs. Dan Stallion of White Lake have returned home from a visit with Mrs. James Mahoney of Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Pryor are visiting their son, Ben E. Pryor and family and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar G. Mason in Ann Arbor and attending the Washtenaw County Fair.

### PLAINFIELD

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Gauss and children of Howell spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gauss.

Mrs. Will Black of near Lansing spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Ada Van Syckel who returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dyer were Wednesday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Dyer of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gauss called Wednesday on Mr. and Mrs. Howard Gauss of White Oak.

Mr. Don Kenney and family were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kenney, Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Rousner were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dyer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton called Sunday at Rev. Clark's.

Mr. Jack Donahue and Mr. Glenn Caskey spent the week end at Gull Lake.

Mr. George Whitaker and Mrs. Marshall called Sunday on Mr. and Mrs. James Caskey.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Roberts of Lansing spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. ... the last few days with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Hattie Allis of Detroit.

Miss Lottie Braloy spent the last few days with her sister, Mrs. Frank Wright of Stockbridge.

Mr. Clark and family returned for another week's work in Liv. Co. M. P. church. Glad to have him back with us.

### GREGORY

The Berean Sunday school class were entertained Thursday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reid.

Mrs. Grace Rockwell, Ellwood and Shiffley spent the week end in Munith.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Poole of Detroit were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Poole.

Miss Madeline Leach spent part of last week on a trip thru the northern part of the state.

Mrs. C. F. Bollinger visited her brother, Ver. Worden and family in Gull Lake Friday.

The King's Daughters meeting was held Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Adeline Reid. The program for the afternoon consisted of a reading by Mrs. Ella Stackable, a solo by Mer-navee Voegts, accompanied by Mrs. Adeline Reid and a solo by Miss Myra Maude Bullis accompanied by Mrs. Adeline Reid at the piano and Miss Helen Bullis with violin. Sewing from the Red Cross chapter of Howell was distributed among the members.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rowe of Onaway were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Breniser.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Christwell of Chelsea visited relatives here Saturday.

Stanley Dickson of Howell spent part of last week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bahl.

Mr. and Mrs. Sterns Smith returned last week to their home in Dryden.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Mayers of Jonesville and Mr. and Mrs. John Grosshans spent Sunday in Detroit.

Clifford Howlett and Donald Marshall started school in Stockbridge Monday.

### MARION

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jay Sprague on Wednesday, August 26, a daughter, Mrs. Grace Wellman Bessler is the nurse in charge.

Mrs. Eliza Gardner, Mrs. Anna Hurd and Mrs. Bert Hoff were dinner guests at the home of Otis Webb last Thursday.

Dr. and Mrs. Hollis Clark and son Mrs. Bessie Clark of Perry, Bruce Robert and son, Mrs. Clara Suckles, Mrs. Julia Moore and son were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Basil White.

Mrs. Moore and Mrs. Mary Kees and children returned to their home in Ill. Friday. They were accompanied by Fred Fuller who will remain a few days with his sister, Mrs. Kees.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Chaplin and daughter called at J. D. White's Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hoisel and daughter, Rosanna, were in Detroit and Dearborn Sunday afternoon.

Dorothy Smith began teaching school in the Gage district near Wixom Monday.

Loren Carson of Iosco began her teaching in the Anderson district Monday.

Lemuel Hedican returned to his home Sunday after 8 weeks at the Pinckney Sanitarium. Mr. Hedican suffered a broken hip about three months ago in an auto accident.

The new school will open on Sept. 7 with Doris Hedican as teacher. The building is one of the best rural school houses to be found in the state of Michigan. The school board have spent much time and are to be congratulated on this splendid building so quickly completed.

Thursday, Sept. 10th is Home Coming day of the Livingston County Fair. All former residents of Livingston County are requested to register at the big tent. The committee is as follows: E. Elma Sharpe, Wil-gor B. Johnson and Mrs. Mae White.

Col. H. A. Pickert, collector of customs for state of Michigan and commander of 182nd Field Artillery has consented to his regimental band of 42 pieces playing on Thursday night as an added feature of Home Coming day. Mr. Snyder who formerly lived in Putnam twp. is a member of this celebrated band.

Mrs. Kathleen Crotty and Mrs. Mae White were among those who were guests of the Misses Druscilla and Florence Murphy at a dinner and bridge party given at Inverness Contry Club last Thursday evening. The affair was given in honor of Miss Madeline Kelly of Jackson whose marriage to Mr. Lorenzo Murphy of Jackson will take place early in September. Miss Kelly was presented with a beautiful imported Austrian tablecloth and napkins by the twenty-six guests who were present.

### LINGERIE SHOWER

A lingerie shower for Berdella Euler was given at her home Friday evening by Nellie Euler and Dorothy Carr.

There were about fifteen guests in all. The evening was spent in playing games. Prizes went to Wilhelmina Bourbonnais, Irene Richardson, Berdella Euler, Francis Ledwidge. Then followed 2 tables of "Rug" with prizes going to Dorothy Scott and Marjorie Allison. Next a mock wedding was staged. The bride being Nellie Euler, the bridegroom, Dorothy Carr and the preacher was Eloise Berquist. Next the presents were opened and receipts read for "keeping a husband" which was enjoyed by all.

Ice cream and cake was served. An enjoyable evening was had by all.

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When the National Better Business Bureau realized that the public was being misled—and an attempt was being made to keep the truth about real tire values from car owners, they issued a bulletin July 10th which in substance retracted their sponsorship of tire definitions.

Firestone extra values are the result of great savings in buying—great savings in efficient and economical manufacturing and distributing, plus the patented process of Gum-Dipping—the patented two extra cord plies under the tread—and a more efficient non-skid tread, which makes them safer than any other tire.

We have sections cut from Firestone Gum-Dipped Tires and Special-Brand Mail-Order Tires, and invite you to come in and judge for yourself the extra values we give you—values that you can see and understand instead of "definitions." Then we know you too will buy Firestone Tires as thousands of other car owners have done to the extent that during May, June and July they bought more Firestone Tires than during any like period in history—Drive in today. Compare construction and Quality.

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Mr. McDonough of Orono was a Sunday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Roche.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark and daughter, Jean, spent the week end with Clare Hendee in East Tawas.

Mrs. E. J. Dorian and daughter, Bernice, of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bowers the 1st of the week.

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- Red Alaska Salmon . . . . . 29c
- Howell Flour . . . . . 45c
- Campbell's Tomato Soup . . . . . 07c
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- Sweet Pickles . . . . . 25c

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Mrs. Laura Howlett of Howell, and Miss Mollie Wilson of Staten Island, N. Y. were guests of Mrs. Emma Burgess Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Doyle and Miss Loretta Dicke spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Smith in Canton.

Clyde Martin of Chelsea, nephew of Mrs. Villa Richards and Blanche Martin spent the week end here, after visiting several days with relatives in Brighton.

Winston, Charles and Stanley Smoyer of Akron, Ohio are guests of the Read families.

Henry Kice and wife were in Howell Thursday.

About twenty friends of Miss Alice Gearhart gathered at the church parlors Friday evening to bid Alice farewell before leaving for Houghton, New York to attend college. The evening was spent in playing games. After all were seated at the table a small token was presented after which ice cream and cake was served.

Miss Hazel Chambers entertained Alice Gearhart and Lyla Lewis Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. John Chambers, Mrs. Erma Lewis and daughter, Lyla, and son, Beryl, called on Mr. and Mrs. O. U. Backus Sunday.

Nash's bridge was replanked during the past week by Highway Com. Clare Swarthout.

## The Pinckney Dispatch

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PAUL CURRETT PUBLISHER

Miss Jean Graves has returned from a visit with Jackson relatives.

Mrs. Marcus Graves and son, Walter were Jackson visitors Sunday.

Sister Benedicta Marie and Sister Mary Alice, who were recent guests of Mrs. Wm. Ledwidge and daughter, Germaine, returned to St. Joseph's at Adrian.

The corn borer war is about over as a treaty is about to be signed with the worms. We understand the war was an even affair. Andrew Campbell, Maurice Kelly and Harold Maycock, veterans of the corn borer army of occupation are expected home this week from somewhere in Michigan.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Sarah Carr were Mr. and Mrs. E. Carr and Mr. and Mrs. Francis Carr of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. James Green of Lansing.

Clyde Darrow of Pontiac, visited Pinckney relatives Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Darrow were Rev. and Mrs. Simmons of Brighton and Mr. and Mrs. Myron Ely and children of Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Ella Sykes of Detroit spent one day last week with her daughter, Isabelle.

Victor Bourbonnais was home from Detroit over Sunday.

Wm. Engel of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of Albert Frost.

Mrs. Hattie Whalen and daughter, Margaret, of Sandwich, Ontario, who have been spending several weeks with her son, Charles, have returned home.

Mr. C. H. Kennedy and children were guests of Miss Bernadine Lynch of Kalamazoo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Sigler were in Whitmore Lake Sunday.

Irvin Glanzman was in Detroit on business Saturday.

Mrs. S. H. Carr and Dorothy were Jackson shoppers one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Mylo Kettler and daughters are spending their vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carr, Dorothy and Mrs. Robert Jack of Lakeland were Pontiac and Farmington callers Sunday evening.

HOME BAKED GOODS—For home baked goods leave your orders with Mrs. F. Bowman.

## SEE

Dr. F. P. Lamereaux

Optometrist

TELEPHONE 48  
SOUTH LYON MICHIGAN

Fred Kulbecki who has been living in the Wm. Darrow house on Mill has moved back on his farm which is known as the John Gardner farm.

The Immanuel Presbyterian church of Detroit will hold a picnic at the of M. Fresh Air Camp at Patten Lake next Saturday. About 100 are expected to attend.

Bert Harris had a narrow escape Saturday. He was threshing on the Frank Johnson farm. Wm. M. backed his five ton truck loaded with sacked rye into the barn in order to unload it in the grainery. The floor gave way, letting the who fell down into the basement. Bert and Loren Meabon were in the of the load and were covered with bags of grain. When they were out of the wreckage it was found that they had escaped with bruises and sprains. Two horses in the basement of the barn also had a narrow escape from being crushed to death.

Dr. and Mrs. Bryant and daughters, of Haverhill, Mass., who have been visiting her mother, Mrs. Hettie Teeple, returned home Sunday.

Miss Doris Fishbeck of Lansing is visiting her aunt, Mrs. C. J. Clinton.

Gerald Kennedy was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Miss Wilhelmina Bourbonnais expects to attend the County Normal at Howell the coming year.

Another large building is being erected on the Pankhoff duck farm west of town. This is better known as the Fick farm.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Vince and children of Byron were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Richardson.

Grant Ward who is working for the State Construction Co. at Lansing was home over Sunday.

Stanton Line who recently underwent an operation at the University hospital at Ann Arbor returned home much improved in health last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joy Martin of Flint were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Culhane and son of Pittsburg, Penn., called on Pinckney friends Friday enroute to Ypsilanti to visit his sister, Mrs. Flora Hewitt.

Miss Luella Haze received a letter last week from Mrs. G. Winslow (Gona Bangs) who is on a trip to Washington, D. C. and other eastern points.

Dr. Harry Haze of Lansing was a week end guest of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Sigler.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brown of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith and children were guests of Detroit relatives Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reason returned from their trip to northern Michigan last Thursday. They were in Marquette at the time of the prison outbreak.

George Devine and son, Louis of Dexter were in town Saturday.

Warren Cushing and Ted Zimmerman of Dexter and Ann Arbor respectively were Pinckney callers Sunday. The former will teach history in the Birmingham High School this year.

Recent callers at the William Ledwidge home were Mrs. Kathleen Crotty and daughter, Norine, Will and Mike Roche, Dr. and Mrs. Liam Ledwidge and family of Beverly Hills, Mrs. Emmett Berry of Stockbridge, Mr. and Mrs. Alger Hall, son and daughter of Kalamazoo, Norbert Lacey of Detroit, Mrs. Francis Brogan and son, Paul, Chilson, Miss Mary Cope and Lawrence Whalen of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. Max Ledwidge and family, Mrs. Julia Greiner and daughters, Mary and Julia, of Detroit, Miriam and George Michael Greiner, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brogan and family of Brighton, Mrs. John Ledwidge, Sarah and Jay of Dexter, Elizabeth Spears, and Goldie Marcus, Belle Hincey, Mrs. Malachy Roche and Grace Tock of Fowlerville, Mrs. Lester Walker of Detroit, Mrs. Michael Lacey, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lacey and sons of Pinckney, Mrs. Thayer of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. James Stackable of Gregory, Mrs. Sarah Connors and Miss Mary T. Kelly of Dexter, Emery and James Richmond of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Elda Kuhn and daughters, Monica and Norine of Gregory, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Eisler of Detroit.

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- Corn Flakes, Kellogg's, 2 pkgs. . . . . 15c
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- 3 Cans Milk, large . . . . . 20c
- 2 Cans of Pork and Beans . . . . . 13c
- 1 lb. Gem Coffee, Santos . . . . . 21c
- 1 lb. Old Moka & Java, none better . . . . . 39c
- 1 lb. High Grade Santos Coffee . . . . . 30c
- 1 lb. Rice Flakes . . . . . 10c
- 1 Can of Tomatoes, large . . . . . 13c
- Cocoonut Hard Water Soap . . . . . .05c
- 1 Can Best Sauer Kraut . . . . . .09c

## W. W. Barnard

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Marion and daughter, Helen, and Mrs. R. F. Esic were Detroit visitors Thursday.

Miss Norma and June Amburgey spent Sunday with the Miss Helen and Florence Marion.

Miss Norma Amburgey spent a couple days with Miss Florence Marion last week, also Miss Tresa Gardner spent Friday afternoon with Miss Helen Marion.

Mrs. Jack Vanderwall, Mrs. Clifford Van Horn and Miss Viola Potteys spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sisley in Grand Rapids.

Wm. Roekelman and wife of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bowers.

Dr. C. B. Gardner and wife of Lansing were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Eliza Gardner.

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**REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS**

Recent real estate transfers admitted to record in the office of Register of Deeds, Frank D. Bush, are as follows.

Alta R. Spencer et al to Francis M. Nichols and wife, land in Howell City.

Anna Sanford to Kenneth H. Kriesel and wife, land in section 2 Cohoctah twp.

Henry Herbst and wife to Donald G. Leith and wife, land in section 36, Genoa twp.

Floyd W. Bower to Morris P. Harms, land in Morgan Park Subdivision, Brighton City.

Henry M. Qucai and wife to Charles Wehner and wife, land in Bob White Beach Subdivision, Hamburg twp.

Thomas S. Leith and wife to Curtis B. Hall and wife, land in Morgan Park Subdivision, Brighton City.

James A. Wilcox by administrator Amelia F. Wilcox, land in sections 1 and 23 Putnam twp.

Clarence A. Richards et al to Elsworth J. Burdick, land in Island Lake colony Subdivision, Green Oak twp.

Rose Walker Beurmann to L. Harold Crandall, land in sections 3 and 4, Putnam twp.

The Portage Lake Land Company to John B. Mellott and wife, land in 32 Fox Point Beach Subdivision, Hamburg twp.

Thomas S. Leith and wife to Leon E. Carpenter and wife, land in Morgan Park Subdivision, Brighton.

Jacob H. Schluchter and wife to Edna Snowman, land in Baughn's Bluff Subdivision, Putnam twp.

Fred P. Miller to Mac Martha Miller, land in Chalker's Landing Subdivision, Putnam twp.

Henry W. Collins and wife to Leonard Arthur King, land in Chalker's Landing Subdivision, Putnam twp.

John Henry Young and wife to First National Bank Brighton, land in section 14, Cohoctah twp.

Sarah J. Baughn to Frank Steinhauer and wife, land in Baughn Bluff Subdivision, Putnam twp.

Anna I. Grieve to Otto Frykman and wife, land in Pinckney.

Howard E. Dean and wife to Charles Larson, land in Howell.

Mark H. Baker and wife to Enos A. Wilkinson, land in Plat of Mecca, Unadilla twp.

W. P. Brayton and wife to Grover C. Crubbs and wife, land in Howell City.

Howard S. Corrigan et al to Peter J. Leitz, jr. and wife, land in section 28, Brighton twp.

Triam Radul and wife to Lena Cirisan, land in section 10, Marion twp.

Ethel Mae Filkins to Theron Parrish, land in Hartland.

Philip J. Schaupner and wife to Margaret D. Schaupner, land in section 27, Hamburg twp.

Viola M. Petcoys to Mrs. Ottilie Schaupner, land in section 27, Hamburg twp.

Ada J. Nichols et al to Charles F. Arzt, land in Brighton City.

Leo S. Schrot and wife to William Wargo, land in Walnut Street, Tyrone twp.

Mary A. Gitre to Clarence Binney and wife, land in Leiths Subdivision, Brighton.

James H. Hooker to Lester Birmingham, land in section 16, Hamburg twp.

Hiawatha Beach Development Co. to Augusta B. Delling, land in Hiawatha Beach Subdivision, Hamburg twp.

Kenneth Kriesel and wife to Purdy & Woodruff Company, land in Cohoctah twp.

Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Stackable and son, Billy, of Chicago who have been visiting here the past two weeks were hosts to the members of his family to the number of 32 at Erin-Gobrough, Aug. 23rd. They returned home, Aug. 24th.

Mrs. Fred Read and daughters spent the first of last week at Mr. and Mrs. Janice Cleland in Fulton. Mrs. Cleland returned with them for a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Norn and son, Frederick of Port Huron were Sunday guests of Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Sigler.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Nash and son, Forbes, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Standlick of Brighton, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ayers and family of Plymouth attended a birthday dinner honoring Bert Nash of Howell Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. Smith and family of Akron, Ohio were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Read.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Kennedy and John Kennedy of South Lyons were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Mary Lynch.

Mrs. Eliza Gardner, Mrs. Anna Hurd, Miss Josephine Harris, Mrs. P. Kennedy, Mrs. Will Cooper and Mrs. Jas. Roche spent last Wednesday with Mrs. Chas. Runciman near Stockbridge.

Wm. Burlison of Flint spent the week end with Miss Helen Tiplady.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith and their daughters, Marjorie and Marion and son, Ralph visited Detroit relatives Sunday. Rex, jr. who had been spending a couple of weeks there returned home with them.

**LIVINGSTON COUNTY FAIR**

Howell, Michigan

**SEPT. 8, 9, 10, 11, 1931**

**Wednesday Thursday Friday**

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"I am only a poor farmer with 160 acres of Illinois gumbo, paid for. Once it was worth more but I didn't sell it and, thank thee, I did not buy more at that price.

"Give me, O Lord my pigs and cows and chickens, my health and my strength and my faith. I am not making money but I am not losing so much that I face disaster and hunger. I live on three bounteous meals a day. These thou hast provided me, no, whatsoever happens.

"Once I looked with envy upon these, my fellow citizens, I thought they lived in luxury and peace. This morning, O Lord bless them and

comfort them and give them divine grace to face their plight. May the day of upturn and better things come for all of us. I am grateful to thee for the small blessings that fall upon me and mine, and my land. Forgive my sins and overlook my hypocrisy and my short-comings and believe me, O Lord, I am content that I am not as others are."

**A SURPRISE PARTY**

A surprise birthday party for Robert Plasko was held at the Plasko home here Saturday evening. Those present were: Gerald Henry, Ralph Hall, Ernest Gross, Johnny Schran, Arnold Berquist, Milton Porteous, Edward Bernier and Jess Henderson, Lucille Porteous, Nellie Ealer, Mary Jane Atley, Dorothy Bernier, Dot Carr, Virginia Hoisel, Madge Jack, and Mildred Jack.

The rug was rolled and the evening spent in dancing and in playing card games. The game of "Pig" interested most.

Then a lunch was served of potato salad, sandwiches, beans and lemonade. Next the presents were opened and the cakes cut by Robert, which was followed by ice cream and cake. The guests then departed all enthused over the good time they had.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gunther and daughter, Lucile, of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Hall of Plainfield were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Bommer of Stockbridge, Miss Mary Bullis and J. W. Ott recently enjoyed a motor trip to Niagara Falls. They returned home via New York, Penn. and Ohio.

Mrs. Diesborough and son, Lee, of Windsor, Ont. spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Shehan.

Mrs. John White of Howell was a Sunday caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Harris.

Fred Bortz and wife of Ypsilanti were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin.

## STATE TAKES LEAD IN ELECTRIFICATION

Michigan is a leader among the states in this country in the advancement of rural electrification.

More than 16 per cent of all farms in the state now enjoy electric light and power service, the bureau stated in announcing the findings of a survey recently completed by the statistical research department of the National Electric Light association.

While only 16 per cent (27,677 farms) of the 169,915 farms in the state have availed themselves of rural electrification the bureau reported the service was available to nearly twice this number and eventually most of these places are expected to make connections.

Information in the survey report is based in part upon United States census data and partly upon reports as furnished by Michigan public utilities. Seventy-eight of the eighty-three counties in the state reported electrified farms, only five counties reporting farms with electric service. These five were given as Alcona, Iosco, Keweenaw, Montmorency and Oscoda.

### New Federal Building In Use at Benton Harbor

Postmaster Walter E. Banyon and his corps of assistants at the Benton Harbor postoffice are happy that they are now located in the new federal building at the corner of Territorial road and Sixth street. The new postoffice, which cost about \$150,000 and for which the citizens of Benton Harbor had been praying for many years, will also house the offices of the United States department of agriculture, the internal revenue department and the United States Army recruiting station.

### Only One of Civil War Group Left at Holland

When the sixty-ninth anniversary of the enlistment of soldiers of Holland and vicinity as members of Company I, 25th Michigan infantry, occurred recently there was only one survivor to answer the roll call in person. He was Joos Verplanke, former sheriff of Ottawa county. The company was mustered in with 48 members and some 20 members were added the last two years of the Civil war. Verplanke, 87, spends his declining years with his nine sons in various parts of the country.



### Resurrection Plant

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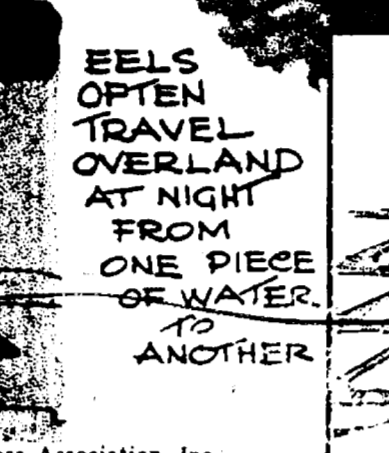


IT TAKES  
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WHILE ONE  
PUSHES



Name the 13 original states.

New Hampshire, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia.



Correctly Speaking—

Do not introduce with and, but or an expression which is not grammatically and logically co-ordinate with any preceding expression.



Many of New Orleans' paving stones came from Europe.



EELS OFTEN TRAVEL OVERLAND AT NIGHT FROM ONE PIECE OF WATER TO ANOTHER.

What place did Ellis Island, in New York harbor, succeed as an immigration depot, in 1890?  
Castle Garden, at the Battery in New York City.

Absolute zero has been determined as being 273 degrees Centigrade below zero.

The motion picture industry ranks seventh among the industries of the United States.

It costs public institutions \$37.12 a year to school a child in an elementary grade.

Who won the battle of Chapultepec? The United States.

The Indian population of the United States in 1930 was 340,541.

Damage done by rodent pests has been estimated at \$300,000,000 annually.

Icbergs have been known to take 200 years to melt.

### GRAND HAVEN GLAD IT HAS OWN LIGHTS

Citizens of Grand Haven are pleased they did not sell the municipal power plant to a private concern after a comparison of figures on production costs under the old steam and present Diesel oil burning engines.

In June and July the new plant produced 913,200 kilowatt hours, using 84,008 gallons of oil at a cost of \$2,727.65. To have produced the same amount of kilowatt hours under the old steam method the cost would have been \$7,102.39, a saving to the city of \$4,374.54.

Little maintenance has been required since installation of the oil burning plant in May.

**Give Her Time**  
Irate Father (discovering daughter on young man's lap): "Myra! What does this mean?"  
Daughter: "Come back in about fifteen minutes, dad. I ought to know by then."

### FARMS Do You Want to Sell Your Farm?

Many buyers are waiting and anxious to deal directly with the owner. Write to us for full information at once. Address A. L. Bigney, Cedar Springs, Mich.

### Mich. Corporation Tax to Approach 1930 Record

Evidence that the economic depression was not as severe as commonly imagined and that the "turn of the corner" has been reached, is seen in department of state records.

Several weeks ago, it was estimated that the annual corporation tax for the fiscal year beginning July 1 would fall nearly \$1,500,000 below that raised by the same tax last year. In the first 12 days of the new tax year, 354 corporations paid their tax and the average was \$125 per corporation. For the first 12 days of the previous tax year, 467 corporations had paid an average tax of \$136.

These statistics show that the corporation tax is \$11 per company less than a year ago and that the state's business concerns are slower in paying than a year ago. The surprising figure, however, is that the corporation tax at this rate will be only about \$300,000 under that of last year.

A brighter outlook for the future is seen from the fact that the Central Produce Terminal Company of Detroit recently took out incorporation papers with a declared value of \$901,000. The company is given the right to build a warehouse for all sorts of farm produce and also the right to merchandise its wares. Here is one company that has nearly a million dollars' worth of faith in the future of Michigan.

### Nonresident Must Have License If He Rows Fisher's Boat

A nonresident who rows or paddles a boat for a person engaged in fishing, must also have a nonresident fishing license, in the opinion of the attorney general. The opinion was given in reply to a question asked by the Conservation department.

If a person is fishing while another rows the boat, the person rowing the boat "is equally taking an active part in the catching or attempting to catch, take or kill fish and under such circumstances would be required to have a license to do so if a nonresident," the opinion states.

### 626 Ionia Dog Owners Delinquent on Licenses

A mailing list of 626 Ionia county dog owners who are delinquent in the payment of the 1931 dog license lies on the desk of Prosecuting Attorney Frank C. Miller, a formally from the office of the county treasurer. A \$2 penalty now is due from those delinquents, which means that owners of male dogs will be required to pay \$4 for a new 1931 dog tag and \$6 for a female dog.

The county needs the money, says the prosecutor, and the delinquents will be officially invited to pay.

### Bangor Is Assured Of Gas by Sept. 1

The work of laying gas mains is progressing and it is expected the village will be supplied with gas by Sept. 1.

### FORD OPENS COAST PLANT

The \$5,000,000 branch assembly plant of the Ford Motor Company at Richmond, Cal., which will supply Ford products to north central California as well as the Hawaiian Islands, American Samoa, Society Islands, Tahiti and Guam, was formally opened recently. The plant is a unit of a group to be completed in the company's \$60,000,000 world-wide expansion program, announced last year. It replaces the Ford branch in San Francisco. Parts manufactured at the main Ford plants in Dearborn will be transported to the Richmond plant in Ford vessels, via the Great Lakes and the New York barge canal to branches on the Atlantic seaboard and thence through the Panama Canal.

### Michigan and Four Other States Have Fourth of Wealth

Almost one-fourth of the national wealth is accounted for by the five east north central states, Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and Wisconsin, with an average per capita wealth in 1929 of \$3,114, against \$2,977 for the entire country, according to the Index published by the New York Trust Co.

"Rich in natural resources and fortunate in a temperate climate," the Index says, "the east north central states have developed within a century from virgin forest and prairie land to an industrial region of the first importance. Illinois is the third richest state in the country, Ohio the fourth, Michigan ranks eighth, Indiana tenth and Wisconsin eleventh.

"With a population of 25,297,185 in an area of 248,105 square miles, or one-fifth of the total population of the country in one-twelfth of the total area of the country, it is a conspicuously populous market. The density of population for the five east north central states is 102 to the square mile, compared with an average of 41.2 to the square mile of the entire country.

### Ford Has New Plane

Ford Motor Company is building an all-metal airplane with a passenger capacity for 36, according to reports from Washington. The plane is said to vary in design from the 13-passenger models now being built by the company. It is powered with four motors, all of which will be mounted in the wing. The saving in air resistance obtained by the new type of engine mounting is expected to give the plane a cruising speed of about 100 miles an hour. At the same time, it is expected to carry as great a proportion of payload as the smaller models.

### North District Fair Will Be Sept. 14-18

This year's Northern District fair will be held at Cadillac Sept. 14-18. At a recent meeting of the stockholders, seven new directors were added to the board. The new members are W. L. Saunders, Felix H. H. Flynn, C. E. Tyler, Ralph Biebesheimer, Herbert Doolittle, Charles Ginter, Elon Stack and T. O. Huckle. The admission fee has been reduced from 50 to 25 cents. Many new changes have been made in department heads and management. New attractive features have been obtained to interest visitors. Perry F. Powers, veteran fair manager, again will be in direct management of the exposition.

### Pontiac Employment Shows Steady Trend

Payrolls totalling more than \$1,200,000 monthly have been paid in Pontiac during June and July by major industries and the city and county, a check on payroll figures disclosed.

### Air Traffic Increasing

Business activity is gradually picking up within the mid-western industrial area embracing Detroit, Chicago, Cleveland and 15 other Michigan, Ohio and Indiana cities if figures on traffic in passenger and express flown by United States air mail, passenger and express planes of Transamerican Airlines Corporation, during July, have any significance.

The July report showing 2,726 persons flew with the air mail in this area last month, marked a 11.02 per cent increase over June's total and represented the fourth consecutive monthly increase in air passengers. Detailed figures on the various passenger divisions revealed that 1,437 passengers traveled via amphibian on the 55-minute schedule between Detroit and Cleveland, as compared with 1,292 in June; 1,027 flew on multi-motored land planes between Detroit and Chicago via South Bend, surpassing last month's mark of 881; 262 patronized the local services between Detroit and Chicago, a slight decrease from June's 267.

### Lansing Payrolls Down

Employment in Lansing's 38 factories during July averaged 9,962 persons, according to figures released by the industrial bureau of the Chamber of Commerce. This compares with an average of 10,472 in June, 1931, and 10,750 in July, 1930.

In 18 of the leading plants of the city the average employment last month was 8,896. In June it was 9,414 and in July, 1930, it was 9,314.

### TEXTBOOKS For the Rural Schools of Central Michigan SEND US YOUR ORDER GOVER'S—1099 So. College Ave. Mt. Pleasant, Michigan

### DEPRESSION IS FELT AT JACKSON PRISON

The depression is being felt even at Michigan state prison. A net loss of 18 inmates was reported for the month of July by Record Clerk John J. Crowley. On July 1 the count was 5,610 and on July 31 it was 5,592. New commitments for the month were 121, and 12 were returned as parole violators. During the period 126 men were paroled, 13 went out on completing their maximum term, 3 escaped, 5 died and 9 were discharged in custody.

### Ex-Flint Banker Will Get Parole

James Barron, a former employe of the Union Industrial bank at Flint, will be recommended for a parole by Parole Commissioner Ray O. Brundage under a new state law permitting extra good time as a reward for exemplary conduct. Commissioner Brundage interviewed Barron at the new Michigan state prison. If the governor approves, the Flint man will be released Aug. 25. He will be the fifth Flint bank employe given his freedom since the group of 11 were committed to the prison 18 months ago.

### Air Mail Landing Fee Denied by U. S.

Approval of the federal government is lacking in Jackson's attempt to collect \$50 a month from the Thompson Aeronautical corporation for the use of Reynolds Field, the municipal airport, as a landing place for its air mail planes, according to a letter received by City Manager Walton K. Hodges, from E. B. Wadsworth, superintendent of the air mail service division of the postoffice department.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN  
OFFICE OF THE STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION

Lansing, August 18, 1931  
We hereby certify that the valuation of the several counties in the State of Michigan as equalized by the State Board of Equalization at its regular session in the year 1931, as provided by Act No. 44, of the Public Acts of 1931, as amended, is as follows:

COUNTIES	Valuation as assessed by Supervisors, 1931	Amount added by State Board of Equalization in 1931	Amount deducted by State Board of Equalization in 1931	Aggregate of valuation as equalized by State Board of Equalization in 1931	Percentage of State Tax
Alcona	\$1,149,781		\$150,794	\$3,999,000	.00650820
Alcona	9,741,852		1,346,952	8,435,000	.00107404
Alcona	43,146,114	\$2,962,886		46,109,000	.00587113
Alcona	16,837,790		1,694,790	15,143,000	.00194091
Antrim	7,044,950		687,860	6,357,000	.00808817
Areola	5,792,235		170,235	5,622,000	.00971586
Baraga	8,867,370		439,370	8,428,000	.00108723
Benzie	11,856,273	4,631,727		16,488,000	.00338294
Benzie	73,821,678		4,772,678	69,049,000	.00879132
Benzie	5,000,237		510,237	4,490,000	.00907512
Berrien	80,509,355	7,884,445		88,394,000	.01252868
Branch	24,471,146	9,078,855		33,550,000	.00427197
Calhoun	107,866,290	21,345,710		129,212,000	.01645276
Charlevoix	10,024,433	6,202,964		16,227,000	.00348689
Cheboygan	7,923,206		321,612	7,601,000	.00981417
Chippewa	24,315,869	1,704,131		26,020,000	.00382463
Chippewa	5,997,003	168,997		6,166,000	.00978513
Clinton	24,370,750	6,445,240		30,816,000	.00382463
Crawford	1,189,695		267,695	922,000	.00936302
Delta	18,332,974	2,885,026		21,218,000	.00270172
Eaton	23,833,100	2,900		23,836,000	.00304781
Emmet	33,053,117	9,947,483		43,000,000	.00167416
Emmet	14,025,455	55,539,812	877,455	70,342,000	.03886264
Genesee	25,521,188		241,332	25,280,000	.00899256
Genesee	5,620,322		1,865,221	3,755,000	.00188444
Genesee	66,727,251	1,478,249		68,205,000	.00559879
Grand Traverse	16,743,221	4,297,135		21,040,000	.00494161
Grand Traverse	39,840,865	9,846,645		49,687,000	.00849161
Grand Traverse	28,962,355	197,220		29,159,000	.00849161
Grand Traverse	40,673,780	6,472,262		47,146,000	.00479594
Huron	31,192,738	8,879,535		40,072,000	.02480864
Ingham	183,825,465	5,411,295		189,236,000	.00239063
Ionia	1,019,825	7,823,875		8,843,000	.01712513
Ionia	8,341,405	8,930,650		17,272,000	.00319773
Ionia	26,132,083		2,511,000	23,621,000	.04502863
Ionia	29,431,705	13,947,011		43,378,000	.00644817
Ionia	1,019,825	608,483		1,628,000	.00849161
Ionia	7,909,636		841,636	8,751,000	.00917973
Ionia	27,384,568	3,554,432		30,939,000	.00818709
Ionia	6,530,407		122,407	6,408,000	.00818709
Ionia	1,230,637		517,137	717,000	.00818709
Ionia	27,342,688	4,966,442		32,309,000	.00407576
Ionia	6,650,636		27,605	6,623,000	.00840777
Ionia	7,107,475		123,475	6,984,000	.00848328
Ionia	111,818,772	7,774,228		119,593,000	.01252868
Ionia	15,642,870		685,870	15,928,000	.00191273
Ionia	58,211,832	93,832		58,305,000	.00740025
Ionia	10,820,730		1,200,730	9,620,000	.00199809
Ionia	10,283,270		948,278	9,335,000	.00917973
Ionia	11,253,417		125,417	11,128,000	.00269206
Ionia	19,540,686		579,686	18,961,000	.00241423
Ionia	7,340,486		220,230	7,120,000	.00340183
Ionia	81,208,115	42,885		81,251,000	.00374715
Ionia	29,072,374		1,637,374	27,435,000	.00458334
Ionia	5,651,245		185,245	5,466,000	.00931183
Ionia	106,284,100		13,787,100	120,071,000	.01177829
Ionia	18,422,000		1,086,000	17,336,000	.00927636
Ionia	220,720,182	118,820,318		339,540,000	.05596743
Ionia	12,774,000		399,096	12,375,000	.00157063
Ionia	5,100,108		294,108	4,806,000	.00611396
Ionia	10,321,255		258,105	10,063,000	.00917973
Ionia	9,637,135		438,140	9,200,000	.00622207
Ionia	2,380,491		19,795	2,360,000	.00654416
Ionia	4,371,765		1,744,000	2,627,000	.00985842
Ionia	55,853,964	6,712,096		62,566,000	.00798662
Ionia	8,808,425		1,281,675	7,526,000	.00925759
Ionia	4,371,765		801,829	3,569,000	.00839430
Ionia	138,473,651	10,698,310		149,172,000	.00450282
Ionia	27,500,272	7,112,728		34,613,000	.00404522
Ionia	8,113,910		22,910	8,091,000	.00588832
Ionia	21,879,741	11,561,259		33,441,000	.01324607
Ionia	106,522,508		6,705,508	113,228,000	.00590688
Ionia	33,487,040		5,019,060	28,468,000	.00490688
Ionia	29,782,725		4,627,278	25,155,000	.00483148
Ionia	31,212,032		1,485,947	29,726,000	.00484968
Ionia	109,514,850		29,150,650	138,665,000	.01889244
Ionia	1,206,806,762		310,810,302	1,517,617,000	.00686659
Ionia	12,117,630		30,370	12,148,000	.00167416
Totals	\$7,862,412,129	\$108,753,977	\$58,652,106	\$7,853,514,000	

EDWIN F. SAUNDERS  
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HAROLD B. FULTON  
Secretary of the State Board of Equalization

STATE OF MICHIGAN

Auditor General's Office  
Lansing, August 24, 1931  
I HEREBY CERTIFY that the foregoing transcript of the determination of the State Board of Equalization as filed in my office on the 18th day of August, 1931.

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As next week is Livingston County Fair Week, the New Majestic will have four big nights of dancing starting Monday, Labor Day, will be The Grand Opening. There will be many novelties, speeches, favors etc. One of the features will be "THE SWEETHEART OR KISS WALTZ" Wednesday will get acquainted night, Thursday Carnival night and Saturday will be Whoopie night.  
Mr. McGee intends to conduct a school for dancing a little later, teaching all the new and up-to-date dance steps. There will be two classes a week.  
There will be dancing every Wednesday and Saturday evening all through the winter season.  
Mr. McGee will also operate "The Majestic Sandwich Shop" on the first floor, where hot sandwiches and soft drinks will be served. An expert Fountain Dispenser will be in attendance, who will introduce many new and pleasing mixed drinks, and ice cream specials.  
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**JUSTICE COURT NEWS**  
Richard Simpson of 4215 Bohns Ave. Detroit, was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Vin Kennedy last Thursday on a charge of recklessly driving a motorcycle on the Pinckney Main St. He was taken before Justice Albert Frost found guilty and fined \$15 or fifteen days in jail. He had no money and was taken to the jail with the privilege of paying the fine and being released.

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E. N. Rhodes to Frances Petterson, land in Glen Echo Sub, Genoa twp.  
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Herman H. Swarthout and wife to Harold G. Swarthout and wife, land in section 23, Putnam twp.  
John G. Martin and wife to Frank X. Metz and wife, land in Howell City.  
Theresa A. Marsh to Donald McCormey and wife, land in Gregory.  
Herbert J. Bell and wife to Phil. W. Bell, land in section 8, Handy twp.  
Charles A. Hornick and wife to Detroit Typesetting Co., land in Silver Lake Sub., Green Oak twp.  
Leonard Brown to John Kirk and wife, land in section 13, Genoa twp.

**NOTICE**  
The regular meeting of the Pinckney Chapter O. E. S. will be held Friday evening, Sept. 4th at 8 o'clock p. m.  
Winifred Graves, Sec'y.

**Lee Lavey**  
LOCAL DEALER