

Three People Killed In Tyrone Twp.

Aged Farmer, His Wife and Sister, Brutally Attacked at Their Farm, North of Howell, Wednesday. Crime Discovered 14 Hours Later.

One of the most brutal slayings in the history of this county, and there have been many, took place in Tyrone township, 25 miles north of Howell, near the Genesee county line Wednesday. Those killed were Jahiel Davis, 66, former member of the Detroit police department for 20 years, his sister, Mrs. Lydia Hildebrand, 72, of Utica who was visiting there, his wife, Eleanor, 73, was found unconscious and died Monday in a Flint Hospital.

The crime was discovered Thursday about 10:00 A. M. by Dr. C. H. White, Fenton physician, who had been attending White, who was sick in bed. He stopped to make a professional call but found the door locked and could not arouse anyone. Becoming suspicious he returned to Fenton and got Mrs. Jay Davis a daughter-in-law. Returning she climbed through a window and found her father-in-law dead in bed. His skull was crushed in and the bed was covered with blood. The women could not be found. Dr. White summoned the Livingston county officers and Sheriff Kennedy, Prosecutor Berrieman, Deputy Sheriff Loren Bassett and Coroner Henry Wines went out. Fenton officers and state police also arrived. Search of the building failed to disclose the two women, until a grain bin, which was nailed shut was opened. Here they were found. Mrs. Hildebrand was dead with her skull crushed, a rope was tied about her neck. Mrs. Davis also had a crushed skull and a strap was tied about her neck. She was still living and was taken to Hurley Hospital, Flint. The bodies of the women were not found until two hours after the discovery of Davis's body. Dr. White said the slain had been dead since shortly before midnight, Wednesday. The wooden mallet used to kill them was found in a water tank.

Kidnapping is believed to be the motive and police are searching for Ray Larsen, 22, the hired man who was found missing together with his clothing and the Davis pickup truck. This truck was later found at 10:00 P. M. Thursday at 943 Alford St., Flint, where it had been parked since Wednesday night. Larsen is a floater and not much is known of him. He showed up two months ago and claimed to be a refugee from the Ohio flood district. After trying to find a brother at Flint unsuccessfully, he hired out to Davis who has been ill. It is thought he lured the women to the barn, a note was found written by Davis instructing them to go there with Larsen as a cow was sick. Here he killed one and knocked the other unconscious as Mrs. Davis's broken glasses were found here. He killed Davis in bed. Robbery is thought to be the motive as Davis always carried a sum of money on him and was said to have \$2,200 at the time he was killed. The last the family was seen alive was at 6:00 P. M. when a grandson, Lee Davis, called. Larsen asked him to come again Thursday and bring him two boxes of snuff which he used. Larsen is 5 ft. 9 in. tall, blond hair, blue eyes, wt. 150 lbs., wears a brown shirt, an army coat and hat.

The Davis's have three sons and one daughter. Several suspects have been arrested in various places but none proved to be Larsen. Saturday morning Wyandotte, Detroit and Dansville, Ill., police all held suspects but later released them.

Tuesday the section near Whitaker was searched on the report that Larsen had been seen there. He is said to have relatives in Washtenaw county.

The funeral of the three victims was held at Fenton with burial at Utica.

JAMES M. BELL

James M. Bell, 55, son of the late Mark and Ellen Bell of Pinckney died at his home in Dexter Friday after a long illness. He was born in Dexter township on Jan. 4, 1882 and lived the greater part of his life in this section, except for a number of years when he resided in Dearfield. He was a blacksmith by trade and worked and owned shops at different times in Pinckney and Dexter. Surviving are his widow, Mabel Miles Bell, eight sons, George, Frank, Leo, Clair, Arthur, James Jr., Ellwood and Clair, and three daughters, Mrs. Eljohn Owens, Mrs. Floyd Campbell and Mrs. Elsie at home. Also three sisters, Mrs. Hay Culhane of Chelsea, Mrs. William Eck and Mrs. Agnes Wheeler of Dexter, and four brothers, Fred, Thomas, Arthur and Markey.

The funeral was held from St. Mary's church, Pinckney, Monday morning with Rev. James Carolan officiating. Burial was in St. Mary's cemetery.

PARTY DANCE

Mountain Pete and his W. X. Y. Z. mountaineers will be at St. Joseph's Hall, direct from Detroit, Tuesday evening, April 27, to entertain with Old-time and Modern music. Dancing from 9 to 1. Admission 50c. Ev. refreshments.

News of the State Legislature

Senate Passes Murphy Welfare Department Re-Organization Bill. Numerous Appropriation Bills Are Also Enacted. Adjournment Is Also Discussed.

The senate passed the administration welfare consolidation bill last Thursday, 19 to 11. It now goes to the house where it is expected to face stiff opposition as the county board of supervisors are united against it. The M.E.A. sponsored 9 million dollar school aid bill is expected to be reported out of the senate committee this week. This is to help out districts where the 15 mill tax limitation does not raise sufficient revenue. The house passed 9 bills last week. They are appropriations of \$235,420 and \$249,966 for the Michigan College of mines, \$703,930 and \$729,015 for the Ypsi Normal, \$320,800 and \$333,500 for the Central Normal and \$698,200 and \$725,475 for Western State Normal.

The Belen bill to establish state elevator control and inspection by the department of labor passed 75 to 5. All costs will be born by the elevator companies.

The Brown bills, providing all new issues of municipal bonds must be serials and refunding term bonds can be issued only with the consent of the Public Debt Commission, were approved 86 to 0.

The Weza bill providing that rejected delinquent taxes be reassessed without penalties was passed 86 to 1 and given immediate effect.

The Fehling Senate measure making credits exempt under the mortgage tax law exempt from all other taxes was approved 71 to 7 and given immediate effect.

The McCallum bill requesting all counties to file with the Public Debt Commission annually a written report of the County's bonded indebtedness was adopted 86 to 0.

The Matthews-McCallum bill prohibiting counties from advancing moneys from the general fund on account of principal and interest on drain bonds issued prior to Act 381, Public Acts of 1927, was approved 85 to 1 and given immediate effect.

There is a possibility that the senate may attempt to pass the Brake bill adding the Lt. Gov. and speaker to the administrative board, over Gov. Murphy's veto.

An attempt to arrange a Michigan State-U. of D. football game by resolution and the resolution was sent to committee. These schools have severed athletic relations.

Rep. Snow of Jackson has introduced a minimum wage bill for women. A state labor board consisting of two men and a woman would also be appointed under this act.

A law raising the age of children who may be prohibited in any kind of an act from 16 to 18 was also presented.

The bill making it unlawful for supervisors to hold other offices was killed.

Local boards of education would be empowered to grant welfare relief to families too poor to send their children to school.

Rep. Odell introduced a bill providing for a legislative session every year limited to 60 days except that 30 days might be added to consider vetoed bills.

A tax sale bill has been reported out in the house. This calls for a tax sale in May, 1938. One providing a sale in May 1936 was declared unconstitutional by the supreme court because sufficient notice could not be given delinquents.

Gov. Murphy signed four bills last week, making them laws. One restricts the use of white canes to blind people, one raises the small game license to \$15 for non-residents below townline 16, the third authorizes county clerks to destroy vouchers after keeping same ten years, and the third validates drains constructed on highways without the order of the drain commissioner.

The bill to consolidate the welfare departments passed the Senate with the aid of the Republican votes. Hiltie of this district voted for it.

The senate voted down the provision in the old age pension law lowering the age limit to 65 years and sent the bill back to the committee.

They also authorized the renting of a Lansing home for Gov. Murphy. Two welfare organization bills were passed by them. One abolishes the power of township supervisors to make a distinction between township and county poor and the other removes the administration of mothers pensions from the probate judges.

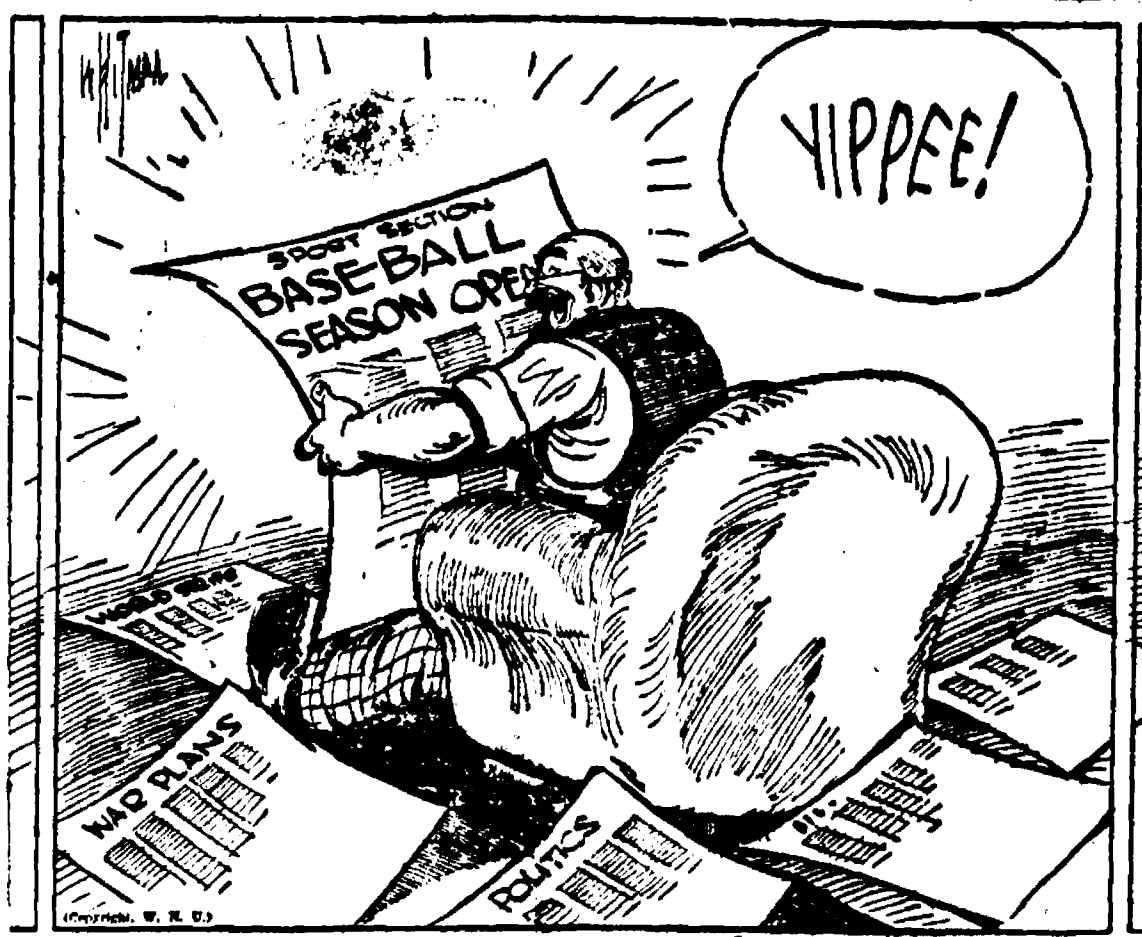
GARLOCK PECK

Married at St. Mary's rectory on Thursday, April 15, by Rev. James Carolan, William Peck of Pinckney to Mrs. Edith Garlock of Ft. Wayne Indiana. The couple will reside in the Flord Weeks house on Main St., Pinckney. The groom lived in Flint and Toledo for a number of years but retired two years ago. The bride at one time lived in Unadilla but has been a nurse for a number of years. The Dispatch extends congratulations.

HENRY E. MURPHY WAS IN HOWELL

Monday afternoon. Dr. Hollis Sigler and wife of Howell were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Sigler.

The Sedative



Tri-County League Starts May 9

Tri-County League to Open Season On May 9 With 6 Teams Entered By Hamburg, Pinckney, Dexter, Saline, Ann Arbor, Chelsea.

Stanley Dinkel and Rolfe Shehan represented Pinckney at the Tri-County League meeting held at the Raymond Sport Shop in Ann Arbor last Friday evening. Charles Davis of Hamburg was elected president and plans were made to start the season on May 9. A schedule making meeting will be held at the Raymond Shop on Sunday, April 25 at 10:30 A. M. The following teams were represented: Hamburg, Chas. Bennett; Dexter, Horace Lickly; Chelsea John Reed; Ann Arbor, Percy Raymer; Saline, Dr. Wheeler. Manchester and Clinton may also enter but they were not represented.

Pinckney had a good team last year and has about the same men available this year. A workout will be held at the grounds next Sunday at 2:30, the weather permitting. The following are asked to come out and anyone else wishing to try out for the team: Stanley Dinkel, Harlo Haines, Gyp Fernell, Bob Smith, Jack Dilloway, Bud Dilloway, Clare Miller, Don Searles, Grant Ward, Harold Maycock, Jim Lamb and Rolfe Shehan.

CELEBRATE SILVER WEDDING

Mr. and Mrs. William T. Dilloway celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary on Saturday evening. A dinner was served at their home at 6:00 P. M. at which the following were present: Mr. and Mrs. George Dilloway, parents of Mr. Dilloway, Mrs. Katherine Callahan, mother of Mrs. Dilloway, Mrs. Vecellus, Mr. Sheldon, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn, all of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. George Sheridan and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee of Hamburg township. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Palmer, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne A. Lee, Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Hoise, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bucher of Pinckney and Miss Katherine Boice of Brighton. Also the three sons, Bernard, Jack and Robert, and daughter Katherine. Many gifts of silver were received and a handsome floral centerpiece was given to Mr. and Mrs. Dilloway by their children. The evening was spent at cards.

WINS SPELLING CHAMPIONSHIP

Miss Megan Myers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Myers, won the spelling championship in this district at the Pinckney high school auditorium last Friday afternoon in which representatives from fifteen schools competed. Don Wedemeyer of the Younglove school was second. This victory places Miss Myers with the 55 contestants from the state who will compete in the spelling match at the Detroit coliseum on May 7. The winner here goes to Washington D. C. to compete for a thousand dollar prize. Miss Myers won a bronze medal for winning the Pinckney championship, a silver medal for winning the district and a gold one is awarded for the state championship.

IS A POISON FIEND AT WORK?

Last Sunday, a cow belonging to W. H. Meyers which was sick several days, died in great suffering. Dr. James Nash, veterinary, conducted a post mortem and a piece of brown paper which had contained poison was found in its stomach. A hole was eaten in the stomach and the lining was blistered. While not enough of the poison was left to identify it but judging from it's action it may have been arsenic. The cow was a young one valued at \$80. It had not been out of its stall all winter and the mystery is how the poison reached it. Mr. Myers suspected it had eaten nails but none were found in its stomach. A police dog of Ed. Parkers died Saturday under similar circumstances and the Myers police dog was also poisoned but recovered. We understand that John Chambers, living northeast of town, also lost a horse and a cow recently under suspicious circumstances.

Catholic Church Service

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

Baptist Church

Don Patton
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
Thurs. evening prayer service 8:00

Congregational Church

Rev. C. H. Zuse, Minister
Mrs. F. E. Baughn, Organist
Sunday Services:
Morning worship with Lenten
Sunday services:
Morning Worship with sermon by the pastor 10:30
Bible school with classes for all ages 11:30
C. E. Meeting for all young people 7:00
Bible study and Sunday school exposition each Wednesday evening at the church at 7:30 o'clock. Everybody welcome.
The Jackson Association, of which Pinckney church is a member, met this week in Clinton. Delegates were elected to represent this church.
Plan to attend church on Sunday: when you grow older you will not regret it.
Everybody Welcome.

WRIGHT'S CORNERS CHURCH OF GOD

Sunday Services:
Sunday School 10:30
Preaching 11:30 a. m.
Prayer 8:00 p. m.
Y. P. Meeting 7:00
April 13 at 7:45 P. M. Rev. Lawrence Brooks of Cleveland, Ohio, will lecture on Sunday School Work. You are cordially invited to attend every service.
Rev. C. E. Dietrick
Pastor

SCHOOL PLAY POSTPONED

On account of lack of time for preparation the play to be given by the senior class of the Pinckney high school has been postponed until Friday, May 14.

HOWELL DOCTOR HONORED

Three Detroit physicians were elected to Fellowships in the American College of Physicians Monday at a meeting held at the college in St. Louis. At this meeting 92 physicians in the United States were awarded fellowships. The Howell physician honored was Dr. George Leslie, medical superintendent of the Michigan State Sanitarium. The three Detroit doctors were Dr. Cooksey, Dr. Engsign and Dr. Hookey. Dr. Hammond of Birmingham was made an associate.

YOUTH BANQUET PLANS PROGRESSING

Plans are going along nicely for the Youth Banquet to be given by the local Masonic and O. E. S. lodges at their hall on Friday night, April 30. Percy Ellis will act as master of ceremonies and the address to the boys will be delivered by Lucius Wilson and William Lamb will make the response. Mrs. Alta Myers will deliver the address to the girls and Miss Dorothy Ellis will respond. The affair will wind up with a dance with the Finlan Sisters of Fowlerville furnishing the music.

Mr. James Hope and George R. Mann of Detroit called on Mrs. N. Frye and Mrs. Mame Sheban Sunday. Percy Raymer and Dutch Wilson of Ann Arbor and Charles Davis of Hamburg were callers at the Dispatch office Monday night.

No Recounts In Spring Election

Official Canvass of Votes Cast In April Election Shows Six Democrats and 3 Republicans Elected To Office.

The time for filing recount petitions in the spring election elapsed last Thursday without any petitions for some being filed. So there will be none. The closest contest was for supreme court justice between Alexander McKensie of Detroit and Luke North of Battle Creek. Only about 2,000 votes separated them. Numerous recounts have been held in the past without materially changing the result and the official canvass seems to have increased the results of those leading. This gives the Democrats 6 victories out of 9. They elected Supreme Court Justice McAllister, Highway Commissioner VanWagoner, U. of M. Regents, Ed. Shields and John Lynch and Michigan State Board of Agriculture members, Wm. Jakway and Mrs. Lavinia Masselink. The Republicans elected North to the supreme court, Eugene Elliott, supt. of instruction and Frank Cody to the board of education.

Final compilation of the relative standings of candidates of the two major political parties of the state in the April 5 spring election were completed Monday afternoon by the compiling division of the department in state, showing no change in results from unofficial tabulations. The state board of canvassers must by law meet within 20 days after the election, which in this case is April 26, for official determination of the results.

The official vote was:
Justice of the supreme court—McAllister (D) 398,578, North (R) 394,439, McKenzie (D) 392,274, Feod (R) 391,355.
State highway commissioner—VanWagoner (D) 448,886, Ziegler (R) 355,707.

Superintendent of public instruction—Elliott (R) 395,278, Erickson (D) 388,518.
Regents of the University—Shields (D) 396,242, Lynch (D) 391,222, Murfin (R) 379,976, Smith (R) 381,588.
State board of education—Cody (R) 404,784, Novak (D) 386,224.
State board of agriculture—Jakway (D) 384,743, Masselink (D) 384,802, Duane (R) 382,432, Wilson (R) 379,631.

710 CHICKENS BURNED
Fire destroyed a large brooder house, Saturday evening, with 710 month old chicks on the Glenbrook Farm, Mrs. Glenn discovered the fire at about 10 o'clock. It is believed the fire started from a kerosene lamp used at night. As there was a large oil storage tank completely filled, the fire made a blaze that attracted attention for miles.

MRS. ARDILLA HAGGERTY
Mrs. Adilla Haggerty, 88, died at Corunna on April 9. The funeral was held there with burial at Perry. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Abel and was born near Pinckney on July 10, 1848. She taught school in Perry 7 years. Her husband died 2 years ago. Surviving are 3 sons.

STEPHENS—CAMBURN
Harmon Camburn, son of Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Camburn of Stockbridge was married to Gertrude Stephens, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. A. T. Stephens of Stockbridge last Friday, the fathers of the young people officiating. The couple were attended by the bride's sister, Mrs. Edgar Sweet and the groom's brother, Paul Camburn.

Philathea Notes

The regular April meeting of the Philathea Sunday School Class was a pleasant event of last Wednesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. A. E. VanSlambrook. The early part of the afternoon was spent in sewing rugs for the bedside rug to be woven as a part of our Missionary project this year. Mrs. VanSlambrook had offered to weave the rug.

Mrs. R. K. Elliott presided and Devotional were conducted by Mrs. C. H. Zuse and Miss Clella Fish. Roll Call by the secretary, Mrs. Herman Vedder was responded to by Bible quotations beginning with the letter "B". Mrs. Vedder also read the report of the previous meeting and Mrs. Zuse was chosen chaplain for the remainder of the year. A communication was read from the "World-Wide B. P. Union" concerning "Victory Sunday".

Mrs. B. G. Isham invited the class for the June meeting, which will be our next Missionary service, as the May Meeting is not to be held, on account of the usual Mother and Daughter Banquet in that month. A short business session may be called by the president for the Second Sunday in May. At the June meeting the entertainment committee consists of Mrs. H. H. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout and members are asked to bring to Mrs. Zuse as soon as possible, pieces for the quilt we are to piece.

The class was well represented Sunday for the study of the third lesson of the quarter, "The Effects of Alcoholic Beverages." For next Sunday we will study from Genesis 8 and 9, the lesson topic, "The Obedience of Noah."

Current Comment

The Lansing State Journal in an editorial last week asks the question "What is a Republican?"

"Is a Republican one who believes the federal government should provide a more perfect union, maintain justice, insure domestic tranquility provide for the common defense and promote the general welfare?"

The above covers about everything under the sun and means much or nothing, providing how you look at it. In regard to promoting the general welfare for years the G. O. P. claimed it was able to accomplish this by means of a high tariff barring out foreign made goods. Literally thousands of people were scared into voting the ticket by this claim, in the belief it provided them with jobs and well being. The State Journal comes to the conclusion that this slogan was never true and that the G. O. P. sullied along for years under false colors that its sole mission was to provide the people with jobs in the same way as the Great White Father in Washington handed out dimes to the Indians. The only trouble it concludes is that the Democrats have stolen the G. O. P. stuff and are making it work.

Mr. Dooley, famous newspaper character years ago, used to say the supreme court followed the election returns. It begins to look as though there was truth in this, judging by supreme court decisions in which that august body has manifested strong New Deal tendencies. Some newspaper commentators say President Roosevelt's supreme court enlargement plan was for the sole purpose of bluffing the supreme court into declaring his measures constitutional and, having succeeded, now he will not insist on the passage of it. This however he denies and still says his measure will be enacted.

Livingston county seems to be a favorite place for pulling off cold blooded murders. The Davis murder in Tyrone is only one of a long series. Many people wonder just why this county should have so many. The answer seems to be that it is a community with many isolated sections and only a small policing force. The sheriff has but five deputies and one is kept in the jail most of the time. The state police force has but three or four men and those are kept busy on Grand River and other paved highways. Consequently many places are unprotected and are the ideal place for the criminal who is murderously inclined. This is shown in the Davis case where the crime was not discovered until 14 hours after its completion. This gave the murderer ample time to make his getaway.

Judge Maher of Detroit gave a jury of 9 women and 6 men who acquitted a person charged with negligent homicide, a severe bawling out the other day. The evidence he said was as plain as day and their verdict the worst miscarriage of justice he had ever seen. This seems to be the big rub in enforcing the traffic laws. There are numerous traffic laws and numerous arrests but convictions, especially on the negligent homicide charge are few. This county is no different from any other. A year or so ago a jury here refused to convict a drunken driver who ran into another car killing an aged woman.

Supt. of Public Instruction Elliott in a recent speech advocated the teaching of sex knowledge in the schools as a check to delinquency. This is on a line with physical examination of those applying for marriage licenses and sterilization of the unfit. All are drastic remedies and the question is just how they will be adapted. Sexual knowledge is all right probably but no one seems to know just how it shall be taught.

That Henry Ford is getting ready to lower prices on his cars was denied by the Ford Motor Co., according to Edwin Hill, news commentator in his broadcast Tuesday. The assumption seems to have arisen over a broad cast by William Cameron of the Ford Motor Co. Sunday night in which he stated prices should be lower and the wages higher. This was taken by listeners to indicate both a wage increase and a price cut would shortly be forthcoming in the Ford factories. The Ford Company's statement was that no cut in the price of Ford cars was contemplated at the present time.

M. E. KUHN

M. E. Kuhn, 72, retired Gregory merchant, died at the Rowe Memorial Hospital, Stockbridge, Tuesday night of pneumonia. He was well known in this section where he resided his entire lifetime. His wife, formerly Mrs. Voegts, of Plainfield, died 15 years ago. Surviving are a son, Kenneth, who teaches in Dakota and a daughter, Mrs. Loneta McIver who lives in Montana. The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon from Milner Funeral Home, Stockbridge, with burial in the Plainfield cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. McClellan of Whitmore Lake, Mrs. James Kerwin and children of Detroit were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark McClellan.

AROUND the HOUSE Items of Interest to the Housewife

For Good Gravy—Did you know that gravy, to be served with roast meat, will taste much nicer and contain more nutriment if it is made with the water in which the vegetables have been boiled?

For Steamed or Boiled Puddings—Puddings will not stick to the basin if two strips of grease-proof paper are put crosswise in the basin before the mixture is poured in.

Protecting Buttonholes—A row of machine-sewing around button holes in knit underwear prevents stretching and makes them last longer.

Frying Eggs—Eggs are less liable to break or stick to the pan if a little flour is added to the frying fat.

Shrink the Cord—When loose covers for chairs, etc., are being made, boil the piping cord before using. This little precaution prevents unsightly puckers after the cover is washed.

Salmon in Rice Nests—Two cups of rich cream sauce, one egg yolk, two teaspoons lemon juice, one pound can salmon, one small can mushrooms, one cup rice, two hard cooked eggs. Beat egg yolks slightly and add to the hot cream sauce with the lemon

juice. Add the salmon and the sliced mushrooms and heat thoroughly. Boil the rice, drain and form in mounds on plates; then make depression in mounds to form nests. Fill with salmon mixture. Cut hard cooked eggs in quarters lengthwise and garnish each serving with one.

New Hot-Water Bottles—Have a little glycerine added to the water with which hot-water bottles are filled for the first time. This will make the rubber supple, and the bottle will last longer.

Care of Shoes—The preservation of patent leather shoes presents difficulties because, by the very nature of the hard finish, it will crack eventually. But the fateful day may be delayed by occasionally applying just the smallest touch of pure vaseline and rubbing it in well with a soft cloth. Patent leather shoes should be polished by rubbing with a soft cloth only.

Boiling Old Potatoes—Old potatoes sometimes turn black during boiling. To prevent this add a squeeze of lemon juice to the water in which they are boiled.

Removing Stains on Hands—Vegetable stains can be removed from the hands by rubbing them with a slice of raw potato.

WNU Service.

Washington Digest

National Topics Interpreted By WILLIAM BRUCKART



Washington—Many spineless officials of the federal government were

Must Curb Lewis

shocked the other day when several hundred farmers took matters into their own hands and drove a bunch of sit-down strikers out of the great Hershey chocolate plants in Pennsylvania. They thought it was terrible that men who were striking for higher wages should be beaten and slugged as the farmers at Hershey, Pennsylvania, treated the sit-down strikers. The strikers had closed the chocolate plants, thus cutting off the daily market for thousands of gallons of milk.

Fortunately for the country the number of these spineless creatures, charged with official responsibility, is very few. But I mention the fact because therein is a key to some of the things that have been happening in the Roosevelt administration's treatment of the labor disturbances.

I believe no one can support violence but there can be no doubt that the federal government is charged with responsibility for protecting rights. Rights are possessed by everyone under our Constitution and under our form of government and when a handful of individuals assume to disregard the rights of others it becomes something more than a situation about which soft words and tears for the down-trodden worker are required.

The importance of the action of the farmers at Hershey, Pennsylvania, cannot be minimized. It is a straw that points which way the wind blows. It means that unless the headlong and unrestrained actions of John L. Lewis and his labor agitators are curbed, sooner or later we will pay with blood; we will pay with lives of citizens because the American people always have insisted and always will insist upon a square deal.

In treating of conditions within the country, it is well always to avoid inflammatory declarations. I hope I am never guilty of unfairness in anything I write. But the cold fact is that, in this country, the time has arrived when government must make a choice between its functions as government and allowing autocracy of labor leaders to destroy the rights and property of the other millions of our population. Labor has its rights and they must be protected, but it is equally important that the rights of those who are not members of any union, who want to work, who own property, be protected. Thus far in the present labor controversy, it must be said that the Roosevelt administration and the governors of most of the states have fallen short in their sworn duty.

There has been much praise accorded Governor Murphy of Michigan for "settling" the strikes in the automobile plants. Yet, I cannot help wondering whether the term "settlement" is correct when strikers thumbed their noses at the courts and when law enforcement officers were told by their superiors to hold off the execution of court decrees. It seems to me that we, as a nation, will have cause to regret "settlements" of that kind for a good many years to come.

I am inclining to the belief that there is only one word capable of describing the attitude of the Roosevelt administration in dealing with strikers of the sit down character. Labor has a weapon in the strike and it is entitled to use that weapon because too many business interests have refused to be fair.

Political Cowardice

But when labor abuses, instead of uses, the weapon available to it, then the time has come to call them to account just as business interests are called to account when they violate laws. The difference is that the ranks of labor involve millions of votes whereas, the ranks of business involve only a comparatively small number of votes. Therefore, by any line of reasoning I have been able to follow through, it seems to me that the federal government's position thus far can properly be described as political cowardice.

There are a number of reasons why I think this term is appropriate. First, there was the famous night conference when Mr. Roosevelt returned from his Georgia vacation and talked things over with the house and senate New Deal leaders. They emerged from that meeting with the President, saying that the federal government could do nothing; that no federal laws had been violated and that no request had come from any proper authority for federal government intervention.

It makes one laugh, such statements as these. If President Roosevelt and his administration had desired to curb sit down strikes, does anyone believe that he could not have conveyed word to Governor Murphy of Michigan that he was willing to help? I think there are

plenty of grapevines by which word could have been sent to the Michigan governor and, I truly believe, that if there had been a request for federal troops, there would have been a distinct change in the attitude of Labor Leader Lewis almost overnight.

Further, I have heard from plenty of lawyers in the house and senate that the decision that no federal law was being violated was wholly questionable. Those lawyers were quite convinced that Mr. Roosevelt had federal statutes at his command to use as the basis for action in the various sit down strikes—if he seriously wanted to get mixed up in the labor row.

Then, I am reminded of the very frequent attacks which were forthcoming from the White House and other New Deal spokesmen when employers and banks and business generally failed to measure up to New Deal demands in the recovery programs. The President spoke with emphasis on those occasions. He has been completely silent in the current situation.

And he has been able to maintain silence through protection given him by political maneuvering in the senate. As an instance of this, let

me cite the efforts of Senator McNary of Oregon, the so-called Republican leader, in the senate, who attempted to put the question directly to the President. He sought, when the senate was floundering and dodging over a resolution condemning sit down strikes, to change the form of the resolution from one needing only concurrence of the house to a joint resolution which is a measure that requires the signature of the President. Majority Leader Robinson was quick to block that maneuvering. No one needs to tell you, of course, that Mr. Roosevelt did not want to have that resolution come to him.

So, as a second instance of federal government sissiness, we see a subservient majority of New Dealers adopting a resolution which said in effect, "You naughty boys! You know it is wrong to indulge in sit down strikes, to take possession of other people's property, and we are going to slap you on the wrist for it." Well, that was a declaration of policy but when the resolution was before the senate they could not resist the temptation to denounce business because they charged it was unfair to labor.

Then, we have another circumstance. Representative Dies, a Texas Democrat, proposed a resolution in the house for an investigation of sit down strikes. Mr. Dies was willing to condemn sit down strikes but he wanted to know what the facts were. Very quickly, many of the weak-kneed boys on the floor of the house smelled a thorough-going inquiry into labor organizations generally, into political activities of labor groups, into racketeering where local labor organizations are in the hands of irresponsible or scheming radicals. So, the house sneaked out from under and, as painlessly as possible, dodged this issue by depositing the Dies resolution on the table from which, of course, it will never be withdrawn.

I called these policies political cowardice in an earlier statement in this article. All of the elements seem to me to be present to justify that description. But there is another phase of the whole situation. It concerns the future of the politicians who have run away from the real issue this time. I am quite convinced it will rise up to hold them in the not too distant future.

Talk of Third Term

In the course of the discussion of the labor controversy, I adverted on several occasions to the politics that is imbedded in the situation. There is so much of politics in the picture that one hears in the under current around Washington a discussion of President Roosevelt's future plans. It is curious, but it appears possible, that Mr. Roosevelt may be forced to run for a third term. Such a course obviously would break all precedents, but Mr. Roosevelt likes to break precedents.

He has stated on several occasions his ambition to leave the White House in 1940 with the nation at peace and economically prosperous. This observation has been repeated whenever the opportunity was propitious. On the last occasion, there were a number of observers in Washington who sustained the same reaction to the declaration, namely, that perhaps—and only perhaps—Mr. Roosevelt had a yearning in his heart to serve another four years after his present term expires. One writer, noted for his direct expressions, observed that only by constantly referring to his future retirement could the President invite groups to interest themselves in demanding him to run for a third term.

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Murmurings of Spring



"If you'd take a few steps, Sis, I believe I'd be inspired to answer that question, 'Did you ever see a dream walking?' You are nothing less than devastating—truly a menace!"

"You meow so sweetly, Connie. I'm a bit suspicious that this little peplum frock of mine has got you catty. Your eyes really aren't green by rights, you know."

Connie Sews Her Own.

"How could you? I think my dress looks as nice on me as yours does on you. Why practically all of the girls at the La-fa-Lot last night wanted to know where I found such a lovely frock. Not one of them guessed that I made it myself. And did I feel elegant when I played Mendelssohn's Spring Song on Diane's new baby grand! The girls said I fit in the picture perfectly. I thought if only Dwight could see me now."

"I still say my two-piece with its piped peplum, cute little buttons and stream-lines is the No. 1 spring outfit in this woman's town."

Mother Happens Along.

"Girls, girls, if your talk were only half as pretty as your frocks you'd be better off. Sometimes I wonder if you wouldn't be more appropriately titled The Cheek Twins, rather than The Chic Twins."

"Okay, Mother, you win. Let's change the subject by changing clothes. We'll put on our culottes and join you in a round of golf, how's that? Gee, Mother, you never look sweeter than when you're wearing a casual young two-piece shirt dress. The plaid pique is just the thing for you, too. In fact, Mom, you're just about tops from any angle."

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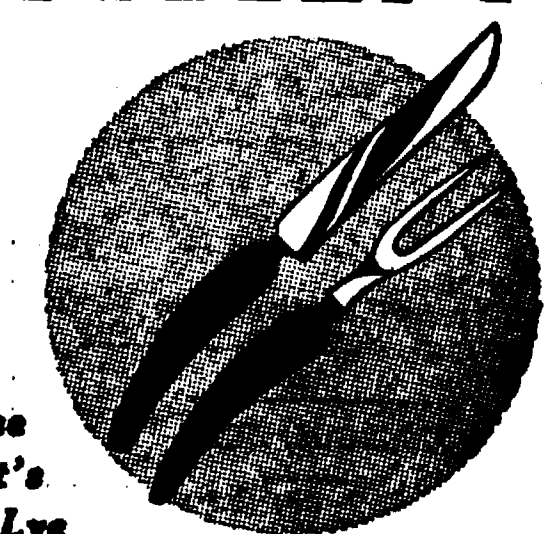
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NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Thomas J. Faussett and Goldie E. Faussett, husband and wife, to The First National Bank of Howell, Michigan, a Federal Banking Corporation, dated the 29th day of May, A. D. 1928, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Livingston County, Michigan, on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1928, in Liber 128 of Mortgages on pages 682-683; and Edward J. Drewry having been duly appointed and commissioned Receiver of the said First National Bank of Howell, Michigan, on the 18th day of June, A. D. 1934, by J. F. T. O'Connor, Comptroller of the Currency of the United States of America, by proper order, a certified copy of said order being recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Livingston County, Michigan, on the 18th day of July, 1934, in Liber 177 of Deeds, on page 261; and said Edward J. Drewry, Receiver, having resigned as such Receiver on July 26, 1936, said resignation being duly accepted thru William Prentiss, the Acting Comptroller of the Currency, and on said date last mentioned the said Acting Comptroller of the Currency having duly appointed and commissioned Murray J. Martin, Receiver of the said First National Bank of Howell, Michigan, by proper order, recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Livingston County, Michigan, on the 19th day of August, A. D. 1936, in Liber 185 of Deeds, on page 25; and the said Murray J. Martin as Receiver of the said First National Bank of Howell, Michigan, having elected under the terms of said mortgage to declare the entire principal and accrued interest thereon due, which election he does hereby exercise pursuant to which there is claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at the date of this notice for principal the sum of Four Thousand One Hundred Fifty Dollars (\$4,150.00) and interest in the sum of One Thousand Five Hundred Forty-five Dollars and Seventy-three Cents (\$1,545.73) and taxes and insurance paid by said mortgagee in the amount of One Hundred Fifteen Dollars and Twenty-seven Cents (\$115.27), same making a total of Five Thousand Eight Hundred Eighty Dollars (\$5,811.00) and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof;

NOW THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 24, 1937 at 12 o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time at the westerly front door of the court house in the City of Howell, County of Livingston, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, and any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes and/or insurance on said premises and all other sums paid by the undersigned, with interest thereon pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, and all legal costs, charges and expenses including an attorney's fee, which premises are described as follows:

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Lloyd A. Davis and Florence W. Davis, his wife, of the City of Howell, Livingston County, Michigan to HOME OWNER'S LOAN CORPORATION, a Corporation organized under the laws of the United States of America, dated December 23, 1935, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Livingston County, Michigan, on December 28, 1935, in Liber 147 of Mortgages, on Pages 22-23 and said mortgage having elected under the terms of said mortgage to declare the entire principal and accrued interest thereon due, which election it does hereby exercise, pursuant to which there is claimed to be due and unpaid on said mortgage at the date of this notice for principal and interest the sum of Four Thousand Six Hundred Seventy-seven and 30/100 (\$4,677.30) and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof;

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on April 24, 1937 at 12 o'clock noon, Eastern Standard Time at the westerly front door of the court house in the City of Howell, County of Livingston, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, and any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes and/or insurance on said premises and all other sums paid by the undersigned, with interest thereon pursuant to law and to the terms of said mortgage, and all legal costs, charges and expenses including an attorney's fee, which premises are described as follows:

That certain piece or parcel of land situated in the City of Howell, County of Livingston, Michigan, more particularly described as:

The South half of Lot 43 of Cowdry's Addition to the Village (now City) of Howell, as duly laid out, platted and recorded in Liber 12 of Deeds, page 250. Also a part of the South half of Lot 38 of said Cowdry's Addition, described as follows: Beginning at the Southeast corner of said Lot 38; thence Westerly along the Southerly line of said lot, 10 feet; thence Northerly parallel to the Easterly line of said lot, 66 feet; thence Easterly parallel with the Southerly line of said lot, ten feet to the East line of said lot; thence Southerly along the East line of said lot 66 feet to the place of beginning.

Dated: January 27, 1937
HOME OWNER'S LOAN CORPORATION
Mortgages

Shields & Smith
Attorney for Mortgagee
Business Address:
Howell, Michigan.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE
Default having been made in the conditions of that certain mortgage dated the sixteenth day of May, 1923, executed by Burt J. Davis and Mary M. Davis, his wife, 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 twenty-fourth day of May, 1923, recorded in Liber 120 of Mortgages on Pages 564-565 thereof, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN That said mortgage will be foreclosed, pursuant to power of sale, and the premises therein described as


The East Half of the Northwest Quarter of Section Twelve in Township Two North, of Range Four East;

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, July Twenty, 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 \$1714.27.

DATED: April Seventeen 1937.
THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF SAINT PAUL
Mortgages

Don W. VanWinkle
Attorney for Mortgagee
Howell, Michigan.

ALMANAC



One person's house burns that another may warm himself.

APRIL

- Captain Paul Jones destroyed the shipping at Whitehaven, England, 1770.
- Russia declared war on Turkey, 1877.
- First engagement of Mexican War fought at La Roca, 1846.
- First society of the Old Fellow Lodge instituted, 1818.
- The cornerstone of the Grant monument laid, 1922.
- Murray on H.M.S. Bounty, Captain Cook and sail, on Oct. 17th, 1769.
- Great fire in London, 1666.

Notes of 50 Years Ago

Dispatch of April 12, 1887

John Brigham of Chubb's Corners, died of liver trouble last Wednesday. 22 couple attended the party at the home of Chas. Mitchell in Marion last Friday night.

Birkett & Cowin are advertising their lumber yard for sale.

The Livingston Republican under the management of Stair Bros. has entered on their 33rd year of existence.

Mrs. Crowley of Pinckney filed a request that her three children, Robert, Alice and David be sent to Coldwater. It was a sad scene when they were taken from her for the journey to Coldwater on Thursday by Supt. of Poor Wickham. Crowley when the family was absent sold all the household goods and has not been seen since. Mrs. Crowley is unable to care for the children.

Married by Rev. Bird at Brighton, on April 11, Charles Schaufele to Mary Pearson, both of Hamburg.

Married by Rev. Farnham at Brighton, Wm. Shannon to Mrs. Mary Usher of Hamburg.

John Moore and Miss Laura Kirland of Gregory were married by Rev. Pettit, recently.

Joseph Giboulou held in the jail on a slander charge, has been released on bail.

Messrs Greenaway, Winans, Daniels and Finn will build a block of five stores in Howell to replace those destroyed by fire. The Monroe loss is still unadjusted.

Ambrose Black, 26, died at his home near Bancroft last Thursday. He was found dead in his barn. Surviving are his wife, formerly Emily Travs of Hamburg and four children. The funeral and burial were at Newburg.

A part of the wall of the Pettysville dam fell in, Messrs George Flintoft and George Blades are repairing it.

Frank Worden has accepted a position with Fred Livermore who is about to move his stock from White Oak to Webberville.

A brother of Frank Birnie and sister of Mrs. John Dunbar, with the latter's husband and six children arrived from Scotland last week. They have rented the S. A. Barton house.

Notes of 25 Years Ago

Dispatch of April 25, 1912

This issue has an article commenting on the laws delay in the famous Howell Locker Club case. In this case the parties were caught red-handed and after a hearing before a justice were bound over for trial. The case was called for this term of court postponed until the June term. As no jury will be called this means it will not be tried until October. Why all the delay?

The Princess Amusement Co. of Chelsea will present the two reel, 2000 ft. picture "Before Yorktown" at the opera house here Friday night. The mill dam at Howell went out during the recent high water lowering the level of Thompson Lake by several feet.

W. E. Murphy was elected a delegate to the Democrat convention at Bay City on May 15. The following are delegates at large: Ed. Shields, R. D. Roche, L. E. Howlett, Wm. Stoddard, Ernest Krause, E. A. Bush, and M. R. Bennett.

Livingston lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. was to work the 3rd degree on April 30.

Oscar Walters has hired out to John Chambers for the year.

George Gaines is working for S. E. Swarthout.

Wm. Jeffreys, Wm. Darrow and H. R. Geer were in Dexter on business Saturday.

Wm. Kennedy Sr. has purchased Belle Kennedy's house in the east end of town.

Alice and Kathleen Roche of St. Joseph's academy, Adrian, are visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Roche.

George Leeffer and family and Mrs. Jacob Bowers are moving to Detroit to reside.

Memorial services for those drowned on the Titanic will be held at the Congregational church here next Sunday.

There will probably be four candidates for the Republican nomination for governor this fall. They are Albert Sleeper, Ames Musselman, Fred Martindale and Pat. Kelly.

Fred Carpenter and Miss Foster of Pontiac spent Sunday at E. G. Carpenter's.

Mrs. George Green will have charge of Mrs. Raymond's millinery during the latter's illness.

All service of Grank Trunk lines will be suspended for five minutes today between 10:30 and 10:35 A. M. today in honor of Charles Hays, president of the Grand Trunk, who drowned on the Titanic.

The hustling firm of Monks Bros. opened their annex for business Monday.

The following were entertained by the Misses Roche Sunday evening: Helen Monks, Anna Lennon, Margaret and Veronica Brogan, Mae Kennedy, Joe Culhane, Tom Moran, Percy Dalley, Lee Tiplady, Ray Brogan.

Born to George Doody and wife on April 7, a daughter.

Married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hooker, in North Hamburg on April 26, Horace Sales of Pinckney to Mrs. Maude Carpenter.

Were Prince Alberts
In the "nifty nineties," most United States senators wore Prince Alberts. The frock coat was a symbol of staidness and a beard was the mark of a man in authority.

Neighboring Notes

Thieves broke into the safe in the Stockbridge high school and took about \$14.12 Tuesday night. Another sum of money was overlooked. Wednesday night the Munnith postoffice was broken into but the robbers could not get the safe open.

Don Murray, for 9 years superintendent of Mason high school, has signed a contract to teach in Detroit. The Howell high school graduating class numbers 82 this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Teachout of Unadilla celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary on April 9.

The plant of the Ohio-Michigan Sand and Gravel Co. at Chilson is being dismantled and the buildings torn down, and the railroad sidings torn up. It has been shut down for several years.

Ernest Hall of Howell and Carl Kramm of Lakeland have rented the Rialto theatre at Brighton and will transform it into a bowling alley.

Mrs. James Harris, formerly of Chubb's Corners suffered painful injuries at Lansing recently when the car in which she was riding with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Gene Harris, was wrecked.

An abandoned car recovered by the sheriff's department, in Hamburg township, proved to belong to Robert Batdorf of East Lansing.

After three months of idleness, Plin Henry has again resumed the barber trade in Howell, being employed in the Salmon shop.

Howell Lodge No. 38 F. & A. M. will hold a Ladies' Night on April 30.

Mrs. Vynthia Well has returned to her home in Pingree after undergoing an eye operation at Sparrow Hospital.

Miss Rita Youngs of Gregory is now employed at St. Joseph's Hospital, Ann Arbor.

The old Jackson county court house will be closed June 1 at which time the offices will be moved into the Elks Temple Building, purchased by the county.

The Ingham county board of supervisors took a slap at the all-night beer parlors by petitioning the legislature to enact a law prohibiting the sale of beer after 11:00 P. M.

The United States government has bought two lots at Park and Ash Sts. in Mason on which to build a postoffice.

Andrew (Bull) Green, 54, of Owosso will start his 25th season of umpiring base ball games this year when he officiates at the Michigan State-Wisconsin base ball game.

Flint Northern and Ionia high schools won the semi-final in the debate and will contest at Ann Arbor on April 30.

Mary Franson has been chosen valedictorian of the Fowlerville high school senior class and Patricia Carr, salutatorian. They had averages of 96.11 and 94.78.

Mrs. Frank Plummer of Fowlerville underwent a major operation at Sparrow Hospital, Lansing, last week Tuesday.

E. S. Clausen who is finishing his second season of rhubarb buying at Utica said there is a 33 1/3 increase in the crop this year. The stalks go in 50 lb. cases by express to the larger cities where there is ready sale for it. The spring crop is grown in root cellars.

The saw mill of Murray Bros. at Dexter is now producing 10,000 ft. of lumber a day.

Russell Hollister, his little son and two others were quite badly injured one day last week when his car struck and killed a horse belonging to Dan Riley on the Northwest Territorial road.

The county mill tax in Washtenaw county is 4.5 this year.

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Heaping plates of wholesome cookies and chocolate egg-nogs will make everybody glad they came. Another thing—let your small sons or daughters help. Put them to making ice cubes, for instance. With the handy little ice cuber they can quickly make all the pure, taste-free ice cubes you need from the ice in your modern air-conditioned ice refrigerator. Then, too, it is good for these small hosts or hostesses to feel that they have a real part to play in making a successful party.

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Lakeland

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Houghlin have moved from the Lakeland Club cottage at Winans Lake to one of W. J. VanKleeck's cottages at Zuky Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. William Dillaway at Pinckney Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William Lyons of Toledo, Ohio, are here getting their cottage ready for summer.

Robert Downing of Detroit spent the week end with his wife at Strawberry Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee entertained Sunday for Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ackley of Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. William Linsley and children of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Arms of South Lyon called on Thomas Brooks Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Elliott and children of Detroit called on friends here Sunday.

Miss Geraldine Harris, who has been working for Bruce Euler for some time, has accepted a position in Mack's store at Ann Arbor.

Unadilla

Clyde and Manley Titus received word of the death of a brother, Andrew, who will be buried Wednesday in Lansing.

Mrs. Flora Hadley returned Saturday from a four weeks stay with a daughter, Mrs. Jane Kirchhoff of Saginaw who had scarlet fever.

The small son of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Corser is improving since his operation.

Gregory

Several young folks from here attended a shower Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Haselschwerdt, honoring their daughter, Ruth, who since her marriage is Mrs. Clifford Curtis, Chelsea.

Mark Kuhn was taken to the Stockbridge hospital Thursday, suffering with pneumonia and heart trouble.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Livermore were Sunday guests of their son, Russell, and family of Dexter.

Dr. and Mrs. E. V. Howlett, Pontiac, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Marshall.

Miss Rita Young was home over the week-end from her work in the U. S. Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright, with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Connell were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Marshall.

Mrs. Ward Usewick of Grass Lake, Sunday callers at the home of H. K. Hadley were Mr. and Mrs. Wirt Boyce and Andrew, Mrs. Inez Hadley and Dorothy and Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Hulce.

Mrs. Lois Watson and sons, of Howell were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Bollinger.

Mrs. John Grosshans entertained at 3 tables of euchre Saturday night.

Miss Arlene Breniser and Delbert Harvey motored to Onaway, Saturday, returning Sunday with her mother and children, who spent last week with Mrs. Breniser's father and sister.

Mrs. Omer Moore and Mrs. Leonard McGee returned to their respective homes following their visit with Mr. Charles McGee the past week.

Miss Arlene Breniser and Jean Hartley, with Harold Caskey and other seniors of Stockbridge high school enjoyed a trip to Jackson, Monday, where they visited the National Bank, The Gilbert Chocolate factory, The Citizen Patriot and the Jackson Business Institute.

Mrs. Larry Cameron entertained at 3 tables of euchre, Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Buhl returned to their home here Thursday, following their winter in Howell.

Mrs. Frankie Baker came home from Detroit Saturday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. E. V. Howlett of Pontiac were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Mapes and Mr. and Mrs. Fay Crawford are moving to their homes near Okemus.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Riggs and Robert were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galbreath.

Donald Marshall and Philip McCleer returned to Ann Arbor college Monday after a weeks vacation with their parents.

The Gregory circle of King's Daughters will have a supper at 6:30 P. M., April 28th, at the hall. Prices 15c and 25c. Following the supper will be free pictures of King's Daughters work at the U. of M. A representative from the hospital will lecture on the pictures.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill and daughters of Holt called on his mother, Mrs. Fannie Hill Sunday.

Mrs. Clyde Purchase visited relatives in Detroit last week.

Mr. Henry Steinbach and children of Pottersville visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Meyer recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Mecornie and daughter of Jackson visited Mr. and Mrs. Don McCorney last week.

Mrs. F. E. Gauss has a good Jersey cow very sick.

Malcolm Carr and wife and Miss Virginia Carr visited Elmer Jacobson Sunday.

Hamburg

Mrs. Ira Navarre entertained the Lakeland circle of King's Daughters Tuesday at her home, 410 Cedar St., Ann Arbor, with 19 members and 11 guests in attendance. Guests other than Mrs. Navarre were Mrs. Everett Carrel of Toledo, Ohio, Mrs. F. L. Shurtliff, Mrs. Walter Korabacher, Mrs. Floyd Waters, Mrs. Sarah Waters, Mrs. Claude Bliss, Mrs. Howard Curd and Mrs. Francis Ryan of Ann Arbor, Mrs. Nelson Imus of Lakeland and Mrs. Lorenetta Dutra of Bob White Beach.

A delicious Bohemian dinner was served; the guests of honor being Mrs. Harry Lee and Thomas Featherly, whose birthdays are in April. A birthday cake centered the table and each received a birthday gift and card.

The meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Charles Wenner and opened with song of the order, scripture reading and the Lord's prayer. Official and committee reports were given by Mrs. Clifford VanHorn, Mrs. Lester Metzger, Mrs. Harry Lee, Mrs. Smith Martin and Mrs. Barbara Lesmer. Junior leader, Mrs. Metzger gave a report of the Junior circle and announced the Junior county convention to be held at the Presbyterian church at Howell, May 1. A budget was read and voted to follow it as closely as possible. Plans for the county convention to be held with Marion-Iosco circle, May 26, were discussed and the following committees appointed; nominating, Miss Viola Pettys and Mrs. Mildred Whitlock; credentials, Mrs. Lester Metzger.

Seals for crippled children were sold. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Fred Brockmiller, Tuesday, May 11, with pot-luck dinner at 12:30 P. M.

Two delightful readings were given by Mrs. F. E. Shurtliff of Ann Arbor. Miss Jule Adele Ball read a letter from her sister at Paia, Hawaii, describing an Easter Sunrise service.

A smelling contest was conducted by Mrs. Brockmiller; first prize was won by Mrs. Curd; consolation, Mrs. Richard Haddock.

Mrs. Thomas Coltman has rented the Royce store building at Hamburg village and is putting in a stock of goods; she will open a general store there in the near future. She and her son are staying with Mrs. Mary E. Royce.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Martin in company with Mrs. Martin's sister, Mrs. Retta Griffin of Waterford and brother, Charles B. Poland and son, Durward H. Poland of Williamston were guests of Mrs. Griffin's son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Griffin of Flint Sunday. Mrs. Retta Griffin returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Martin for a visit.

Mrs. Nellie Pearson, Mrs. Anna Miller and Mrs. Elmer Stofflet attended the silver anniversary of the Pythian Sisters at Jackson Wednesday.

Mrs. Edwin Shannon, Sr., spent Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Howard Clark and family in Ann Arbor.

Janet Carter of Ann Arbor has been spending a few days with her grandmother, Mrs. Curtis Olaver.

Dan Dickerson of Diamond Lake spent Tuesday and Wednesday with friends here. Tuesday night he assisted with the initiation when Neofitio Stephanon was given the first degree or degree of Friendship.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. Maas of Saginaw were Sunday guests of Mr. Burgess' uncle E. Clyde Dunning and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon B. Royce of Lansing spent Sunday with Mr. Royce's mother, Mrs. Mary Royce.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wray Hinkley Mr. and Mrs. Neofitio Stephanon Mrs. Emily E. Docking and Miss Jule Adele Ball attended the meeting of Webster Grange at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Kenny Thursday night.

Mrs. Emil Kuchar and Mrs. Harry Lee of Hamburg hive, Lady Macca-bees accompanied by Mrs. Alice Schoenhals of Howell attended the district meeting at Lansing Thursday, Mrs. Lee being a delegate.

Plainfield

Callers Saturday of Mr. Orla Jacobs were Mr. Russell Groshans and Elizabeth, Mrs. Pearl Waters and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton.

Mrs. Wm. Ramsdell passed away last Wednesday at her home. The funeral was Friday and officiated by Rev. Folkler and burial was in Plainfield cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Gladstone and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Holmes attended a funeral in Lansing last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brooklin of Webberville and Mrs. Lettie Church Lansing called Friday evening on Mr. and Mrs. A. L. and C. O. Dutton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Roberts and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dutton called Sunday afternoon on Mr. and Mrs. Donald Martin near Webberville.

Mrs. John Nuenburger and Mrs. B. W. Roberts were in Ann Arbor Friday.

There was no church here Sunday on account of the illness of Rev. Ryan.

Mrs. Jessie Topping is with her daughter and family, Mrs. Hurlis Alles of Detroit, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Gauss had for guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. James Eggleston of White Oak, Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Gauss and children of Howell, it being their 9th anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Gale Reasoner and sons of Holt were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Dyer and family and all called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bowen and family near Gregory.

Mr. F. E. Gauss has a good Jersey cow very sick.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Reason and family of Webberville were Pinckney callers Saturday.

Chubb's Corners

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allison were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mercer.

Mr. Earl Handy of Oak Grove and Mr. Albright of Cohoctah called on C. Kingsley last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith were in Ypsilanti one day in stweek.

Robert Grainger Sr. was hurt quite badly last Tuesday by being kicked by his horse, broke several ribs. Dr. Hollis Sigler was called, he is doing fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mosher entertained Saturday night and Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Brigham of Grass Lake and Mr. and Mrs. L. McGlenon and children of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wagner had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Clarke of Fenton and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Clark and children of Wayne.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Campbell entertained Miss Thelma Markell of Howell Saturday night.

Miss Florence Rozek visited her sister in Cohoctah last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Kew and daughter of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkel and family.

Mrs. Grace Simmons, a sister of Mrs. Ezra Brigham, called on them one day last week.

Mrs. C. Kingsley, Andrew Campbell, wife and daughter and Thelma Markell of Howell spent Sunday in Jackson the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Bennett and Glenn Kingsley.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Greiner were Miss Mary Greiner, Harold Sullivan and wife, Robert and Jerry Greiner of Detroit.

THINKING YOURSELF TO DEATH

Professor Donald A. Laird, Director of Colgate University's Psychological Laboratory, discusses in The American Weekly with the April 25 issue of The Detroit Times, the strange case of a woman who almost succeeded in willing herself to die—and other similar examples of little understood power of mind over the body.

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* These latest figures on the cost of operating an electric range show an average of about ONE-HALF A CENT a meal a person. Actual meter tests were made in homes using electric ranges. The cost figure is obtained under everyday working conditions in ordinary kitchens... the ranges are used by women cooking meals daily for families of three, four and five people, or larger. In the survey, 5 well-known makes and 9 different models of electric ranges were included. These tests prove conclusively that electric cooking is not expensive. 10,000 of your neighbors chose electric cooking during the year 1936. SEE THE NEW ELECTRIC RANGES ON DISPLAY AT DEPARTMENT STORES, ELECTRICAL DEALERS, AND THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY.

Jacob Hummel, 70, of Chelsea died there Friday. He was prominent in public life there for years. He celebrated his golden wedding on Jan. 24, of this year, his wife dying a week later.

The Pakelawn barn north of Howell burned down last week Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Smith were Sunday callers at the Al Ingman's home in Dexter.

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Mrs. Ed. Parker, Mrs. B. C. Daller, Mrs. M. T. Graves and Miss Hazel Chambers attended a Friendship Meeting in Fowlerville Friday night.

Walter Petch moved his family the first of the week to a farm nine miles north of Howell. Thirteen neighbors and friends gave them a farewell surprise party last Tuesday night and presented them with a purse.

Billy Martin was home from Ypsilanti Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Cooper were in Ann Arbor Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Henry visited friends in Flint Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Roche, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baughn were in Ann Arbor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Chairpar and son, Jack, of Detroit spent Friday evening with Mrs. G. A. Sigler.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Bird and daughters of Wayne were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baughn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Read and son, Howard spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Schneider in Windsor.

Mrs. C. G. Meyer and Donald Sigler of Detroit were Sunday dinner guests of Dr. and Mrs. C. L. Sigler.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Waters and daughters, Donna and Dorothy, of Ann Arbor were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Van Horn.

Mrs. Norman Reason entertained the Five Hundred Club at a one o'clock luncheon this afternoon.

Mrs. W. H. Meyer, Mrs. M. T. Graves and Miss Hazel Chambers attended a six o'clock dinner at the Graham Hotel, in Lansing last week Tuesday honoring Mrs. Ida Ellstone. They afterwards attended a school of instruction at O. E. S. hall.

DANCE—Mountain Pete and his W. X. Y. Z. mountaineers at St. Joseph's Hall, Howell, Tuesday evening, April 27, 9 to 1. 50c.

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Mrs. George Greiner was in Detroit Monday.

Mrs. Clifford VanHorn was in Howell Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. AtLee were in Detroit Saturday.

Carl Soper was home from Ann Arbor the week-end.

Miss Carmen Leland was home from River Rouge the week-end.

Mrs. Ezra Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Soper were in Ann Arbor Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Miller and son of Detroit visited Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller.

Mrs. Wealtha Vail spent last week with relatives in Horton, Jackson and Parma.

John Martin and wife spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. John Meyer near Ypsilanti.

Mrs. C. L. Sigler, Mrs. O. L. Campbell and Miss Blanche Martin were in Ann Arbor Friday.

Mrs. Ezra Plummer spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. Don Patton in Howell.

Mrs. Ross Read entertained her Contract Bridge Club at a one o'clock luncheon Tuesday.

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Teeple were George Green and wife of Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stoll of Ann Arbor visited Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henry Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Kathleen Crotty and daughter, Norine, of Howell were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. James Roche.

Mrs. George Pitkin, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rolison of Brighton were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baughn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Harris of Ann Arbor and Mrs. J. C. Hassencahl of Plainfield were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cooley and daughter, Elaine, of Detroit were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Bowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sprout had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kinnane and daughter, Catherine, of Ferndale.

Sunday callers at the Claude Soper home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kastl and family of Dearborn, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kastl and family of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Patsy Kennedy, Murray Kennedy and Miss Dorothy Culver were guests at a birthday party in Pontiac Saturday evening, honoring Mrs. George Mallock.

Among those who attended the funeral of Carl Bowen in Jackson last week Tuesday were Mrs. Gordon Hester and Mrs. George Drudge of Detroit, Dr. Wylie and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Vaughn of Dexter, Mrs. Reynolds Wylie of Howell, Mrs. Lillian Wylie and son, Hollis, Henry Evers, Mr. and Mrs. James Wylie, and son, Fred, Fred Wylie, his daughters, Virginia and Mary, and son Bertram and John, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nisbett.

DANCE—Friday evening, April 23, Becker Family Band, St. Joseph's Hall, Howell, 8 to 1. 50c.

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Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ellis were in Howell Saturday.

Mrs. Alta Meyers and children were in Howell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout were in Howell Saturday.

Michael Roche and Merlin Lavey were in Howell Saturday.

Robert Horine of Detroit spent the week-end at his farm east of town.

Rex Burnett is now employed by Roy Clark on his farm, east of town.

Tom Finlan and Lester Huff were called to Pinckney on business Saturday evening.

Steve Gerycz of Detroit called at the home of his sister, Mrs. Anna Reason, Sunday.

Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Sigler of Detroit spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Laura Sigler.

Jean Graves and Willa Meyers were home from the Howell Sanatorium, over Sunday.

Lloyd Nash underwent an operation for appendicitis at the Pinckney Sanatorium one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Beck of Michigan Center spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kennedy.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn VanBuren of Detroit were Friday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dinkel.

Mr. and Mrs. William Martin of Detroit spent Sunday afternoon with her grandmother, Mrs. Emma Fisk.

The Misses Margaret Curlett and Virginia Danforth of Detroit spent the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Curlett.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert W. Hoff of Howell were Sunday dinner guests of the Misses Fannie Monks and Nellie E. Gardner.

Miss Dorothy Carr is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carr, in Gulfport, Miss. We understand they expect to return to Pinckney about May 1.

Col. Chalker seems to be long past due on his return from Florida. The birds are building their nests, the farmers are plowing and the frogs are warbling right merrily but still there is no sign of the Colonel.

We understand that Ed. Kearney, who is ill at his home in Sioux City, Iowa, is about the same. Wm. Doyle Sr. who bears from his son in Des Moines, has agreed to keep up posted.

The following from here attended the Past Master's Banquet held by Howell Lodge No. 38 last Friday night: Percy Ellis, Ross Read, Lucius Wilson, Azel Carpenter, N. O. Frye, George Webb and P. W. Curlett.

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Lee Tiplady was confined to his home by illness last week.

Robert Read of Detroit spent the week-end here with his parents.

William Dilloway made a business trip to Howell Monday morning.

Dr. and Mrs. Clare Skinner of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of Ernest Frost.

Mrs. Cortland Bradley of Newaygo visited Mr. and Mrs. James Docking over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Batchelor and friend were Wednesday callers at the James Docking home.

Miss Dorothy Brogan of Stockbridge spent the week-end with the Misses Florence and Drusilla Murphy.

Miss Marcy Lupo has returned home from St. Joseph's Hospital, Ann Arbor, where she recently underwent an operation for appendicitis.

Mrs. Albert Edsall of Kawkawlin and Mrs. Walter Sauve and daughter, Annebelle, of Linnwood were recent guests in the Isham and Fish homes.

The big police dog which has been guarding the Parker Chevrolet Garage at night was poisoned last week. The dog was confined to the garage and a small yard at the rear and it is believed that the poisoning was intentional.

John and Pete Stackable were home from Detroit the week-end.

Mrs. A. C. Watkins was a Tuesday dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dinkel.

Mrs. John Craft is spending the week with relatives in Utica, New York.

Miss Dorothy Wilson was home from Royal Oak and Lucius Jr. from Lansing Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bell of Elk-hart, Ind., were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Murphy and son, Dick, of Jackson spent the week-end with Mrs. W. E. Murphy.

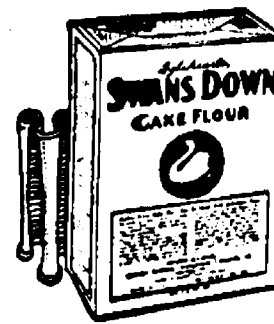
Gilbert Campbell and daughter, Jean, of Frazier were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Campbell.

Mrs. James Roche, Mrs. Kathleen Crotty and daughter Norine, called at the home of Russell West and Roche Shehan in Ann Arbor Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark had as six o'clock dinner guests, Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Norman White of Fenton, Dan Driver of Dexter, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben White.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben White had as Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Devereaux, their daughters Helen and Ruth, and son Leonard and Miss Margaret Kelly of Detroit.

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5c

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BUNCH

5c



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1b

BUNCH

15c

Cabbage

LB.

4c

Grapefruit

LGE.

SIZE

6c

SUNERITE

Cleanser

2 CANS

9c

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POWDER

12c

Roman Cleanser

BOT. 10c

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TIPS SAVE FOODS IN REFRIGERATOR

Depending upon the construction of the household refrigerator, placement of food is one of the most important points in proper food preservation. In a mechanical refrigerator or in a "side icer" the coldest place is directly underneath the unit in the overhead "ice refrigerator" the middle of the top shelf is the coldest as a result of the bathing currents of cold air dropping down from the ice chamber. The sides of lower shelves receive the warmed air which is traveling back to the ice unit.

Thus, foods that are delicate and absorb odors—milk, butter, cream, meats, broths and moist cooked foods, such as custards and cream sauces should be placed in clean, covered containers directly under the ice unit, suggests Helen Badger of the Mich. State College foods and nutrition department.

Leftovers and uncooked meats that have had the paper wrappers removed should have the next coldest place. Fish placed in a tightly closed vessel to prevent odors should also be kept in this compartment.

Between the coldest and warmest areas come the eggs and cheese. Fruits and vegetables, however, should be placed on the warmest shelf to avoid harmful and injurious low temperatures. All foods with strong odors should be placed in the warmest place in this way the warm air on its return to the cooling unit will absorb them and become tainted by the odors.

The length of time necessary to leave the refrigerator door open may be reduced by placing the least used foods at the back. Temperature may also be kept down by keeping the refrigerator defrosted, or the ice chest half full.

33,000 NOW ON STATE OLD AGE PENSION ROLLS

It was revealed today by Auditor General George T. Gundry that there are now 33,000 Michigan citizens receiving old age pension checks every month. A check of the old age pension rolls shows that four million dollars is being distributed annually to these pensioners. Half of this amount is provided by the state and the other half by the federal government. Mr. Gundry says that pending legislation will pass 30,000 more pensioners will be accepted, which will entail the spending of another four million dollars annually, while if the age limit were to be lowered from 70 to 65 another 15,000 people would become eligible for state aid.

The Auditor General says that his staff detailed to the Old Age Pension administration usually works day and night to get the checks written and mailed promptly. He explains that there is now less than 1/2 of 1% error in the mailing of checks and that this error is due solely to the fact that recipients often move without leaving a forwarding address.

In March, next the Auditor General's Department \$1,004.05 for post-are for the pension checks alone.

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CONSERVATION NOTES

Forty-one drilling permits for oil wells were issued for the week ending April 3 and 26 on April 6. The drilling permits so far this year totals 206. In 1936 in the same period only 183 permits were issued. \$25 is charged for a permit which goes into the general fund.

On May 1 it will be illegal to take bluegills, sunfish and warmouth bass until June 25.

Conservation headquarters for the northern region of the lower peninsula will be transferred to Roscommon where CCC workers have built a new office.

The grounds of state fish hatcheries will not be open to trailers or tourist camps this year. The regulations for campers are the same as last year.

The department has put through a land exchange with the National Forest Reserve involving 60,000 acres of land.

The March take of predatory animals included 2 wolves, 89 bobcats and 80 coyotes.

The state now has 1200 rinkneck pheasants as breeders at its game farm near Mason. Each hen will average 40 eggs for hatching this spring.

Roscommon is fast becoming the conservation department capitol. There is now located there besides the office building, a forest fire experimental station, a state forest nursery, Houghton and Higgins Lake forest reserves, Hartwick state park, and a regional laboratory building.

Twenty-nine farmer-sportsman hunting clubs will now receive state benefits under the Williamson plan. In the improvement of game cover, cultivation of game etc. A \$50,000 fund is available.

27,000 acres of oil and gas leases will be sold at auction by the state on May 7.

The minimum age for conservation officers has been increased from 21 to 23 years.

The raven is sometimes mistaken for the common crow, but these birds belong to distinct species. The raven is larger than the crow and in Michigan is found more commonly in the upper peninsula.

The designated pike lakes are open the year around to fishing for all species of fish on which there is an open season and the trout lakes, which closed Labor Day, re-open Saturday, April 24. The lakes that close April 30 will open when bass fishing becomes legal June 25.

GUNDY EXPLAINS PLAT LAW

In a letter to all County Plat Boards, Auditor General George T. Gundry last week reminded them that under the provisions of the McNitt Act (Act No. 130 of the Public Acts of 1931) all plats of property outside of municipalities sent to the Auditor General for approval and recording must first be approved by the County Road Commission. Mr. Gundry explained that now that the McNitt Act is in full effect all plats of subdivisions of property submitted to him for approval must necessarily under the plat laws be approved by the various road commissions before he can accept them for approval and recording.

Why little Miss "Fragrant-Peony" killed herself, distressing tragedy that ends Japan's queer first "Sit-Down" strike of her Geisha girls. In the AMERICAN WEEKLY, the magazine distributed with Next Sunday's CHICAGO HERALD AND EXAMINER.

PINCKNEY SOFT BALL RESULTS

The Pinckney soft ball league opened last week. Dinkel defeated the Ledwidge team Monday night 19 to 3 and on Wednesday night Jason Haines' team won out over the Clinton team in a hot last nining finish, 11 to 10. The Clinton team trailed until the 7th when they rallied and scored 4 runs. Haines filled the bases in his half but two men popped out. Ledwidge then drove to right scoring all three base runners.

	AB	R	H	PO	A
F. Haines, ls.	2	3	3	0	0
Singer, 3b.	2	3	1	0	0
Dinkel, p.	3	2	3	2	0
Spears, cf.	2	3	0	0	0
D. Ledwidge, 3b.	3	3	1	5	0
Kerr, lf.	4	1	1	2	0
Meabon, 2b.	3	1	0	2	0
Nino, c.	4	1	1	2	0
Read, ls.	5	0	0	2	0
Clark, rf.	3	2	2	0	0

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Clinton, ls.	5	1	2	0	0
A. Singer, p.	3	1	2	1	0
Amburg, lf.	3	0	0	0	0
J. Haines, lb.	3	0	0	2	0
M. Lavey, rs.	3	0	1	2	1
Baughin, cf.	2	0	2	1	0
J. Lavey, rf.	2	0	0	1	0
VanBlaricum, 2b.	2	0	0	2	0
Hannett, c.	2	1	1	6	0
Dilloway, p.	2	1	1	0	0

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Clinton, ls.	5	1	2	0	0
Read, 3b.	4	2	3	2	2
Clark, lb.	4	2	3	7	1
Swarthout, p.	4	3	3	2	1
J. Lavey, 2b.	4	1	1	1	1
H. Haines, lf.	4	1	1	0	0
Vedder, cf.	4	0	1	0	0
Hannett, rs.	4	0	1	2	1
N. Miller, c.	3	0	1	7	0

	AB	R	H	PO	A
Dinkel, p.	5	1	2	2	2
Ledwidge, ls.	5	3	5	8	0
VanBlaricum, ls.	4	2	2	0	0
Myers, c.	4	2	2	5	0
M. Lavey, rs.	4	0	1	0	2
F. Haines, 3b.	4	0	0	1	3
Mack, cf.	4	1	2	0	0
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Home run hitters late week were Dinkel 2, A. Singer, Ledwidge 2.

Games next week are:

Wednesday—Dinkel vs Haines.
Monday—Dinkel vs Clinton.
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	Won	Lost	Pct.
Dinkel	1	0	.1000
Haines	1	0	.1000
Clinton	0	1	.0000
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April 28—Dinkel vs Ledwidge.
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Foreign Words and Phrases

Etourderie. (F.) Giddy conduct, an imprudent caprice.

Ricordo. (It.) A souvenir, a keepsake.

A contré coeur. (F.) Unwillingly.

Calembour. (F.) A pun.

Pas seul. (F.) A dance performed by one person.

A la lettre. (F.) To the letter, literally.

Claqueur. (F.) One paid for applauding at a theater.

Coup de maître. (F.) A master stroke.

Sans culottes. (F.) Ragged men, the lower classes during the French revolution.

Si non e vero, e ben trovato. (It.) If it is not true, it is very ingenious.

Deo favente. (L.) With the help of God.

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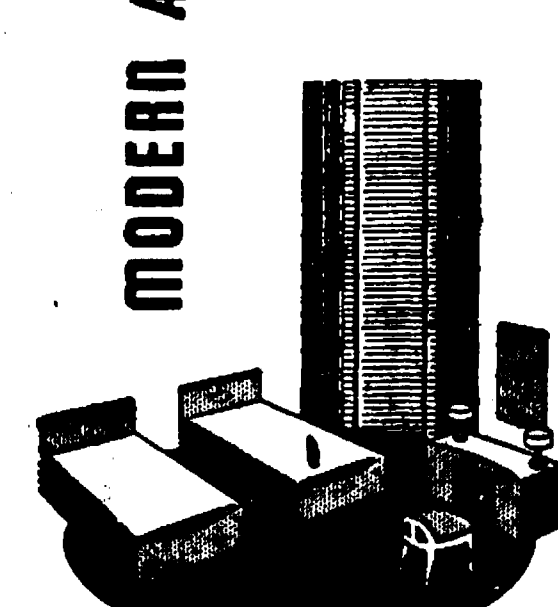
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Jim Fielding, one of the "lost generation" who had left college in the depression and is unable to find a job, arrives at Glendale to visit his friends the MacPhersons. Mac had formerly been gardener at his late uncle's estate and now works for T. H. Vaughn of "Meadowbrook." Jim is tired of being supported by his married sister Kay. While he still can marry Lenore, an attractive divorcee who is in love with him and has an easy life because of her wealth, his mind rebels. Stopping at the village drug store for a sandwich, he meets Dolly, a pretty soda fountain girl. When he inquires about the Vaughns, she asks if he is a friend of "Cecily's." She also entrusts a message to Tommy, young son of the family and tells him how to reach the Vaughn's estate. Approaching the house, Jim encounters a tomboyish little girl, fighting. She is startled and falls in the brook. Incensed at first, she discovers she likes Jim and he learns that she is Susan Vaughn. He discovers Cecily is her older sister. He sees Tommy, a youth of eighteen who imagines he is in love with Dolly. Jim explains his impetuous position to the MacPhersons. They tell him that Mr. Vaughn is recovering from a nervous breakdown and has been a widower since Susan was a little child. Mrs. MacPherson suggests that Mac give Jim a job as handyman. Jim goes for a walk to think it over and picks up a horse shoe. Soon Cecily, a lovely young girl, appears, riding a limping horse. Jim scolds her when he sees the animal has thrown a shoe. There is an angry scene. Jim's ire cools and he is intrigued as he thinks about her. He tells the MacPhersons he wants to stay and assumes his duties as handyman. He sees Dolly again. She explains that she has been seeing Tommy, but regards him with amusement. He writes a letter to Lenore, explaining about his new job. When Cecily returns from a house party she asks him to stay. "I wonder how long you'll stay?" Jim acts as Mr. Vaughn's part-time secretary.

CHAPTER IV—Continued

"What in thunder is this?" Mr. Vaughn asked testily.

Jim glanced up attentively, but made no reply.

Mr. Vaughn read from the sheet of stationery in his hand—

"Darling,

"When I think of last night, the music of all the ages sings in my heart. I have not slept. All night I walked in the moonlight, treasuring my jeweled thoughts of you

Mr. Vaughn broke off with an ejaculation of disgust. Jim suppressed a smile.

"Lyrical," he said.

"Mush!" Mr. Vaughn looked with distaste at the sheet of stationery closely covered with fine writing.

"Who'd send me a thing like this?" he asked testily.

"It was probably intended for someone else," Jim replied. "Miss Parker was expecting a letter. She sorted the mail before I brought it to you."

Mr. Vaughn consulted the envelope.

"It's for Cecily," he said. "From Jeremy Clyde, of course." The angry red flushing Mr. Vaughn's face deepened perceptibly. "She's been writing to him, I suppose. Seeing him. Taking advantage of my illness." He turned to Jim peremptorily. "Where is she?" he asked.

"If you'll pardon my suggesting it," Jim said reasonably, "she could hardly prevent his writing to her."

"She doesn't want to prevent it! She's in love with the jackass! He can't even write a sensible letter," Mr. Vaughn fumed. "Music of the ages! Jeweled thoughts!"

Anger and indecision mingled in Mr. Vaughn's expression and, tempering both, a sort of furtive relief. He subsided into his chair, continuing, however, to express his opinion of Jeremy Clyde.

"I forbade her to have anything to do with him," he fumed, apparently unconscious of Jim. "He thinks I'll support him, of course."

The business of the morning progressed. Mr. Vaughn, however, did not devote his entire attention to the correspondence. Jeremy Clyde's tribute to Cecily had obviously spoiled his day or, perhaps, Jim suspected, the necessity for an interview with his daughter. He seemed edgy and absent-minded. MacPherson, presently, appeared.

"Good-morning, Mr. Vaughn," he said. "Would you care to walk about a bit? The new calf arrived last night. I thought you might like to see her?"

Mr. Vaughn appeared to be grateful for the interruption. He rose at once from his chair.

"That's all," he said to Jim and went off with MacPherson in the direction of the barn.

Jim rolled the typewriter stand into a closet in the hall. When he returned to the veranda, he looked for, and found, the poetic tribute to Cecily lying upon the table. No use leaving it there. If Mr. Vaughn came upon it, he would run a temperature again. If he wasn't reminded, he might prefer to forget. Jim slipped the sheet of paper into his pocket.

As Jim walked past the wire enclosure of the tennis court on his way to the vegetable garden, a ball fell at his feet. Cecily came

running to retrieve it, flushed and bright-eyed, her hair curling about her temples from under a band of yellow ribbon.

"Here's the ball," Jim said briefly.

"Thank you." She lingered for a moment, breathing rapidly, smoothing the damp curls back from her forehead with the palm of her hand. "You are useful," she added mockingly, "as well as ornamental. I think you can stay."

Jim hadn't intended to give her the letter. He'd had no such idea in his mind when he had slipped it into his pocket. The idea presented itself as a mild retaliation. He could make no verbal response to her mocking words. He couldn't shake her. The tribute from Jeremy Clyde might give her an unpleasant moment. It should, Jim reflected. He drew the sheet of paper from his pocket.

"I think this was intended for you," he said and, without waiting for any reply from Cecily, went on to the vegetable garden.

A storm the preceding day had beaten down the bean-vines. Jim set about the task of repairing the wire screening on which they grew. As he measured and hammered, as he fastened the vines against the screening, he considered the possible results of his latest impulse.

Cecily might think that he had meant to warn her, he conjectured. Hadn't he? Certainly not. Well, possibly. Not that he cared whether or not she got into hot water. He'd been thinking of his employer. Mr. Vaughn was in no condition for an interview with his daughter. He'd wanted to give Cecily an opportunity to avoid the interview, if possible, or, at any rate, to arrange mitigating alibis and excuses.

She had, moreover, arrived at a definite conclusion. Jim was made aware of Cecily's mental activities concerning him when she came into the garden some time later. He saw her making her way toward him between neat rows of cabbages and tomatoes, looking scarcely older than Susan in her short, sleeveless tennis-frock and the ribbon around her hair. He devoted himself to the bean-vines, whistling, in an attempt at nonchalance.

Cecily halted her progress a foot or two from Jim.

"Hello," she said amiably.

The whistling ceased. Jim glanced away from the bean-vines, assuming what he devoutly hoped was a respectful expression.

"Yes, Miss Cecily," he said in the manner of an extra man who knew his place.

Cecily smiled but her eyes were mocking.

"I just wanted to tell you," she said coolly, "that I know all about you."

Jim remained silent.

"I knew you weren't a chauffeur or a gardener or whatever you're supposed to be the first time I saw you, the evening in the drive when you were so concerned for 'Lady.'"

Still Jim made no reply. He stood beside her among the bean-vines, deferentially attentive. She was lovely-looking. Truth compelled that admission although he did not like her. She used an ingratiating perfume. He was reminded of the woods in spring, arbutus, trillium, ferns.

"You and Father must have thought me singularly unobservant," she continued in a low sibilant voice. "That's my only quarrel with either of you. I resent having my intelligence questioned."

This time Jim was too astonished to reply.

"Ordinary odd-job men," she went on, stressing the adjective mockingly, "don't wear English shoes and tailored riding breeches. We've never before had an extra man who read Conrad and received telegrams from ladies and whistled college songs while he tied up the bean-vines."

Jim suppressed a smile.

"We've never had a chauffeur," she continued, "who was devoted to the 'New Yorker' and Lynn Fontanne, or a connoisseur of benedictine. That's what I resent." Her voice lost its sibilant tone, became slightly edged with malice. "How could you and Father not have anticipated that I'd have known you were here to spy on me, to break up my friendship with Jeremy Clyde? How could you have thought me so childishly stupid?"

Comprehension dawned through the bewilderment of ideas which fogged Jim's understanding. So that was it! She thought he was some sort of a private detective. It would never have occurred to him—not in a million years.

"If I should ask you why you returned the letter which you interpreted for Father, you would probably make pretty speeches," Cecily went on after a barely perceptible pause. "I hear a great many pretty speeches so you needn't tax your invention. I prefer to consider it a challenge."

"A challenge!" Jim repeated, wanting to laugh, not at all concerned about explanations.

"I'm giving you a break." The sherry-colored eyes, bright with scornful amusement, flickered over Jim. "I assume that you're too good a sport to take advantage of a victim. You've sent me your card."

Her hand touched her breast, producing an unmistakable rustling of paper. "I accept the challenge. It's your wits against mine and a fight to the finish."

She moved away from him, almost running between the rows of

vegetables, lightly, gracefully, her chin tauntingly tilted.

Benedictine! Lynn Fontanne!—

Cecily, obviously, was not unobserving. But how had she made such revealing discoveries? The riding breeches, the telegrams, the songs he whistled—no black magic in her possession of those facts. Benedictine? Lynn Fontanne?

Jim puzzled over the possible source of Cecily's information. The intriguing question was never far from his thoughts. How could she have known that he was addicted to the "New Yorker," that Conrad was his favorite author?

She'd been questioning someone, he concluded. Was it possible that somewhere, at some time, she had known Vic? Or Kay? Or Lenore?

He had nothing to hide. Cecily's revelations amused and intrigued him. How had she found out so much about him? He mulled over the question, accepting, rejecting, entirely at sea. And then, late that afternoon, as he was driving Mr. Vaughn home from a neighboring estate, a possible explanation occurred to him. Cecily had talked to Mrs. MacPherson, perhaps. Bessie was loyal, Bessie her! but Bessie was loquacious.

He proceeded to test the truth of the conjecture. That evening he questioned Mrs. MacPherson. By devious means he led her to speak of the Vaughns and when he was sure that all suspicion had been forestalled he remarked casually:

"You seem fairly well acquainted with Tommy and Susan. Does Cecily ever come here?"

Mrs. MacPherson drew her attention, with obvious reluctance, from the partially completed panorama of the Battle of Bunker Hill.

"Only once," she replied. "She wanted to look at my homespun counterpanes. Miss Parker had told her about them."

"Counterpanes!" Jim exclaimed. "I wouldn't have supposed that she would be interested in anything so domestic."

"It was for a shower gift," she explained. "One of the Patton girls is getting married this fall. Miss

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There was nothing that he could do. He wondered, as the humorous side of the situation appeared to him, whether the conversation which she had overheard had anything to do with Susan's altered attitude. She had, after his first few days at "Meadowbrook," attached herself to him with the tenacity of a burdock. If he worked in the garden, she was there, turning cartwheels along the paths, sitting beside him as he pruned and weeded and dug. When he drove to the village with the marketing list, she begged to be taken along. All day, except for the period he spent in the morning with Mr. Vaughn, wherever he was, there, too, was Susan, usually silent, but at times bursting with questions and observations.

Her continued presence had disconcerted him at first. Gradually, however, he became accustomed to the small tagging shadow. He had, surprisingly, grown fond of her and, unconsciously, sided with her in difficulties with the family.

But Susan's attitude had changed. During the week preceding Jim's interview with Cecily in the garden, she had avoided him. He missed her and wondered if he had, inadvertently, offended her. He made friendly overtures. She snubbed or dodged them repeatedly. She was constantly in hot water. Her impish perversity played havoc with the household.

Jim came upon the termination of a family disturbance one morning just before luncheon. He walked around the side of the house equipped with clippers for the purpose of trimming the low box hedge which bordered the terrace. The terrace was the scene of a disturbance. Susan, the culprit, lay flat on her stomach, her bare toes kicking the flag-stones, her face buried in her arms.

Mr. Vaughn, Miss Parker and Cecily were in the act of dispersing as Jim appeared, obviously routed by the small sobbing figure on the flag-stones. Mr. Vaughn looked annoyed and helpless. Miss Parker was pink and distressed. Cecily, coolly aloof in a frock of lettuce-green linen, wore a disdainful expression. Rose, standing at the door, had, apparently, just announced luncheon.

Miss Parker glanced at Jim and made an attempt at composure. She bent over Susan.

"You must stop this," she said pleadingly. "Luncheon is ready, dear."

Susan kicked rebelliously.

"Won't!" she cried. "You let me alone!"

"Yes, let her alone," Mr. Vaughn said sternly. "Let her do without her lunch."

"I think you're right, Father," Cecily agreed, flicking a cool amused glance at Jim. "Susan is a feminist. She'll probably enjoy starving herself for the holy cause of fighting boys."

The adult members of the family left the terrace. Jim ran the clippers with a clicking sound through the pungent dark green box. Susan continued to sob. Poor little rebel, Jim thought. She looked so forlorn lying face-down on the terrace, forlorn and yet undaunted. Susan's fighting spirit was undaunted. He went on trimming the hedge.

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There was nothing that he could do. He wondered, as the humorous side of the situation appeared to him, whether the conversation which she had overheard had anything to do with Susan's altered attitude. She had, after his first few days at "Meadowbrook," attached herself to him with the tenacity of a burdock. If he worked in the garden, she was there, turning cartwheels along the paths, sitting beside him as he pruned and weeded and dug. When he drove to the village with the marketing list, she begged to be taken along. All day, except for the period he spent in the morning with Mr. Vaughn, wherever he was, there, too, was Susan, usually silent, but

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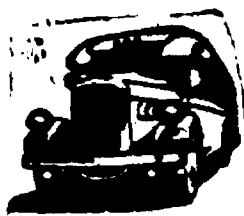
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Harry C. Coons, deputy highway commissioner, said collections for the period were about \$900,000 lower than in the same part of 1936 and attributed the decrease to the effect of labor disputes. Department of State employees said collections this month are wiping out the discrepancy.

Wayne County's share of the distribution is \$4,122,454. Other county allotments include \$179,052 to Washtenaw, \$446,585 to Oakland, \$143,227 to St. Clair, \$128,344, to Monroe, \$160,092 to Macomb, \$126,422 to Lenawee and \$52,333 to Livingston.

WASHINGTON NEWSLETTER

By Congressman Andrew J. Transue
Sixth District, Michigan.

Making History

Following closely upon the momentous decisions handed down by the Supreme Court upon the Wagner Labor Relations Act the House of Representatives last week passed an anti-lynching bill and voted to give railroads the right to adjust rates to compete on an even footing with other means of transportation. The Senate Judiciary Committee in an executive session Saturday decided to continue hearings on the Supreme Court reform plan. Opponents of the President's proposal will have all this week to complete their case and proponents of the plan will have the first three days of next week for rebuttal testimony.

In four of the five cases decided by the Supreme Court under the Labor Relations Act the law was upheld by a five to four vote of the Justices. In the fifth case the verdict was unanimous. These five decisions will result in the introduction of new and amendatory legislation pertaining to labor. The inclusive resolution in which the senate condemned both sit-down strikes and unfair labor practices by employers including espionage and company unions, passed the House Labor Committee last week and is scheduled to reach the floor for a vote this week.

Prolonged Debate
Six hours of intense debate that stretched over two days preceded the final vote on the Gavagan anti-lynching bill that was passed by 216 to 119. Your Congressman voted with the majority to make anti-lynching a Federal offense and punish by fines or imprisonment members of the mob, officers who yield to the mob without resistance, and counties involved in lynching atrocities. Party lines were shattered on the final vote after several weakening amendments were defeated. The bill has been sent to the Senate where opponents of the measure are already discussing a filibuster to prevent a vote that would send the bill to the President. Southern legislators were the chief objectors to the bill. They insisted that the proposal is an invasion of State rights and that Southern States are solving the lynching problem individually. The blow torch lynching of two negroes in Mississippi while the bill was under discussion solidified the demand for Federal action. The last anti-lynching bill to pass the House 25 years ago, was "talked to death" in the Senate.

Equal Competition
Rigid rate regulations that have hitherto prevented railroads from differentiating between long and short hauls will be abolished if the Senate concurs in the action of the House. Representatives who favored the Pettengill bill, including your Congressman, believe the elimination of hard and fast rates will give the railroads, which are essential to the welfare of the nation, a chance to compete on an equal basis with waterway carriers. The Pettengill bill faces strong opposition in the Senate where Senator Wheeler headed the successful opposition last year.

Economy Ordered
Departmental economy was ordered last week by President Roosevelt to reduce expenditures of government now. The executive order compels heads of departments and governmental agencies to submit by May 1 reports on whatever measures have been taken to cut expenses. The AAA announced a furlough or vacation without pay for 850.

Minor Flaws
Technical imperfections in the Guffey-Vinson coal bill prevented President Roosevelt from signing the bill and making it a law last week after the House had accepted Senate changes in the bill. Minor flaws in the regulatory measure will be eliminated this week. In its final form the bill provides a tax of one percent on the sales price from companies signing the code of fair practice and an additional 1 1/2 percent from coal concerns that refuse to subscribe to the code. Cooperatives and captive mines, where the output is consumed by the owner of the mine, are exempted.

Special Coins
Numismatists will have a field day if all of the 17 requests for the coinage of special 50 cent pieces are granted by Congress. The centennial observance of Michigan's statehood is among the 17 reasons why special coins should be made in commemoration. Senator Prentiss Brown and representatives Louis Rabaut of Detroit, have introduced coinage bills to acknowledge Michigan's one hundredth birthday by a distinctive 50 cent piece. The other requests range in time from the commemoration of the recent flood in the Ohio valley to 325 years ago when Sir Walter Raleigh first introduced tobacco from America into England. The tobacco came from John Rolfe, husband of the Indian Princess Pocahontas, who planted tobacco in Virginia in 1612.

REEVES SCHOOL DISTRICTS
The inquiries suggested here concern not the school itself but the district, legally, District No. 3, Putnam.

Where was it organized? Where was the first schoolhouse erected? When was the schoolhouse built that occupies the present site?

Principally what I am anxious about is what was the cause of the discord in the number 3 district that led to the organization of another district, continuing for a time and finally dissolving into a single district as it is now.

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But I have often heard reference to the "scotch" school. It seems as though someone could relate the facts in this case and the rest of us would appreciate this information.

M. T. Kelly
Dexter, Michigan

At the time of the Pinckney Centennial in 1935 the editor had a writeup of the Reeves school. Thomas Guinan informs us that the first school was built probably on what is now known as the Isham or Leland farms, near the intersection of the road leading to the Glennbrook or Cook farms. He himself attended this. This was probably constructed somewhere about 1840. When George Reeves established his mill, brewery and sawmill at Reeves before the war, the bulk of the population was there and it was undoubtedly by their support he got the school moved from the Cook Corners to his land. According to old timers there, this happened in 1864. It is possible both schools functioned for a time. At one time I understand the Reeves school in its present location had as many as 70 scholars. Thomas Guinan lived in that section when a boy and is posted on happenings of that time.

Local and General

Miss Elizabeth Ashenbrenner was home from Ann Arbor the week-end. Mrs. Walter Mercer visited Dr. and Mrs. A. J. McGregor in Brighton the first of the week. Mrs. Belle Reason of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allison of Chubb's Corners were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mercer. Wm. and Melvin Bruff of Isosco, Mrs. Jack Hassencahl and grandson, J. D. Murnighan were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bland.

THIS TIME MOTHER DIDN'T KNOW BEST

An article in The American Weekly with the April 25 issue of The Detroit Sunway Times, tells of a cich woman who thought he soon would not be so susceptible to women after familiarity with the beauties of Hollywood. But two divorces and otherheadaches show that the cure isn't working.

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Baking Powder, K. C.	25c Size	21c
Salad Dressing	Qt. Jar	23c
Bacon	Slab or Sliced Lb.	29c
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