

Tax Tidal Wave Still Growing

County Treasurers Throughout the State Are Reporting Tremendously Increased Collections.

Michigan's thousand of tax delinquents are responding to the State's August drive to stimulate payments in proportions approaching a tidal wave, according to Auditor General John J. O'Hara, directing the campaign.

In some cases payments have risen by more than a 100 per cent.

"There is nothing remarkable about it. It is the natural result of a systematic effort to remind the people that real money can be saved by paying back taxes before September 1, either in full or under the ten-year deferred payment plan. It is human nature to forget. But with newspapers, radio stations and billboards constantly proclaiming the benefits to be had by immediate payment it is almost impossible to forget this drive."

In the interest of county treasurers O'Hara requested property holders to pay as soon as possible to avoid the rush that will come as the September 1 deadline approaches.

"Many of these treasurers have put on extra help but still can not keep up with the collections," he said. "Those who intend to pay their back taxes will be doing these men a real favor by paying at once."

During the week, the Auditor General sent county treasurers supplies of descriptive folders which explain in full the advantages of paying back taxes before September 1. Those desiring a copy of the folder can obtain one by writing their local County Treasurer or by calling in person at the office.

First reports from over the state indicate that payments in full and under the ten-year plan are running about even. If this trend continues throughout the drive, collections will exceed the most optimistic expectations.

The largest check for back taxes in Wayne County last week came from the Continental Motor Corporation. It was for \$53,778.00 and covered taxes for 1932, 1933 and 1934.

WHAT ARE THESE TAXES?

Property owners throughout the state are being urged to pay their delinquent taxes. They are being advised that they can save considerable money in accumulated interest and savings by taking advantage of the benefits offered in three plans provided for in the Moore-Holbeck Tax Act. These plans have been explained in these columns. For those who want more detailed information, the county treasurer has descriptive folders which explain the plans in full.

In view of the renewed emphasis placed on taxes by this drive, it might be well to consider just what taxes are. Taxes are not so cold blooded and abstract as they seem. In fact, they are quite alive. The Battle Creek News hit the nail on the head when it stated:

"Taxes are health, convenience, protection, safety, education; smoothness and safety of travel; security of property. Taxes are schoolhouses, teachers, class graduations; disease prevention, title to property, the day in court. Taxes are the police department and the fire department. Taxes are the parks and roads which lead to pleasure land or to the bedside of a stricken relative."

We might add here that back taxes are the overdue and unpaid bills for these services and conveniences. It is these bills which force substantial items for debt service and debt retirement into governmental budgets. It is these items that eat millions of dollars in interest that goes to the lenders of money and not to the people in the way of continued service and convenience.

In the final analysis, urging the payment of taxes is simply reminding the people to do something for themselves. By paying now, they not only save their homes, free themselves from worry and fear over debt and insecurity—they reduce the cost of government. It is they who pay that cost.

WOULD ARREST OAKLAND COUNTY OFFICIALS

George Baynes, Oakland county deputy sheriff, has asked warrants for the arrest of Mayor Scott Lovejoy of Milford and Supervisor Walter Tripp of that township. It seems that several years ago the Oakland County Fair Ass'n bought an automobile of a Pontiac firm. \$300 is still due on it. Saturday was the last night of the Oakland County Fair at Milford last week. The auto firm got out a writ to attach the gate receipts. Baynes claims that when he went to the ticket office to serve the writ Lovejoy and Tripp held him while other officials spirited away the gate receipts. Lovejoy is secretary of the fair and Tripp is also an official.

NOTICE

The Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational Church will hold a sale of baked goods in the Masonic Building, Saturday, Aug. 17th. Please bring your donations early.

Mrs. W. H. Euler, Sec'y.

FALLS FROM TRUCK

A. Heggison, who owns the John Monks farm, was injured Thursday when he fell from a truck while drawing grain. There is an incline near his barn and the truck started in motion while it was being unloaded throwing Mr. Heggison off. We understand his back is injured.

How Pension Plan Applies To Bill Jones

The National Security Act Is Explained As It Applies To the Working Man.

By way of example, this is how the contributory old age pension system in the social security bill is designed to apply to "Bill Jones."

Suppose young Bill is 20 when the bill goes into effect and makes an average monthly salary of \$100 until he is 65. He will get a monthly pension until his death, of \$53.75.

In detail, here is what will happen to him:

In the calendar years 1937, 1938 and 1939, he will pay a salary tax of 1 per cent, or a total of \$30 for the three years. In 1940, 1941 and 1942, he will pay 1 1/2 per cent, or \$54. In 1943, 1944 and 1945, the tax will be 2 per cent, or \$72. In 1946, 1947 and 1948, the tax will be 2 1/2 per cent, or \$90. From 1949 to 1981, inclusive, the tax will be 3 per cent, or a total of \$1,188 for those 33 years.

Thus, in 45 years, Bill Jones will have paid in \$1,440. At the time, his employer will have been matching his tax payments, so the total paid to the federal Treasury will be \$2,880.

Will Get \$6,450 Back

At 65, Bill Jones can expect to live perhaps 10 years more. If he does, he will get back \$6,450.

When Bill Jones dies, this is what will happen:

His average annual salary will be multiplied by the number of years he paid taxes. In other words, if he dies after he has paid taxes for 45 years, \$1,200 will be multiplied by 45, giving a total of \$54,000. Arbitrarily, the bill stipulates that Bill Jones' estate shall be entitled to 3 1/2 per cent of that, or \$1,890—less any amount he received in pensions before he died. If Jones dies before he gets back \$1,890 in pensions, what he actually received is deducted from \$1,890 and the balance paid to his heirs. If he lives until he gets back all of the \$1,890 and more, his heirs get nothing.

IS AWARDED JUDGEMENT

The suit of Sylvester Harris versus William Loll was tried in the court of Justice N. O. Frye here Saturday. A jury trial was asked and Deputy Sheriff Kennedy imposed the following jury: Norman Reason, Bert VanBuren, Sr., H. B. Gyllatian, George Sigler, George Meabon, Sr., Bert Hicks, Arthur Mitchell of Detroit was attorney for Mr. Loll and Sylvester Harris appeared as his own attorney.

A number of years back Mr. Loll purchased a home here. He usually spends the summer here and week ends in the spring and fall. He employed Sylvester Harris as caretaker and watchman. About this time the Haze family left their farm home and sold a quantity of antique furniture. Mrs. Loll purchased \$22.50 worth, borrowing the money from Harris, who, in turn, borrowed it from his mother. This was according to the testimony of Harris, who was his only witness, together with an affidavit from Mrs. Harris and one from Mrs. Hattie Decker to the effect that he had paid her for the furniture.

Mrs. Loll testified that she had looked at the furniture and told Harris that she would take it if Mr. Loll would consent. This the latter refused to do. In their absence, from the Pinckney home Harris brought the furniture to the Loll house. On their return they removed it to their barn and told Harris to take it back to the Haze farm. This he did not do and still remains in the Loll barn. Mrs. Loll admitted borrowing money of Harris but claimed it had been all repaid. Frank Bowers was a character witness for Loll.

Besides the furniture Harris also claimed that other money was coming to him for work etc., together with the furniture amounting to about \$42.00. The jury after being out for about half an hour, gave Harris a verdict of \$27.00. We understand that the case may be appealed to the circuit court.

THRESHING IS NOW IN FULL SWING

Threshing is now in full swing in this section. The grain is not yielding as well as expected, about 20 bushels per acre being the average although some fields are reporting a bigger yield.

It is said some of the hard rains knocked the head off the wheat before they had matured. The straw crop this year is unusually big, however. Some farmers had considerable difficulty with wet wheat. One farmer who threshed found it so wet that he has stored it on the floor of a vacant building and shovels it over every day in an effort to dry it out. Quite a few oats have been cut but the wet weather has prevented them from being drawn and most of them are still in the shock. Those not yet cut are said to be shelling. The hay crop is a bumper one and many alfalfa fields are now ready for their 2nd cutting which is a good thing as the wetness of the marshes has prevented the cutting of only a small quantity of marsh hay in comparison to what was cut last year. Corn, beans and potatoes also promise to be a big crop.

WEE HOBBY SHOPPE

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Dog Days



Soft Ball Games

PINCKNEY WINS AT DEXTER

Pinckney took a game from Dexter last Friday, 7 to 5. Through some misunderstanding Dexter failed to have all of their regulars on the field and used a picked up team. At that time Dexter scored 6 runs, mostly on errors. Each team got seven hits but Pinckney bunched theirs in one inning. Dr. Clark got a triple for Pinckney and Hookie Battle and Jim Singer doubles. Singer's was through fence but under ground rules, he only got two bases.

Pinckney	AB	R	H	PO	A
Jas. Singer, lf	4	1	0	0	0
A. Singer, 3b	3	0	0	1	0
D. Swarthout, p	3	1	1	3	7
Battle, ss, c	3	1	1	2	0
Clark, rf	3	1	1	0	0
Oliver, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Haines, 2b	3	0	0	3	2
F. Singer, rs	3	1	2	0	0
B. Swarthout, c, ss	3	1	1	1	2
C. Clinton, cf	2	1	0	0	0

Dexter	AB	R	H	PO	A
Gordianer, 3b	4	2	2	1	0
Klump, p	4	0	2	0	0
Shoup, p	3	0	0	0	0
Hanschman, lf	3	0	0	0	0
Hill, cf	3	0	1	2	6
Kolander, rf	3	0	0	0	1
Hilliker, rf	3	0	1	1	0
Devine, 2b	3	1	0	3	0
Smith, lf	3	1	0	1	0
Pincham, cf	3	1	1	0	0

Three base hit—Clark. Two base hit—Battle, J. Singer, Gordianer. Struck out by Swarthout 2, Shoup 6. Bases on balls off Swarthout 1, Shoup 1. Left on bases—Pinckney 3, Dexter 5. Umpire—J. Dillaway. Wednesday (tonight) Pinckney will play Plainfield at Pinckney. Next Monday night the Brighton team will play here.

PINCKNEY WINS BALL GAME

The Pinckney Independent defeated Waterloo here Sunday by a score of 8 to 6. The locals were slow in getting started and Waterloo scored three runs in the first inning by means of Pinckney's poor fielding. Reithmiller, pitching for Waterloo, used a cross-bat effectively and Pinckney only got 4 hits the first five innings. In the 6th Pinckney filled the bases and scored 3 runs off hits by Ward and Miller. Three more runs were scored in the 7th when Barton, who had replaced Reithmiller, walked three men.

Jackson started pitching for Pinckney but withdrew after the first inning and Dr. Howell finished.

Pinckney	AB	R	H	PO	A
Miller, rf	3	1	2	1	0
B. Dillaway, 3b, lf	3	0	0	12	0
Ferrell, c	5	0	2	7	0
J. Dillaway, ss	5	0	0	1	5
J. Lamb, 2b	4	1	2	2	4
Joe Singer, cf	1	0	0	0	0
Shehan, cf	3	2	1	0	0
Howell, lf, p	4	2	3	7	0
Reason, lf	4	1	0	0	0
Jackson, p	0	0	0	0	0
Ward, 3b	3	1	2	1	2

Waterloo

Waterloo	AB	R	H	PO	A
Closser, 2b	5	0	1	3	0
Boyce, c	4	0	0	5	0
Meininger, 3b	4	1	0	2	1
Coop, r, ss	4	1	2	6	0
O. Beaman, rf	4	1	2	0	0
O. Beaman, lf	4	0	0	1	1
Harvey, cf	3	2	0	3	0
Fowler, cf	3	2	0	3	0
Reithmiller, p	3	0	0	0	0
Barton, p	1	0	0	0	0

Two base hit—Miller, Ferrell, I. Beama. Double play—Lamb to J. Beama. Struck out by Dillaway 7, Reithmiller 2, Barton 3. Bases on balls off Howell 1, Reithmiller 2, Barton 3. Left on bases—Pinckney 9, Waterloo 4. Umpire—Amberg.

BATTING AVERAGES

Player	Games	AB	R	H	Pct.
Ward	1	3	1	2	.666
Howell	13	30	13	15	.416
J. Dillaway	13	42	6	15	.357
B. Dillaway	16	40	6	14	.350
Hannewald	10	41	8	10	.243
Miller	17	67	11	21	.313
J. Lamb	16	61	12	19	.311
Budd	12	46	9	15	.304
Dinkel	10	23	6	7	.304
Shehan	14	34	9	10	.293
W. Lamb	9	16	3	4	.250
Reason	11	32	6	7	.217
Ferrell	15	52	8	11	.211

The Weekly Church Program Catholic Church Service

Rev. Lewis M. Dion  
Masses: 8:00 A. M. and 11:00 A. M.  
Devotion to Our Mother of Perpetual Help Saturday at 7:00 P. M.  
Confessions 7:00 P. M. Saturday.

Baptist Church

Rev. D. F. Esie, Pastor  
Services each Sunday  
Morning worship 10:30  
Special and separate services for the little folks.  
Sunday School 11:45  
Classes for all  
B. Y. P. U. 7:00  
Evening Worship 8:00  
Thurs. evening prayer service 8:00

Congregational Church

Mrs. C. E. Baughn, Organist  
Rev. C. H. Zuse, Minister  
Sunday Morning Worship, 10:30  
Special service for Junior Congregation  
Sunday School Session for All at 11:00 A. M.  
Children's service for All Young People at 7:00 P. M.  
Exceedingly Welcome

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Will be open Friday and Saturday at 10:30 A. M. until further notice. For appointment call 46.

SHOE REPAIR NOTICE

I will repair Pinckney every Wednesday and Saturday. All shoes coming in will be fixed please leave them at my home on West Main St. Steve Niga.

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We grow all kinds of bait in our Pinckney baiting ponds, including minnows, shiners, worms etc. We have a variety of Golden Shiner Baiting Pond. See us if in need of bait.

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COUNCIL OF RELIGIOUS MEETS EDUCATION

The executive committee of the Council of Religious Education met at a meeting on Monday afternoon, August 5th, at the home of C. B. Baker, teachers and treasurers met in S. S. work to attend.

The County Secretary and Treasurer gave their reports. Decision was made to hold a five-hour course of study in "Leadership Training" at the Congregational Church on Wednesday, August 14th, and 15th. Class hours will be arranged and notice given later. District Committee was elected as follows: President, Mrs. Roy Lamson, Oak Grove; Vice Pres., Mrs. Claude Burkhardt, Cohoctah; Sec., Mrs. Helen Cook, Fowlerville; Treas., Mrs. Raymond Boos, Fowlerville.

S. E. District will notify their committee to attend the five-hour course planned for Oct. 4th, 5th and 6th. Committee as follows: Pres., Rev. Curtis Howell; Vice Pres., Barney Roepke; Umpire, Sec., Rev. Shalbaugh, Gregory; Treas., Mrs. James Foster, Iosco.

Central District including Howell and Brighton will hold a meeting in Brighton on August 19th. Everyone interested please attend these meetings. Please bring in wherever in paper. N. E. District meeting will be held on Sept. 12th. Those given later, Mrs. James Foster, Co. Sec. Fowlerville, R. F. D.

To Whom It May Concern: My wife, Barbara Mustatia, and myself having separated, I shall not be responsible for any debts or obligations contracted by her after this date. Dated August 10, 1935. Nick Mustatia, Gregory, Mich.

SWIM! PICNIC! Newport Bathing Beach Portage Lake Constantly changing water.

Two Drown At Bishop Lake Sunday

Two Detroiters Get Beyond Their Depth Sunday and Lose Lives.

Two Detroiters lost their lives by drowning at Bishop Lake, just east of Pontiac early Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kincaid of 2336 Bellvue Ave., Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald McKenzie of 14191 Chapel Ave., and their 12 year old daughter were at the lake for the week end. About 12:30 Sunday morning the two men went in bathing. Kincaid was 24 years old and could not swim. He went down and McKenzie, who was about 36 years old dove for him. He also failed to come up to the surface of the lake again. The sheriff's office at Howell was called at about 1:00 A. M. and Deputies Kennedy and Bassett went out. They failed to find the bodies. After dragging the lake for some time, assisted by Roy Hardy, the body of Kincaid was recovered. The bodies of the day was spent in searching for McKenzie but to no avail. The search was resumed Monday morning but up to noon the body was still in the lake.

PLAY COLORED TEAM SUNDAY

The Pinckney Independent will play the Barrett Service team of Jackson at Pinckney on next Sunday, August 18. This is a last colored aggregation and they are said to put up a fast game of ball, having defeated most of the first class teams of this section. The game will start at 3:00 P. M. and Pinckney will have a good lineup.

THE STOCKBRIDGE HOME-COMING AND CENTENNIAL

Aided by good weather, always the main consideration, Stockbridge put on a successful Centennial celebration last week. The first day the 4-H club parade took place. The second day the big street parade. This was a large one and besides Stockbridge Pinckney and Fowlerville entered floats. Pinckney entered the village float used in their Centennial last July 4th. This was a patriotic float on which Uncle Sam, in costume, rode on the float and in front marched Miss Columbia and her train of infants in red, white and blue costumes. Mrs. Betty Clinton was Miss Columbia, and her attendants were Jeanne Clinton, Lou Kennedy, Wella M. von Ruth, Nash, Margaret Carter, Jane Carr, Betty Carr, Jeanne Graves, Raymond, Lorraine and Clara Ledwidge. Don Swarthout represented Uncle Sam.

Each club had a float, teamed with a wagon carrying their Centennial in 1935 and carrying three girls in colonial costumes with spinning wheels.

The Jackson prison band of 75 pieces marched in the parade and also a drill company from a boxing company. There were two ox teams and numerous display entered by the merchants, O. L. S. school, church's etc.

A very large and interesting display of new and antique goods in the district store windows. In the ball game, Stockbridge beat a Jackson colored team 4 to 3 and lost to the red 4 vs 9 to 3. The Stockbridge old timers won the ball game.

The speakers were State Highway Commissioner, Murray VonWagoner, John C. Ketchum and Walter Truckner. Ketchum replaced Congressman Blackney.

The WLS Barn Dance show played to crowded hall each night. This is a sort of amateur vaudeville in which Amos and Andy, Kate Smith and other radio characters are impersonated. Miss Vivian Griffith of Chicago directed the cast. Lawrence McClure, Vet. Radio of Gregory and Emerson Kinsey of Plainfield had parts in it. There were a large number of concessions on the public square there. The Howell American Legion Post took out a permit and sold beer by the glass.

RELOCATES IN FOWLERVILLE

Dr. Bernard Glenn, who has practiced medicine in Detroit for a number of years, will again to Fowlerville where he formerly practiced medicine and will resume his practice there on Sept. 1. Dr. Glenn is a son of the late R. M. Glenn and a graduate of the Pinckney high school. He graduated from the University of Michigan in medicine and surgery in 1903 and located at Fowlerville, later going to Detroit.

WINS CHEST OF SILVER

W. J. Tipplady, general agent for American Life Insurance Co. at Ann Arbor, won 3rd prize in a field of 400 agents located in various states for paid for business from January 1 to August 1, 1935. There were 10 prizes, the first prize being a Ford V-8 sedan.

BOARD OF COMMERCE TO TAKE IN BALL GAME

The members of the Pinckney Board of Commerce and their wives have ordered tickets for the Detroit-New York base ball game to be played at Detroit next Monday, August 19. Thirty-six have signified their intention of going. This used to be an annual affair at Pinckney but in the old days one of Blanchard's buses was chartered. This year the trucks will be made in suits.

Current Comment

The state of Michigan is making extra efforts to collect the large delinquent tax in this state, and has appropriated \$75,000 to advertise the advantages to be gained by paying up back taxes. Way back to the time "when the memory of men runneth not to the contrary" efforts have been made to find a painless method of taxation. For years real estate property carried the bulk of taxes. Year by year they mounted until the load became so heavy that it could not be collected. For a time it looked as if the state would acquire most of the land on back taxes. Then monuments became stylish and for some years back collection of the property tax has not been enforced. Now the state is endeavoring to collect these back taxes. They also offer a special plan by which, if you pay your 1933 and 1934 taxes, you are given ten years to pay the others which are delinquent. Otherwise property on which taxes remain unpaid is liable to be sold for taxes as the monuments will not last forever.

With the resignation of Mrs. Fred Alger of Detroit from the state liquor commission, this board will lose much of its prestige. She was one of the foremost advocates of a repeal and head of the women's organization opposed to prohibition, gave appointment to the commission, liver a prestige and dignity which was much needed. However, she was not in favor of Gov. Fitzgerald's contemplated changes and resigned. Her resignation gives the governor control of the commission and most of his changes will probably be put into effect although some seem to have been tabled. The following recommendations of the governor have been accepted:

1. Cut the salaries and pension of the liquor commission so that it can operate within its budget.

2. Turn the enforcement of the liquor laws over to the state police. The plan offered by State Police Commissioner Olander was turned down as it would give the date of inspecting and policing liquor plants to the city police and sheriff. It was instructed to draw up a new plan.

3. Reduce the number of liquor stores from 101 to 75.

4. Discharge 80 liquor inspectors and add 33 more state police. Also establish 7 more state police stations.

The recommendations to repeal a scheme from beer parlor, window, eliminate beer parlors in back room, or residences were tabled. Also the one to abolish booths in beer parlor, large hotels and cafes, and against the abolishing of the 12 ft. 6 in. however, may be limited to 12 inches in height.

The recommendations to increase the number of liquor retail dealers, to employ a publicity man and also a business manager were not considered.

Repeal, like prohibition, seems to have its problems. According to the official organ of the Wine and Liquor Dealers Inc., the bootleggers are still selling one half of the liquor consumed. One of the chief arguments for repeal was that it would not be bootlegger out of business. The only way to do this is to lower the liquor tax to a point where the bootlegger cannot make a profit selling liquor. However, this would destroy another strong argument that won many votes for repeal. This was that the liquor business would yield huge revenue to carry on the government and reduce taxes. So working out a satisfactory liquor plan is like grabbing a bear by the tail. You don't dare let go.

The assertion is made that Gov. Fitzgerald is under the influence of the Anti-Saloon League for the reason that Walter Rice, appointed to succeed William Ward on the state liquor commission, was formerly employed by the league. This proves nothing. The Anti-Saloon League, in the heyday of their power, employed many attorneys, many of whom probably did not see eye-to-eye with them.

All the money found in the slot machines which the police and sheriff's officers about the state have been busy confiscating goes to the body confiscating the machines. According to the Lansing State Journal Ingham county has received \$123.50 from this source and the city of Lansing \$95.37. This does not include the money found in the large number of machines seized the past week.

TOY AND THE STATE

No general law against gambling can be enforced. Wagers can be made in any living room, grandstand or club; outdoors or indoors; on the turn of a card, a toss at the crack in the floor, the numbers on a dollar bill. The law can see to it that gambling "rackets" for the profit of third parties are halted. One of the biggest of these is the slot machine business, where the player hasn't a real chance against the machine.

Any number of the machines fool the players by dummy symbols; others can be opened and the jackpot removed at intervals when nobody is around. In Michigan this racket has run wide open for a number of years, occasionally pestered but seldom really hindered. A big hullabaloo is made with each change in administration.

This biennial shouting about enforcing the slot machine gambling laws is, or at least has been, one of our major Michigan hypocrisies. It just hasn't meant anything. Attorney General Toy has been extra vociferous the past few



# WASHINGTON DIGEST

National Topics Interpreted

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Washington.—One of the oldest and perhaps the most constant of all complaints about the federal government at Washington has been the tendency toward bureaucratic control. Bureaucratic control, simmered down, is red tape; it is attempted management of even personal affairs by a government agency and it is naturally and obviously repulsive to the average American. It was a condition thoroughly to be criticized in Mr. Hoover's administration when there were boards, bureaus, and commissions everywhere. It is even worse now, I believe, with all of the New Deal's alphabetic soup agencies scattered higher and yon in execution of various New Deal experiments and theories.

All of this constitutes a prelude to what appears to me to be a most flagrant attempt by bureaucrats to manage private affairs. I refer to an order issued the other day by the federal communications commission under which I cannot believe congress ever intended it should have. Further, the asserted jurisdiction which the commission is seeking to exercise goes far beyond anything which might be made the basis of complaint solely because it is bureaucratic. It has reached into the field of commercial enterprise in a manner which, without a doubt, will have the effect of covering invention and experiment in industry with a destructive frost bite—if the commission is allowed to get away with it.

The facts involved are these: The American Telephone and Telegraph company, which is spending millions of dollars annually in scientific research to improve our system of communications such as the telephone, the telegraph, and the radio, lately has perfected what is technically known as the coaxial cable. This cable is revolutionary. It holds the possibility of transmission of 240 telephonic conversations simultaneously over a single pair of wires. It is not commercially complete in all of its phases. Like every organization of sound judgment, the A. T. & T. wants to iron out weaknesses and imperfections through a period of experimental operation.

Here is where the federal communications commission enters the picture.

## FCC Enters Picture

As a courtesy, purely, the A. T. & T. submitted its plan for experimentation to the communications agency, saying as it did so that the commission did not have jurisdiction but that in the development of such a revolutionary invention the corporation was advising the commission of its plans and suggested that if the commission thought it had jurisdiction it could issue an experimental license covering the work. In all of this it is to be remembered that the communications commission has jurisdiction over rates, regulations, and practices of the wire, telephone and radio companies.

It seems that some bright young men in the communications commission immediately conceived the idea of having that group take jurisdiction when legal authorities tell me there is nothing in the law giving them that authority. The story I get around the commission lobbies is that the A. T. & T. would not have objected to having the commission exercise what it believed its right to be in granting a license for the experiment but when the order emerged from the secret chamber of the commission, it carried in it a provision which said that the commission could withdraw its approval and nullify the permission granted on 10 days' notice as it saw fit.

Suffice to say that this provision together with several other technical phases of the circumstances was enough to arouse the ire of the business men concerned. They are not only disgusted. They are downright sore. It is one of those things that politicians, undertrained in science, attempt to do that cause practical people to lose faith in their government.

If it were simply a fight between the A. T. & T. and the commission that is involved, the situation would hold no interest at all for me as a Washington writer. But, as I said above, it goes much further. I am told that some officials of the A. T. & T. are so dissatisfied with the attitude of the commission in this instance that they are ready, even anxious, to withdraw their application and decline to proceed with this experiment which ultimately is going to mean enormous changes in telephonic and telegraphic contact between cities located great distances apart. The A. T. & T. engineers have been working on this problem some six or seven years. They proposed to build 100 miles of cable by connecting New York and Philadelphia. It had very little of the commercial in it. They wanted to try out transmission of television images for rebroadcast by radio. They wanted to perfect further the transmission of photographs by wire and they were desirous as well of

determining whether they had discovered all of the potentialities of the new invention. All of the expenses—some six hundred thousand dollars—was to be paid from surplus funds of the corporation.

It takes no stretch of the imagination to realize that if the A. T. & T. backed away from the program it has laid out and refused to spend more money in perfecting its invention and declined to attempt to put it into commercial use for the benefit of the country as a whole, the country, that is you and I, would suffer. We would be denied advantages developed by science and made available virtually as a national benefit.

I do not know what the end will be. It is not at a stage wherein a forecast is possible. But the principle of the commission's action, whether it be put forward under Democratic or Republican administration, remains exactly the same. It should not be tolerated and if the communications commission persists in its efforts to expand its control, its usefulness certainly is at an end. Hitherto, the communications commission has had a very satisfactory relationship with business. I have heard dozens of executives from communications corporations say they were willing to forgive and generally overlook ignorance piled up in the commission by political appointments in several spots. They wanted to cooperate but it is the opinion of more than just myself among Washington observers that this sort of thing does not contribute to good government.

Duck hunters will have only 30 days for shooting this fall in accordance with the most rigid regulations in the history of American game hunting.

## Now, as to Duck Hunting

This is the result of a determination by the federal government under an act of congress to give migratory wild fowl an opportunity to increase in numbers. In explaining the government's action which was made the subject of a proclamation by President Roosevelt, J. N. (Ding) Darling, chief of the biological survey and an internationally known cartoonist, declared that unless the shooting of ducks and other wild fowl is restricted it is only a question of time until none of them remain.

It is assumed that hunters will be interested first in the period during which they may shoot ducks, geese, brant, or jacksnipe. The season will open in northern states October 21 and will close November 19. In the southern states the season will run from November 20 to December 10.

For the information of hunters there is set out below the states included in the northern area where hunting may be done between October 21 and November 19:

Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, Pennsylvania, West Virginia, Ohio, Michigan, Indiana, Illinois, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, North Dakota, South Dakota, Nebraska, Kansas, Montana, Wyoming, Colorado, Idaho, Utah, Washington, Oregon, and Nevada.

The southern states listed and in which hunting may occur from November to December 19 follows:

New Jersey, Delaware, Maryland, Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Kentucky, Tennessee, Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma, Texas, New Mexico, Arizona, and California.

Regulations issued by the biological survey, according to Mr. Darling, are based on the necessity of having a net annual increase of migratory birds left over at the end of each shooting season until the present depleted population of waterfowl is restored to something like normal. This year's rigid restrictions, he explained, follow a period of approximately thirty-five years during which the kill of wild fowl has exceeded the increase from breeding.

To give an idea of how thoroughly the wild fowl are to be protected, the new regulations prohibit shooting over what is known as baited water or land—that is, land or water on which feed has been scattered as an inducement for the birds to stop their flight. Another thing ruled out in this effort to protect the water fowl is the live decoy. This has always been the most effective method for luring wild fowl from the air. None will be allowed hereafter.

The regulations restrict shooting to the hours between 7 a. m. and 4 p. m., a course taken in order to permit birds in flight an opportunity to feed without being subjected to pot shots. Automatic and repeating shot guns will be restricted to a limit of three shells for their chambers and no shot guns larger than a No. 10 gauge will be permitted.

Mr. Darling who has gained a reputation as an enthusiast for game conservation, relinquished his work as a cartoonist in order to carry out his ideals. It has taken him some months to work out a program but he feels his efforts have been worth while.

## Glamorous Midsummer Silk Prints

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



MIDSUMMER prints are simply gorgeous. Adjectives, no matter how extravagant, how eloquent or picturesque, fall short of describing them. It is impossible to capture their beauty of color and design and release it via mere words. Like the full blown rose that reaches perfection of bloom in midsummer, the lovely prints now worn, especially the sumptuous evening prints, have reached to such heights of glamorous beauty one's very being thrills at the sight of them.

The enchanting gowns here pictured are self-explanatory as to why women continue to adore prints. The superlative loveliness of the stately model to the left in the group carries the message that no happier choice can be made in the way of a summery evening gown than a filmy, vaporous printed chiffon which silhouettes huge white waterlilies touched with pink and green shadows against a misty blue background. The scardlike arrangement which falls across the shoulders, floating in summer airiness at every move, is typical of current styling.

Then there is a frock of perfectly beautiful flower-printed silk fantasy crepe which the lady seated is wearing. To mar the perfection of this glorified print with a superfluous trimming touch would be an unforgivable gesture. Which is why the designer fashioned this superb print along absolute simplicity lines. This print is vivid with splashes and dashes of warm tropical colors—as gay, as gorgeous as a bird of brilliant exotic plumage.

The lovely dress with a cape centered in the picture has a story of fascinating interest to tell. It is of violet-gray mousseline de sole. Huge flower appliques, cutouts from a silk

poppy print, are festooned on the cape forming a garland about the shoulders, also spiraling around the skirt in double file. The soft sash is of charming green silk taffeta.

This gown is especially significant in that it demonstrates the use of cut-out florals from printed fabric as a trimming feature. Designers are doing very clever things along this line of thought. One striking effect is the lei or garland which is worn about the shoulders like a boa or necklace, or is used to finish low-cut necklines, that is made entirely of cutout flowers taken from gay printed chiffons or crepes or whatever the silken material may be. Boutonnieres made of the same print as the frocks with which they are worn are also smartly in vogue.

Perhaps one of the most unique and charming adaptations of cutout print florals is seen in sleeves which are formed of the flower motifs which are caught in the center only, the petals fluttering out as if they were real flowers. These flower sleeves contrast a monotone frock. By the way, advance news in regard to fall fashions places special emphasis on the approaching vogue of contrasting sleeves, such as lace or silk print or embroidered sleeves used with monotone silk or velvet or wool for the frock.

Again, speaking of the use of cutout print motifs, cunning collar and cuff sets are formed in the manner described above. The theme is one that may be handsomely worked out for bridesmaids' hat and muff sets.

The fair for beautiful prints also expresses itself in that several dressmakers are making up plain chiffon over printed satin slips. The effect is entrancing. A timely hint for your next party dress.

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## FALL FORECAST

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



The dramatic sweep of ostrich feathers on fall hats forecasts the return to elegance in fashion. Ostrich feathers straight, curled, jaunty or flowing are being worn on all types of hats from sports to evening. The picturesque afternoon hat in the illustration is in bright green velvet. Its crown is cut sharply in half by a beautiful black and white plume which emerges undisturbed from the brim, curling softly down over the neck. The other hat is a type which milliners are showing for wear with dinner dresses. The body of the hat is sheared net—serves as a foundation for the luxurious feather which softens the brim and trim.

## FLOWERS CURRENT THEME OF STYLISTS

"Flowers for Madame" is the current theme song of the stylists.

Fresh flowers are being used as a definite part of current costume ensembles, used in new and unusual ways. There is, in case you didn't know it, a "tailored corsage" of orchids, for wear with tailored daytime costumes. The stems are wound with velvet ribbon, in a color to harmonize with the ensemble, and are pinned against the collar of the frock or jacket.

For evening gay young things are wearing a spray of small pink orchids across the back of the head, tiara fashion.

Flowers in the hair are all the rage just now. Reminiscent of Carmen are the sprays of red camellias worn by dashing brunets these nights on their dark curls, just behind the right ear.

Another new idea is that of attaching a single orchid to your jeweled bracelet.

## New Silk Patent Leather Belts for Daytime Wear

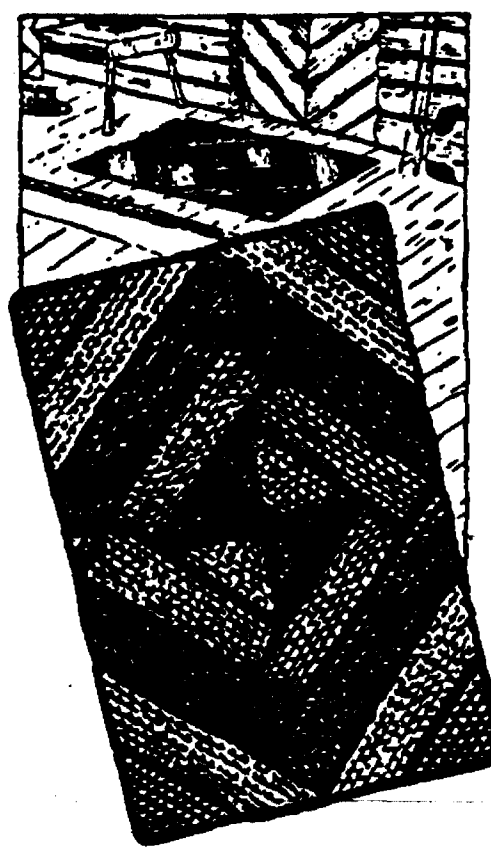
Like soft, crushed girdles are the new silk patent leather belts for daytime dresses. They fit snugly around the waist, and are just a bit wider than the belts you've been wearing. The colors match or contrast with all your new summer dresses—bright red, dark red, pink, lilac, yellow and black. They give a smart touch that adds so much to your costume and proves that it pays to be up-to-date even in details!

## Gilt Bead Jabots

Jabots are not always of organdie or lace. The silver and gilt bead variety is modernistic and combines the role of dress jewelry with that of a jabot.

## Log Cabin Effect in Crocheted Rug

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



Log cabins are always picturesque, and the many antiques usually found about the place add much to complete the picture.

We can't all live in cabins, but we can satisfy our antique cravings by giving these ideas some space in our homes.

This "Log Cabin" crocheted rug was developed from the old "Log Cabin" quilt which is known to many of our readers. This model measures 28x42 inches and requires about 4 pounds of rag rug material.

The inner square of 4 triangles is made first. Four elongated pieces of same size form the first row around center, two short and two long pieces form the next or second row. Four pieces of same size from the third row. Four same size triangles fit in corners. Slip-stitch sections together in black and single crochet all around in black. Color scheme may be all brown in light and dark shades or mixed colors. Alternate panels in light and dark shades to give contrast to rows. Measure each section as the work progresses and fit sections into spaces. Rag rug material may vary in weights.

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## Different Game

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"I think, sir," remonstrated the clergyman, "if you have no respect for yourself, you might at least show respect for the cloth."

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1801 Dime Bank Building  
Detroit, Michigan.

**MORTGAGE SALE**  
Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by OLIVER GOLD-SMITH and ANGELINE GOLD-SMITH, his wife, Mortgagees, to STATE SECURITY and REALTY COMPANY, a Michigan corporation, Mortgagee, dated the 1st day of December, A. D., 1927, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, for the County of Livingston, and State of Michigan, on the 3rd day of December A. D. 1927, in Liber 130 of Mortgages, on Pages 348-353, which said mortgage was thereafter on the 14th day of September, A. D. 1928, assigned to GRANGE LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a Michigan corporation, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Livingston County on the 10th day of October A. D. 1928, in Liber 130 of Mortgages on Pages 372-373, and further assigned to MICHIGAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, a Michigan corporation, by assignment dated the 24th day of May, A. D. 1930, and recorded on the 21st day of August, A. D. 1930, in Volume 134 of Mortgages on Page 235, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due, at the date of this notice, for principal, interest and insurance, the sum of Six Thousand One Hundred Sixty Nine Dollars and Six Cents (\$6,169.06), as provided for by law. No suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now, Therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 1st day of October 1935, at 12:00 o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the West door to the Court House in City of Howell, Livingston County, Michigan, (that being the building where the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due, as aforesaid, on said mortgage, with the interest thereon and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including the attorney fees, and also any sum or sums which may be paid by the mortgagee for taxes, insurance, etc., to protect the mortgagee's interest in the premises. Which said premises are described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Genoa, in the County of Livingston and State of Michigan and described as follows, to-wit:

"The southeast quarter of section thirty (30) and the southeast quarter (1/4) of the southwest quarter (1/4) of section thirty (30), Town Two (2) North, Range Five (5) East, containing two hundred acres of land, more or less, in said township and county and state aforesaid. Together with the hereditaments and appurtenances thereof." Dated at Detroit, Michigan, July 1, 1935.

**MICHIGAN LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY,**  
a Michigan corporation,  
Assignee of Mortgagee,  
Hugh Francis and M. Simmons,  
Attorney for Assignee of Mortgagee  
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### CHILDREN WILL LIKE MILK WITH FLAVORS

Chocolate, Fruit Juices, and Spices Can Be Used To Make Tempting Drinks.

Children whose appetites for milk must be encouraged in hot weather often are more than glad to drink the needed daily amount if simple flavors are added.

The most common milk drink is chocolate milk. A supply of the chocolate syrup can be made and then used as needed. Twelve pounds of sugar are mixed thoroughly with one pound of cocoa, one-half pound corn-starch, two tablespoons cream of tartar, and a dash to ground cinnamon. This is boiled for a few minutes in a gallon of water, cooled, and three ounces of vanilla are added. One ounce of the syrup is added to seven ounces of milk.

One and one-half pounds of chocolate may be used instead of the cocoa. The cocoa settles out of the drink quicker than chocolate but is readily remixed by shaking. Smaller amounts of syrup can be made by using proportionately smaller amounts of each ingredient.

Jams, marmalades, or fruit juices make fine flavors for milk. Two or three teaspoonsful to the glass are usually enough but the amount can be varied to suit individual tastes. Grape, raspberry, blackberry, pineapple, and cherry are popular flavors.

Spiced milk is easy to prepare. Add a teaspoonful of sugar and a dash each of powdered cloves, cinnamon and nutmeg to a glass of hot milk. The mixture is beaten smooth and served hot.

Children who beg for carbonated drinks can be coaxed into the milk drinking clan by adding a portion of carbonated beverage to milk. The carbon dioxide gives the milk a tang which children like.

Other milk drink receipts can be obtained by asking for a bulletin from the College home economic extension department, East Lansing.

### NOTICE OF MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Clarence E. Glenn and Carrie B. Glenn, husband and wife, of Putnam Township, Livingston County, Michigan, to James C. White and Bessie B. White, husband and wife, of Cincinnati, Ohio, which mortgage was dated the twenty-second day of April, 1918, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Livingston County, Michigan, on the twenty-sixth day of April, 1918, in Liber 103 of Mortgages at page 420, which said mortgage was assigned by the mortgagees therein named to Fred Glenn, by assignment thereof, dated the eighth day of October, 1919, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Livingston County, Michigan, on the sixteenth day of October, 1919, in Liber 119 of Mortgages on page 1, which said mortgage was further assigned, pursuant to the last will and testament of Edwin R. Ostrander, by an order of the Probate Court for Washtenaw County, Michigan, which order was dated the seventh day of July, 1932, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said County of Livingston, on the eleventh day of July, 1932, in Liber 172 of Deeds at page 399, to Edwin Kenneth Purchase and Marie C. Purchase, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice of principal and interest, on the sixteenth day of October, 1919, in Liber 119 of Mortgages on page 6, which said mortgage was further assigned by Fred Glenn and Tirzah Glenn, wife, to Edwin R. Ostrander, by assignment thereof, dated the thirtieth day of October, 1919, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for said County of Livingston, on the sixteenth day of October, 1919, in Liber 119 of Mortgages on page 1, which said mortgage was further assigned, pursuant to the last will and testament of Edwin R. 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Wed., Thurs., Fri., Aug. 14, 15, 16

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Jack London's Red Blooded Story  
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With  
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Double Feature  
Feature No. 1  
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William Haines

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"THE MARINES ARE COMING"  
With Conrad Nagel and Esther Ralston

Cartoon Sunday, Monday Matinee Sunday 2 P. M. Cont. Aug. 18, 19

Warner Baxter and Kittie Gallian

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Spencer Tracy—Wendy Barrie—Raymond Walburn

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Gene Stratton Porter's Famous Novel

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## Plainfield

Mrs. Flora Sageon of Flint visited old friends Tuesday, Mrs. Bradley for dinner. Mrs. Jessie Topping for supper and attended the Guild at the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chipman of Gregory called Tuesday evening on Mrs. Jessie Topping and took Mrs. Sageon home with them.

The Ladies' Guild met Tuesday afternoon at the church for a business meeting and worked on new curtains for the church.

Mrs. Eva Jacobs spent Thursday night with Mrs. A. L. Dutton. A good number from here attended the Centennial at Stockbridge Friday and Saturday.

The Mages reunion was held Saturday at the Topping cottage at Josylin Lake. About 70 were present.

The week end guests at Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Sweets' and Mrs. Sarah Mages' were Sam Mages of Chelsea, Mr. Fred Mages of Jackson, Dale Sweet and Howard Smith and family of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Burtis Sweet of the Howell Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wright and children of New York state called on Mrs. Jessie Topping and family Saturday.

Rev. Cook and wife of Garr, Pa., daughter and son from Indiana and son, Rev. Cook of Conn., called on Mrs. Bradley last week and Mrs. Cook remained a couple of days.

Mr. Harry Dillon of Saginaw with Mr. William Longnecker and sister, Mrs. Alice Collard, called Sunday on Mrs. E. N. Bradley.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton called Sunday on Mr. and Mrs. Birney Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurst Altes and sons of Detroit were week end guests at the Topping home and attended the Centennial at Stockbridge Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Whitby and children, Sam and Hilda Williams of Hickory Corners were week end guests of Rev. Swadling.

Rodric Swadling of Raco, C.C.C. camp came last Wednesday and spent the remainder of the week with his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Swadling. He will return this Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dillon and daughter, Mrs. Alice Collard of Saginaw were Sunday guests of Mr. Wm. Longnecker and Mr. C. O. Dutton.

## Hamburg

The outstanding feature of the meeting of Hamburg Hive, No. 392, Lady Macabees, held at I.O.O.F. hall Tuesday, was a sumptuous Bohemian dinner served at 1 o'clock with Mrs. Ida Knapp, Mrs. Kate B. Quail and Mrs. Myrtle R. Smith as committee in charge. The business session was in charge of the commander, Mrs. Gladys Lee. This was followed by playing cootie, conducted by Mrs. Emily Kuchar and Mrs. Minnie Cooper. First and second prizes were won by Mrs. Mary Downing and Mrs. Emily Blades on a draw with Mrs. Myrtle Smith, and consolation by Mrs. Gladys Lee. Those who will act for the good of the order at the next meeting to be held Tuesday afternoon, August 20th, are Mrs. Gladys Lee and Mrs. Elizabeth Houghton. It had been expected members of Howell Hive would be present. Dr. Russell Hayner, an internist at Highland Park Hospital, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James H. Hayner. He was accompanied to Highland Park Sunday by his parents and brother, J. R. Hayner.

Mrs. Ida Knapp and son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. George D. Knapp spent Friday with Mrs. Ida Knapp's daughter, Mrs. Clarence Hamnell and family at Howell. Little Miss Mabel Hamnell came home with them to spend a week with her grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Smith, who have been spending a week with their son, Cleo Smith and family, have gone to Leslie to visit Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. J. B. Steele and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Shannon Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Shannon Jr. have gone to Verona, N. J., to visit Mr. and Mrs. Shannon Sr.'s son, Bernard Shannon and family. They expect to be absent about two weeks.

William Blades, who has been poorly for some weeks is somewhat improved.

Mrs. Elmira Bennett is visiting Mrs. Louisa B. Hull in Ann Arbor. Mrs. Mary E. Royce is visiting her cousin, Mrs. Grace McDowell, of Howell.

Miss Margaret Dunning, district supervisor of the Flint Dairy and Food council, has returned to her work after spending a month's vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Clyde Dunning.

Guests at the home of Miss Jule Adele Ball Thursday evening were Miss Betty and Harrison Harwood of Ann Arbor township and Walter MacPeck of Ann Arbor, Boy Scout executive.

Mrs. Smith Martin attended the annual Poland family reunion held at Potter's Park, Lansing, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Britten of Howell were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Britten's brother, Thomas W. Featherly and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brooks and sons, Donald, Wilbur and Thomas, of Ypsilanti were guests Sunday of Mrs. Brook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Blades. Donald remained for a more extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Darling and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bowman of Lansing were guests of Mr. Darling's sister and Mr. Bowman's aunt, Mrs. James H. Hayner and family, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Albert and Ralph Dittmar of Pontiac were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Young Saturday.

## ANNOUNCEMENT

For a limited time I will repair furniture and put it in first-class condition. Don't throw it away because it is in a falling down condition. All kinds of cabinet work done to order. Bring in your repair work and save money.

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## Gregory

Miss Martha Mabeck is assisting Mrs. Clarence Marshall this week. Mrs. Walter Sawyer of Howell visited several days last week with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Love and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Page (nee Alyce Resisco) and the former's mother, Mrs. Page of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mrs. Donald Page's sister, Mrs. Ray Lavey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galbreath and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hartley had as week end guests, relatives from Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. George Arnold took Thelma Bowman home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Carr spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Meyer and family entertained the sister of Mrs. Gregory.

Meyer and her two daughters of Detroit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian Bull called on the former's brother, William, and wife and their company from Wasco, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McCorney of Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ovit Sunday.

Mrs. Henry Love and son, Willis, attended the 67th annual Kirk family reunion, held at Dodge Park, Highland, Thursday, August 8th.

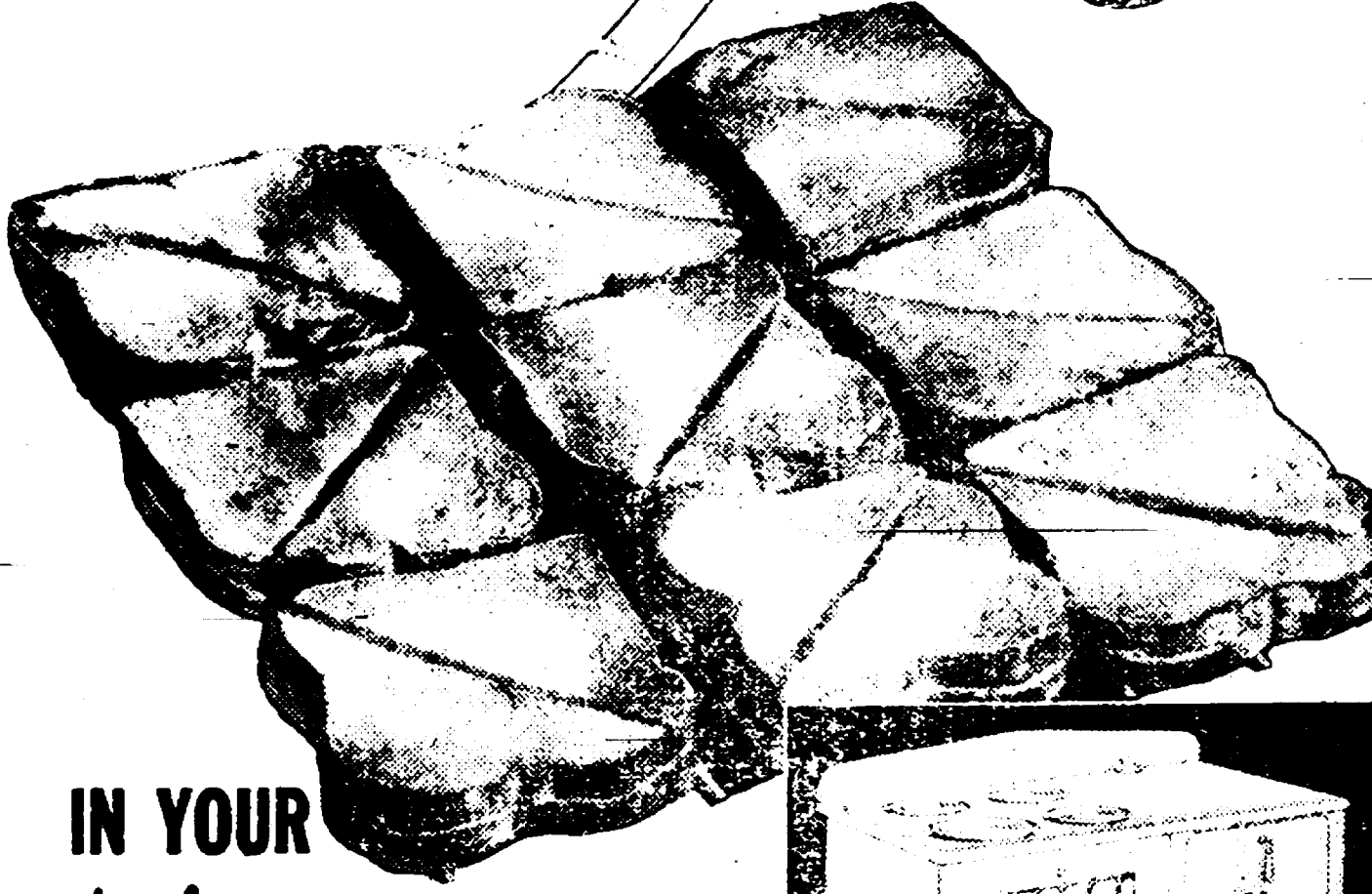
Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnold and their daughter, Mrs. George Catlin and family of Howell spent Sunday in Saginaw visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Everson spent Sunday at their home here.

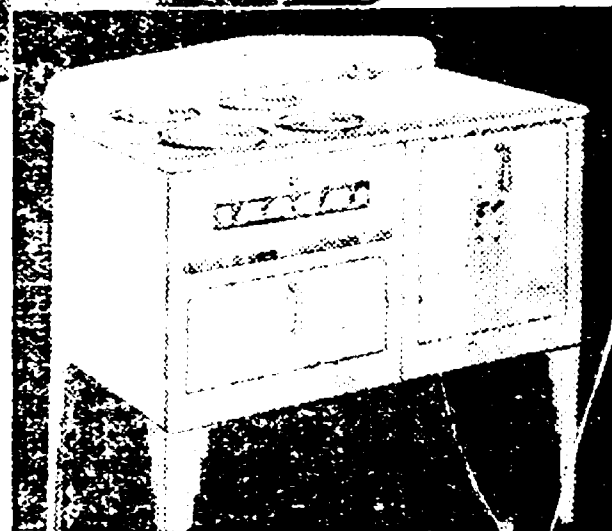
Chris Fitzsimmons and son, Patrick of Detroit, spent the past week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Greiner.

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Mrs. Grace Bennett of Lansing has been the house guest of Mrs. Mark Allison the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Parmelee of Dearborn spent Sunday and Monday at the C. Kingsley home.

Mrs. Louis Wagner and sons, Wayne and Junior, also Gilbert Grainger were in Dearborn Saturday and went through Greenfield Village.

Mrs. Mark Allison and guest, Mrs. Grace Bennett, spent one day last week with Mrs. Gaston Musson of Marion.

Mrs. Gertrude Bader and son of Cohoctah spent the week end at the John Rozek home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Kingsley, Mrs. Andrew Campbell and daughter and Mrs. Clayton Parmelee called on friends at Six Corners Monday.

Wayne Wagner is entertaining a friend from Wayne this week.

Cecile Roberts and sister entertained company from Detroit over Sunday.

Mrs. Mark Allison and Mrs. Grace Bennett of Lansing were Monday supper guests of Mrs. Albert Dinkel. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke of Wisconsin were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wagner.

## PICNIC HONORS

INDIANA RELATIVES Thirty-one relatives met for a picnic dinner at Portage Lake Sunday in honor of Indiana relatives.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Mason and Mrs. Clarence Cornahan, all of Kalamazoo, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Shell and two daughters of Monticello, Ind.; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galbreath, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Riggs, Harold and Eugene Galbreath, Sam Galbreath, Detroit; Leonard Galbreath and family, Plymouth; Cecil Galbreath and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Galbreath, Ralph Hartley and family.

MAY GET NEW POSTOFFICES According to an associated press dispatch this morning, Howell and Chelsea may get new federal postoffice buildings.

## TO HOLD PICNIC

Washtenaw Masonic Lodge of Dexter and the O. E. S. Chapter there will hold a joint picnic at Newport Beach, Portage Lake, on Wednesday, August 21st.

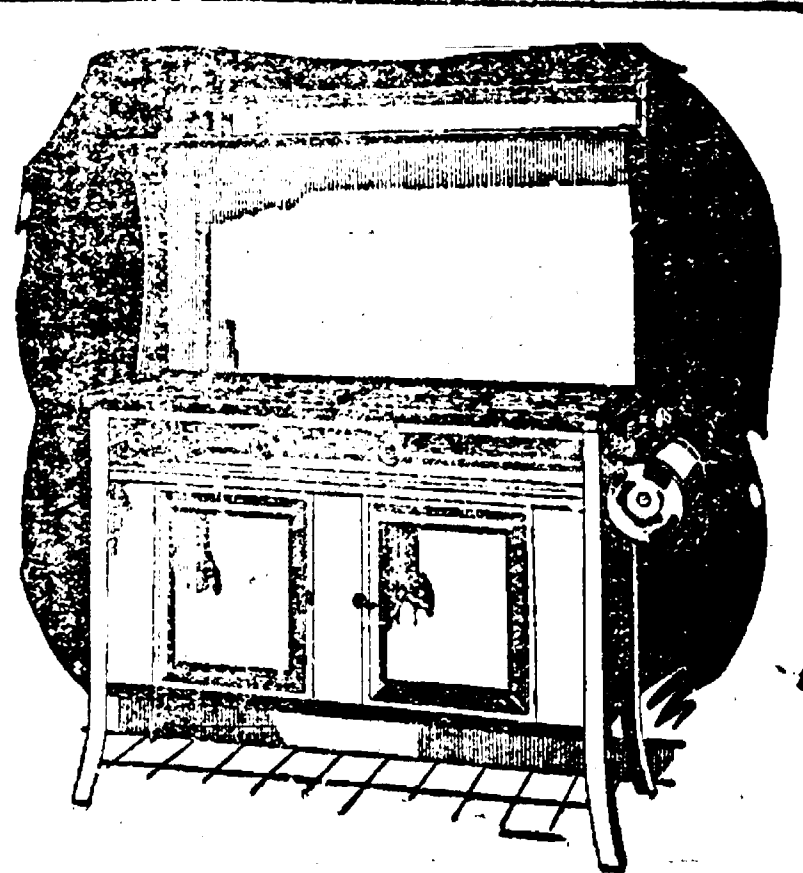
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CFOFEE, Millars Real Good lb.	17c
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TEA, RED and WHITE 1-2 lb. Pkg.	15c
ARMOUR'S "STAR" LARD, 1 lb. pkg.	18c
OLEOMARGARINE, 2 lbs.	25c
OATMEAL, Large Pkg.	19c
WHEATIES, 2 Large Pkgs.	25c
QUAKER MILK, 3 Large Cans.	19c
KELLOG'S CORN FLAKE, Large Pkg.	11c
P. & G. SOAP, 3 Cakes,	10c
SUGAR, 10 lb Cloth Bag	55c
CATSUP, Large 14 oz. Bottle,	10c
CORNER BEEF, Per Can	18c
SALMON, Pink, 2 Cans	23c

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W. C. AtLee and James Lamb were in Ann Arbor Monday.

Miss Marguerite Harris is visiting Helen Devereaux this week.

The AtLee Motor Sales sold a 1934 Chevrolet to Eugene Dinkel last week.

Al DeWitt and sons of Silver Lake called at L. G. Devereaux Friday evening.

Miss Virginia Darrow is taking treatment in the University Hospital in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ayres of Plymouth were guests Tuesday of the Haze Sisters.

L. G. Devereaux returned to Detroit Monday after a ten day vacation with his family here.

Miss Mary Stackable of Detroit spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Stackable.

Stanley Dinkel, Irving Richardson and 32,000 other people attended the Detroit-Chicago ball game at Detroit Sunday.

W. W. Barnard of Fenton was in town on business Tuesday. He has sold the store fixtures which he had stored here to a Fenton man.

The state American Legion Convention will be held at Flint next week. Floyd Weeks has been elected a delegate from the J. Ray Kennedy Post, No. 247.

Mrs. Gilbert of Webster was brought to the Pinckney Sanitarium Monday morning. Her leg was badly injured Sunday when she was kicked by a cow.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter McQuillan and Mrs. F. J. Shields of Howell called on Mrs. L. G. Devereaux Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Shields will leave on Wednesday for a tour of Northern Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Euler spent the week end with Mrs. Euler's brother in Detroit. While there they visited the Edison Institute Museum and Village, also saw the "Vagabond King" in the Opera Under the Stars.

Rev. J. M. Courtney of Owosso called at the L. G. Devereaux home Tuesday. His sister, Mrs. Norman McGillway and daughter, Norma, remained for several days visit with the Devereauxs. Ruth Devereaux and W. McQuillan of Howell, accompanied them to Owosso Saturday for a ten day stay.

Mrs. Walter Clark was in Howell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowman were in Detroit Thursday.

William Cushing of Dexter was in town on business Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin and son, Lemuel, attended the Martin reunion at Ionia Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford VanHorn spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Art Granger in Durand.

Gerald Kennedy of Howell visited his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Kennedy Sunday.

Jimmie Roche and wife of Fowlerville spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. George Roche.

Miss Dorothy Wilson has as her guest this week, Miss Helen Murphy, of Huntington Woods.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jewell of Dexter called at the home of Fred Slayton one day last week.

Lee Lavey has purchased a cottage at Portage Lake of Messrs. Earl Baughn and W. C. Miller.

George Roche, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Roche and daughter, Rita, attended the Milford Fair Saturday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowman were S. J. Aschbrenner and daughter, Barbara, of Detroit.

Miss Frenke, Clara Miller, Edmund Haines and Clifford Miller visited the Cascades in Jackson Sunday evening.

Mrs. Josie Williams of Mason and Dole Granger of Durand were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford VanHorn.

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Miss Margaret Greiner spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Sullivan in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Campbell of Detroit were week end guests of relatives here.

Mrs. Harry Radcliffe son of Munich are visiting at parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Radcliffe.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Darrow attended the Darrow family reunion at Bishop LaPlatte, Sunday.

Miss Helen Radcliffe has discarded her goat and wagon and now rides around on a new bicycle.

A letter received from Robert Read and Howard Read last week stated that they were in Ozceda.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Amburgey of Detroit were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Mylo Kettler and three children of Howell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carr.

Leonard Devereaux and Miss Kelly of Detroit were week end guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Devereaux.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Martin and daughter, Bessie, of Detroit, were guests of Mrs. Mary Coluser a few days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Darrow, Miss Constance Darrow and James Radcliffe attended the Detroit-Chicago baseball game at Detroit last Friday.

Miss Anna T. Mann entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Hadley and Mr. and Mrs. Norman Millman and son, Norman, all of Detroit, over the week end.

We are informed that Mrs. William Doherty, a retired Pinckney resident, is now being cared for at the home of Mrs. John Vaughn (Mac Hackett) of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murphy and son, Richard, and Ambrose Murphy and son, Philip, of Jackson were week end visitors at the home of their mother, Mrs. Mary Murphy.

Andrew and James Singer and Clifford Haines left Sunday for Bowling Green, Ohio, to pick tomatoes for the canning factory there. They expect to be gone six weeks.

Arnold Bower, Frank Bowers, Walter Bower and Lucius Wilson attended the Farmers' Union meeting at Chelsea Saturday night. E. E. Everson, national president of the Farmers' Union spoke.

Rufus Conway and son, Clifford, of Ann Arbor, were week end guests of his father, Peter Conway.

The Frank Johnson farm, located at the Pinckney-Howell road and the Grand Trunk railroad has been sold to Dr. J. W. Johnson of Detroit, who is making repairs on the buildings.

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BY ORDER OF THE ADMINISTRATIVE BOARD.

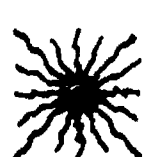


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### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Livingston.  
At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said County, on the 26th day of July, A. D. 1935.  
Present: Hon. Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of EMMA MURTA, Deceased.

Lewis M. Dion having filed in said court his petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 26th day of August, A. D. 1935, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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  
Celestia Parshall, Register of Probate.

### Notes of 25 Years Ago

Dispatch of August 18, 1910

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stevens of Detroit one day last week, a daughter.

Mrs. Sarah Sigler, 75, died at the home of her son, Dr. H. F. Sigler, Friday. Her husband, Jacob Sigler, died in 1882.

Miss Juanita Young of Pontiac is the guest of Miss Viola Peters.

Louis Clinton and Floris Moran have secured jobs as street car motormen on the D. S. R. in Detroit.

Howell will hold a home coming August 31st to Sept. 1st.

Charles Love has sold his farm to White Oak parties.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bowen on August 13th, a son.

A large crowd attended St. Mary's picnic last Thursday. Will Robb acted as toastmaster and speeches were made by Mayor Thompson of Detroit, Will Devereaux of Cincinnati and Hon. A. Tuttle of Leslie.

Pinckney beat Stockbridge in the ball game 4 to 3. 120 couple attended the dance. They day's receipts were \$355.

Information is wanted of a family by the name of Burton or Barton who adopted a baby boy named Wile 45 years ago. At that time they lived on a farm near Pinckney.

### Notes of 50 Years Ago

Dispatch of August 13, 1885

Charles Teeple is working for Thomas Read at the elevator.

About 50 people from here took in the excursion to Whitmore Lake Sunday.

Tomkins and Ismon shipped the first carload of wheat from Hamburg Tuesday.

Norinen Mann, H. O. Barnard and John Smith are camping at Silver Lake.

Martin and Elda Kuhn of Gregory have joined the Pinckney base ball team and form a strong battery.

The Pinckney baseball team beat Pleasant Lake at Stockbridge Saturday, 12 to 10.

There will be an ice cream social at the home of Joseph Brown Aug. 20.

Ira Cook has rented the rooms on the second floor of the Mann block and will have his barber shop there.

W. A. Carr and G. W. Pyper represented Livingston Tent No. 258 K.O.T.M. at the annual convention at Saginaw August 11 and 12.

A traveling medicine man extracted warts on the streets here Friday night and sold medicine. He was accompanied by a dentist who pulled teeth without pain and a banjo player.

83 persons from here went to Orchard Lake yesterday to see the rowing match between Edward Hanlan and G. W. Lee. Hanlan won the contest.

S. G. Teeple and Henry Rollison missed the returning excursion train from Detroit Saturday night. They took a Michigan Central train to Dexter and came home in a livery rig, beating the excursion train here.

P. B. Wines placed a neat memorial stone on the grave of Miss Addie McGee in the Spout cemetery Wednesday. It bears the inscription "In memory of Addie McGee, who died April 20th, 1885, aged 22 years. Erected by her schoolmates and friends as a token of their esteem."

A young man registered at the hotel here Tuesday night as H. Smith, South Lyon. Next morning he purchased a pair of shoes of Earl Mann at E. A. Mann's store. Saying he had left his money at the hotel he went there and picking up his things departed through the back door without paying his bill. It was learned he had a brother working at Birkett and E. A. Allen and Earl Mann started to overhaul him. He was caught getting on a train at Dexter and brought back here. It is said his name is Ward and that he has served two terms in the reform school.

Patrick Lavey, 82, died at his home in Dexter township August 4th. Surviving are five sons and a daughter. He served in the Toledo War, belonging to Capt. Harris Leeks' fusiliers.

Stockbridge claims that there was not a single drunk on her streets on the day of the recent circus.

F. G. Rounselle purchased 7,990 bushels of new wheat at Fowlerville last week, making 21 carloads. Prices ranged from 87c to 90c per bushel.

Thomas Fawcett, 80, of Deerfield, followed the reaper half a day last week, keeping up his end in big wheat.

The Unadilla church held a memorial service in honor of Gen. Grant Monday evening.

Hamburg is having a dispute as to who owns the Union church property.

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### Neighboring Notes

According to the Springport Signal, the sidewalks in that village have gotten into such a state of disrepair that it is dangerous to walk on them. Springport, like other villages, has no surplus of cash, only levying enough taxes for current expenses. Village President Novess, however, looked over the village ordinances and found a motion picture ordinance which had never been repealed, providing that the property owners were required to keep the walks in front of their places in repair. If they do not do this five days after receiving notice, the village shall proceed to do it and to charge it up to the property owner. We wonder if Pinckney has any such ordinance.

William Beach, Jr., of Lima township had 18 sheep killed by dogs one night last week.

The Chelsea village council voted last week to apply to the PWA for a \$24,750 sewerage disposal plant.

In order to abate the nuisance of bicycle riding on the sidewalks in front of the business places, the village of Dexter had dug up an old ordinance which states that persons riding bicycles, tricycles, using roller skates or roller skis in front of business places, shall have the bicycles etc. confiscated for a period of two weeks.

The Huron River Drive between Goddes and Ypsilanti, is being resurfaced with a tarvia mixture.

Brighton now has a quarantine for rabbi owing to the fact that a stray dog which bit several people was found to have rabies.

Five men from Detroit were arrested by sheriff's officers for creating a disturbance at Pat's Canten near Brighton. They were all given jail sentences.

Brighton is making big plans for her gala days on Aug. 22, 23, 24. The day's events include a street parade, three ball games, airplane stunt flying and a popularity contest. There will also be a pet parade and boxing contests and an automobile will be given away by the merchants.

Mrs. Pauline Clements of the Old Tavern on the Northwest Territorial Road, has reopened the Western House at Brighton under the name of the Brighton Hotel.

The First State Bank of Howell released 10 per cent of their impounded deposits last week.

Louis Russell has been elected commander of the Jesse L. Cooley American Legion Post at Brighton.

According to the Livingston County Republican Press, a dog shot at Howell by Chief of Police Sargison, recently, was found to have rabies.

Myron Hennricks of Hamburg had a horse killed by lightning one day last week.

Carey Baldwin, son of E. N. Baldwin of Howell, has been recommended for an appointment to the Naval Academy at Annapolis and left last week to take the examination there. Congressman Blackney made the recommendation.

### RAIN HAS CEASED

TO BE A VIRTUE

Even though we have had large quantities of rain this year some of our laws present the appearance that they do during the dry season. In most cases this is not due to lack of nutritive materials in the soil nor a lack of water, but is the work of an insect known as the sod web worm.

This insect is somewhat smaller than the common cut worm. It belongs to the cut worm family but has slightly different habits in its destructive work. Larvae and golf courses are very susceptible to this insect. It may be controlled by using a pyrethrum spray mixing at the ratio of 1 to 400. Fifty gallons of this spray will cover approximately 1000 square feet. In controlling this insect by a pyrethrum spray it is necessary to make two applications to the spray. The second following the first application in 20 minutes to half an hour. The first application will bring the worms to the top of the ground. After the majority of the worms have come to the surface it is necessary to recover the area with the pyrethrum spray so that it will come in contact with these worms that are moving at the top of the ground. The entomology department also recommends that about 5 pounds of arsenic of lead per 2000 square feet be worked into the soil. This will control future generations of this insect and many others that infest lawns.

Upon the examination of the work of this insect you will notice that the grass is cut off at the surface of the ground. This is done during the night and sometimes on overcast days. During the hot part of the day the worm moves into the roots of the grass and can usually be found about one-half inch below the surface. The worm itself is generally inclosed in a web-like material when it is in its underground home. If this worm is not controlled it will ruin large areas of grass in a single season.

Your county agent would be very glad to furnish college bulletins pertaining to the life cycle, habits and control of this insect upon request.

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## TREES AND RAINFALL

There is much controversy over the question whether trees and other heavy vegetation bring rain or not. A great number of forcible points are cited both for and against this question. But we cannot help noting with interest a report from the Soviet government. In Russia a considerable area was planted with trees in 56 foot strips 700 feet apart. Rainfall in the area of these strips was carefully checked against rainfall in surrounding untreed areas. The results were astonishing. The increase in rainfall in the area bordered by the forest strips was from 13 per cent to 27.2 per cent. In the treed areas the evaporation between the strips was from 20 to 35 per cent less than in the open.

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## WINTER RANGE

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## CHAPTER X—Continued

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"The other side is that he—he thinks that—that you might have killed Mason, Kentucky."

He said slowly, "Jean, are you lying to me again?"

She rushed ahead, a little of her color returning. "With everything against my father, what could I do but keep silent?"

"And hide what evidence you could," said Kentucky. "And now you want me to jump the country."

"For your own sake," she said quickly. "I swear to G—d, Kentucky, it's for your own sake I want you to do that. All the time he's spent in Waterman, when we didn't know what he was doing, he's been trying to build a case against you. Everybody knows you were at the house at about the time Mason was killed. Campo's figured all along that only one thing was lacking—to implicate you so deeply in the death of Mason that you could never—"

"And that one thing lacking was my reason for killing Mason."

"Yes, of course—and now he thinks he has it. Maybe he would have held off still, but Lee Bishop's killing has driven him wild. He's phoned Waterman. Sheriff Hopper is coming out. I don't know what he has or how he dug it up and put it together—but this I know: that he believes that he can show that you had a motive for killing John Mason stronger than anyone else could possibly have had. I—"

"Jean, do you think he believes I killed Mason?"

This time she averted her face; when she spoke her voice was hardly audible. "I only know that he would be glad to believe it—if he could."

"If he could," repeated Kentucky. He turned his horse toward the Bar Hook with a savage twist of the bit.

Jean cried out, "Where are you going?"

"I'm going to hang me the man that killed Old Ironsides."

"Kentucky, wait!" She booted her horse against his and caught his arm in both hands. "Kentucky, if it weren't for me you'd never have been in this. This isn't your fight—it's never been your fight. It's mine and my father's. You're not tied into it as we are. You—"

"I'm tied into it now."

"No, not take your horse and ride out. Take—"

"I'll go," he told her, "when I've done this job of work."

She stared at him, her mouth twisted and quivering. "Kentucky, if there's anything in the world that I can do or say—"

He said, "I'm going to clear this thing if it splits the rimrock wide open."

"Then—then, Kentucky, can't we work it out together? If anybody in the world can make my father see reason, I can. I'll help you in every way I can, if only—"

"Ask yourself," he said, "if you've ever helped me yet? Ask yourself if you've ever told me anything, or allowed me to find out anything for myself if you could prevent it? Not two minutes ago you lied to me about the rifle."

She said, "Just the same, you're the only one I've looked to for—"

His face was like the gray rock. "I'm just what you said I was a few minutes ago: an outsider here—an outsider to your father, and an outsider to you. I don't blame you for protecting your father. But I can tell you that if you had trusted me even so far as—"

Her head went up, and her face was white as doeklin. "Why should I trust you?"

"Why should you?" he repeated. He yanked his horse into the trail, and this time she did not stop him.

## CHAPTER XI

Kentucky Jones came into the Bar Hook layout on the dead run, dropped off his horse at the door and went pushing into the house. He made his way straight to the little crank-sided wall telephone, and belled Waterman.

It was one of the deputies who, after a prolonged delay, finally answered from Sheriff Hopper's office.

"Talking from the Bar Hook," Kentucky said. "Has Sheriff Hopper left yet?"

"Yeah, he left about three minutes ago. Wait, now! Yeah, there goes his car, by in the street."

"Run out and catch him," Kentucky yelled into the phone. "Shout your lungs out—but stop him!"

Over the line came the rattle of a dropped receiver.

There followed a protracted wait. It seemed to Kentucky Jones that an hour passed while he stood at the telephone waiting for the deputy to return. But the wire opened again at last, and it was not the deputy who came back to the phone.

"This is Floyd Hopper speaking," said the small voice from Waterman. "Who's that?"

"This is Kentucky Jones at the Bar Hook."

"Oh, yeah? What the h—l do you want?"

"I've found out something. Do as I say and you'll have your man in six hours."

"Why the devil should I do like you say?" came Hopper's voice, sourly.

"I'll give you proof," said Kentucky.

"If I'm wrong you can tell me to go to h—l. All I ask is that you test it for yourself."

"And when is all this going to be?" said the sheriff.

"Right now," said Kentucky. "You can shake down the proof of what I know in less than five minutes from right where you sit."

There was a long pause at the other end of the wire. Kentucky was almost ready to jiggle the hook, to see if the connection had been broken. "What is it you want, Jones?" came Hopper's voice at last.

"Have you got the bullets that killed Zack Sanders?" Kentucky said.

"Of course I've got 'em!"

"And you've got the gun that was found in Sanders' hand?"

"Well?"

"Take the bullets that killed Sanders and compare them with the gun that was in Zack Sanders' hand when he was found dead. You'll find that Zack Sanders was killed with the gun that was found in his own hand."

An instant's pause was followed by an oath that scorched the wires. "Jones, you fool with me—by G—d, I'll learn you to fool with me!"

"All I say is look at 'em! It won't cost you the time it took me to get you on the telephone. I'm giving you your chance to get the man that killed Mason. You can do what you want to about it."

"I suppose," came Hopper's voice, "you figure Zack Sanders committed suicide?"

"Take a look," Kentucky repeated.

"Fire a bullet from Zack's gun and match it against those he was killed with. If I'm right call me back, and I'll give you the lay. Otherwise, you can go lamming around here blind until it's too late—it's all one to me." Kentucky Jones smashed the receiver onto the hook.

He turned to find Campo Ragland standing in the doorway.

Kentucky Jones leaned against the wall. He crossed his legs, and rolled a cigarette; and the two looked at each other. Campo seemed almost literally to have increased in stature since Kentucky Jones had seen him last. His long bowed legs set him high up in the world; it was the lean breadth of his shoulders and a stooping carriage which prevented him from appearing to be as big a man as he was. And his big head, made to appear more massive by the broad receding sweep of forehead which his thinning hair had left, helped to detract from his appearance of height. But the indeterminate stoop of Campo's carriage was now gone; and as he stood with his big freckle-blotched hands holding the side of the doorway he made the doorway look small. Kentucky saw that he was armed.

Campo said slowly, "Think you can head it off, do you?"

"Maybe I do," Kentucky answered.

"I heard what you said over the phone just now," Campo's voice was lowered; but he sounded as if he had accused Kentucky of misbranding a calf.

"I knew you were listening. I heard you come in."

"I suppose," said Campo, "you've got more guts than any man on the face of this rocky up-ended earth!"

"Maybe I have," said Kentucky. "Maybe if I didn't have I wouldn't be here now."

"And you'd be better off," Campo told him.

Nobody could have said exactly when Kentucky's face had changed; but anyone looking at him now would have seen that he had small ugly eyes, and that the broken line of his nose was made uglier by the crooked line of his mouth, from one corner of which his cigarette now trailed.

He stood relaxed, motionless; he might have been carved there except for the tenuous blue thread of smoke from his cigarette, rising in a wavering, swaying line before his face.

"I've heard tell that the West is dead," he said. "And I always thought that was funny, with the lands still here, and the cattle, and the riders working in the saddle like they always worked. But when the owner of a brand sets to working in the dark, and shoves one of his own riders into the noose because he's afraid to face out the music himself—I guess the West is gone, all right."

Campo faced him in silence for a little while, and the blood came up into his head, darkening his wind-reddened face. "Before a man can clean a range," he said, his voice low, "he must first clean his own outfit."

"So you think," said Kentucky, "you can convict me of killing John Mason?"

Campo snapped at him, "Who told you that?"

"I've been taken for a fool here," said Kentucky. "I expect maybe a fool is what I am, for I've let myself be used as a fool. But I'm not a blind man, and you should have allowed for that. So you think you can make it stick, do you?" He did not miss the flick of Campo's eyes as they dropped for an instant to Kentucky's bolstered gun.

"What I can make stick and what won't stick," Campo said, "I don't pretend like I know. I only know what I'm convinced of in my own mind."

"As, for instance?"

"As, for instance," repeated Campo, his eyes red and steady on Kentucky's face, "that you like to ruined us all when you shot John Mason down."

They looked at each other for a moment more, then Kentucky Jones

moved his hands to the buckle of his belt. He saw the quick start of Campo Ragland's right hand toward his holster; but Kentucky only loosed his belt and tossed it aside.

"You needn't fret yourself," said Kentucky. "You're never going to get a gunfight out of me, Campo."

Campo said, "I expect not. But if you're holding off because you're gone on my girl, you can pick your gun belt up again. Because no d—n sneaking killer is fit to so much as walk where her shadow's been."

In the little pause Kentucky heard the outer door of the kitchen open and close, and knew that Jean had come. "Maybe you're right," he said. "Maybe I couldn't ever bring myself to gun you, because of the reason you've named. Maybe, if it wasn't for just that one thing, you'd have been talking for your life, Campo, these many days ago."

Campo Ragland's voice rose hard and tight. "If you think you can—"

He checked himself.

"I don't think about what I could have done, because that's past. But I'm asking myself why you don't sing mighty small."

"What's the meaning of that?" Ragland snarled.

"I'll give you just one little pointer as to what's the meaning of that. Where's the rifle that killed John Mason? You don't know. But I know! And I could lay hands on it now."

The rounded receding sweep of Campo's forehead was marked with tortuous distended veins that stood out in bold relief in the unfavorable slant of the light.

"Bring it out then," Campo cried out.

"If you think I'm afraid to have that rifle brought out—"

"No," said Kentucky. "It isn't me that you're afraid of. It wasn't me, that sent you prowling around in the dark trying to find a way to deliver up



"I'll Never What?"

another man. It's the man that's swamping your range, while you sit by and watch your riders go out and get shot."

"If you mean I'm afraid of Bob Elliot," said Campo, "you lie, and I put it to your face. And when it comes to you—come out with what you've got, and all you've got! I'd rather be dead than think you held back from it for the sake of—for the reason you're trying to make me think."

"Put that reason out of your head," said Kentucky. "When this thing's over I'm going to turn my back on the batch of you, and move on."

"No," said Campo, his voice very deep and strong, but shaken with a repressed turbulence, "you'll never be moving on." He came into the room and stood close in front of Kentucky, red-eyed as a roused bear. "Not any more," he said. "You hear me? I've found out what you supposed nobody would ever find out. I found out that you had more reason to kill Mason than any living man!"

"And I'll make it easy for you," said Kentucky. "I'll admit it."

Ragland stared at him a moment, thunder-struck. "You—you—what?"

Suddenly Kentucky laughed in his face, silently, with an ugly twist of the mouth. "You're a fool, Campo," he said.

Campo Ragland blew up. "I've stood enough," he shouted, his voice rising in a shuddering gust. He snatched up Kentucky's gun belt and tried to thrust it into his hands. "Take your gun belt, and I'll give you the break! Take it and draw!"

"And if I don't?" said Kentucky.

"Then I'll see you crack your neck at the end of a rope!"

There was a small sound behind Campo Ragland, voiced inarticulately, like a word that had tried to make itself heard and could not. Looking past Campo, Kentucky saw that Jean was standing there, in the doorway where her father had stood.

Her words broke throatily, jerked and twisted, forcing their way out against an all but overwhelming emotion.

Yet they carried no infection of appeal, but instead were bitter with an inexpressible conviction.

"No! No, no, no! You'll never do that!"

Campo Ragland whirled. "I'll never what?" he demanded in a strange taut voice, like the ring of overdrawn wire. The room in which they stood was shadowy, and the doorway was bright

with light, so that they saw her in gray silhouette, with only the red-gold backlight upon her hair to give her figure color; and the shadows half concealed the quiver of her lips, the pallor of her face. But shadow could not hide the tormented intensity of her eyes.

"You—you'll never deliver up Kentucky Jones!"

Campo's voice rose to a thunder.

"And why will I not?"

"Because—when you do—I'll tell them all the—the truth!"

Her father's face went empty as he stared at his daughter, as if faced by an enormity too great for him to comprehend. For a moment he wavered as if his mind refused comprehension, like a horse refusing a jump. "What truth?" he managed to get out at last. "What are you talking—"

Jean's voice broke, all but hysterical, cut him down. "You—you know—what truth! If I tell what I know, it's you that'll be hooked for the murder of Mason!"

Watching Campo, Kentucky saw the boss of the Bar Hook fold up. All the strength and aggression went out of his wide lean shoulders, and a ragged palsy came into his hands. "Why, Jean—" he faltered; "why—Jean—Jean—"

His daughter stood rigid, shoulders up, and arms stiff at her sides, her eyes wide with the glazed brilliancy of frozen waterholes as she watched her father. Then her breath caught in her throat, and she began to sob brokenly; and her face streamed with the tears that had been held back for so long.

"Child, child," said Kentucky softly. "You didn't need to do that!"

Jean cried out, "Don't talk to me! Don't!"

The telephone ripped the quiet apart with a whirling clamor.

Kentucky stepped to the phone and took the receiver down. "Well?"

"Who's that?" came the small voice over the wire.

"Kentucky Jones, at the Bar Hook."

"This is Floyd Hopper, Kentucky. You sure got me up in the air. Then ain't any question about it—Sanders was killed with the gun that was found in his hand!"

"Well?"

"It's your move, Kentucky. By G—d, it sure is time this thing was cleared up! What goes on here, man? Put a name to it!"

Jean said in a strangled sort of voice, "Is that the sheriff?"

"Just a minute, Hopper," Kentucky said, and turned to Jean.

"What—what are you going to do?"

"What can I do? Your father has stampered us all. If I'd had another week I could have gentled this thing, but now the whole works has blown up under us. All we can do is try to ride it through to a finish, now!" He turned back to the phone. "Are you there, Hopper?"

"Yes, I'm here."

"Go get Ted Baylor. Arrest him if you have to, but get him. Give a deputy the job of keeping hold of him, and don't let him out of your sight until this thing is cleared up!"

"I've already got Ted Baylor," came the sheriff's voice from Waterman. "I had that from Campo before you called. What's the matter with you fellows out there?"

For a moment Kentucky Jones faltered, and his face went blank, but he spoke to the phone again. "All right. Then go out to the 88 and get Bill McCord. When you've got both Ted Baylor and Bill McCord, bring them out here."

"What if Bob Elliot wants to come along with Bill McCord?" the sheriff asked. "McCord is Elliot's foreman. Elliot'll probably want to come along and stand by."

"If Elliot wants to come, let him. I don't care what Elliot does. You bring Baylor and McCord. When you've done that, I'll give you the man that killed Mason."

"Which of 'em is it?" the sheriff demanded.

"Hold the rope a minute," Kentucky turned to where Campo Ragland sat. "Campo," he demanded, "why did you send for Ted Baylor?"

Campo Ragland, returning slowly from the distances, stared at Kentucky a moment, almost as if without recognition. Then he got up and walked toward the door, slowly and unsteadily, like an aged man. His voice was hardly more than a whisper. "To h—l with you," he said. "To h—l with you all!"

Kentucky turned back to the phone. "I said," came Sheriff Hopper's voice, "which one of 'em is it?"

"Neither one," said Kentucky. He hung up the receiver.

## CHAPTER XII

The long dusk of the winter rim had given way to night, star bright and frostily clear, before a car was heard upon the Waterman road. Kentucky Jones walked out alone in shirt sleeves.

"Where's Campo?" Sheriff Hopper demanded, climbing out from behind the wheel.

"He's here. Come on in."

Into the light of the kitchen Sheriff Floyd Hopper now herded the four other men who were with him. They were Ted Baylor, whose eyes were alert and watchful, and perhaps slightly puzzled in a poker face; Bill McCord, grimly expressionless; Bob Elliot, looking sardonic and self-sufficient; and a blond Norwegian-faced young deputy named Willie Helmar.

"You'll just have a cup of coffee and make yourselves at home," Kentucky said. "Sheriff, Campo and I would like to talk to you a minute, here in the other room."

"All right," Hopper said. "You fellows sure are a secretive bunch." Bob Elliot grumbled, warming his hands over the stove.

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