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Docket for December Term of Court

Short Session Is Anticipated As Many of the Cases Listed Are Ancient. Jury Date Not Yet Set. 69 Cases Listed. Only 12 Are [illegible] Ones.

A [illegible] court is in prospect [illegible] this term. However it will probably extend over into January. Many of the cases are old and have been on the docket for a year or more. The following are the criminal cases: The People vs Ernest Wellman and Frank Bernier, fraud, an oil stock case; The People vs Roy Smith; The People vs George Doty, indecency; The People vs Charles Vincent, liquor violation, Appeal; The People vs Ralph Hall; The People vs Ralph Hadley; The People vs Al Blackman, Mal Destruction; The People vs James Howard, Assault; The People vs James Coulter, Breaking and entering; The People vs Verne Seger, Indecency; The People vs Jos. Stewart, Possession of Stolen Property.

Petitions for Citizenship – Frank Giberson, Susan Fisher, Albert Frost and Charles Mehlberg.

Issue of Fact, Jury – L. Sutherby vs Claude Fawcett; Carl Heinig vs Leonard Herbst; Wm. Wilson vs Gerald Reason; Carolyn Lee vs Robt. and Ida Gates; Henry Damman vs Gerald Jones.

Appeal – from Commissioners on claims in Estate of Louise Anne Leith.

Assumpsit – Harry McVeigh vs Jas. Morgan; Public Loan vs Elizabeth Lazlo; Ray Coon vs Harry McQuaig; Equitable Trust vs Eva Sweet; Reg. A. C. Corporation vs Orla Hinchey; [illegible]e Prettyman vs W. T. Fawcett; [illegible]trong Iddings vs Earl Myer; Mc[illegible] & Shaw vs Harry Frazier; Edna [illegible]le vs Lant Blackburn; Charles Hewitt vs James Richards; O. Z. Ide vs George Williams; Chas. Krause vs Paul Moeser; Vernon State Bank vs Jas. Walsh Capitol Electric vs John Hildebrant; Martin Murray vs Alfred Rossington; Murray Murray vs Henry Love.

Replevin – John Kuehnle vs Byron Stewart; Harry Morgan vs John Harmon; Harry McQuaig vs Ted Block.

Garnishment – John Kuehnle vs Byron Stewart.

To Set Aside Deed – Howard Poole vs Martha Poole.

Injunction – August Meir vs Geo. Trollman; Winans Lake Hills Corp. vs Eva Moon; Edward Novotny vs Anna Sobolski, Howard Trollman vs Otto Rexin.

Partition – Joseph Trollman vs Alberta Trollman Ryncarson.

Quit Title – Clara Dunckel vs Geo. Jones; Homer Peavy vs Geo. Schooboven; First National Bank vs Geo. Foote; Fred and Eva Janke vs Alton Glazier.

Chancery, Divorce – E. S. vs Henrietta Carl; Agatha vs Glen Hartman; James vs Norine Crosby; Nettie vs William Stewart; Jennie vs Fred Sartwell; John vs Eva Martin; Ellen vs Vernon Thorpe; Margaret vs John Tobarco; Ida vs William Lord; Jack vs Helen Elder; Zelda vs Norman Killer; Otto vs Matilda Hill; Joshua vs Laura Boomer; Viola vs Ben Young; Genevieve vs Patrick Kelly; Ted vs Elva Ryan; Harvey vs Mabel Hemmingway.

MORE OIL STATIONS ROBBED

There seems to be an epidemic of robberies of isolated oil stations in the county. The one at Oak Grove was robbed two weeks ago and last week two more in this county were robbed. On Thursday night about 8:00 P. M. two young fellows wearing brown suede jackets and driving a 1935 Ford Sedan drove up and held up Mr. Quigley, the proprietor with a 22 rifle. We understand about $14 in money was taken. Later the oil station, north of Howell in Cohoctah operated by C. W. Haire was also robbed by two armed men of a small amount. Sheriff's officers and state police were called in but at last accounts had no clues. The Quigley station is on the Pinckney - Howell road at George Wright's Corners.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS

On Saturday night, Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. will install their newly elected officers. The following will act as installation officer; Installing officer, John Martin; Marshall, Russell Livermore; Chaplain, J. H. Hooker; Sec., Azel Carpenter. A pot - luck supper will be served. The Masonic Building Assoc. will also hold their annual business meeting at this time and elect two trustees. Following this there will be dancing. Masons, members of the O. E. S. and their families are invited.

Paul Carlett, Sec.

THRILL MURDERERS GET LIFE SENTENCES

Judge Donald VanSile gave life sentences to the 5 Black Legion slayers convicted of the murder of Silas Coleman, Detroit negro world war veteran, at Nash's bridge, a mile west of Pinckney on May 25, 1935. The five convicted men are Harvey Davis, John Bannerman, Ervin Lee, Charles Rouse and Roy Lorrance. The first three are now under double life sentences for murder as they were previously convicted of killing Charles Poole. Lee and Davis go to Marquette and the other three to Jackson.

Pinckney School Addition Opened

New Addition to the Pinckney School Opens For Use Monday. Entire Unit, Including Gymnasium is Completed and Ready For Use.

For some time the new $45,000 CWA Pinckney school addition has been completed and only the installation of the automatic stoker was holding up the opening of it. The contract for this was let some time ago to a Jackson firm but had to be approved by the CWA. This arrived Thursday and school was dismissed Friday so that it could be installed. The work of installing was finished Saturday night and it was set to operating at once. In no time the complete building was heated by it. The hopper on this stoker holds 750 lbs. of coal and is capable of using 250 lbs. per hour. However it is automatically regulated and stops running when the required heat is obtained. Powdered or fine soft coal is used. No grates are used in the furnace, these being replaced by a firepot. The coal is carried from the bottom of the hopper to the bottom of the firepot by an auger like shaft. This is forced upward by a blower making a white-hot fire. There are practically no ashes, everything being consumed. At the present time fine pocahontas coal is being used but a carload of Kentucky fine coal has been ordered.

The new rooms in the addition were occupied by the pupils who moved in at the close of school Thursday. The first room on the first floor is occupied by Mrs. Lola Lobdell with her 4th, 5th, 6th grades. The room adjoining it has been fitted up as a classroom. On the second floor, the first room is used by Supt. Doyle as his office, a glass partition seperating it from the typing room. The next room is also fitted out for a classroom. All rooms have new desks and [illegible] throughout and electric clocks controlled by a master clock in the superintendent's office. They are heated with steam controlled by a blower circulating system.

The gymnasium is heated by two huge heaters. It is completed with the exception of the stage which is not yet completed. The board has appropriated the funds and told Architect Musch and Supt. Doyle to go ahead and put up the basketball baskets so that the game will probably be played this winter. The lighting system has been installed for some time and in addition the gym is equipped with some 400 chairs. When not in use these are to be stored under the stage. The main floor measures 77x80 and the gym is 50x85. The tile floors are the white those of the classrooms and gym are wood block set in asphalt on cement.

MRS. LUCY LEECE

As we go to press we are informed of the death of Mrs. Lucy Leece, of Hamburg. She was the mother of Mrs. George VanHorn.

PALEN—DELMAR

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Watson of Plainfield announce the marriage of their daughter, Mrs. Arletta Palen, to Mr. Jack Delmar. They were married at Detroit by Rev. George Bowles. The bride is a graduate of Pinckney High School.

IS HURT IN AUTO CRASH

Harry Wallace, 28, of Chilson was badly hurt in an auto crash on Lemon Road near the Washtenaw-Livingston county line last Wednesday afternoon. The accident happened in Livingston county, 1000 feet north of the county line and about a mile from Whitmore Lake. It is thought Wallace went to sleep while driving. His car hit two trees and overturned. He was found by a truck driver for the Ann Arbor News who pulled him out of the wreckage. An ambulance was called and he was removed to University Hospital, Ann Arbor.

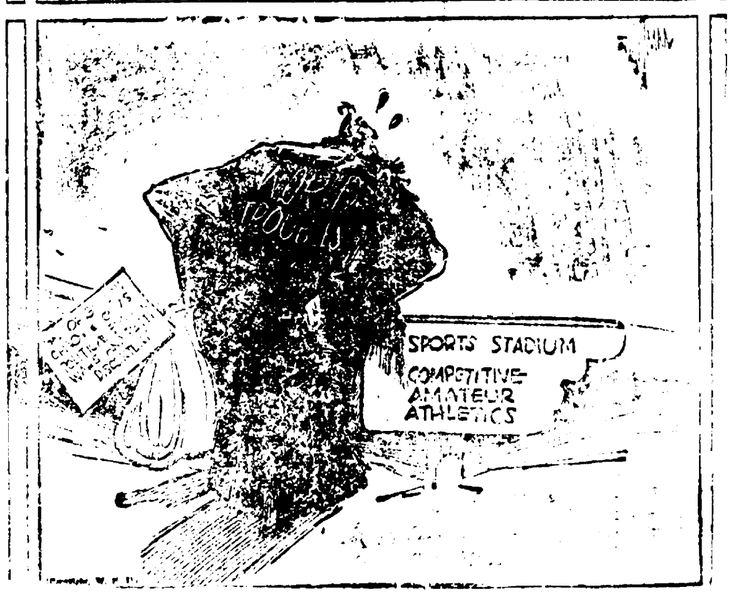
Wallace is said to have been working in Pontiac. He is married and has four children.

DECEMBER JURY DRAWN

The following persons have been drawn on the December jury:

Louis Bitten – Brighton Township
Charles Slider – Cohoctah Twp.
Harold Kline – Conway Twp.
Harry Stiles – Deerfield Twp.
Pete Birkenstock – Genoa Twp.
Charles Green – Green Oak Twp.
John Burton – Hamburg Twp.
Lewis Lampheere – Handy Twp.
Frank Vesselius – Hartland Twp.
Mrs. Frank Raven – Howell City.
Mrs. Louise Kresse – Howell Twp.
Bertha Waters – Iosco Twp.
Arthur White – Marion Twp.
Harry Pettibone – Oceola Twp.
Mrs. Percy Ellis – Putnam Twp.
Mrs. Dorothy Good – Tyrone Twp.
John Carr – Unadilla Twp.
Charles Murray – Brighton City.
M. B. Francis – Brighton Twp.
Fred Schrepfer – Cohoctah Twp.
Mrs. Alma Parsons – Conway Twp.
William Orlich – Deerfield Twp.
Frank White – Genoa Twp.
Fred Carter – Green Oak Twp.
L. C. Stem – Hamburg Twp.
Phillip Breslin – Handy Twp.
Thomas Jozwick – Hartland Twp.
Joe Williams – Howell City.
Charles Thumser – Howell Twp.
Rose Barber – Iosco Twp.

One Gate He Can't Crash



Sheep Census Is Taken In State

Washtenaw County Has the Greatest Number of Sheep, Livingston County in Group Two

Washtenaw county, with a sheep and lamb population for the year [illegible] of 88,695 is the leading county of Michigan by a wide margin, according to U. S. census figures, recently released.

Nearest competing county, from the standpoint of numbers, fed last year, was Lenawee with 76,279. Ingham is third with 59,492 sheep and lambs.

Below these three counties is a group of six whose totals range from 40,000 to 50,000. This group includes Livingston, Ottawa, Eaton, Clinton and Branch.

Figures for 1936 may show a drop for Washtenaw, including Washtenaw according to H. S. Osler, farm agent. The cause will be, according to Mr. Osler is the damage which the drought of last summer did to feed crops.

This opinion is corroborated by William Sodrel, Bridgewater township farmer, who in previous years has fed the largest herds in the county. Several of his annual herds have numbered around 1,000, with 1,170 one year, in point of numbers.

This year Mr. Schlicht will feed no more than 400, bringing in lambs that are older than usual for this purpose.

Other large sheep feeders in that part of the county are George and John Gisbach, Fred Blumhardt whose 1936 flock of 460 sheep is one of the largest of current herds, Bert Martin and Jacob Hoelzer.

Though the leading sheep county of the state Washtenaw drops to ninth place in cattle population. Leading district in this category is Sanilac with 64,666. Cattle in Washtenaw number 34,125. Between these two are Saginaw, St. Clair, Allegan, Huron, Kent, Lapeer and Lenawee.

IS HURT IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Miss Leola Shicks who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Abel Haines of Pinckney Sunday was called to Foote Hospital, Jackson, Sunday night by news that her husband, Ernest Shicks, 27, of Albion had been injured in an auto wreck, three miles east of Jackson. The Shicks car, containing himself and his brother, Harry, collided with one driven by E. H. Fuller, 48, of Pleasant Ridge and containing his wife, Edna, 45, and daughter, Helen, 14. The Fuller's were not injured. The impact was so great that the motor of one car was hurled from the machine. Ernest Shicks had a number of stitches taken in his forehead, was cut about the face and had his ankle sprained. Harry Shicks also suffered a sprained ankle and bruises and lacerations about the face.

MARRIAGE LICENSES APPLICATIONS

The following applications have been made for marriage licenses; John Wenner, 50, Mrs. Catherine Crofoot, 47, Iosco; Covert Flucks, 23, Helen Lockwood, 18, Fowlerville.

GAS CASUALTIES

A sign posted along a roadside near a western town read: 4,066 people died last year of gas. Thirty-five inhaled it; 31 put a lighted match to it, and 4,000 stepped on it!

FOR SALE CHEAP!

News emanating from the new local Republican stronghold (Next to the Democrat Post Office) is to the effect that the remnants of the GOP will fight to the last ditch the Administration's proposal to cede Maine and Vermont to Canada or to give it back to the Indians. The boys were noncommittal on the subject of annexation of the 46 states to Mexico.

Catholic Church Service

Rev. James Carolan
Masses 8:30 and 10:30.
Devotion to the Mother of Perpetual Help, Saturday at 7:00 P. M.
Confessions 7:30 P. M. Saturday.

Baptist Church

Don Paton
Supply 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
Thursday evening prayer service .. 8:00

Congregational Church

Rev. C. H. Zuse, Minister
Mrs. F. E. Laughn, Organist
Sunday Service:
Morning Worship with sermon by the Bible School session for all ages ..... 11:00 A.M.
C. E. Meeting for the Y. P. 7:00
The annual church Dinner will be held in the church basement on Saturday with Public Dinner at noon. Everybody invited.

Everybody Welcome.

Philathea Notes

The reporter made wrong calculation last week, so a note was not made of the business meeting and election on this Wednesday afternoon. Also Mrs. Elliott's committee group are giving their "experience" in money raised at this meeting, to be held with our president, Mrs. Millie Bowman.

Mrs. Zuse, our efficient teacher, was unable to take charge of the class on Sunday and Mr. R. K. Elliott kindly supplied. These lessons are intensely interesting, that of next Sunday being, "John's Vision on Patmos" Rev. 1:4-18. The topic is "The Living Christ Among the Churches". Do we realize that He is a living force in our churches today, and will we give Him the chance He craves to help us in our work here in Pinckney?

The Sunday School Missionary offering on the first Sunday of the month was gratifying, in spite of the heavy drain on pocket books at this season, and the successful Ladies' Aid Bazaar on Saturday. We will be able to make an early payment on next year's quota, as funds are badly needed.

MRS. MALVINA HIDDLESON

Mrs. Malvina Hiddleson died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ruth Ledbetter in Hayward, California on November 30, at the age of 68 years. She was formerly Malvina Weston of Webster and a cousin of the Westons who formerly lived in Unadilla. For nearly 15 years she taught in the Dexter school. She was married to Fred Litchfield who died many years ago. Later she married Wm. [illegible] of Colorado Springs, Colorado, who is also deceased. She is survived by her daughter and two grandchildren. A son, Raymond Litchfield a Dexter merchant, died in 1924. The funeral was at Hayward.

AUCTION

Thursday, Dec. 17

12:00 sharp. 1 mile northwest of Dexter.

14 head of cattle. 11 cows, bas 144 lbs. 4 horses, 2 colts. 218 turkeys, 150 Barred Rock chickens in lots to suit.

Hay and grain. Full line of new tools.

The farm, 158 acres, will be sold. $8,000.00 will handle

Mrs. Sledziefski
Proprietor
Jim Finnell,
Auctioneer

Inter-American Peace Conference

President Roosevelt's Visit Expected To Strengthen Peace Ties on the American Continents

At this writing, President Roosevelt is on his way from the inter-American peace conference at Buenos Aires where he made his speech the first day and then return. He was preceded south by an imposing American delegation headed by Secretary of State Hull....inplacable foeman for better commercial and diplomatic relations between countries.

There has been considerable dis-

cussion concerning the value or the futility of the conference. Some point out, with truth, that there is no danger of a war arising in North or South America, that Europe and the Far East are the danger spots.

However, as the Presidents... which is shared by many....that if the nations of the western hemisphere show Europe that a round-table discussion of issues can lead to amicable settlements and agreements, progress toward world peace will be made. And it is likewise believed that if the President takes a forthright and aggressive stand for peace and throws his vast prestige against armed conflict, heads of powers which are now close to war may pause before giving the command to open hostilities.

The President's trip to Buenos Aires is thus in the nature of a gesture in a world which was nearer to armed chaos. As a matter of fact, in recent months there have been more occurrences contributory to war than there were in 1912 and 1913.

Everybody hopes that gesture will be productive of good. In the meantime, it seems that every seasoned commentator and every old-time war correspondent, is certain that war in Europe and Asia is inevitable. One of the leading correspondents recently stated, on departing for Europe, that he was going to cover the next war.

The Italo-German recognition of the Spanish rebels has further widened the cleavage between these powers and France and Russia. The greatest force cutting today in both Europe and Asia is the force of hatred.

LAKE COTTAGE BURNS

The cottage of Frank Presley at Lower Lake, near Hiland Lake, caught fire and burned to the ground Monday afternoon. Mr. Presley who lives there was helping Fedley Van [illegible] cut wood and saw the flames breaking through the roof. By means of a rope the cow, which was under the cottage, was saved. There was no insurance on the building or contents, we understand.

WIFE SHOOTS SELF AND HER HUSBAND

Mrs. Charles Neff, 45, who lives with her husband on the Pinckney-Dexter road, a mile this side of Dexter, shot her husband and herself about 2:00 A. M. this morning. Her husband works nights in Ann Arbor and arrived home about 2:00 A. M. An argument ensued and the shooting followed. Both Mr. and Mrs. Neff were taken to an Ann Arbor hospital.

COMMUNICATION

Lakeland, Fla.
Dec. 5, 1936

Mr. P. W. Carlett
Pinckney, Mich.

Dear Sir:

Just a line or two, to let you know what conditions are here in Florida. The weather is fine, 76 degrees in the shade today. The sun shines every day. The Citrus crop is very large and a fine quality. The merchants report a business equal to 1929 times. There are a good many improvements since we were here, 5 years ago. The city is filling up fast with tourists.

Regards to all,
J. B. Stanton

126 Waterloo St.

JUDGE NEIL REID HURT

Judge Neil Reid, circuit judge in Macomb county and Grand Master of the Michigan Grand Lodge F. & A. M., was injured last Friday in an automobile wreck on U. S. 16, 12 miles southwest of Ionia. His car collided with one driven by Earl Babcock, supt. of Grand Haven schools. Judge Reid was cut about the face and hands and Babcock on the forehead and knees. Both were taken to a Grand Rapids hospital.

Current Comment

The love affairs of King Edward and Wallie Simpson drove about everything off the front pages of the papers last week, including President Roosevelt and the Spanish Civil war. This affair would seem more appropriate for a Hollywood date line than that of London. Mary Pickford's announcement of her third forthcoming marriage only got brief mention. Americans cannot understand the light in which the royal family is regarded in England. As far as service and government they would be better off without it. So it is not on this account it is highly regarded. It is as an upholder of British dignity, tradition and morals that it is cherished. In other words it is regarded as a model of perfection. It personifies the church, the state and the kingdom on which the sun never sets. To have an American commoner who has twice been divorced annex their king is just too much. The affair, it cannot be denied has a strong romantic tinge which even outdoes the fairy tale of Cinderella. This accounts for its great news value. King Edward, undoubtedly, has aroused more interest by this affair than any other king since King Henry, the 8th. That merry old monarch legalized all his marriages by means of the executioners axe.

Despite all the talk and safeguards some 20 men lost their lives deer hunting this year. The cause of nearly all of these deaths was carelessness. Several were shot as they sat in their cars. All of this safety first crusade evidently does no good if it does not get to the persons by whom it is needed. More care in issuing licenses to irresponsible people might cut down this fatality list.

In a list published last week the biggest donators to the recent presidential campaign are noted. John D. Rockfeller Jr. was the largest donor to the Republican campaign fund, giving some $70,000. The Democrats were unable to match this, their biggest giver being the former Doris Duke, now Mrs. James Cromwell. She gave $50,000. Another big donor was Alfred Sloan, president of the General Motors. He gave $50,000 to the republican fund. Most of these donations were divided among several different states and organizations. The total contributions of the Rockfeller family to the G. O. P. were $103,000.

The college sports association continue to pull hair and have a merry old time. The Michigan Daily, a college publication, claims the football players were under nourished and says the reason Alex Lioko, star athlete quit school was that he could not get enough to eat. It asks the reestablishment of the training table abolished some years ago. It also states the athletes were forced to work long hours for their board and so were unable to do the team or college studies justice. It says college football is a business and should be regarded as such. The college authorities deny the charge and claim Loiko weighed the same when he left school as when he entered. They deny that football is a form of big business and still cling to the amateur competition ideal. If a training table is established for football one should also be maintained for all sports they assert. This is bunk. The public is not interested in the other sports. Football fills the main tent, the others are only side shows.

The Michigan Interscholastic also went on record last week against the proselyting of high schol athletes by colleges. The system now in use is when a school has a promising athlete for the colleges ot offer him scholarships. The interscholastic would change this in having a school hand out the scholarships. We doubt that they would succeed at all in this. The college scouts know who they want and will not be disposed to accept any one designated by the faculty.

Too much must not be expected of social security right away as there will be an immense amount of detail and organization to be perfected before the system can be gotten to work smoothly. Blair Moody says 7,500 men and women will be required to make it function. 2,500 of these will be employed in keeping records and 2,500 going from employer to employee, straightening them out. Only three states, California, Wisconsin and New York, now have security laws administered by competent officials. The other states must break in green inexperienced people, so the state will necessarily be slow.

According to The Detroit News, the love affair of King Edward and Mrs. Simpson indirectly affected this country when the price of wheat sagged due to inactivity in the Liverpool grain market with traders unwilling to risk committements on account of uncertainty of the British political outlook. In other words, Mrs. Simpson not only affected the fortunes of the speculator but also every American farmer who had wheat to sell. She seems to have it on Helen of Troy whose charms are said to have launched a thousand ships of war but history does not state that she caused the grain market to sag. It seems to be one of the biggest crisises in Eng. history and a victory for Mrs. Simpson seems to mean the downfall of the Baldwin administration.

Spinach Cup Cake

Take four cups of flour and put them in one cup * * * and add three spoons. Then stir until stiff, and when you're too stiff to stir, then you know you're stiff. Then rub in a little liniment. But, of course, it won't make the cake taste any better. Get some burnt almonds, but don't use them. Use eggs. Take six eggs * * * and if you haven't got any eggs, then only use five. Then separate the yellows from the yolks, then get your spinach and separate the sand from the spinach, but save the sand. Then you roll it into little balls. When it's finished, it looks like hamburger * * * it tastes like spinach, but when you open it up it's cup cake.

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Profitable Oratory

The plainest words are the most profitable oratory in the weightiest matters.—Baxter.

Martial Music

We all believe in peace, but, O, you drum and fife.

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Current Events IN REVIEW

by Edward W. Pickard

Buenos Aires Receives Mr. Roosevelt Warmly

AS THE cruiser Indianapolis and its convoy, the Chester, entered the harbor of Buenos Aires, a salute to President Roosevelt boomed from the guns of eleven warships, ten squadrons of airplanes wheeled overhead, and thousands of cheering citizens crowded the water front. Argentinians generally approve of Mr. Roosevelt's policies and he was welcomed to their capital as "a great benevolent dictator." They had planned to give him an elaborate reception, but it was toned down somewhat at his request. President Justo, who already had greeted the distinguished guest by wireless, met him at the dock and accompanied him to the American embassy. Then Mr. Roosevelt, Secretary of State Hull and members of the American delegation to the peace conference made a formal call at the government house.

President Roosevelt

Next day, after a ride about the city, President Roosevelt attended the extraordinary session in the legislative palace to open the Pan-American peace conference which he initiated. A formal dinner for him at the government house and a reception for all conference delegates followed. The event of the third day was a luncheon at the American embassy in honor of President and Mrs. Justo. Then Mr. Roosevelt embarked and started on the return trip, with a brief stop scheduled for Montevideo, capital of Uruguay.

On his way south President Roosevelt stopped a few hours in Rio de Janeiro, where half a million citizens turned out in the rain to give him an enthusiastic welcome. President Vargas showed him the magnificent Brazilian capital, and he addressed an extraordinary session of the parliament with an eloquent plea to all peoples of the western continent to keep out of war and settle their problems with good will and understanding.

"Mystery Man" Zaharoff Dies in Monte Carlo

THE cause of world peace should be the gainer by the death of Sir Basil Zaharoff in Monte Carlo. Known as the "mystery man of Europe," he was for many years the master salesman of armaments and amassed an immense fortune in that and other business enterprises. Born in Odessa, Russia, of Greek parents, Zaharoff had all of Europe for his field of operations. He was knighted in England, became a citizen of France and married a Spanish duchess. He gave valuable aid to the Allies during the World war, founding chairs of aviation at Paris and Petrograd and presenting 25,000 pounds sterling to the British government for a similar purpose.

Litvinov Attacks Nazi Foes of Soviet Russia

WHAT Russia thinks of the Nazi leaders of Germany and their anti-communism pact with Japan was set forth in plain words by Foreign Minister Maxim Litvinov in an address before the all-union congress of soviets in Moscow. Italy, which has just concluded a similar agreement with Tokio, was included in his denunciations. Litvinov asserted that Germany and Japan were joined in a secret military alliance for the purpose of launching a war which would spread to all continents, and added that soviet Russia still stood irrevocably for peace. Said he:

M. Litvinov

"Fascist countries make one challenge after another to peace-loving democratic states and we hope before long those states will stand up to them.

"The soviet union has no reason to change its position, which was and always will be—peace. It wants peace for itself and for all other countries.

"It wants no words—there has been too much talk—but action from others.

"The soviet union begs no one to be its partner. It does not ask for unions, alliances or combinations. The day will come when the Red army and navy will be forced to defend the Fatherland. Then they will show unprecedented courage and heroism and fighting ability.

"I am sure the soviet union will stand as a fortress against the filthy waves of a Fascist sea."

How well prepared Russia is for war if it comes was indicated by a report that her naval forces have increased 1,700 per cent since 1933, and that she soon will have 7,000 airplanes and 100,000 pilots. "If the German Fascists threaten our country, woe unto them," declared Corps Commander Krhipin, assistant commander of the Red army air forces.

V. M. Molotov, president of the council of commissars, professed love for the German people but intense hate for their leaders, who, he said, "have well earned their appellation of 'modern cannibals.'"

Japan announced her intention to build as quickly as possible an army equal to that of Russia; and Minister of Marine Nagano said the Japanese navy also would be enlarged. Premier Leon Blum, saying that the international situation "never has been as serious or as dangerous in the last three months as it is now," declared pointedly that France, second only to soviet Russia, possessed the "most powerful military force in continental Europe."

Green Is Re-Elected by Federation of Labor

WILLIAM GREEN was re-elected president of the American Federation of Labor before the closing of the convention in Tampa. Secretary Frank Morrison and the 14 vice presidents also were chosen for another term. In his speech of acceptance Mr. Green made a renewed plea to John L. Lewis and his C. I. O. associates to "come back to our home and fight the common foe." This the insurgents show no sign of doing. The 1937 convention was awarded to Denver.

William Green

The convention refused to concur in four resolutions attacking the Supreme court. It instructed the executive council to have a bill for the six hour day and five day week introduced in congress and declared the 30 hour week to be the "paramount objective" of the A. F. of L.

League Council to Deal With Spanish War

SPAIN'S government appealed to the council of the League of Nations to deal with the menace to "peace and good will among nations" allegedly created by Italo-German recognition of the fascist rebel junta. Secretary J. A. C. Avenol thereupon convoked the council, though at this writing the date for the meeting is unsettled. It was believed Italy would refuse to attend the session; Germany is no longer a member of the league. French statesmen didn't approve the Spanish action, feeling that it complicated an already serious situation and could do no good.

Excitement over the torpedo attack on a loyal Spanish cruiser by a submarine which the Madrid government more than hinted was a German vessel was allayed by the report that the undersea boat was a Spanish submarine that had gone over to the rebel side.

Madrid was being continually hammered by rebel shells and bombs, and there was intense fighting daily in University City, the northwest section of the capital, where the insurgents had penetrated. The American embassy was closed on orders from Washington and Eric C. Wendelin, charge d'affaires, gave protection to those Americans who wished to go to Valencia to board a United States warship. The German and Italian embassies, abandoned by their staffs, were seized and sealed by the defense junta and a number of Fascist refugees were arrested in the former. Berlin scoffed at this action but Rome called it banditry.

Alleged Japanese Plan for Inner Mongolia

TROOPS of Suiyuan province in China recently captured the stronghold of Prince Teh Wang, rebel leader in Mongolia, and some secret documents seized there reveal a Japanese plot to set up an Inner Mongolian puppet state to be known as the Great Yuan empire. This would extend westward from Jehol to Sinkiang. The documents disclosed that Japan has already spent 50,000,000 Chinese dollars on this project and is prepared to spend about 400,000,000 more.

Military Revolt in Quito Is Speedily Suppressed

ONE regiment of the Ecuadorian army attempted to start a revolution in Quito, the capital, but the uprising was quickly suppressed in a battle in which 30 were killed and 100 wounded. Many persons were arrested, including Pedro Velasco Ibarra, brother of former President Velasco Ibarra, and several unidentified foreigners. The daily newspaper El Día was closed and its director, Ricardo Camillo, was imprisoned.

Uncle Phil Says:

Seeing Happiness

Happiness is the gift of seeing the good things of life in such high relief that the rest is unimportant.

When a man with an air as if it were natural to him to give orders is found, it isn't long before the meek put him in a position to do it.

Nature doesn't eliminate foolishness. Civilized man has to learn how, some day.

Feuds arise from exaggerated personal pride and generally among people who have not a great deal to be proud of.

There is nothing thrilling about contentment; nothing dangerous, either.

A long answer turneth away anybody else who was going to ask a question.

Using Abilities

The art of being able to make good use of moderate abilities wins esteem, and confers more reputation than real merit.

If you have savage opinions, people will be hypocritical to you to keep on good terms.

Discuss your troubles with many and they will discuss them with the whole community.

The well-bred man keeps his beliefs out of his conversation.

When a boy gets up to his ears in love he is more careful about washing them.

Philosopher's Task

It is the work of a philosopher to be every day subduing passions and laying aside prejudices.

If you encounter a man who knows several secrets of his friends and doesn't tell them, that's the man to tie up to.

What men say when they are angry is either the blazing truth or very unreliable.

Our Friend's Troubles

In friendship your heart is like a bell struck every time your friend is in trouble.—Henry Ward Beecher.

SAM LINCOLN walked slowly along the street gazing into store windows. An icy wind caught him at the corners but he hurried across to the next curb intent on his mental shopping.

He was thinking hard of Cora, too. Though not a word had been spoken between them on the subject, it was quite understood that he should buy her warm gloves, a warm sweater and stockings for Christmas. He'd saved a fair amount for this very purpose. When you gave up your city living for the country, you thought in terms of wool. Cora needed all these things. Her gloves were worn down to thin spots. Her sweater had been mended a good many times and her stockings—well, Cora just laughed about them. Cora would. She had made fun of every hard thing about changing their home, from the dreadful wheezy pump in the kitchen, to the way the floors slanted in the bedrooms, so that no pencil would stay on a table, and books continually slid off on the floor. Cora was a thoroughbred and a good sport.

Sam looked at a green sweater. That would be becoming to Cora's light curls. Or that cheerful red one. Nice on snowy winter mornings. The very chickadees would sing with pleasure at sight of her in that sweater. He took a few steps toward the shop door when his eye fell on a black-and-yellow silk kimono.

Of course he would not get it; just inquire the price so that he might look at it.

The moment Sam touched a reverent hand to the exquisite silk he was lost. Thrifty, hard-working Sam! How could he have done such a thing? And so calmly, too. "Please wrap it up," he had said. The price had been reduced in order to sell quickly. He walked out of the shop with the light bundle under his arm, and slunk by windows filled with warm woolen clothes . . . the kind Cora so sorely needed.

All the way home on the train his heart sank lower and lower. He felt so chilled and miserable at the thought of his weak behavior, that Cora rushed at him as he opened the door, exclaiming, "My dear, what dreadful thing has happened to you?"

"You're So Lovely I Want to Kiss You Very Hard."

They had an excellent if frugal dinner. Cora chatted happily of this and that, looking unusually pretty and gay. Sam tried to meet her laughter, but actually shivered along his spine. Idiot! Fool! Wretched unspeakable lunatic that he was! Would a yellow-and-black Chinese kimono keep Cora warm? It would not.

Justice demanded that he confess. Cora would be kind, and that would hurt more than anything. Cora would be kind . . . and keep right on feeling cold on the crisp mornings after Christmas. But he must do it . . . muddle through it somehow.

After dinner he came close to Cora muttering something about a gift, and how darned sorry he was . . . and please, please not to look at him so sweetly.

Cora unwrapped the bundle. Sam waited. The lovely shining thing fell to the floor with the lights gleaming on it.

"Oh . . . oh . . . ! I never in all my life saw anything so magnificent! For me? Surely, surely not for me, Sam? But how I'd adore it! I'm sure I wouldn't mind anything if I knew such a gorgeous garment were hanging in my closet. But of course you're teasing me . . ."

"No," said Sam heavily, "it's your Christmas present. I feel like a cad. I know you need the warm things . . . don't be so darned sweet about it!" he commanded crossly.

Cora flung on the robe, and threw her arms around Sam's neck. "I don't know why you're acting this silly way . . . but if you're so dead set on warm things . . . a whole box came this afternoon from Uncle Horace."

Sam sank weakly into a chair. "You're so lovely I want to kiss you very hard."

"Why not?" inquired Cora, resplendent in the yellow-and-black kimono. "This is simply the most wonderful thing you ever did for me."

These Cuddle Toys Solve Gift Problems

"Eenie, Meenie, Minie, Mo"—it's hard to decide which to make—but why make just one, why not all! Delightful cuddle toys, these, and just the soft, warm playthings for a baby's arms. There's nothing to the making of them, for each is composed of but two pieces, with the exception of the bear, whose jacket is extra, and the chick, whose flapping wings are separate. Your gayest cotton scraps can go into the making of these winning gifts. In pattern 5609 you will find a transfer pattern for the four animals; instructions for making them; material requirements.

To obtain this pattern send 15 cents in stamps or coins (coins preferred) to The Sewing Circle Household Arts Dept., 259 West Fourteenth St., New York, N. Y.

Write plainly pattern number, your name and address.

They're Gregarious

Disappointments come in flocks—also successes.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas, Howard D. Harrington and Inez Harrington, his wife, made and executed a certain mortgage bearing date the 7th day of October, 1921, unto Helen C. Moore, of Portland, Maine, which said mortgage was recorded October 8, 1921 in liber 113 of Mortgages on page 424, Livingston County records, which said mortgage was thereafter duly assigned to Robert G. Moffett and Samuel B. Moffett, of Flint, Michigan, by assignment dated April 21, 1936, and recorded April 23, 1936 in liber 143 of mortgages, page 126, Livingston County records, and

Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is the sum of $3412.42, including interest computed to the date hereof, and the further sum of $25.00 stipulated for in said mortgage as an attorney fee, and no suit or proceeding at law having been instituted to recover the debt now remaining secured thereby or any part thereof whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative,

Now, therefore, notice is hereby given [illegible] of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and in pursuance [illegible] in such case made and [illegible] said mortgage will be foreclosed [illegible] of the mortgaged premises [illegible] vendue to the highest bidder on the 14th day of January, 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard time, at the front entrance of the court house in the city of Howell, Michigan, that being the place of holding the circuit court for the county in which said mortgaged premises are located.

Said premises are described as follows: The west one-half of the northwest one quarter of Section 10, township 4 north, range 6 east, Michigan, containing 80 acres by the United States survey, excepting 15 acres of marsh and swamp land on the north end of the west one-half of the northeast one-quarter of section 10, Township 4 north, Range 6 east, Livingston County, Michigan.

Dated at Flint, Michigan, this 14th day of October, 1936.

ROBERT G. MOFFETT and
SAMUEL B. MOFFETT, Assignees.
Wilson, Hoffman & Davidson,
Attorneys for Assignees;
Business Address: 806 Union
Industrial Bldg., Flint, Michigan.
Oct. 15-22-29; Nov. 5-12-19-26; Dec. 3-10-17-24-31; Jan. 7—13 wks.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston, in Chancery.

Genevieve Kelly, Plaintiff
Patrick Kelly, Defendant.
vs.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for Livingston County, In Chancery, on the 19th day of October, A. D. 1936, at the City of Howell, in said County.

It satisfactorily appearing to the Court by affidavit on file that a chancery summons has been duly issued out of and under the seal of said Court, for the appearance of said defendant therein, and that the same could not be served on said defendant because that after diligent search and inquiry it could not be ascertained in what state or county the said defendant resides, or the whereabouts of said defendant learned, and that said chancery summons has been returned by the sheriff of said county with his certificate thereon indorsed that after diligent search and inquiry he was unable to find the said defendent within the State of Michigan on or before the return day of said summons, on motion of Leon E. Stowe, attorney for, said plaintiff, IT IS ORDERED, that the said defendant, Patrick Kelly, cause his appearance to be entered in this cause within three months after the date of this order, and in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed, and a copy thereof served upon the plaintiff's attorney, within twenty days after service on him of a copy of said bill and notice of this order, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant,

And on like motion, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within Forty days after the date hereof, the plaintiff cause a notice of this order to be published in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed, published, and circulated in said County of Livingston, and that such publication be continued at least once in each week, for six weeks in succession, or that she causes a copy of this order to be personally served upon said defendant, at least twenty days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

And on like motion, IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, that the said plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be mailed to said defendant at his last known postoffice address, by registered mail, and a return receipt demanded, at least twenty days before the date herein prescribed for the appearance of the defendant.

Joseph H. Collins
Circuit Judge.

Leon E. Stowe
Attorney for Plaintiff
Business Address:
Howell, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF LIVINGSTON
IN CHANCERY

FRED W. JANKE & EVA J. JANKE his wife,
Plaintiffs,
vs.

Alanson Glazier, Kingsley S. Bingham, Robert Warden, Jr., John Peter Clements, Lucy Clute, Tina Clements, Warren Parker, Hiram Clements, Deborah Clements, Hannah Clements, Lemuel Clute, Delia A. Clute, Oscar Clute, Moses Clements & Charlotte Clements, his wife, Clark Clements, James M. Clute & Anna Clute, his wife, Ferris L. Clements, Alonzo W. Olds, John S. Reed & Elanor C. Reed, his wife, Israel Howrey and Joseph Loree, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees & assigns,
Defendants.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION

At a session of said court held at the court house in the City of Howell, in said county, on the 26th day of October, A. D. 1936.

PRESENT: Honorable JOSEPH H. COLLINS, Circuit Judge.

On reading and filing the bill of complaint in said cause and the affidavit of Fred W. Janke attached thereto, from which it satisfactorily appears to the court that the defendants above named, or their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, are proper and necessary parties defendant in the above entitled cause, and.

It further appearing that after diligent search and inquiry, it can not be ascertained, and it is not known whether or not said defendants are living or dead, or where any of them may reside if living, and if dead, whether they have personal representatives or heirs living or where they or some them may reside and further that the present whereabouts of said defendants are unknown, and that the names of the persons who are included therein without being named, but who are embraced therein under the title of unknown heirs devisees, legatees and assigns, cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquirey;

On motion of Kinney and Adams attorneys for the plaintiffs, IT IS ORDERED that said defendants, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cause their appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and in default thereof that said bill of complaint be taken as confessed by the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that within twenty days plaintiffs cause a copy of this order to be published in the PINCKNEY DISPATCH, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county, such publication to be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession.

JOSEPH H. COLLINS
Circuit Judge

Countersigned:
John A. Hagman
Clerk.

TAKE NOTICE, that this suit, in which the foregoing order was duly made, involves and is brought to quiet title to the following described piece or parcel of land, situate and being in the Township of Green Oak, County of Livingston, State of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit:

A part of the N. W. ¼ of the S. E. ¼ of Section 11, in T 1 N, R 6 E, Michigan described as follows. Beginning 707.4 feet W. of the S. E. corner of said N. W. ¼ of S. E. ¼; thence W. 57.6 feet; thence N. 453.4 thence North 65 degrees 30 feet East 62.5 feet; thence S. 482 feet to the place of beginning, and containing 0.617 acres of land, more or less.

Kinney and Adams
Attorneys for the
Plaintiffs
415 Pontiac Bank Building
Pontiac, Michigan

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kennedy of Howell were hosts to The Jolly Dozen Five Hundred Club Saturday evening. Those from Pinckney who were Mr. and Mrs. W. C. AtLee, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Dilloway, Herbert Palmer and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee, Mr. and [illegible] Hoyt.

Neighboring Notes

Among the stock exhibitors at the Chicago Stock show who own prizes were a number from this state. Among them were Armstrong Bros. of Fowlerville with Oxford sheep and Julius Porath & Sons of Salem with Belgian horses.

Russell Murphy won first prize at the Detroit Dog Show last week with his registered English Setter "Robbs Orange Lily."

Frank Shehan who worked on farms near Pinckney for the past year drew his third successive term for drunkeness last week. In August he was sentenced to 30 days in jail. A few days after completing this he was re-arrested and drew 60 days. Last week about three hours after completing his second sentence he was again picked up and this time drew 90 days in the House of Correction.

Jesse Raymond, Howell restaurant and pool room proprietor, died suddenly last week from a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Peek of Fowlerville announce the engagement of their daughter, Barbara, to Edward Strobel of Howell.

The VanGorder boys of Fowlerville returned home from the north with three bear and three deer.

The Fowlerville Fair board is considering setting an earlier date for their fair next fall.

An oil station at Grand River and Farmington road was robbed for the second time in a few months last week Tuesday night by a lone bandit in a Ford sedan. The previous robbery occured on Oct. 1. About $12 was secured. The license number was taken but proved to be that of a stolen car.

Mrs. Charles Coe of South Lyon was accidently shot in the arm and chest one day last week when a 12 gauge shot gun which her 12 year old son, Carvel, was trying to unload exploded.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Dryer of Chelsea recently celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary.

The Brighton high school football team will be banquetted tonight. Wally Weber of the University of Michigan is the speaker.

The rural subscribers to the Brighton fire engine have relinquished their interest in it so that it may be turned in on a new one.

The depositors corporation of the First State Bank of Howell will pay depositors a ten percent dividend on Dec. 10. This will total $45,000.

Howell high school football players were entertained at a banquet las week Monday. Asst. Coach King of Michigan State was the speaker.

The Sawyer Laundry of Howell has been sold by Mrs. Belle Sawyer to D. O. Davis of Howell.

Al Davis, former business man and mayor of Dexter about 25 years ago was brought there from Royal Oak for burial last Friday.

The city of Wayne has also banished all slot machines and gambling devices.

Frank Hayworth, 57, of Dexter died in an Ann Arbor hospital last Wednesday from burns received when he went to bed with a cigarette in his mouth.

According to the Wayne County Review there are 8 sets of twins in the Wayne school.

Chubb's Corners

Mrs. Albert Dinkel spent Monday in Lansing as the guest of Mrs Grace Bennett.

Wilfred Clemes of Blissfield was recent guest of Andy Campbell.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Glenn past away very suddenly Monday.

Mrs. Louis Wagner, son, Wayne, Carl Alexander and Lenore Coleman of Howell were Sunday guests of Mrs. Wagner's cousin in Litchfield.

Mrs. Mark Allison spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Will Mercer, of Pinckney.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank White and Mrs. Max Musson of Howell spent Saturday at the Charles Smith home.

Mrs. Roy Smollett who has been at the Pinckney Sanatorium has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Beck of Michigan Center called on Mr. and Mrs Andy Campbell Sunday.

The Hi-Speed gas station, owned by Mr. Quigley, was held up last Thursday night.

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in the said County, on the 28th day of November, A. D. 1936.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of
Fred G. Cooper, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court:

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 29th day of March, A. D 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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

Willis L. Lyons
Judge of Probate

A true copy:
Celestia Parshall,
Register of Probate.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated the seventeenth day of August, 1922, executed by George A. Kirshman and Eulalos Kirshman, as his wife and in her own right, as mortgagors, to The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul, a body corporate, of St. Paul, Minnesota, as mortgagee, filed for record in the office of the Register of Deeds of Livingston County, Michigan, on the thirtieth day of August, 1922, recorded in Liber 120 of Mortgages on Page 508 therein,

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that said mortgage will be foreclosed, pursuant to power of sale, and the premises therein described as Southwest Quarter of the Southwest Quarter and the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of Section Twenty-Nine, Township Four North, Range Six East, and a certain parcel of land described as follows. Commencing at the southeast corner of Section Thirty, Township and Range aforesaid, thence north 17 rods to the center of the highway, thence west 9½ rods, thence south 17 rods, thence east to place of beginning. Also right of way across the northwest corner of the Southeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter of said Section Twenty-nine;

lying within said County and State, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder for cash by the sheriff of Livingston County at the front door of the Court House, in the City of Howell, in said County and State, on Tuesday, February sixteen ,1937, at two o'clock P. M. There is due and payable at the date of this notice upon the debt secured by said mortgage, the sum of $3648.22

Dated November fourteenth. 1936

THE FEDERAL LAND BANK
OF SAINT PAUL
Mortgagee

DON W. VAN WINKLE,
Attorney for the Mortgagee
Howell, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
In 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 12th day of November A. D. 1936.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of
T. Henry Howlett, Deceased.

Thomas Howlett having filed in said Court a petition praying for the appointment of Commissioners to partition the Estate of T. Henry Howlett, Deceased, pursuant to Section 15731, et. seq., Compiled Laws for State of Michigan for 1929, and, therefore, notice of such proceedings is hereby given to Fred A. Howlett, Howard E. Marshall and Martin E. Kuhn, and Daisy Howlett Dancer, Thomas Howlett, LeAnna Howlett, his wife, Blanche Howlett Allen, Dan Howlett, a single man, Clifford Howlett, a single man, Charlotte Howlett Knight and Christine Howlett, widow of the deceased, and Christine Howlett, as Guardian of Richard Howlett, a minor,

It is Ordered, that the 15th day of December A. D. 1936 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

Willis L. Lyons
Judge of Probate

A true copy:
Celestia Parshall
Probate Register.

Plainfield

There was no C. E. meeting Sunday night for all are invited to Howell Pres. church for meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Horton Ryan of Detroit were with his parents Friday, Rev. and Mrs. Ryan. Mr and Mrs. Paul Ryan were them Saturday.

The individual bank opening will be Dec 22 in connection with the Christmas held for the children.

Mrs. E. N. Braley is very sick and Mrs .Ada Van Syckel is caring for her.

The Ladies' Guild met Tuesday, December 1 with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Elsworth for dinner. A good crowd and a splendid dinner was enjoyed by all.

The W. M. S. will meet Wed., Dec. 9th with Mrs .Erwin Huston.

Dr. Braley and Josephine of Highland Park called on his mother Sunday.

The callers at Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Roberts' Sunday were Mrs. Elva Roberts and Katheryn, Mrs. Grace Buckley, Mrs. Inez Hillman and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton.

Mrs. Jack Butler and children who have spent several months with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts, moved to Detroit Saturday .

Mr. M. L. Wasson called on Mr. C. O. Dutton last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Orla Jacobs are moving into town and their son and wife are on the farm.

Hamburg

The regular meeting of Hamburg hive No. 892, Lady Maccabee's was held at I. O. O. . hall, Tuesday afternoon with the commander, Mrs Gladys Lee, presiding. It being the annual meeting election of officers was held with the following results: Commander, Mrs. Gladys Lee, Past Commander, Mrs. Emma Hayner; lieut. commander, Mrs. Blanche Pryer; Chaplain, Mrs. Emily Blades, Sargeant, Mrs. Charlotte Metzger; Mistriss-at-arms, Mrs. V. Lucile Haggedone; first and second lady of the guards; Mrs .Emily E. Docking and Mrs. Jennie Shannon; Sentinel, Mrs. Ines Burdick; member of Executive committee, Mrs. Carrie E. Sheridan Picket, Mrs. Ida Knapp.

It was voted to install the officers at the first meeting in January, Tuesday, January 5, with the following acting as installing officers: Great installing officer, Mrs. Carrie Sheridan great mistress-at-arms, Mrs. Nellie Pearson: Great chaplain, Miss Jule Adele Ball; great sentinel, Mrs. Ines Burdick.

It was voted to hold a Christmas party at the next meeting. Tuesday December 15, with pot luck dinner at 1 o'clock. Committee on entertainment, Mrs. Nellie Pearson, Mrs. Emily Kuchar and Miss Jule Adele Ball; refreshment, Mrs. Minnie Buckalew, Mrs. Emily Docking and Mrs. Charlotte Metzger. For good of the order Mrs. Nellie Pearson conducted the reading of cootie, prize winners being, Mrs. Gladys Lee, Miss Jule Adele Ball and Mrs. Nellie Haight.

Mrs. Emily Kuchar entertained the Ladies' Guild of St. Stephen's Episcopal church at her home at Hamburg village Thurs. afternoon. The meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Kuchar and opened with singing, "O Little Town of Bethlehem" and prayer by the president. The following oficers were elected for the year 1937: President, Mrs. Edwin Shannon, Jr.; first and second vice presidents, Mrs. Emily Kuchar and Mrs. Nellie Pearson; Secretary, Mrs. Frank Buckalew; Treasurer, Mrs. H. B. Pryer. The name of Mrs. Anna Miller was presented for membership and accepted. It was voted that the society purchase silverware. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Edwin Shannon Jr., Thursday afternoon, January 7. Little Barbara dell Way gave a recitation and Christmas gifts distributed to each one present. Refreshments of cakes and tea weer served. A guest was Mrs. Neva Lacy of Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Charles Wehner was hostess at a meeting of the past president's club of Livingston County King's Daughters, Monday. A Bohemian luncheon was served at 1 o'clock, covers being laid for 21. The long table was centered with a miniature Christmas tree. Guests were Mrs. J. Bacon, Mrs. Henry Cake, Mrs. Ira Navarre, Mrs. Godfrey and Mrs. Terry of Ann Arbor; Mrs. Helen Berry and Mrs. Helen Willmore of Stockbridge, Mrs. Sarmington of Chilson and Mrs. Henry M. Quesl and Mrs. Harry Lee.

The meteing was in charge of the president, Mrs. Clifford Van Horn of Lakeland Circle and the business of the club was transacted. This was followed by stunts and contests. The next meeting of the club will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Read of Pinckney.

Those from Hamburg who attended the funeral of Ellery Lear at the Zulu funeral home at Ann Arbor were Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lear, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Pryer, Mr. and Mrs. James Hayner, Mr. and Mrs. John Dryer, Rueben A. Kisby, Charles Bennett, Manly Bennett, Wayne Jury and James Featherly, the last four named acted as pall bearers.

Ellery Charles Lear was born at Trenton 27 years ago and died at the University hospital after a long illness. He spent some time at Hamburg. He is survived by the widow, one son, Raymond, of Ann Arbor, his mother, Mrs. Robert Lear, Trenton, ton, four brothers, Earl of Hamburg, Gordon of Melvindale, and Orlin and George of Trenton, three sisters, Mrs. Hazel Bird of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Joseph Beaker of Lincoln Park and Mrs. Hector McArthur of Trenton. Rev. Lloyd Merrill of Whitmore Lake officiating; burial was at South Rockwood.

Mary Charlotte Moon nad the misfortune when riding on a sled a few days aog to fall, striking her face breaking her jaw.

Mrs. Ida Knapp has received word that her granddaughter, Mabel Hammel of Howell, fell from a slide (16 feet) at school, breaking one of her legs. It is feared that there are also internal injuries: Mabel is about 8 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bennett are the parents of a baby daughter born Thursday morning, December 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard DeHart of Vickeryville came Wednesday night to visit Mrs. De Hart's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. George E. Sheridan, Mr. DeHart returning home Friday. Tuesday night Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan and Mrs. DeHart were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Bert Appleton at Brighton.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Keedle have been spending several days with their son, Donald, and family at Muskegon Heights. While there they were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Yelland of Ravena.

Mrs. Keendle's cousin, Russell Galatian, of Chelsea kept house for them during their absence; going from here to visit his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Galatian at Pinckney.

Mr. and Mrs. James V. Jury of Bob White Beach have gone to Ann Arbor to spend the winter.

Mrs. William Lowmiller and Mrs. Neva Lacy of Ann Arbor visited Mrs. Lowmiller's mother, Mrs. Etta Burchell, Thursday and attended the Ladies' Guild meeting in the afternoon.

Edward Fitzgerald is spending much of his time in Detroit where he is serving on the U. S. jury.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hovey have gone to Brighton to spend the winter, occupying the residence of Mrs. Hovey's brother and sister, William and Miss Mary Galloway who are spending the winter in Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Martin have been entertaining Mrs. Martin's sister, Mrs .Rita Griffin, and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Babb and son, Billy Fetterman of Waterford. Other recent guests were Mrs. Martin's brother, Charles Foland and son, Durward, of Williamston.

Gregory

Erwin Nichlas suffered a broken ankel while working in the gravel pit last week.

The annual Christmas Tree and program will be held at the church on Christmas Eve. Everyone welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Worden entertained Mr. and Mrs. Llyn Parrish and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beeman of Jackson, with Mr. and Mrs Faye Townsend and children of Dansville, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Riggs and Bobbie called on Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galbreath on Thursday, last week.

Rev and Mrs. Cruthers and family entertained the latters daughter and husband, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnold attended the funeral of a friend in Mason last week.

Mr and Mrs. Cass Clinton and sons, Gerald and Ralph of Pinckney, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lavey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Knight were Sunday guests of Mrs. Henry Howlett and family.

Past Presidents of the King's Daughter's Circle attended a meeting of the County Club held at the home of Mrs. Charles Wehner at Strawberry Lake alst week.

The King's Daughters furnished their bed jackets and hospital sewing and delivered them to the hospital Saturday.

Mrs. Frances Lavey and two children with Mrs. Mae White called on Ray Lavey and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnold announce the arrival of a grandson. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. George Catrell of Howell.

The King's Daughters Co. Board will hold their Chrstmas party at the Ben Hur Country Club, Brighton on Thursday, December 10th, a gift exchange sale will be held to raise money for the board. Dinner will be at the club house with meeting in the afternoon. Everyone welcome to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Warden and sons arrived home Thursday after spending several months at their cottage in the north.

Several attended the church meetings held at Pinckney last week.

A good crowd attended the chicken supper Thursday evening and enjoyed the program following.

Mrs Cass Clinton spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Ray Lavey.

Mrs. F. M. Bowdish, with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Crosman were Jackson shoppers Wednesday

Mr. and Mrs. Warden called on their son, Arlo, and family Saturday.

Mrs. George Arnold is not well.

Mr and Mrs. Wm. Buhl left Friday to make their home for the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Alva Dickson and family.

Miss Mildred Kunzelman has been in Lansing visting.

Mrs. F. M. Bowdish was in Chelsea and Ann Arbor on business Saturday.

Mrs. Harris and Bernice visited relatives in Detroit, last week.

Lakeland

Mrs. Bruce Euler and Miss Eva Smith shopped in Ann Arbor Friday.

Mrs. Harry Lee attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Herbert Palmer at Pinckney Thursday afternoon and attended the meeting of King's Daughters at the home of Mrs. Ross Read in the afternoon.

Miss Viola Pettys shopped in Howell Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs Robert Downing of Detroit and Howell spent the week end at Strawberry Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Houghton shopped in Detroit Monday.

H. K. Firth has gone to Germantown, Pa. to spend the winter.

Mrs. Elmer Stofflett and Mrs. Harry Lee attended their card culb at Pinckney, Monday.

1937 Pontiac demonstrator for sale. Chas. A. Bryant, Howell.

Your Buick and Pontiac dealer for this territory is Chas. A. Bryant, Howell.

Farmers—Why pay cash for shoes, rubbers, boots and clothing when Swann's Store at Howell will allow you the highest price for your No. 1 potatoes. (Open Evenings)

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Lucius Wilson Jr. was home from Lansing Sunday.

Francis Solosan is now employed by the Ford Motor Co.

Homer Milliron and wife spent the week end at relatives near Hoytville, Ohio.

Bert Hicks has sold his farm, east of town on M-36 to a Mr Kuehn of near South Lyon.

Oscar Beck and wife of Michigan Center spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Kennedy.

Mrs. Frank Amburgey of Detroit spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Frost.

Marshall Meabon of Detroit spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Meabon Jr.

R. G. Webb and grandson, M. L. Hinchey spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hicks near Lansing.

Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. I. G. Solosan were Francis and Barbara Solosan and Mrs. Anna Bales and son, Gerald, all of Wyandotte.

Mrs. Harry Palmer of Detroit is spending several weeks with her son, Herbert and Mrs. Pakner.

Harold and Gerald Clinton of Detroit spent the week end at the Clinton cottage at Hi-land Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hassencahl near Plainfield.

The Misses Willa Meyer and June Lamb spent the week end with Misses Mary and Gertrude Spears in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gardner and son, Georgie, and Mrs. J. C. Hassencahl and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown.

Mrs. James Roche and Mrs. Kathleen Crotty called on Mrs. Norma Crotty, Mrs. Russell Wolf and Mrs. Roche Shehan in Ann Arbor Sunday afternoon.

W. C. AtLee, his son, Cyril, and Edsel Meyers were in Detroit Friday.

Miss Mary Ellen Dolph of Ann Arbor spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Hyle Hendee and family of Ann Arbor visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hendee Sunday afternoon.

Don Driver was home from Denver the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carr had as Tuesday guests Mr. and Mrs. Alan Carr of Detroit and Grandmother Rogers. Mrs. Dorothy Carr and Robert of Detroit spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Carr of Lakeland.

Mrs. F. H. Bra[illegible] hostess to the Bridge Club last Wednesday evening.

Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mrs. Ella M. Clinkey were Miss Elsie Highorn and Mrs. Emmons of Detroit.

Santa's Aid Enlisted In Fight Against TB

AS MODERN as the pretty young miss who holds him close is the jolly likeness of Santa Claus that appears on the sixty million tuberculosis Christmas seals distributed in the state this year by the Michigan Tuberculosis Association and affiliated organization. Funds raised will be used to carry on the fight against the White Plague that has been waged incessantly by the Association since its organization in 1908.

By far the most gay and colorful of many seasons, the 1936 Christmas seal—designed in modernistic style—is especially appropriate since the educational campaign to fight tuberculosis urges the use of modern weapons.

In the past five years tuberculosis Christmas seal funds have provided over 100,000 Michigan people with two of the modern weapons against tuberculosis—the tuberculin test and the X-ray. The Association hopes to be able to carry on this life-saving work in 1937. The 2,044 deaths from tuberculosis in Michigan in 1935 were pointed out as emphasizing the need for continuing the present vigorous campaign against the disease.

So that the added expense of a follow-up letter may be spared, Theodore J. Werle, executive secretary of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, this week urged that all who have received Christmas seals through the mail make their returns as soon as possible.

THE SUPPLY OF XMAS TREES

All things remaining equal, northern Michigan can continue indefinitely to supply the entire state with Christmas trees without suffering serious or notable damage to its forest cover, believe forestry specialists of the department of conservation here.

Much concern has been expressed by many persons over the heavy cutting of young spruce, balsam, pine and even cedar trees on northern wild lands each year, but foresters do not think that this removal of young trees is a very serious deforestation factor.

It has been variously estimated that a million or more young Christmas trees are cut annually and sold in all parts of the state, the largest markets being in the southern centers of heavy population; many trees are exported, as well as imported into Michigan from Canada and eastern states.

One authority has estimated that all of the trees cut for Christmas use on Michigan lands in one season could be produced on a good-size southern Michigan farm, growing 4,800 to the acre.

All cutting of Christmas trees must be confined to privately-held areas, conservation authorities say. The department of conservation forbids by law any cutting on state-owned lands. Every potential Christmas tree in northern Michigan has an owner and it is up to the cutter to get proper authority before starting operaions. Otherwise he is committing trespass and is subject to the penalty providing he is apprehended.

Ralph Carr, who has been employed with the J. L. Hudson Company for the past two years, has accepted a position with the National Bank of Detroit.

STATE DEPARTMENT AIDS ARE NAMED

Two Detroit men have been appointed to important posts in the department of state, effective Jan. 1, 1937, by Leon D. Case, Secretary of State-elect. Both are well known.

Bernard J. Youngblood, Deputy Register of Deeds of Wayne County, the post of Deputy Secretary of State succeeding Dr. Louis Webber, who was appointed to that office two years ago by Orville E. Atwood, Secretary of State.

Mr. Youngblood was born Jan. 21, 1898 in Detroit. He was educated in St. Anthony's parochial school and high school. For 12 years he was employed by the Detroit Edison company in the steel department and in charge of truck dispatching.

During a year's leave of absence, he entered private business in 1929. He was in the ice and coal business when he entered the office of Wayne County Register of Deeds as a clerk, promotion.

Mr. Youngblood's grandfather, B. J. Youngblood, was Wayne County Treasurer from 1892 to 1896; his father, Richard B. Youngblood, was superintendent of Belle Isle from 1913 to 1916, and at the time of his death in 1926, was superintendent of the Detroit City garbage department. The Youngbloods have one child, a ten year old boy.

Hoyt Morris, who will succeed Lee C. Richardson as head of the Detroit branch office of the Department of State, has been in the real estate business in Detroit for the past 12 years, coming to Michigan from Illinois. His real estate operations were carried on in Florida for several years. Mr. Morris is married and has one child, a young girl.

CHRISTMAS TREE BEST IF SIMPLE

More simplicity and resultant beauty in festooning the Christmas tree is suggested by Winifred Gettemy in the home economics department at Michigan State College. The old fashioned "conglomeration" of many kinds of ornaments defeats itself in too many households in her opinion.

"Simple decorations with real greens instead of artificial ornaments are most desirable," says Miss Gettemy. "If there is a fireplace available, then make that the center of the holiday display instead of scattering the decorations over doors and windows.

"If a fireplace is not available then use a Christmas tree or a group of windows for the center of attraction. Trees can be those of pine, spruce or ground pine banked on top of the mantle or made into festoons or wreathes. A wreath makes a good center of interest."

Miss Gettemy does not relegate this work to just one person in the family who might have the eye for beauty in decoration. She thinks it still is proper and the best stimulant to Christmas spirit to have the whole family including the children participating in the decorating.

When it comes to dressing up the tree, however, she again suggests simplicity. Four schemes are useful. One includes the use of ornaments of the same color but of different sizes. Another type of ornament would be all sizes in different colors. A third type of decoration can include tinsel strips with ball decorations and the last suggestion is for the use just tinsel strips and bulb lights for decoration.

Safetygrams

BY FRED W. BRAUN — The Safety Man

Winter weather will soon be with us. With it comes snow, fog, ice sleet and slippery roads. What are you doing to prepare for it?

Every driver should see that his car is properly conditioned for winter driving. Windshield wipers should be reconditioned. The elimination of fog sleet, ice and snow from the windshield is very important and many very good devices are on the marekt for this purpose. Equip your with a device that will give you clear and good vision during such weather.

Control your speed on slippery roads. Go slow-go easy-be careful.

THINK.

SCOUT COUNCIL TO HOLD ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the Washtenaw-Livingston Boy Scout Council will be held 7:30 Monday, Dec. 14 at the Michigan Union, Ann Arbor. Scout Leaders and Committee men will attend from all parts of the two counties for the program which includes Father Edward J. Hickey of Grosse Ile, Michigan as Guest of Honor and Speaker, and the presentation of the distinguished Silver Beaver Award.

Initiated by a dinner at 6:30 at which attendance is optional, the program includes the speaker of the evening, Father Hickey, reports of progress during the current year, plans ahead for the coming year and election of officers. To renew acquaintance a, fifteen minute period between the dinner and the formal program has been planned for those attending.

Silver Beaver Awards will be presented to several men who have performed outstanding service to boyhood. A surprise entertainment has been planned, following which refreshments will be served.

Willard L. Martinson
Council Publicity.

Notes of 25 Years Ago

Dispatch of Dec. 14, 1936

Mrs. I. P. S. Johnson, 69, died at her home here Dec. 9. She was born in Macon, Mich., but has resided in Pinckney since 1880. Surviving are her husband and two brothers, Warren and Theodore Lewis of Pinckney. The funeral was held Monday with Rev. Gates officiating. Burial was at Okemus.

Barnard's store caught fire from one of the gasoline lights, last Friday morning. L. E. Smith who happened to be near, extinguished the flames with his overcoat. Mr. Barnard will buy the latter a new coat.

At the regular communication of Livingston Lodge No. 76 the following officers were elected: W. M., John Martin; S. W., A. H. Gilchrist; J. W. Ross Read; Treas., G. W. Teeple; Sec., H. D. McDougall; S. D. M. J. Reason; J. D. ,Peter Conway; Sts., Fred Lake, E. R. Geer; Tyler, C. V. VanWinkle.

The county Gleaner rally held at Howell last Thursday was attended by about 500 people. Grant Slocum was the speaker and steps were taken to start a Gleaner elevator at Howell. The following officers were elected: Pres., Albin Pfau; Sec., Samuel Yerkes; Treas., W. W. Williams; Directors, John Worthington, Fred Berry, Ernest Ellis.

Kitsey Allison is clerking for Mrs. Utley. Alger Hall is also working there.

Fred Teeple exhibited 7 Barred Rocks at the Brighton Poultry show last week winning 3 firsts and 3 seconds.

The officers of Livingston Lodge No 76 will be installed on Dec. 19 with Dr. H. F. Sigler acting as installing officer.

The M. E. church took their play "The Iron Hand" to Plainfield Friday night and drew a full house. They will put it on in Gregory this week Friday.

The Epworth League will discuss the following topics Sunday evening, "A well spent life and its close". Those who will take part are Mrs. E. E. Hoyt, Mrs. Arthur Vedder, Mrs. H. F. Sigler, Ella Blair, Florence Tupper, Florence Byer, Mary Johnson, Alger Hall, Earl Tupper, Willis Tupper, E. E. Hoyt, Rebah Blair. On the musical program are Hazel McDougall Fern Hendee, Madeline Bowman, Kitsey Allison, Lois Teeple.

CONSERVATION DEPT. NOTES

Michigan has more than 1,000,000 acres of state-administered land within the boundaries of 12 state forests.

Many hunters in Michigan are confused by frequent references in the game laws to the mythical line crossing the lower peninsula from Lake Michigan to Saginaw Bay and known as "Townline 16". The exact location of this line is clearly defined in a map contained in the new digest of Michigan's game laws.

The life of a Christmas tree may be extended at least a week if the tree is set in water when brought into the house.

Since 1903 the State of Michigan has planted nearly 140,000,000 forest seedlings, the lands reforested totaling 175,000 acres. The majority of these plantings occurred within the past 10 years.

Michigan's first fish law was enacted in 1865. It prohibited the fouling of waters and the killing of "speckled" trout with any kind of net in any inland lake, river or stream.

HAVE YOU ANY ENZYMES? WELL, YOU BETTER HAVE

An article in The American Weekly which is next Sunday's Detroit Times tells those who don't know what enzymes are that even science did not know of them until recently .... But without enzymes every plant, animal and person would be dead .... and the earth a dreary waste.

ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS.

STATE OF MICHIGAN,
The Probate Court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in the said County, on the 17th day of November, A. D. 1936.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of
Charles L. Campbell, Deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court:

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 22d day of March, A. D. 1937, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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

Willis L. Lyons
Judge of Probate.

A true copy:
Celestia Parshall,
Register of Probate.

Local and General

Gorman Kelly was in Gregory Monday afternoon.

W. C. Miller transacted business in Howell Saturday.

Mrs. Flora Darrow of Howell spent Sunday in Pinckney.

William Dilloway is putting in a furnace in his tavern.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Doyle were in Howell last Saturday.

Roy Clark was confined to his home with the mumps last week.

M. J. Reason has installed an automatic stoker in his home here.

L. E. Wilson was in Chicago on business several days last week.

Leo and Adrian are working on the new postoffice building in Chelsea.

Rev .B. F. Esic who is working in Webster was in town Thursday.

Gene Dinkel moved L. G Devereaux and family to Detroit Saturday.

Mrs. Louis Shehan and Mrs. Edna Spears were in Detroit one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lavey and children were in Ann Arbor Monday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Sigler of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Sigler.

Dan Driver of Detxer was a Sunday caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben White.

Mr and Mrs. Myron Ely of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with Mr and Mrs. M. E. Darorw.

Miss Evelyn Darrow of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Darrow

Mr. and Mrs. L. W Hoff and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas of Flint were Sunday guests of the Hoff sister.

Mr .and Mrs. Norman Clark and daughter expect to leave this month for Florida to spent the winter.

The Misses Arlene Thorpe and Mildred Glandin were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ella McCluskey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sloan (Mabel Fish) of Corunna are now in Florida for the winter and are located at Kissimmee.

Mrs. Robert Mitteer and daughter, Helen, of Stockbridge spent several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bullis.

Lorenzo Murphy is employed in the soil conservation dept He and Frank Bowers are measuring acerage. A large wheel is used for this purpose.

Mrs. Berkley Ishem and family who have been living on the Hicks farm have moved into part of the Teeple double house on Putnam St.

Wesley Palmer, 6 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Palmer of this place broke his leg in two places below the hip while playing Thursday.

Vern Cory will move into John Dinkel's house vacated by L. G. Devereaux, Charles Clark and family will move into the Barnard house vacated by Mr. Cory.

The fur trappers seem to be having very good luck this winter. Edmund Haines got five skunks last Saturday. Wm. Dillon got a mink and many have gotten muskrats.

Mrs. Netttie Vaughn was hostess at a birthday dinner Sunday honoring her daughter, Mrs. Roy Merrill, of Webster. Others present were Mr. Merrill, their daughters Mercides and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Shehan.

Word has been received here that Mr. and Mrs. Dale Darrow and Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Darrow and daughter of Kalamazoo have gone to Los Angeles, California, to spend the winter.

Mesdames B. C Daller, Herbert Palmer, Fred Read and Clifford Van Horn attended a meeting of the Past and Present President's Club of the Livingston Co. King's Daughter's at the home of Mrs Chas. Wehner at Strawberry Lake last Monday afternoon.

Mrs .Herbert Palmer was hostess at a delightful one o'clock luncheon, Thurssday. The guests were Mrs. J. O. Bacon, Mrs Mulholland and Mrs. Walter Ford of Ann Arbor, Mrs. H. A. Lee of Lakeland, Mrs. Paul Kingsley and Mrs. Sallow of Ann Arbor. They all attended the King's Daughter's meeting at the home of Mrs. Ross Read

The Livingston County Lodge 76 lost the second checker contest to Dexter here last Thursday night. The following competed for Pinckney. N. O Frye, J. H. Hooker, Russell Livermore, Fred Read, Pat King, Paul Bock, H. C. Vedder, George Long, Roy Dillingham, Clare Swarthout, Azel Carpenter, Roy Reason, John Chambers. The Dexter contestants were composed of Harlan Savery, Ellis Green, Henry Jewell, Ira Ott, Herbert Shoup, Elton Lesser, Ira Jameison, Carl Mast, Chris. Stoll, Henry Steinbach, Horace Likely, Wm. Beach.

Throw themselves to the sharks so their comrades could live. The amazing adventures of 12 convicts who fled Devil's Island. In the AMERICAN WEEKLY, the magazine distributed with NEXT SUNDAY'S CHICAGO HERALD AND EXAMINER.

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"He who abuses others must not be particular about the answers he gets."

DECEMBER

3—President Monroe announces his famous South America doctrine. 1823

4—Henry Ford's famous "Peace Mission" ship sails for Europe. 1915

6—Phi Beta Kappa, first fraternity in the United States organized. 1776

6—Columbus discovers the island of Haiti. 1492

7—The African Methodist Episcopal church is organized. 1816

8—Congress orders gold medal struck for General Grant. 1863

8—Fifteen families found settlement on site of Indianapolis. 1819

Household Questions

Cake icing will adhere better and stay soft and glossy if a little glycerin is added to the icing mixture.

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Black marble clocks or ornaments will have a beautiful luster if rubbed with a soft cloth dampened with olive oil and then polished with a clean chamois.

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Stains on the fingers from peeling apples, onions or other fruits [illegible] can be removed by [illegible] crust of bread [illegible]. Wash afterwards [illegible] water.

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Lace curtains before being washed for the first time should be soaked for an hour or two in cold water to which two tablespoons of table salt have been added. This removes dressing in curtains and makes them much easier to launder.

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White woodwork in the home can be kept clean by sponging with lukewarm suds of a pure, mild soap, then wiping dry. This does not harm the enameled surface.

MURDER MASQUERADE

By INEZ HAYNES IRWIN

SYNOPSIS

Mary Avery, a widow who lives in the harbor town of Satuit, Mass., with two negro maids, Sarah Darbe and Bessie Williams, writes a manuscript describing the famous Second Head murder, which occurred on her estate. Next to Mary live Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stow who every year give a summer masquerade party. One of the guests of this function is murdered. Nearby live Dr. and Mrs. Geary and their married daughter Edith and her husband Alfred Bray; Doctor Myron Marden and his step-granddaughter, Caro Prentiss, a beautiful young girl who was born in France. Next live Paul and Lora Eames and their daughter Molly. Molly was engaged to the murdered man, Ace Blaikie. She had been engaged to Walter Treadway, who had been the murdered man's secretary, but the engagement was suddenly broken and he had left town. Other neighbors are the Fairweather sisters, Flora, a hopeless invalid and Margaret. All but the latter two attended the masquerade. Mary's eight-year-old niece Sylvia Sard is visiting her for the summer. The wooded part of Mary's estate is called the Spinney. In it is a tiny log cabin. Near a stone wall is a tiny circular pond called the Merry Mere. This is the day of the masquerade and excitement is high. Mary decides to take Sylvia, who is an unusually observant child. Caro Prentiss and Molly Eames drop in during the afternoon. Soon Blaikie, Doctor Marden and Bruce Hexson, a friend of Ace's, arrive. Molly is impatient to leave and they all excuse themselves. At the party Sylvia identifies each of the masked guests as they arrive. Ace comes garbed as Julius Caesar. Molly Eames appears as a Snow Queen, accompanied by a man in armor whom Sylvia identifies as Walter Treadway. They dance together continuously. Caro Prentiss and Marden arrive dressed in Revolutionary costumes, the doctor wearing jeweled shoe buckles. When the guests unmask, Ace, Walter and Molly have disappeared. When Mary Avery leaves the party a little after two, neither Molly and Walter or Ace Blaikie had returned. Sarah Darbe confides to Mary that someone apparently had spent the night in the Little House and returns screaming. She has found Ace Blaikie stabbed to death in the Spinney. Mary summons Patrick O'Brien, chief of police, who had been a schoolmate of hers and Ace's. Her manuscript recalls early impressions of Ace—how he had been wealthy, the most popular boy in town, how he had gone to Paris to study medicine, became an aviator in the World war, returning to practice in Satuit, how he was recklessly generous and the principal in scores of love affairs. Bruce Hexson had come back from the war with Ace. He was a lawyer, a man of private means and had "got" religion, become a virtual recluse.

SUNDAY—Continued

Sarah's sobs died down. Suddenly she became her composed, quiet self. "I don't like to tell things about people," she explained quietly. "I never give away the secrets that my friends tell me and I always keep the white people's secrets. I haven't ever mentioned what I'm going to tell you but to one other person."

"Mrs. Avery, I suppose," Patrick said.

"Good guess, Patrick!" I put in.

"I told Mrs. Avery Saturday morning," Sarah said. Perfectly composed she told Patrick the story of her discoveries in the cabin.

Again Sarah burst into tears.

"Now, now, don't think about it any more. You go back to your work, Sarah, and don't give this another thought. You haven't got anybody into trouble. I knew who it was all the time."

"I would have told you, Patrick, what Sarah has just told you," I said after Sarah had disappeared. "You see I didn't think of it yesterday. The murder paralyzed my mind temporarily."

"Oh, I know you'd have told me," Patrick dismissed my explanation in an off-hand manner.

"Do you know yet how Ace came to go into my Spinney, Patrick?" I asked.

"Oh yes, I got that last night. He went there to meet Tony Torriano."

"The bootlegger!" I said.

"Yes. It seems that— Of course you know that for years Ace has been spending money like a drunken sailor. He's really been up against it lately. He hasn't paid Tony for months. He owed him three hundred dollars. Tony went over to the Blaikie house yesterday and I guess he staged a pretty good scene. Sam was cleaning silver in the butler's pantry and he could hear Tony storming way off there. He got frightened and came into the dining-room to listen. He said that Tony grew pretty violent in his threats. He heard Ace tell Tony to meet him about half-past ten in your Spinney, that he'd have the money for him then."

"And so you suspect——"

"Not a chance! Just think it over! I've known Tony all my life. He's all right. We went to school together. I've played tag, tops, marbles, baseball and football with him. Tony's as good as they come."

"Did you arrest him?"

"No, but I told him to stick around because I might have to arrest him. And he's sticking around."

"Who spent the night in my Little House?" I asked next.

"Walter Treadway," Pat answered. "I'm as sure as I can be that he did. Anyway he didn't go home that night. Somebody saw him and Molly motoring early yesterday morning."

"Sarah guessed that," I said after a while. "Our maids always know everything before we do."

Outside, a motor crunched on the driveway. In an instant Sarah appeared. "It's Miss Molly, Mrs. Avery," she announced, "and Mr. Treadway."

Before I could speak, "Tell them to come in!" Patrick said.

I had not seen Walter Treadway for ever a year and yet I did not look at him for an instant. It was not the fact that Molly came through the door first that held my attention on her. It was something in Molly herself. It seems to me I had never seen her look so beautiful.

Molly swept into the room.

"Good morning, Aunt Mary," she called buoyantly. "Good morning, Mr. O'Brien." Surprisingly she came over and kissed me. I had a feeling that she had intended in that sweep of the room to kiss Patrick too, but thought better of it.

Buoyancy in Molly! And Ace dead.

Patrick's answering "Good morning, Molly," came together with mine—like a chorus. Then, still like a chorus, we added, "Good morning, Walter!"

Walter Treadway's look had changed too.

I have known Walter Treadway all his life. Like the Stows and Eameses, the older Treadways are contemporaries and intimates. I always say that Walter is handsome. Perhaps he is not really handsome; certainly he is interesting. He is very tall, very slim—blade-like. He has regular features and he has beautiful teeth. A quality in Walter's face always delights me; something gay, something—not so much mischievous as Puckish. As a young boy, he was

"He Said That Tony Grew Pretty Violent in His Threats."

extremely shy. That shyness disappeared, of course, with maturity; but even as a young man he was quiet and reticent. He had a charming sense of humor—quiet and reticent too and—well, I'll go back to that word—Puckish! Yes, Walter is handsome.

As Molly looked different, Walter looked different. But his air showed a sternness—almost an austerity.

"Sit down children!" I ordered. What can I offer you at this hour of the morning?"

"Coffee!" Molly answered promptly. "Your just famous coffee, Aunt Mary. Loads of it!"

I rang the bell. Sarah appeared. "Tell Bessie to make a big potful of coffee. And serve it in here!"

"I'm glad you've come, Molly," Patrick began at once. "And you too, Walter. When I got to your place last night, Molly, your mother said that you'd gone home with one of the girls. She'd forgotten which one, so she couldn't get in touch with you. And your people, Walter, didn't even know that you'd been in Satuit. I told them that you'd spent one night at least in Mrs. Avery's Little House. That O. K.?"

"Yes," Walter replied without any hesitation. "I spent two nights there." After a pause he volunteered, "Thursday and Friday night. My apologies, Aunt Mary. I'm sure you understand."

"I do!" I answered.

Patrick made no comment on this by-play.

"But why," Walter went on in an inquiring voice, "did you want to see me?" "And why," Molly echoed in an indifferent one, "did you want to see me?"

"To get your—" Patrick was beginning.

A blade of intuition cut through me. "Oh you haven't heard!" I wailed.

"Haven't heard what?" they both questioned.

"Oh Molly," I took it up, "Molly darling, we've got something frightful to tell you!"

Molly's face turned to marble. "My mother!" she whispered.

"Not your mother!" I said swiftly. "Ace!"

"Ace?" Molly questioned. "He's dead?" She answered herself instantly. "Ace is dead!" Molly said this in a kind of solemn question, a kind of solemn statement. She stared at me.

I could not speak. I bowed my head.

"[illegible] . . . dead . . ." Molly repeated. "Ace . . dead! Why how could Ace die? Ace was so full of life. Tell me what it is, Aunt Mary. He didn't kill himself? Tell me [illegible] thing! Tell me!"

She had arisen from her chair as she pleaded, came speeding like a blown flower, across the piazza to me. As swiftly, Walter followed her. He put his arm about her.

"He was murdered!" I could say it in no fuller phrase, or in fewer words.

"Murdered!" Molly screamed it.

Walter pulled in a long hissing breath. His wide eyes, still on my face, he drew Molly close. She dropped her head to his shoulder; deadened her hysterics there.

Patrick swung in, "The body was found in Mrs. Avery's Spinney yesterday afternoon. He had been stabbed to death with the sword he wore at the masquerade. Doctor Geary says he died about midnight."

"My God!" Walter said in a stupefied tone.

"As long as you're here, Walter," Patrick went on steadily, "I want to ask you a few questions. Perhaps Molly'd like to lie down for a while."

Walter led her to a couch. He seated himself beside her. Molly's handkerchief went up to her face. She began to shake but in silence; no sobs came. Walter's arm went about her.

"I must warn you both first," Patrick said, "that anything you say now can be used later in evidence against you."

Walter looked with a fierce worship down into Molly's face. Molly looked with a tigerish worship up into his.

"Ask us anything you want!" they said in unison.

"You went to the masquerade, Walter," Patrick began, "in a knight's costume—armor—coat-of-mail—or whatever you call it?"

"Yes."

"What time did you get to the party?"

"Oh a little after ten, I should say."

"Did you dress in the Little House, Walter?"

"Yes."

"What time did you go to the Little House Friday night?"

"It was Saturday morning by the time I got there," Walter answered. "That is to say almost Saturday morning. It was just before sunrise."

Patrick made no comment on this.

"Was Molly at the party when you got here?"

"Yes."

"Did you dance with her often?"

"About a half dozen times."

"What time did you leave?"

"A little after eleven perhaps."

"Before the unmasking?"

"Yes."

"Did you go alone?"

"No."

"Who was with you?"

"Molly."

Patrick turned to Molly. "Then you two left the party some time after eleven?"

"Yes."

"What time did you get to the Stow house, Molly?"

"A little after ten?"

"You left with Walter?"

"Yes."

"What did you do when you left the house?"

"We got into my runabout and drove about."

"Where did you drive?"

"Satuit, Marshland, Marshland Beach, Hanesbury, Hanesbury Beach and what have you."

Patrick turned his attention to Walter. "How long, Walter, would you say you were driving?"

"Well, we left the party—for the sake of easy arithmetic—let us say eleven. I was back in the Little House about five. That would make it six hours."

"Were you with him all that time, Molly?"

"Yes."

"Did you see Ace Blaikie at the party, Walter?"

"Yes."

"Did you speak with him?"

"No."

"Did you dance with Ace, Molly?"

"Yes—twice."

"Did you speak to him?"

"Not as Ace Blaikie. We talked as the characters we represented. He called me Ice Empress."

Patrick continued, "After you stopped riding around, Walter, where did you take Molly?"

"To the Marden house!"

"What road did you take?"

"Round to the beach and over the Head."

"In what room did you sleep in the Marden house, Molly?"

"I slept in the room with Caro Prentiss—a big chamber at the front with two beds."

"Did you wake her when you came in?"

"No. She was awake. She had just got in herself."

"Didn't she ask you where you'd been?"

"She didn't ask me, but I told her that I had been riding all night with Walter."

"Now" — Patrick's air became brisk—"we left you, Walter, at the Marden house. Tell me what you did then?"

"I walked straight down to the Little House. I cut across Cat Park and got onto the path just back of Mrs. Avery's house and continued on to the Little House."

"Took off your armor, first, I suppose," Patrick suggested.

"Yes. I had already taken off the cape and helmet and hood when I got into the runabout and put on a sweater. But I took the rest of it off then and went to sleep on the couch."

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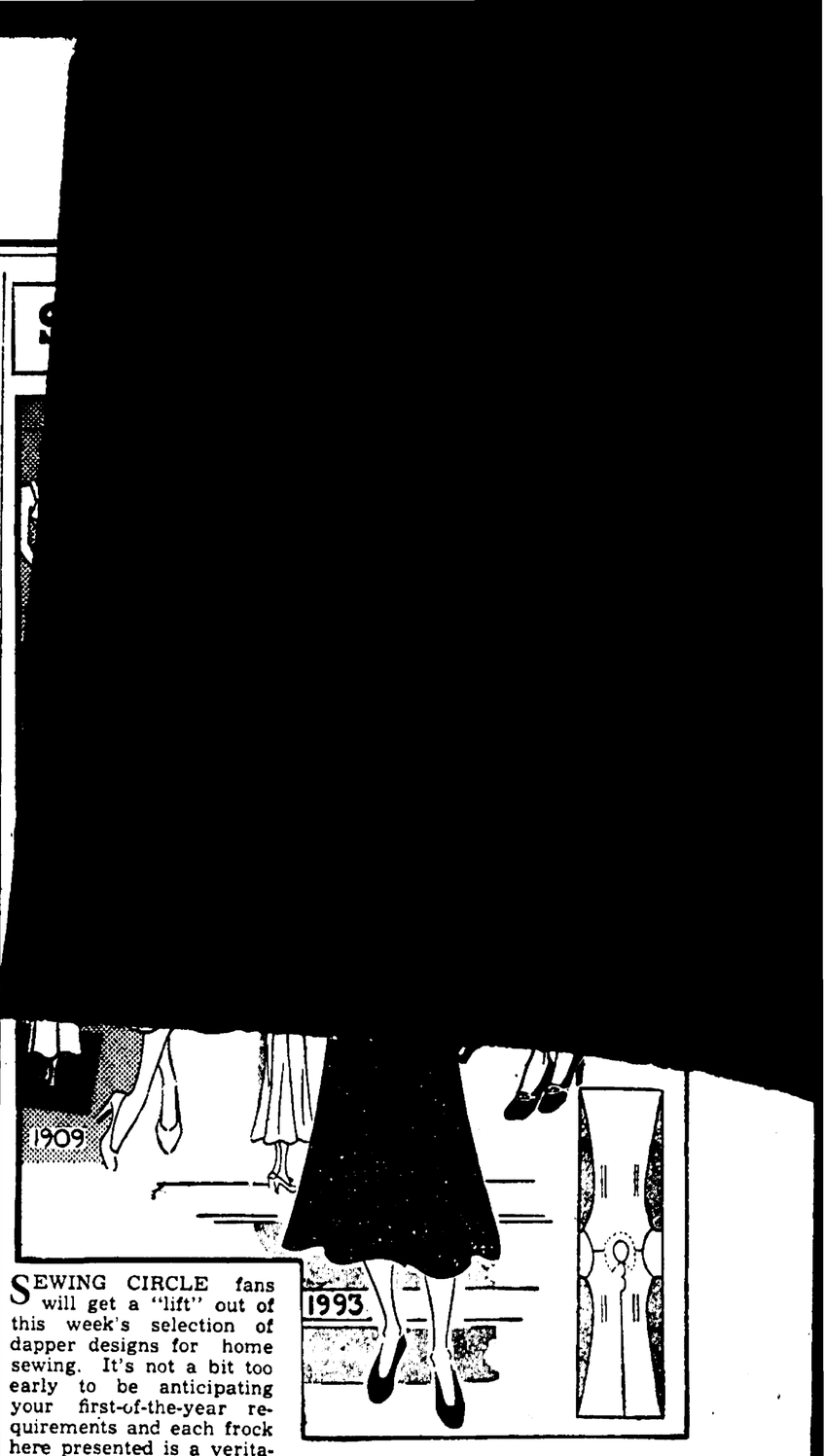

SEWING CIRCLE fans will get a "lift" out of this week's selection of dapper designs for home sewing. It's not a bit too early to be anticipating your first-of-the-year requirements and each frock here presented is a veritable winner in its individual class.

The cleverly cut slip, Pattern 1909, consists of just six simple pieces including the shoulder strap and offers a choice of straps or a built up shoulder. With a combination of bust ease and a fitted waist, this number will prove a popular favorite in silk crepe, crepe de chine, pongee, or taffeta. Available in sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, and 46. Size 16 requires 2¾ yards of 39 inch material.

The slick princess frock, Pattern 1993, has everything it takes for success and requires just seven pieces for the pattern. Princess frocks are always tops for home sewing. Sleeves are gay and youthful, the pockets trig and tricky. Your selection of fabrics is almost as long as the counter!—wool crepe, flannel, broadcloth, velveteen, silk crepe, satin, taffeta, linen, rough weaves, or cotton. Send today for Pattern 1993 designed for sizes 14, 16, 18, 20, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, and 42. Size 16 requires 3¼ yds. of 54 inch or 5⅛ yds. of 39 inch fabric.

The charming morning frock for matrons, Pattern 1841, speaks for itself. A one-piece model, five pieces to the pattern, it too offers a choice of long or short sleeves and slides through your machine in a jiffy. This delightful pattern is available in sizes 34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44, and 46. Size 36, with short sleeves, requires 3¾ yards of 39 inch material — percale, rayon, poplin, gingham, tub silk, or seersucker.

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Local and General

Ben White and Dan Driver called and Will Roche Sunday evening.

R. H Teeple and wife of Brighton visited Pinckney relatives Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs .Walter Clinton called at the C. J. Cinton home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Louis Shehan and Mrs. Edna Spears were in Detroit last week Tuesday.

Mrs. Kathleen Crotty was a Sunday dinner guest of her mother, Mrs. James Roche.

Miss Joan Messersmid entered the University Hospital, Monday, for treatments.

Lee Lavey attended an auto insurance agents banquet at Lansing Tuesday night.

Mrs. Mark Allison of Chubbs Corners spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mercer.

Harold Tooman and wife of Ypsilanti were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Read.

Mrs. Will Mercer spent Thursday and Friday with Dr. and Mrs. A. J. McGregor in Brighton.

Mrs. Claude Reason, her daughter, Leota Mr. and Mrs. Roy Reason were in Ann Arbor Friday.

Miss Jean Clark spent Friday and Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hendee in Ann Arbor

Miss Leola Stackable was home from Lansing, John and Pete from Detroit over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C J. Clinton and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lavey in Gregory Sunday.

Mrs. C. J. Clinton entertained her Five Hundred Club at a one o'clock luncheon Monday afternoon.

Mrs. A. L Nisbett attended a lecture sponsored by the Ladies Civic Club at Dexter Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Zora Chambers, Mrs. J. C. Dinkel the Misses Fanny Monks and Vira Bentley were Ann Arbor shoppers Tuesday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Kennedy were Mr. and Mrs LaVerne Kennedy of Detroit, Gerald and Murray Kennedy of Howell.

Mrs. V. L Corey, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Dinkel called on Miss Carmen Leland at River Rouge Sunday and took her with them to Detroit to spent the day.

Harriet and Russell Bowman of Jackson spent the week end with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bowman.

Dave Kelly is spending a couple of weeks auditing in the offices of the Michgan Bell Telephone offices in Saginaw and adjacent cities.

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Our Present Need

THAT mankind is urgently in need of something, all will admit. But people differ when they come to analyze this need and prescribe the remedy. Some say that the need is for money; others, for better management and government; and still others, for shorter working hours and more leisure. The invalid's need is for health; the sinner's for goodness and peace; those who appear to be passing on for more abundant life. Humanity's diversified wants and desires make us think of the reply Martha received from Jesus (Luke 10:41, 42): "Martha, Martha, thou art careful and troubled about many things: but one thing is needful: and Mary hath chosen that good part, which shall not be taken away from her."

What is the one thing that is needful? Is it not Mary's spiritual adaptability and receptivity? Spiritual understanding is an absolute requisite if we are to escape the woes, injustices, and ills of sense. On page 151 of "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures" Mary Baker Eddy has written, "Infinite Mind could not possibly create a remedy outside of itself, but erring, finite, human mind has an absolute need of something beyond itself for its redemption and healing." . . .

A childlike willingness to allow omniscient Love to control all our thoughts would do much to eliminate the errors which occur in human calculations. Sometimes we are afraid to let go, lest we suffer from the result; but Soul cares for us with an ability far exceeding our present apprehension. The forces and capacities of Immortal Life are always operating, and we should experience Love's benevolence more often if we would only exclude greed, envy, rivalry, and fear from our thought. We assume a sense of false and overburdening responsibility only to our own detriment; while self-immolation and a firm trust in God's government operate to establish order, concord, and success. Our first need is not so much for improved conditions as it is for a clear realization that infinite Mind has absolute control over every function, activity, and expression of real being; that this control exists here and now; that the only legitimate and real results of this divine government are harmony and good works, and that, therefore, if aught else claims to exist it is but suppositious. Better human conditions are a result of this knowing, for spiritual understanding scientifically improves our human conditions and unfolds limitless expressions of goodness.

We need to cultivate spiritual sense, which lifts human consciousness above the errors of corporeal sense and discerns the divine and unchangeable facts of being. We need to understand that evil is nothing and nobody; that it has no intelligence or power, no influence, no avenue or medium through which to reach and disturb or injure us. We need to keep in mind that error is not an entity, but is simply an illusion, with no more influence or sway than we give it by our belief in it. Christian Science shows us conclusively that we are not the victims of so-called material laws, from which there is no escape, but rather that we are, in reality, the eternal children of the loving Father, who blesses, sustains, and maintains all that reflects Him. The fact must be learned that the creation of eternal Truth, the only creation there is, is wholly good; that spiritual law controls all real action, attraction, and power, and that every effect of this law is harmonious and necessary; and that man is the essential, spiritual, eternal manifestation of infinite Life.

It may be summed up that our present need is to acknowledge God, eternal Life, more in our human affairs, to obey the injunction, "Trust in the Lord with all thine heart; and lean not unto thine own understanding" (Proverbs 3:5). There is no other way to solve the problem of health and happiness, of production, of distribution, of economic equality. Only by acting in accordance with divine Principle can we maintain good works, overcome the false sense of overproduction and underproduction, and provide abundant human necessities for every individual. The recognition of Soul's presence and allness alone will destroy the human fear of lack, disease, and disaster, by revealing the unlimited, indestructible nature of substance and reality—of health and harmony. God provides His image, man, with all that is necessary for sustenance and harmonious continuity; and our need is spiritually to apprehend this fact and apply it in solving our human problems.—*The Christian Science Monitor.*

Analysis Shows Stronger Position

In a survey and analysis of earnings and expenses of state banks doing a commercial business, it is brought out that in a majority of states they have increased their earning ability during 1935. On the basis of data covering 7,928 banks in 48 states, the report says:

"The most significant fact to be pointed out is that new profits of state banks—after deducting charge-offs on loans, investments, etc., and adding recoveries—were shown in 37 of the 42 states which reported in 1935, in comparison with net profits in only 11 of the 38 states reporting in 1934. Measured in terms of dollars per each $100 of invested funds, net profits in 1935 ranged between $2.40 and $.10 per $100, with 19 states showing profits of $1.00, or over, per $100; while in 1934 net profits did not exceed $1.20 per $100 and only three states showed profits of $1.00, or over."

The report contains voluminous tables showing the resources and liabilities of all classes of state chartered institutions and detailed analyses of earnings and expenses by states and of insured commercial state banks grouped by size of banks.

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FARM SALES REPORTED

The E. A. Strout, Realty Agency, report through their representative, George Van Horn of 322 W. Washington St., the past season sales of farms in this locality.

Bruce River farm in Deerfield township, to A. J. Poppelreiter of Dearborn.

Travis Lake farm in Hamburg township ,to Ralph Otwell of Pinckney.

Burnett Lake and resort farm in Hamburg township to Milo Case of Detroit.

The Country Estate of Mr. & Mrs. Floyd Smith on Grand River, East of Fowlerville, to A. D. Hodges of Detroit.

The Charles Larsen, 25 A. farm in Cohoctah township to Mr. & Mrs. Stephen Walsh of Detroit.

The John Bain 29 A. farm in Deerfield township to Max Hampel of Detroit.

The Gus Mowell, 80 A. farm in Unadilla township to Mr. and Mrs Ben Rupp of Beaverton, Michigan.

The George Jones, 80 A. farm in Oceola township to Mr. and Mrs. Orin Osborne of Howell.

The Hoofmeyer 97 A. farm in Stockbridge and White Oak township Ingham Co. to Walter Kaiser of Detroit.

The 105 A Stuible farm in Cohoctah township to Mr. and Mrs .C. P. Pulin of Detroit.

Mrs. Villa Richards and Mrs. C. L. Sigler were in Ann Arbor Tuesday.

Mrs. Steven Lucas of Grand Rapids spent last week with her daughter, Mrs. Messersmid.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Sloan (Mabel Fish) of Corunna are now in Florida for the winter and are located at Kissimmee.

Ralph Carr, who has been employed with the J. L. Hudson Company for the past two years, has accepted a position with the National Bank of Detroit.

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