

The Senior Class Play Is Announced for Next Week

Annual High School Play To Raise Funds for Graduation Will Be Held at High School Auditorium Saturday, May 7th

The class of 1938 will present in the high school gymnasium at 8:15 (When a man starts writing love letters to a widow whose name he found in the newspaper under the name of an old college professor, scandal enough is afoot. But when the letters fall into the wrong hands, things become very embarrassing to some of the people concerned and at the same time hilariously funny for the audience. Such is the plot of the three act play farce comedy, "Fixing It for Father.")

The setting is the living room of Professor Riddon's home at Westport near New York City and the time Friday evening.

Cast
Professor Riddon..... Vincent Young
Editor..... Esther Berquist
his daughters

Beatrice..... Joan Adams
Dick Cunard..... John Carpenter
Emma Blanchard..... Mary Holset
William Merton..... Edna Meyer
Harold..... Francis Sheehan
Harry Chalmers..... Ralph Otwell
Jack Denton..... Telesphore Bourbousais
Fanchon LaVonde..... Ruth Nash
Aunt Liza..... Mary Otwell

This play is produced by special arrangement with Walter H. Baker Company of Boston, Mass.

The specialties between acts are songs by the 6th and 7th grades and tap dancing by Rita Kennedy, Muriel and Rosemary Read.

DETROIT NEWS DISTRICT SPELLING BEE

The District Spelling Bee will be held in the Pinckney School Auditorium at 1:30 P. M. Friday, April 29.

The pronouncers will be Mrs. Lola Lobdell and Mrs. Iva Myers, Mrs. Ethel Smollett, Mrs. Lillian Wylie and Miss Dede Hinchey will act as judges.

The following schools will enter contestants:

Hamburg Township
Hamburg School, Winans Lake School and District No 9 Marion Township.

Anderson School, Chubb's Corner's School Green School, Lake School, Maple Grove School, Marion Center School, Stone School, Well School, Younglove School.

Putnam Township
Pinckney Public School, Burgess School, Hicks School, Sprout School, Unadilla Township.

Gregory Public School, Bullock School, Livermore School, Plainfield School, Unadilla School, Wright School.

At this time the medals will be presented to the contestants who won their school bees.

CITY IMPROVEMENTS

New sidewalks are being built on the west side of the public square and a wall is being put down there to pump water for the fire protection. The electric pump purchased from the school board will be used to operate it.

CIRCUIT COURT NEWS

Judge Collins came back to Howell Saturday and held a one day session of circuit court. Walter Miller the 78 year old Isoco farmer charged with killing his wife by shooting her with a shotgun on April 9th last, was brought before Judge Collins. Prosecutor Berriman represented the people and Hiram Smith, Mr. Miller. Several witnesses were called and testimony taken to show Mr. Miller was of an unsound mind and did strange things. Judge Collins pronounced Miller insane and ordered him committed to the state hospital for the criminal insane at Ionia until such time as he was pronounced sane by the superintendent of the hospital. Then he must be returned to this county to face trial. A large number of friends and neighbors of Mr. Miller attended the trial and visited him at the jail after the sentence was pronounced.

Ladie Race pled guilty to robbing Arle Randall, aged Pinckney farmer, of about \$20 and was placed on two years probation. This was his second offence. Homer Weaver who has been arrested several times and once broke jail got 10 to 14 years in Ionia for passing worthless checks.

their play, "Fixing It for Father," Saturday evening, May the seventh.

Tax Sale Is Set for Tues.

Delinquent Tax Sales to Be Held in Every County in the State on Tuesday, May 3

The county treasurer's office has been busy for the past month or two receiving taxes on delinquent lands in the county offered for sale. Of the nearly 15,000 descriptions advertised for sale all but one quarter of them have been paid. We have not yet been able to get a list of the property to be sold but we understand the bulk of it is in subdivision and lake lots. In Putnam, we understand there are about 40 pieces of acreage or farms in Putnam still with taxes unpaid. The village tax delinquent property has not yet been computed. We also understand there is much lake property delinquent especially at Crystal Beach and other subdivisions.

The tax sale will be held in the circuit court room in the court house on May 3rd. The county treasurer or her employees will read each tax descriptions three times and anyone may bid on it. If the property listed is not sold the first day, the sale may be postponed and the property again put up.

Those who have not yet paid the delinquent taxes have until midnight on May 2 to do so.

Legal obstacles to the May 3 tax sales had been removed today in Oakland and Genesee counties.

Circuit Judge George B. Hartwick signed a formal decree here permitting the state auditor general to proceed with the sales, but ordered many property descriptions withheld. Some of the properties were exempted because they belonged to a church or a school. Other property owners contended successfully that descriptions were incorrect of their properties were involved in litigation.

In Flint, Circuit Judge Paul V. Gadola signed a decree Saturday authorizing the sale of tax delinquent property in Genesee county, but stipulated the descriptions on which taxes have been paid shall be removed from the sale list.

Judge Neil Reid at Mt. Clemens ordered 50,000 of the 80,000 tax delinquent properties in Macomb county sold for taxes May 3. He will give his decision on the other 30,000 next week.

TRUCK DRIVE

Herman Teeple, 80, truck driver for Henry Kellenberger, of Pinckney who disappeared on April 16 with some \$600 in milk check money belonging to Pinckney farmers is still missing. State police and sheriff's officers claim Teeple drove from Grass Lake to Jackson after cashing the checks. There he abandoned the truck and remained at a place there until 10:30 p.m. Since then all trace of him has been lost. Teeple is said to have a police record and was once arrested for larceny of \$20. He cashed the milk checks by forging the farmers names to them. It was the first time he had been permitted to handle the checks, although the Kellenbergers who usually got checks had been given permission to cash some of them for farmers.

KINGS DAUGHTERS MEET

The Kings Daughters held their April meeting at the home of Meda Henry. There were 34 members and guests present. Hazel Chambers had charge of the program.

Solo - Eloyse Campbell.
Solo - Susie Campbell.
Solo - Jackie Craft.
Barbara Haines tap dancing.
Guessing games and Mrs. Euler won the prize.

Viola Read won the prize for having the most money on her apron \$2.25.

The May Meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Louis Schuchardt, May 11th.

Mrs. Walthea Vail Borg, 35, revenue dept.

The Curse of Progress



Theatre-Dance Party a Success

Over \$400 Taken in at Theatre Dance Party Given Here Last Week by the Masonic Bldg. Assoc. Play is Well Staged

The two night theatre and dancing entertainment put on by the Pinckney Masonic Bldg. Assoc. at the Community Hall last Friday and Saturday evenings was a big financial success. 1150 tickets were sold. The tickets were put out in blocks of from ten up to different members who paid for them when they received them. We understand that Fred Teeple was the champion seller dispensing over 100 tickets. The three door prizes helped the sale. The first prize was won by Herman Vedder, Wm. Burdick of Howell won the second prize of \$7.50 and Red Howard of Ann Arbor the third one of \$2.50.

The play was very interesting and full of action from start to finish. It concerns a widower and a young man with children of their own who marry and the efforts of the offspring to break up the marriage. The widow and widower parts were ably filled by Mrs. Lulu Lamb and John Craft and the rebellious children by Wm. Lamb, Virginia Baughn, Rose Mary Read and Megan and Wm. Meyer jr. Norman Miller and Mrs. Pauline Vedder took the parts of the colored servants and Mrs. Hazel Parker, the old maid sister-in-law, who played the ghost. Among the state setting a picture of a prominent resident of this section was the center of attraction.

Both dances following the play were well attended. The specialties between acts were the Power tap dancing team of Royal Oak and Miss Betty Smith, Howell accordion player. The Haines family musicians played both nights. Jake favored Friday night with a yodelling piece. The receipts were over \$400. The expenses ran about \$100 leaving a profit of over \$300.

DANCE AT GREGORY APRIL 29

There will be a dance at the Gregory town hall on Friday evening, April 29. Ladies and gents invited. Good music. Bill 50c.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage license was issued at the county clerk's office last week: Maurice Valentine, 35, Battle Creek, Louise Brown, 29, Howell.

"BACK IN THE GAY NINETIES"

A. D. Miles, second baseman for the old champion Dexter Non-parrell team of 1891 was a caller at the Dispatch office Monday. He played many games of base ball at Pinckney he states on the public square when there were no trees there and at the depot grounds. The windows in the houses on the south side of the square were the favorite targets of the home run hitters of the nineties. The McClear-Roche team of Gregory was the best team he ever played against. They had such big hands you couldn't hit anything past them and every man in the lineup was a home run hitter.

Mr. Miles is now with the inter-35, revenue dept.

Catholic Church

Rev. James Carolan
Masses: 8:00 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 service for the little folks..... 11:45
Sunday School..... 11:45
B. Y. P. U. 7:00
Evening Worship..... 8:00
Thurs. evening prayer service 8:00
Everybody Welcome

Congregational Church

Rev. J. M. McLucas, supply pastor
Morning worship..... 10:30
Sermon topic, "The Unrecognized Christ"
Sunday School..... 11:30
C. E. Meeting..... 7:00

Philathea Notes

On Sunday the class resumed the studies in the book of Mark. Mrs. Elliott led an interesting discussion on "Receiving Vision for Service", centering about an account of the Transfiguration. Reverend Campbell Morgan, Rev. Savage and others were quoted in explanation of different phases of the lesson.

"Following Vision with Service" will be a continuation of this topic for next Sunday from Mark 9:14-29. Among the church and Sunday school notices were references to the Monday night meeting of the Visitation group, and a business meeting of the Ladies Aid at the home of Mrs. Rose Hendee on Thursday afternoon, also notice of Missionary Day next Sunday. Reverend J. M. McLucas also expressed the thanks of the church officials and solicitors for the cooperation of the members and adherents in the church visitation and budget drive of the past week. If through any error you were not visited, we are sure that the church treasurer, Mrs. Rose Hendee, will be glad to receive your pledge at any time, or cash in any amount if you prefer.

ANNOUNCES CANDIDACY

Vernon J. Brown, editor of the Ingham County News at Mason and representative in the legislature for the past ten years has announced his candidacy for the nomination of auditor general in the Republican convention next fall. He is considered an expert on taxation and is an independent and has not always seen eye to eye with state Republican administrations in the past.

MILFORD MEN BUY BRIGHTON ARGUS

Ernest Evans of 2122 Devonshire Rd., publisher of The Brighton Argus a weekly newspaper in Brighton, for the past eight years, has disposed of his interest in the publication to Robert G. Rowe, publisher of the Milford Times, and Frank Seger of Milford, a former resident of Brighton. Mr. Rowe and Mr. Seger purchased the publication on a partnership basis, and the latter will be actively associated with the editing and managing of the newspaper. Mr. Seger is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Seger of Brighton. Mr. Evans has been in ill health for some time. Courtesy of Ann Arbor News.

W. P. A. Funds Are Awaited by the Nation

Many WPA Projects in Michigan Are Awaiting Approval of President Roosevelt's Spending Program

The state of Michigan and the cities in general may not approve of President Roosevelt's spending program, but they are not letting a little thing like that stand in their way of getting their share of this federal money to be released as soon as Congress approves the president's request for WPA funds. We see that Livingston county has submitted about \$100,000 in projects. We do not know what these consist of. Brighton, we know, has a sewerage water system approved and Pinckney will file for a playground and athletic field. So although those in high place condemn the spending program, apparently all have their hands out.

Michigan public projects coming out of the state are approved by Congress. The Michigan projects, scattered over 36 counties and representing 86 separate construction jobs, were included in a list of 2,785 for the entire country, totaling proposed expenditures of \$1,916,686,130. All projects listed according to the WPA are ready for immediate construction.

The projects were approved on the basis of 45 percent grants under the old WPA program. It was emphasized that the list did not mean projects necessarily would be started but that revival of the program rested with states and municipalities should congress supply funds as recommended by President Roosevelt.

Equipment Building Planned
The list included a proposed equipment building for the State of Michigan at a cost of \$473,557. Total possible expenditures in 36 counties in Michigan follow:
Alcona, \$34,545; Bay, \$2,313,818; Benzie, \$34,545; Berrien, \$232,313; Calhoun, \$51,700; Cass, \$185,000; Eaton, \$70,800; Emmet, \$200,000; Genesee, \$19,202,944; Grand Traverse, \$125,000; Ingham, \$1,217,499; Isabella, \$512,400; Jackson, \$55,500; Kalamazoo, \$170; Kalamazoo, \$20,000; Leelanau, \$120,000; Livingston, \$100,000; Lapeer, \$48,636; Mason, \$109,000; Monroe, \$232,727; Muskegon, \$12,500; Oakland, \$55,635; Oceana, \$70,000; Oshtemo, \$77,727; Ottawa, \$400,000; Presque Isle, \$135,000; Saginaw, \$261,574; St. Clair, \$31,000; Shiawassee, \$165,900; Shiawassee, \$67,272; Tuscola, \$75,000; Van Buren, \$130,892; Washtenaw, \$462,437; Wayne, \$3,864,599; Wexford, \$110,909.

CHELSEA WINS GAME

A pickup team played a Chelsea hard ball team here Sunday and lost 10 to 8. Pinckney went into the 9th with a one run lead but Chelsea scored 4 runs in the 9th while Pinckney could only get one. The local lineup was J. Haines and Harold P. G. Ward, c; Myer, 1b; Lamb, 2b; E. Ward, ss; F. Haines, 3b; Singer, lf; N. Miller, rf; Darrow, cf.

The Chelsea battery was Hoffman, Novess and Novess. Chelsea will play here again next Sunday.

FIRE HERE SUNDAY P. M.

The village fire engine was called to the home of C. E. Bucher on Mill St. Sunday afternoon when the house caught fire around the chimney. Quick work extinguished the blaze before much damage was done. The loss was covered by insurance.

REGULAR COMMUNICATION

Regular communication of Livingston Lodge will be held on Tuesday evening, May 3, at which time two second degrees will be conferred with the Senior Warden, Ross Read in the east. Luncheon will follow degree work. A good attendance is requested.

Paul Curlett, Sec.

NOTICE

Hon. Frank Fitzgerald will be at St. Joseph's Hall, Howell, Wednesday May 4 from 2 to 3 p. m. to meet friends. Everybody invited.

APPRECIATION

We wish to thank all those whose patronage and co-operation made our theatre-dancing party a success last Friday and Saturday nights.
Pinckney Masonic Bldg. Assoc.

CURRENT COMMENT

"By Ye Editor"

In the old days every village and community had its horse doctor. This was in the old horse and buggy days when the horse furnished the principal means of locomotion. As we remember it, the profession was not regarded very highly and no extensive college course was necessary to qualify for this position. With the advent of the auto, the driving horse disappeared and so did the horse doctor. Large dairy communities still found the veterinary necessary but the auto and tractor caused him to be replaced by the garageman in a great number of places. However this has now all been changed and the number of licensed veterinarians in the state has now increased to 12,000. Most of these are graduates of the Michigan State College. Unlike the old time horse doctor their technique is different. Most of their time is employed in testing cattle for Bangs disease, TB and other things that the old time horse doctor never heard of. Now they are high class specialists and have to go to school five years before they can hang out their shingle. The state board of health and the milk inspection regulations of the large cities are responsible for the popularity of the veterinary profession.

Governor Murphy has announced that there will be no special session to halt the state tax sale on May 3 and the probabilities are that it will be held in all counties, with the exception of possibly Genesee, Oakland and Macomb, where suits have been started by subscribers to halt it. The Genesee, \$19,202,944; Grand Traverse, \$125,000; Ingham, \$1,217,499; Isabella, \$512,400; Jackson, \$55,500; Kalamazoo, \$170; Kalamazoo, \$20,000; Leelanau, \$120,000; Livingston, \$100,000; Lapeer, \$48,636; Mason, \$109,000; Monroe, \$232,727; Muskegon, \$12,500; Oakland, \$55,635; Oceana, \$70,000; Oshtemo, \$77,727; Ottawa, \$400,000; Presque Isle, \$135,000; Saginaw, \$261,574; St. Clair, \$31,000; Shiawassee, \$165,900; Shiawassee, \$67,272; Tuscola, \$75,000; Van Buren, \$130,892; Washtenaw, \$462,437; Wayne, \$3,864,599; Wexford, \$110,909.

Judge Miles in the circuit court of Alcona ruled that farmers may get a gun and shoot deer which are trespassing on their premises. This was the case of three farmers arrested for shooting deer out of season. However, he ruled that the carcasses of the deer must be turned over to the conservation commission. He also pointed out that firearms must be reported to when all other methods of getting the deer have failed. This decision it would seem, would tend to complicate enforcement of the game laws.

Harry Ford has been invited to visit Washington and discuss conditions with President Roosevelt. Not long before the time of President Woodrow Wilson, Mr. Ford was popular at the White House. Starting with his sending of the peace ship, "Oscar II" to Europe he was very much in the limelight during the World War and right after it during the reconstruction period. A great admirer of Woodrow Wilson he was induced to become the Democrat candidate for United States Senator from Michigan against Truman Newberry. On account of Ford's popularity Newberry spent huge sums to beat him and won by less than 5000 votes. He was indicted by a Grand Jury for excessive expenditures, tried at Grand Rapids, found guilty and sentenced to the penitentiary. The supreme court reversed the sentence. Newberry resigned and Gov. Grosbeck appointed James Couzens to his place as senator. Ford did not favor Cox, or Smith or Davis for the presidency and in 1932 backed Herbert Hoover. However he took no active part in the campaign.

APPRECIATION

We wish to thank our friends and neighbors of the Pinckney fire dept. for their prompt assistance in saving our home from disaster by fire Sunday.

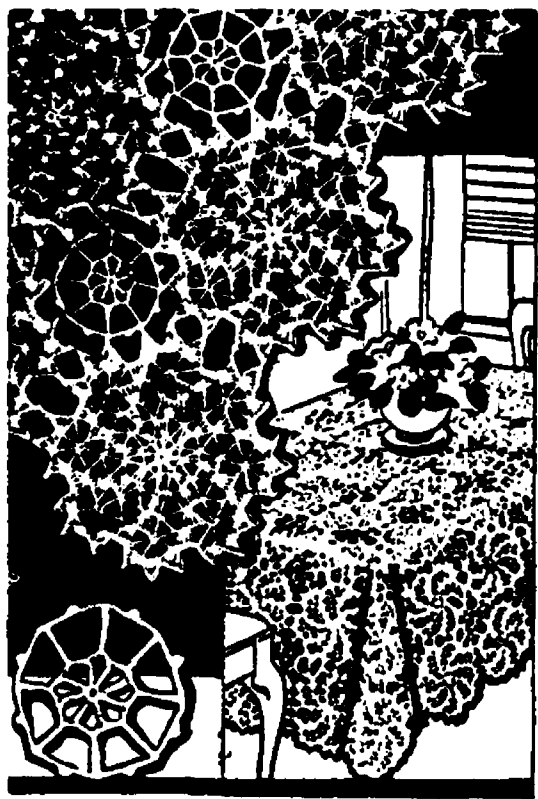
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Hard Nut to Crack

Despite the vast literature on seeds and seed dispersal, the botanical world does not yet know how Brazil nuts propagate naturally, because they grow in groups of about a dozen—in a hard, thick, woody case which, so far as is known, can only be opened by the hand of man.—Collier's Weekly.

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STRAIT GATE

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WNW SERVICE

CHAPTER I

A girl and a greyhound were running in the dark. Not running away, not going anywhere; running in a sort of rounded square, running with a desperate delight in running, in motion, in smooth and lovely speed. In the morning there would be mountains above and beyond, belittling them, but in the intimate dusk the hills had their hour, large and mild and kind, brooding the earth below them. Sometimes the girl looked up at them, but the dog kept her eyes on the dimmed, immediate foreground. There was a certain similarity between them—both young, fleet, with thin, strong legs and flat flanks and excellent wind, and both of a bronze brindle-brown. There was, likewise, a kinship of spirit, or at least of deportment, for each was shy, secret, disdainful. Presently they stopped running and stood still, breathing deeply and easily, happily tired. The greyhound pressed delicately against the girl's knees and slid a long muzzle into a slender hanging hand.

"Lightning . . ." the girl said absently. "Lightning, dear . . ." She turned toward the one open edge of the field. "Come!"

The Santa Clara valley rolled out beneath them, twinkling and trembling with lights, golden and crimson like a carnival, but just below them the windows of Danavale glowed gently. Danavale was not a town.

It had over a dozen residences generously spaced in a gracious landscape, with orchards and vineyards and gardens, stables and oak groves and tennis courts and swimming pools, which formed a sort of architectural chronology from the Great-grandmother Dana house, with its needless early-seventies skimping of porch and hall, down to that strange, modern container of Ardine La Mont Dana.

The girl and the greyhound halted before the pioneer house. It was narrow-chested, narrow-hipped, outmoded as a calico wrapper or a boot-jack, behind its low picket fence and its cinnamon pinks and china asters and candytuft.

She opened the gate and went up the dim path and rang the strident bell, and waited.

The great-grandmother opened the door herself. "Sairy Lynn! Come in!"

"I can't stay, Great-granny. I'm late for dinner now."

"My stars, I should say you are! After seven. Where you been, child?" She peered up at her out of eyes like embers.

"Didn't you know your beau's back?"

"I knew."

The old woman laughed a shrill, impish cackle. "And a dinner party and a new dress spread out on the bed—and here you be, traipsin' over the hills in the dark! You better march yourself home, quick'st ever you can step on it! There'll be the devil to pay."

The great-grandparents had crossed the plains in a covered wagon and Great-grandmother Sarah Ann Kittredge Dana was, to all intents and purposes, still in it, well up in her nineties, content to potter about her house and dooryard and wait for the dutiful droppings-in of her daughters and granddaughters and great-granddaughters.

"I know," Sarah Lynn said somberly. "I can't help it."

A voice came down the narrow sudden stairs. "Hi! Sarah Lynn!"

"Hello, Uncle Lynn! I'll come up for a moment. I can't stay."

She ran up the precipitate steps.

Lynn Dana lived with the ancestress on the upper floor of the old house. He had been sitting in a chair for more than half his life—approximately since the day he had made the winning touchdown for Stanford and failed to scramble up with his yelling teammates.

"I can't stay," Sarah Lynn said again halting on the threshold of his door.

"I should think not!" he looked at the clock. "You can't even be here! My eyes deceive me. At this very instant, in the habiliments of high festivity you sit at the festive board." He regarded her linen shorts, her pull-over, her brown, bare knees. "Duncan arrived?"

"I suppose so. Lightning and I have been up in the hills."

He laughed. "Well, you're due down in the valley now, young woman, and you'd best be on your way."

"Rather stay with you and Great-granny," she said sullenly.

"And we'd rather have you! But it isn't on the cards this evening. Hop it, my dear!"

Sarah Lynn leaned in the doorway for a long moment. "All right; I'll go. But I won't do it! Nothing can make me—not even Mother." She departed swiftly, without farewells.

A small figure was waiting in the shadows of the big house of her father.

"Hello, Penny!" Sarah Lynn said. Miss Ethelinda Pennington had been her governess in the old days

and was still a component part of the Edwin Dana household. Sarah Lynn Dana was the lode star of her existence and she had not said ten words of praise to her in the 17 years she had been with her. She spoke now in shocked rebuke.

"Sarah Lynn! Dinner's waiting! Mr. Duncan's been here since six! Your mother is greatly disturbed. Wherever have you been?" She was hustling her along a garden path toward a side door.

"Running."

"Running away! Really, Sarah Lynn, at your age! I wonder at you!"

"Not running away; running round and round in circles, the way I always do, Penny," her charge said bitterly. "Never getting anywhere."

They went into the house and instantly there was a soft rustle and a



"You're one a' the dark ones."

muted exclamation and her mother was upon her, big and beautiful, sunnily sweet.

"Darling!" she cried. "I know you couldn't have realized how late it is! Are you quite all right? Then it doesn't matter! You'll be down just as soon as you possibly can—in your sweet new dress!" She kissed her. "Hurry, darling. Oh, Duncan! This naughty child walked farther than she realized and she hadn't a watch, but she'll be ready in two minutes!"

A pallid youth who looked as if he might have been born in a dinner coat had come into the hall. "Sarah Lynn!" he said gladly.

She gave him a limp hand. "Hello, Duncan! I'll hurry, Mother." She ran upstairs.

Duncan followed Sarah Lynn onto the wide veranda, down the steps, onto the lawn. The greyhound came toward them in lovely leaps but stopped in chill reserve at sight of Duncan, her ears flattening.

"I've always liked dogs," he said a trifle defensively, "but I can't see this pooch very far. I've got a good Boston bull at home; regular dog." He came closer. "No; I'm not crazy about your hound but I am crazy about you, Sarah Lynn."

"Duncan, please! Let's not begin that all over again."

"I'm going to begin it again and finish it, this time! Listen, Sarah Lynn; I've never wanted anything in all my life that I didn't get."

"It's only because you can't have me. Ever since you were born they've handed you everything you cried for—rattles and kiddie-cars and skates and sleds and a pony and a car and a yacht. Now you think they're going to hand you—me. My mother, your mother. But they won't; they can't."

He laughed contentedly. "They don't have to! You'll do it yourself."

Oh, I'm not going to rush you! I can play a waiting game. But just get it through your head that you belong to me."

Sarah Lynn thought he was rather pathetic with his fragility and his pallor and his elegance, casting himself for the character of the conquering male.

She detached herself, not ungraciously, walked away, stood looking up at the stars. Suddenly a single planet separated itself from its fellow and moved smoothly across the sky. Shooting star? Flying star? Plane. Sometime, she told herself, sometime she would fly away in the night.

Home-coming Danas always paid prompt respect to the matriarch. Sairy Ann Dana, constant traveler and occasional author, would not even stop for her casual unpacking before she made her devoirs to the ancient head of her tribe.

"Mercy! Not ninety-six! Not really? I have the feeling that I must dash over there—that she may be gone any minute!"

"No! no! She is quite marvelously well, our precious little pioneer," Aunt Helena said. "But she has longed to see you."

Sairy Ann Dana came near to her great-grandmother's place and stood still to appreciate it, but the narrow front door opened suddenly and the old woman popped out.

"Sairy Ann! And here you be, after traipsing the wide world over!" she chirped. "Come in! Sairy Ann! My land! My third daughter Molly's boy Wallie's girl! And I know more'n that!" She peered up at her sharply. "You're one a' the dark ones. Like me."

The traveler followed her into the tiny prim parlor with its marble-topped center table and the hair-flowers framed on the wall. "Yes, I dare say I am, Great-granny, and proud of it."

"Course you are. Every last one of us is, always. We have what folks call get-up-and-get. Just naturally up'n put out from wherever we're at, north, south, east, west, land or sea. Made that way, somehow." She gave an elfin chuckle. "Queer! There'll be pinky-white, blue-eyed babies, tow-headed, till you can't rest—litters of 'em, and then all of a sudden, like a fly in a pan a' milk, comes a dark one. Set and rest you, Sairy Ann! Me, now, I headed west."

"I know you did—and aren't we glad and grateful?"

"Wild to pioneer, I was; sick a'

Sunday school and sewing samplers, but my folks wouldn't stir. So I just up'n went! Tied up a few things and my Bible in my old plaid shawl and sneaked out after the folks was fast asleep, and walked the seven mile and crawled into one a' the covered wagons and played possum till we was well under way. There was a preacher among 'em, and the day I was fifteen he married me to Hank Dana."

"But—Great-granny—wasn't that why you ran away? Why you went? Weren't you in love with Great-grandfather?"

The ancestress stared and shook her head. "Never laid eyes on him till we was a week or more on the way."

Sairy Ann laughed. "And all these years I've been nourished on that tender romance!"

"Guess some a' the grand-girls from the East made that up," the old woman said shrewdly.

"Really? Great-granny, I wonder if you'd give me a cup of tea?"

"Lynn, he's got a lunch waiting for you upstairs, and I guess likely he's wondering where you are." She stepped quickly to the foot of the narrow, precipitous flight and called up: "Oh, Lynn? Comp'ny coming?"

"Fine!" came an answering masculine hail. "Yo ho, Sairy Ann! Send her up—fast!"

The returned traveler laughed aloud, gladly. "I'll see you again, Great-granny, darling. It's been so nice to—"

"Yes, I want to tell you about Sairy Lynn, young Ed's girl. He married a smart woman from Detroit; toney and determined. Well, she's a thin, dark, close-mouthed young-one, odder'n Adam's off ox. Minute I clapped eyes on her in the cradle, I knew. 'Well, Adeline, you got one a' the queer ones,' I says, and it made her madder'n a wet hen. But it's true; you'll see. Say, maybe you'll take her off with you when you go? She'd admire to put out somewhere, Sairy Lynn would."

Sairy Ann shook her head. "Mercy, no, Great-granny! I'm the last person—I know nothing about children; toney and determined. Well, she's a thin, dark, close-mouthed young-one, odder'n Adam's off ox. Minute I clapped eyes on her in the cradle, I knew. 'Well, Adeline, you got one a' the queer ones,' I says, and it made her madder'n a wet hen. But it's true; you'll see. Say, maybe you'll take her off with you when you go? She'd admire to put out somewhere, Sairy Lynn would."

Sairy Ann laughed. "She will, if she's any good. Didn't I?"

(TO BE CONTINUED)

For Years Figure of Christ, Drawn by Prisoner, Has Been Illuminated in Jail

When the master switch is pulled each night in the Central District holdover cell block at police headquarters, and the prisoners settle down in darkness to what rest they can get on the steel "boards," one light remains burning in a vacant cell, relates a writer in the St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

The cell has been empty and the light has burned for five years, illuminating a figure of Christ on the cross which an unknown prisoner, arrested on some charge since forgotten, penciled on the buff steel wall before being released. The sentiment which led Chief of Police Joseph Gerk, since retired, to order the cell kept vacant from that time on also led prison guards to dub it "The Holy Cell."

The drawing is no amateurish effort. It is complete except for the right arm. Someone, either a policeman or a visitor—no one remembers which—once tried to finish the drawing but his poor effort was erased.

The drawing was discovered shortly after a prison guard, passing a row of cells, noticed a prisoner kneeling apparently in

prayer, with his face toward the wall. When the prisoner was removed later, the turnkey entered, turned on the light and saw the drawing.

The prisoner who had last occupied the cell said he was not the artist. In an effort to learn which of many prisoners was responsible, prison guards studied notations of dates, names and even code messages on the cell walls.

One of the legends that has grown up about "The Holy Cell" is that a former prisoner once sent a postcard identifying himself as the artist. Another is that the search was narrowed down to three prisoners but met a blank wall there.

Visitors are allowed to study the picture at close range. Above the drawing is an inscription with the letters I. N. R. I., which stands for Iesus Nazarenus Rex Iudaeorum, or Jesus of Nazareth, King of the Jews.

The eight bunks, the steel walls and the porcelain wash stand are kept spotless.

Some prisoners are kept at the holdover for federal authorities and others to await state trials. The artist might have had several weeks or even months to complete his work.

Italian Hemstitching For a Chair Set

THE chair set shown here is made of an even meshed cream linen marked "37" in squares of Italian hemstitching. Tiny scrolls in outline stitch with two diamonds in satin stitch are embroidered in all the outside corners. The scroll motif is shown at lower left. The tassels are made by raveling strips of the material and then rolling them.

The chair back piece measures 15 by 10 inches finished, and the chair arm pieces 7 1/2 by 7 1/2 inches. Allow 1/2-inch at all edges for



the rolled hems. The hemstitched squares measure 2 1/2 inches. Mark them in pencil. The method of hemstitching the rolled edges is shown here at A and B. Remember that a moist thumb always helps in rolling an edge evenly. Italian hemstitching is really just two rows worked together as shown at C and D. To prepare the rows, draw two threads, skip four and then draw two more.

Readers who have received their copy of Mrs. Spears' book on Sewing, for the Home Decorator, will be pleased to know that Book No. 2 is now ready. Ninety embroidery stitches; fabric repairing; also table settings; gifts; and many things to make for yourself and the children. If you like hand work you will be pleased with this unique book of complete directions for every article illustrated. Postpaid upon receipt of 25 cents (coin preferred). Just ask for Book No. 2 and address Mrs. Spears, 210 South Desplaines St., Chicago, Ill.

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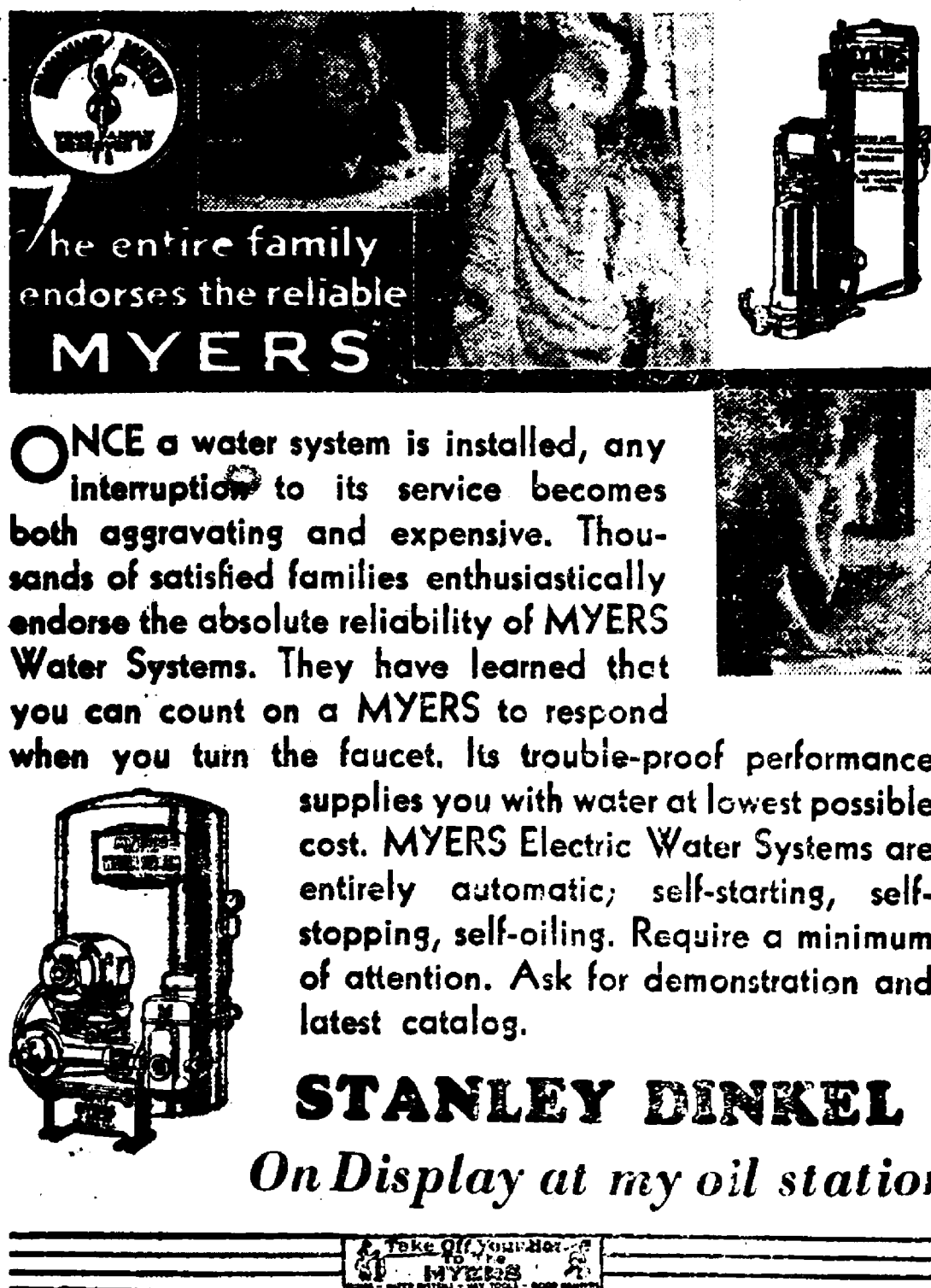


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Conservation Dept.

Electric current in the two state parks for trailers will be supplied by underground wiring.

Permission has been granted the state military board to use 4,327 acres in the AuSable state forest as an artillery range.

There is not a chance of equalling the low record for forest fires made last year. The dry spring has increased the hazard. 22 fires occurred in one day this month and 2000 acres were burned over at Turtle Lake.

State reforestation operations have started approximately 27,000 trees will be planted this year, mostly by CCC labor.

Michigan's first closed season on pike ends April 30. The blue gill and sun fish season begins June 25. Ten years ago smelt were unknown in Wisconsin. This year 6,000,000 lbs. were taken there.

This year the daily perch catch is limited to 50 on the great lakes and 25 on inland streams.

In the United States there are 87 federal fish hatcheries and 400 state hatcheries.

Gold fish are now taken in quantities from the great lakes, principally Lake Erie.

The trout season starts today. No fish under seven inches may be taken and 15 fish in one day.

It has been suggested that CCC labor be used to restore some of the 385 old time lumber camps as tourist attraction.

The rock temperature of the lower workings of the upper peninsula

copper mines is 90 degrees the year around.

The muskrat is a better swimmer than the mink. A 50 yard swim under water scarcely winds him.

Owing to the scarcity of mussels the season has been shortened from 3 months to 1. Their shells are used in button making. In 1929 six and a half million pounds of mussels at a value of \$201,800 were taken and \$16,475 in pearls. In 1935 this had dropped to \$8,759 worth of mussels and \$183 worth of pearls.

NEW RADIO PROGRAM

Soil erosion will be dramatized in a regular radio series for the first time in a new program over WLW, Cincinnati, according to R. C. Behymer, manager of the Fenton Erosion Control Project, of the Soil Conservation Service.

He invites farmers and other interested persons to tune in on the program which will go on the air each Saturday at 6 o'clock, Eastern Standard Time, beginning April 30. Work similar to that of the Fenton project will be discussed, and members of the staff may participate in the broadcasts.

Short playlets telling "The Story of the Soil" will be a feature of each broadcast. Prominent agricultural leaders in Michigan will give discussions from time to time. Questions on soil conservation will be invited.

"The Story of Denmark, Tennessee," which described the decline of a prosperous community as result of soil erosion, is the subject of the first script.

NOTES OF 25 YEARS AGO

Any soldier who took part in the Battle of Gettysburg, can secure a round trip ticket to the celebration there July 1, 2, 3, by sending his name, regiment, etc. to Henry Spaulding, Lansing, Michigan, Secretary of the Gettysburg committee.

F. G. Jackson and L. E. Smith have organized the Livingston Paint Co. and will manufacture paint.

Pinckney high school beat Dexter in the opening game 13 to 1. Quinn of Dexter broke his leg sliding into third. Cunningham pitched for Dexter. Dunning and McCluskey did not play with Pinckney on account of illness. Leo Lavey and Guy Kuhn replaced them. Ward Swarthout pitched for Pinckney.

Mrs. Margaret Kearney, 88, was found unconscious in her home last Thursday, having suffered a stroke of apoplexy.

The Eastern Michigan Edison Co. has asked for franchise to run lines through the townships of Green Oak and Brighton.

Hoyt Bros. have lowered the dam in the pond for the purpose of tilting the land above the dam and making other repairs.

Ed Kearney of Sioux City, Mrs. Margaret Melvin of Nebraska, and Kate Brown of Wyoming were called here by the illness of their mother Margaret Kearney.

Dan Plummer has moved onto the Howlett farm west of Gregory.

Alex McIntyre has rented his farm to his son, Clyde, and will move to town into the house he purchased of W. E. Murphy.

The high school team have been busy getting their ball grounds on the John Monks farm into shape. A game has been scheduled with the Ann Arbor high school team. With so many games to play Ward Swarthout will have help and Myron Dunning and Edward VanHorn are being groomed to take their place in the pitchers box. The regular lineup is H. Swarthout, c; W. Swarthout p; Dunning, 1b; VanHorn, 2b; Kennedy, 3b; P. Clark, ss; McCluskey, rf; W. Reason, cf; L. Hendee lf.

NOTES OF 50 YEARS AGO TODAY

John Chalker is laid up with the measles.

Notes of 50 Years Ago

Alex McIntyre has started up his brick yard.

Dr. H. F. Sigler has planted some very fine maples in front of his new residence.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. John McGinness on April 23, a daughter.

After next Tuesday all saloons in Livingston county will be closed for three years.

The six children of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Fish have the measles.

George Brown has a horse that is 28 years old and a dog that is 16.

G. W. Reason has built a picket fence around his house.

Born to W. Smith and wife on April 11, a daughter.

George Teeple has placed an awning in front of his bank.

James Morgan has moved back to his farm in Unadilla from this village.

Messrs. Claude Sigler and Wm. I. Black have connected a telegraph wire between their houses and now talk back and forth.

Teple and Caldwell will sell the Champion binders this year.

Barney and John Luky who went from here to Butte Meadows, Calif., are earning \$55 a month at a saw-mill there.

Many of the people who emigrated to Cash City Kansas, a year ago will return to Michigan.

Dave Bennett has purchased the office building of Dr. H. F. Sigler and will remove it to a lot near the depot where he will remodel it into a house.

Mrs. Estella Graham and two little children have moved here from Detroit and will build a house on Mill Street.

George Clark's team ran away with him Friday. They hit a post in front of Mann Brothers store throwing George out of the buggy. Not much damage was done.

Ezekiel Pearson, 63, was married to Mrs. Cassie Pettibone, 50, of Ypsilanti last Sunday.

I. S. P. Johnson received word Monday that his brother, Arthur, fell from a scaffold while working in a mill at Okemos and was killed. He was 41 years old and leaves a wife and two children.

Wm. Hackley of Oceola committed suicide Sunday by hanging himself.

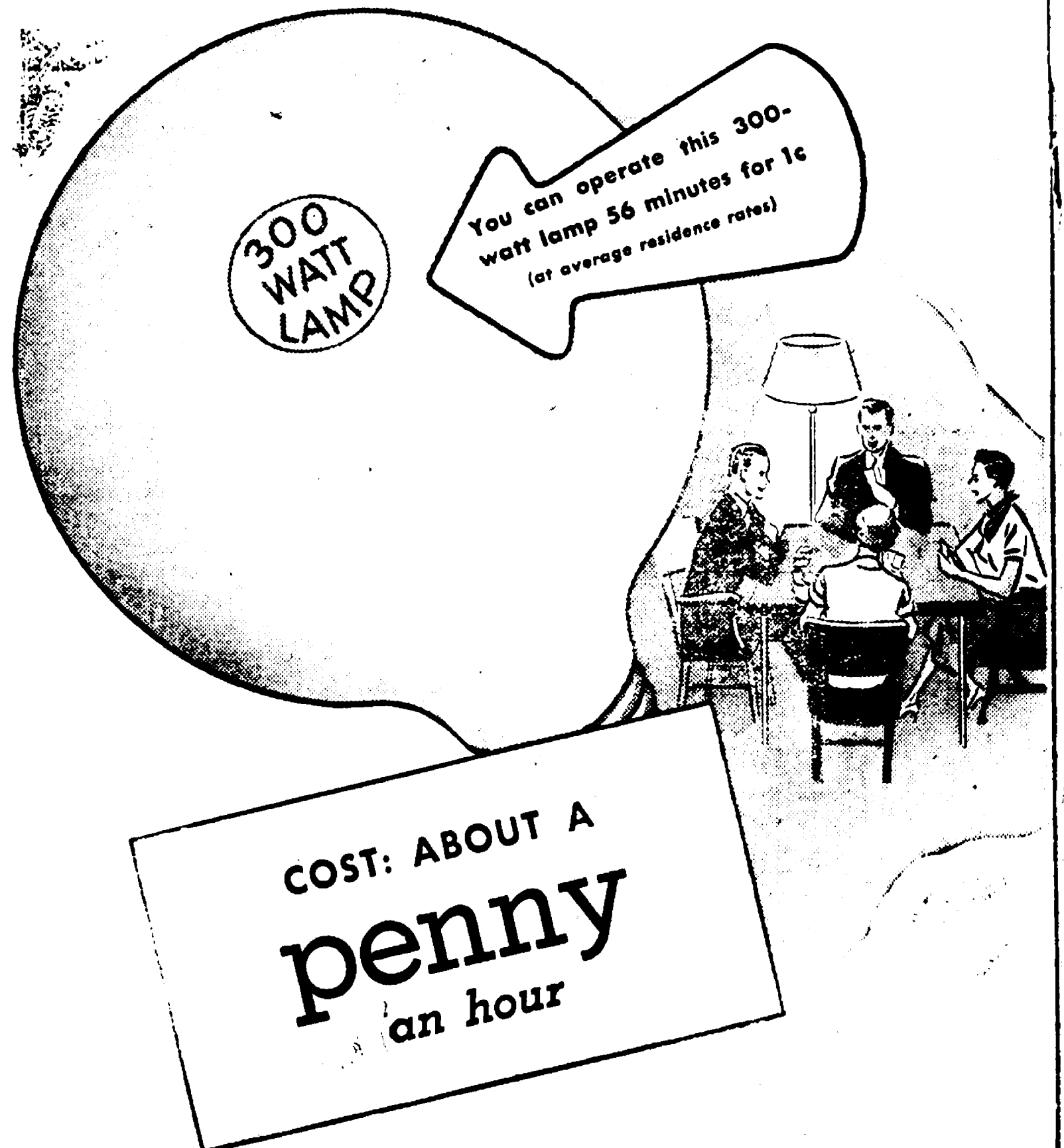
Chelsea has organized a base ball team with John Cummins as capt.

About 100 friends of Dr. and Mrs. Gamber who are moving to McBride gave them a surprise Friday evening. After an evening of merrymaking, Reverend Thurston in behalf of the guests presented the Gammers with an upholstered rocker and silver tea set.

Hamburg has organized a baseball team. Eli Snyder is mgr., and Capt. Jule Royce, Secretary and Volney Stiles, Treasurer.

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SUPERVISOR'S PROCEEDINGS

April Session 1938

Tuesday, April 12, 1938

Pursuant to statute, the Board of Supervisors, for the County of Livingston, convened at their rooms, in the Court House, on Tuesday, April 12, at 11 A. M. and upon roll call by the Clerk, the following members were found to be present:

Brighton Twp.—Henry T. Ross.
Brighton City—Guy Pitkin.
Cohoctah—Carl Raddatz.
Conway—Ross J. Robb.
Deerfield—Ralph Higgins.
Genoa—Henry J. Itself.
Green Oak—Wm. Duncan.
Hamburg—J. Arthur Shehan.
Handy—George Eckhart.
Hartland—Roy Glendenning.
Howell City—W. Harry Gartrell.
Howell Twp.—Fred Berry.
Iosco—Lyle Redinger.
Marion—W. Burr Clark.
Oceola—Clyde Hetchler.
Putnam—Norman Reason.
Tyrone—Bert Clark.
Unadilla—Ralph Glenn.

Moved by Duncan and supported by Glendenning, that W. Harry Gartrell, be elected temporary Chairman. Carried.

Moved by Ross, and supported by Burr Clark, that the Board proceed to the election of a permanent Chairman, for the ensuing year. Carried.

Moved by Ross and supported by Eckhart, that Henry Itself, be elected permanent Chairman for the ensuing year. Carried.

Mr. Davis of the East Michigan Tourist Association, appeared before the Board relative to an appropriation, for the purpose of advertising the Tourist business in Michigan.

Moved by Pitkin and supported by

Gartrell, that this Board appropriate the sum of \$100.00 to the East Michigan Tourist Association, for advertising in Livingston County. Carried.

Upon motion of Gartrell, which was duly supported by Hetchler, Board adjourned until one-thirty P. M.

Afternoon Session

Moved by Ross, and supported by Duncan, that the Chairman in appointing his regular Committee, that he appoint a Committee to be known as a Conservation Committee, consisting of three members. Carried.

Moved by Ross and supported by Duncan, that the Chairman appoint the various committees for the ensuing year, within ten days from this date, and that the Clerk be instructed to notify the several Supervisors of their appointments, and that said Supervisors be and are hereby authorized to act on said committees from the date of their appointment and notification thereof. Carried.

Moved by Gartrell and supported by Reason, that the dog Warden, establish a dog pound, and that the operator of said pound be allowed the sum of 25c per day for each dog, not to exceed a period of five days.

All persons desiring to redeem any dog from said pound shall pay at the rate of 50c cents per day and also furnish a dog tag for said dog. At the end of 5 days the warden shall dispose of all dogs not redeemed and the tax paid on. The fee for harboring said dogs shall be paid by the County Clerk, upon presentation of a duly authorized and approved bill of the County Dog Warden. Carried.

Moved by Ross and supported by Eckhart, that the County Treasurer be allowed the usual sum of \$100.00 for the copying of delinquent tax returns. Carried.

Moved by Duncan and supported by Raddatz, that the Janitor be instructed to lock up the ladies Rest

Room, in the Court House, each night before leaving the building. Carried.

Upon motion of Bert Clark, which was duly supported by Gartrell, Board adjourned, subject to the call of the Chairman of the Board.

Approved, Henry J. Itself Chairman.

Counter-signed, John A. Hagman, Clerk.

State of Michigan.

I, John A. Hagman, County Clerk in and for the County aforesaid do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct transcript of the original proceedings of the Board of Supervisors for said county at a meeting held on Tuesday, April 12th, 1938, and of the whole thereof.

In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of the County and Court this 14th day of April, A. D. 1938. (SEAL)

John A. Hagman
County Clerk

DEFENDS TITLE

Julius Aschenbrenner Jr., will defend his wrestling title next week at Ypsilanti.

We understand that his opponent is Harry Michael, the colored negro star from Highland Park.

Bill Thompson, a wrestler who fought Aschenbrenner several times was seriously hurt when he met Michael last week—so from all appearances this promises to be a worth while exhibition.

Henry Ford, in person, visited Manchester last week and the Manchester Chamber of Commerce says they have a definite statement that he will start operations at his factory in Manchester this summer.

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"THE COUNTY CHAIRMAN"

KENT TAYLOR, EVELYN VENABLE, MICKEY ROONEY, LOUISE DRESSER, BERTON CHURCHILL and STEPHIN FETCHIT
 Comedy, News, Short Subject

Sat., April 30 Double Bill Mat. 2 P. M. 10c & 20c
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Plainfield

Sunday night, May 8th there will be given a program to observe Mother's Day here. There will be no preaching service here in the morning.

Sunday May 8th there will be a special musical during the Sunday School hour.

April 27, 28, 29, will be the WM Convention at Three Rivers.

Rev. and Mrs. Ryan attended the Kings Daughters dinner Wednesday at Mr. and Mrs. Gale Clements.

Rev. and Mrs. Ryan attended the Calico tea at Parkers Corners last Thursday.

Lloyd Jacobs is suffering from a nervous breakdown after the measles.

Mr. Carl Topping of Midland was in town for the week end.

Rev. D. W. Ryan is putting a new roof on Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Guass' house.

Mrs. Erwin Hutton is building an addition to his barn.

Betty Ann Pallen of Detroit spent the past week with her grandfather and grandmother, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wasson.

Miss Anna Lham was home from Detroit over the week end.

Dale Holmes was home from the Howell Sun. for dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Jacobs were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kiser at their cottage at Patterson Lake.

Mrs. Gertrude Collins and Irene of Stockbridge called last Wednesday on Mr. and Mrs. Orla Jacobs.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Peterson are the proud parents of a new boy.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Jacobs called Sunday night on Mr. and Mrs. Orla Jacobs.

Anna and Harry Lham called Sunday on Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Holmes and Dale.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Guass and children of Howell, Mr. and Mrs. H. Guass and children from near Stockbridge were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Guass.

Lakeland

Mrs. I. C. Zieser, who has been spending the winter at Miami, Florida has returned to open the Lakeland Hotel for the summer season.

Albert Boet of St. Catherine's, Canada, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Euler.

Fred Brockmiller and family, who have been living on the I. Shipley farm here have moved to another farm near Northville. Mr. Shipley and wife of Brighton have moved back into their farm house, sharing it with Mrs. Sarah Case.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kemper and a granddaughter of Toledo, Ohio, spent a few days at their cottage there.

The Misses Yvonne, Patricia and Mary Jo Kettler of Eaton Rapids visited their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lee and son, Almer, and Chester Kennedy, were

Sunday evening supper guests of Miss Madge Jack in Lansing. Madge returned with her aunt and uncle to spend a few days.

The formal opening of the Lakeland Golf and Country Club will be next week end.

Gregory

Lottie Farrell and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Galbreath spent last Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mapes and Fay Crawford and family of Okemos.

Lois Watson of Howell spent the week end with Carl Bollinger and family.

Mrs. Roy Wright, Ardith and Peggy Cranna spent Sunday with Ward Cravick and family.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Peterson, Friday, April, 22nd a son. They are being cared for at the home of her parents.

Roberta Munsell entertained her Sunday School Class Friday Evening. Their teacher, Mrs. James Caskey and Reverend Cruthers, were also present. A pot-luck supper and games were enjoyed before the business meeting and the election of the officers.

Mr. and Mrs. James Tharr of Detroit spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Leach and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ludke.

Mr. and Mrs. Disco Drown and sons of Howell spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Drown and Ernie.

Mrs. Dewey Breniser and children were in Ann Arbor last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Foelkier and children spent Sunday with Carl Bollinger and family.

Belle Living and Willard Collins spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Billie Mustatia.

Mrs. Dewey Breniser and Mrs. Guy Kuhn were Jackson visitors one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. McRorie called on Mr. and Mrs. Olin Marshall recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Rose brought Mrs. Flora Gallup home Sunday afternoon. She spent the past week in Ann Arbor with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Jones are visiting her mother and Mr. and Mrs. Cooper in Millville.

Evelyn Stoffer and Lyle Bowdish were in Detroit last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hertlien have moved into the tenant house of J. L. Donohue.

W. C. Devereaux and wife of Cincinnati spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben White.

The Haines family swingsters will play at the play at the Dexter high school auditorium Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Caulk, the Misses Fannie Monks and Nellie E. Gardner were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Runciman near Stockbridge Sunday, at a birthday party honoring Dr. Cyrus Gardner of Lansing.

Hamburg

Hamburg hive, No. 392 Lady Macabees met in regular session at the IOOF Hall Tuesday afternoon, with the commander, Mrs. Gladys Lee, presiding. Guests were Mrs. Mildred Kleine, district deputy, and Mrs. A. Schoenhals, commander and Mrs. Florence Pickett, record keeper of the Howell Hive.

The name of Mrs. Leah McMichael was balloted upon for membership and accepted. Announcement was made of the Tri-County convention to be held at Lansing, Thursday, April 28.

Mrs. Nellie J. Pearson, chairman of the entertainment committee, announced that a birthday party to be held in June honoring those members whose birthdays occur in April, May, and June, with pot-luck dinner at noon; each one to receive a gift they do not want. It was voted to hold the next meeting, Tuesday, May 3rd, in the evening; ice cream and cake to be served with Mrs. Blanche Pryor and Mrs. Bertha Winkelhaus as the committee in charge.

Official reports were given by Mrs. Emily Kuchar and Mrs. Jennie Fernman. Remarks were made by the guests. With Mrs. Gladys Lee and Mrs. Jennie Shannon acting as committee, budge keno was played: first prize was won by Mrs. Lucy Haggadore, second by Mrs. Blanche Pryor and consolation by Mrs. Bertha Winkelhaus on draws.

A birthday party was held at the home of Mrs. Glenn Borton Tuesday in honor of her birthday anniversary. Guests were: Mrs. Bert Borton, Mrs. Burnstrum, Mrs. Edward Domke, Mrs. A. Domke and son, Mrs. E. Smith, and daughter, Betty, and Mrs. S. Klersey of Detroit and Mrs. Warner Todd of Hamburg village. Dinner was served by the guests. The afternoon was spent playing bridge. Mrs. Borton received many nice gifts and cards.

Alton Ochampaugh of Lansing is visiting Wayne Williams at the home of Mrs. Nellie J. Pearson.

Mrs. Alma Hartman of Toledo spent Sunday with her father, Wm. Loos.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blades spent from Friday until Sunday night with their daughter, Mrs. Dan Brooks and family at Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Nellie E. Haight and Amos Pickett have returned home after spending three weeks with Mr. Pickett's daughter, Mrs. Don DuBois and family and grandson, Elwood Kisby and wife at Shepherd.

Mrs. Mary E. Royce who has been visiting her son and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Leon B. Royce at Lansing has gone to Kalamazoo to visit her daughter, Mrs. Harvey J. Murphy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar G. Mayer of Ann Arbor spent Sunday with Mrs. Mayer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Pryor.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford E. VanHorn entertained at dinner Saturday night, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd E. Weeks and two daughters, Lorna and Elizabeth of Gaylord.

Edward Bennett of Lansing has been spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Almira Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haggadore spent the week end with Mr. Haggadore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Haggadore at Inlay City.

Mrs. Nellie J. Pearson and her niece, Barbaraadell Way, Wayne Williams and Alton Ochampaugh visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Swales in Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore of Detroit were overnight guests Saturday of John D. Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Basydio had as guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Cheney of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Don Riden of Fowlerville.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Wray Hinckley Mr. and Mrs. Neophitos Stephanou, Mrs. Emily Docking and Miss Jule Adele Ball attended the regular meeting of Webster Grange at Webster Congregational Community House Thursday night. The program consisted of songs, recitations, and folk dances. A business meeting and dinner followed.

Mr. and Mrs. James DeWolf entertained at a family gathering on Sunday with a chicken dinner. Those in attendance were, Miss Harriet De Wolf of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie DeWolf and daughter, Joyce Ann; Mr. and Mrs. Vince Wiseman, and son, Gary Vince; Fred DeWolf, Misses Elsie and Edna DeWolf and Miss Helen Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Winkelhaus entertained at a home-coming Sunday. Guests were their sons and daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Winkelhaus and daughter of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Doherr and two daughters of Chicago, Illinois: Robert S. Ward and son of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. L. Winkelhaus and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Winkelhaus and three children.

Pinckney high school base ball team lost at Dexter Tuesday, 13 to 0 Tuesday on foot. The party so

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Five people went through Pinckney Tuesday on foot. The party consisted of a man and woman, a baby and two boys, 5 and 8 years old. They were Mexicans enroute to the sugar beet fields near Caro.



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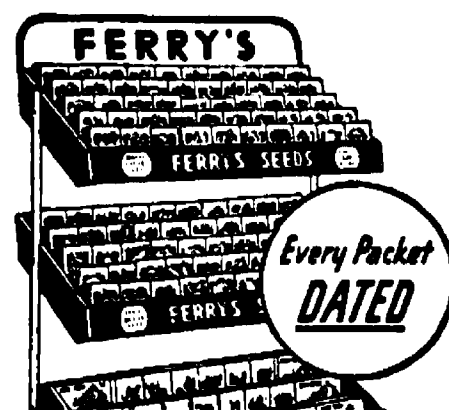
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WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK.—The Nazis haven't bothered Frau Katharina Schrat. Unlike the Pompadours and Montespanns, usually among the first victims of political upheavals, Austria's "Gnaedige Frau," as Emperor Francis Joseph called her, has ridden the surf-board of dynastic and political change for nearly 60 years. She is now eighty-two, doing crossword puzzles, disclaiming knowledge of the current catatym, but longing for the "good old days."

In those days, she was pretty Katie Schrat, a dancer in the Burg theater, which was under the patronage of the emperor. After a hit performance, with the emperor attending, she obtained an audience.

"Sire," she said, with a low curtsy, "we cannot maintain ourselves on the salaries you pay. I owe \$50,000 for my costumes."

The emperor promised a new benefice for the theater and said he would help her take care of her debts. She was backing gracefully to the door when the emperor said: "Gnaedige Frau, why do you leave us?"

She stayed 40 years, in a snug little villa by the palace gates. The emperor, after a hard day swinging the scepter, used to drop in at Frau Katie's, split a bottle of Pilsener and sing a few songs. She knew all the mellow old tunes which he particularly liked. She used to darn his socks and tell him when he needed a hair cut.

She refused to accept gowns or jewels, always remaining the "Gnaedige Frau," but the emperor, by an amusing artifice, induced her to accept a fortune in gems. He was a famous huntsman. He told her he was sending her a wild boar he had killed.

She saw no harm in that. When it arrived, it had diamond earrings, a diamond necklace and bracelets and a diamond breast pin, and its back was studded with precious Hapsburg jewels. The money lenders got them, after the emperor's death.

She was supposed to know more of the secrets of the realm than any other person. She guarded them carefully, but did reluctantly reveal a few details of the Mayerling tragedy of 1889.

She said Archduke Rudolf shot himself, after killing Baroness Vetsera. That's the version of the film now running. It would make a good story if somebody could take Frau Schrat to see "Mayerling" and have her write a critical review.

MARK ETHRIDGE becomes "czar" of the radio industry. It is hard to think of Mr. Ethridge as a czar, or even a third assistant Simon Legree, but he clicks neatly as an able, deft, diligent and resourceful executive.

While Mr. Ethridge is only forty-four years old, he is of the type of old-line, leg-man newspaper man, with an insatiable appetite for news.

A native of Meridian, Miss., with soft southern speech and instinctive courtesy, he ought to be an excellent troubleshooter for the radio, rather than a czar. He was a reporter on the Meridian Dispatch, studied at the University of Mississippi and romped on up through grades to the managing editorship of the Macon (Ga.) Telegraph. He was with the New York Sun in 1926 and his old friends there have been nominating him today for a loud cheer in this corner.

He was lured back to Macon, went thence to the Richmond (Va.) Times, of which he was publisher, and later became general manager of the Louisville Courier-Journal and Louisville Times. He spent the year 1933 in central Europe, on an Oberlander Trust fellowship, studying politics and economics and—the only touch of anti-climax in his career—the Versailles treaty.

The radio has picked a man who knows the social and educational box-score as well as good entertainment. He is still general manager of the Courier-Journal, up and coming in the new enlightened leadership of the South. His "czar" job is unsalaried.

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Talks Too Fast

A certain doctor had the habit of interjecting the phrase "of course" every little while as he spoke, just as others say "D'you see" or "don't you know." But he said "of course" once too often. For, once, when a patient was very ill, "I hurried to him, and, of course, he died."

What to Eat and Why

C. Houston Goudiss Discusses LAXATIVE FOODS ★

Nationally Known Authority on Food Shows How Right Diet Can Help You to Avoid Health Hazards of Faulty Elimination

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS

6 East 39th Street, New York.

THOUSANDS of men, women and children are alive today because we have learned how to prevent many types of infections and how to cure diseases which once caused untimely deaths.

We have reason to be proud of the achievements of science in fighting disease and lengthening the span of life. But we should be ashamed of the fact that hundreds of thousands of individuals are not getting the most out of life—indeed they are not realizing half their potentialities—because improper eating and faulty habits of hygiene cause them to suffer from that great evil of civilization—constipation.

EVILS OF CONSTIPATION

Someone has called constipation the most deadly disease, and while this may seem like an extreme statement, it becomes justifiable when one realizes the untold misery and wretchedness that may result when food residues remain to stagnate and putrefy in the body.

Constipation muddies the complexion, dulls the eye and befogs the brain. It causes a general feeling of discomfort and fullness in the abdomen, lack of appetite, bad breath, coated tongue, a feeling of lassitude and a tendency to become easily fatigued.

By weakening resistance, it opens the way to numberless diseases. Serious complications, such as irritation of the appendix, may occur as a result of the friction of hard masses of waste against the delicate walls of the intestine. Piles have frequently been laid at the door of faulty elimination.

Do you wonder that I consider prompt, regular elimination the keystone of good health?

Its importance is readily understood when you consider the processes by which food is digested and absorbed.

FATE OF FOOD IN THE BODY

From the mouth, food passes down the esophagus into the stomach, where it is penetrated by the gastric juice. It then passes into the small intestine where it is mixed with the secretions of the liver and the pancreas. Here the nutritive elements are absorbed by minute, hair-like tubes which line the intestinal walls. These tubes converge into the blood vessels and lymphatics which transport nourishment to all parts of the body.

Undigested residues pass into the large intestine or colon, where they are normally moved along by a series of muscular contractions known as peristalsis, and finally evacuated.

The amount of the evacuation varies in bulk with the amount of indigestible roughage contained in the food. When there is insufficient bulk to promote normal peristalsis, waste accumulates and we have the condition known as constipation with all its resulting evils. Bacteria prey upon the stagnating material, producing poisons which may be absorbed by the body.

There is not the slightest excuse for allowing this condition to develop. For the misery and wretchedness of constipation may easily be avoided by including in the daily diet sufficient laxative foods, that is, those rich in fiber or cellulose.

BULK OR FIBER ESSENTIAL

Because of their fibrous framework, plant foods are our chief source of cellulose or bulk, and therefore, our greatest aid in promoting normal elimination. Vegetables and fruits are sworn foes of constipation, and unrefined cereals are also extremely valuable.

SOME LAXATIVE FOODS

Foods with an exceptionally high residue include raw fruits, especially those with skins and seeds; dried fruits, such as apricots, prunes, figs and raisins; raw vegetables; such cooked vegetables as onions and leafy greens; the legumes, that is, dried peas and beans; whole grain cereals and bran.

Among the vegetables, don't overlook cabbage, lettuce, celery, spinach, brussels sprouts, string beans and green peas.

Foods which tend to form a little gas in the intestines, including spinach, onions and cauliflower, are also useful stimulants to intestinal movement.

In addition to providing cellulose, the acid fruits, such as oranges, lemons and grapefruit, act as a mild stimulus to increased peristaltic motions.

NEED FOR VITAMIN B

Another important factor in promoting normal elimination is vitamin B, which has been shown to be essential for good muscular tone and activity of the digestive tract. Investigations with experimental animals have demonstrated that it requires twice as long to empty the large intestine when the diet is deficient in vitamin B. Yeast, egg yolk, milk, whole grain cereals, liver and green leafy vegetables are good sources of this vitamin.

LIQUIDS ESSENTIAL

A sufficient quantity of liquids is likewise necessary to prevent the contents of the lower intestine from becoming too hard for easy evacuation. In addition to water, the diet should therefore contain an abundance of milk, fruit juices and other beverages. Acidophilus milk and buttermilk are especially beneficial.

Fats and oils, used in moderation, act as gentle lubricants.

REGULAR HABITS

It is most important to eat at regular hours and to establish regular times for evacuation, as

Have You a Question?

Ask C. Houston Goudiss

C. Houston Goudiss has put at the disposal of readers of this newspaper all the facilities of his famous Experimental Kitchen Laboratory in New York City. He will gladly answer questions concerning foods, diet, nutrition, and their relation to health. You are also invited to consult him in matters of personal hygiene. It's not necessary to write a letter unless you desire, for postcard inquiries will receive the same careful attention. Address him at 6 East 39th Street, New York City.

this is a great aid to body rhythm.

Guard carefully against over-eating, for this practice is a frequent cause of constipation. When the digestive system is over-worked, none of its functions can be efficiently performed.

The homemaker is largely responsible for safeguarding her family against the dangers of faulty elimination. For she has it in her power to plan meals that will help normal individuals to avoid the curse of constipation.

Questions Answered

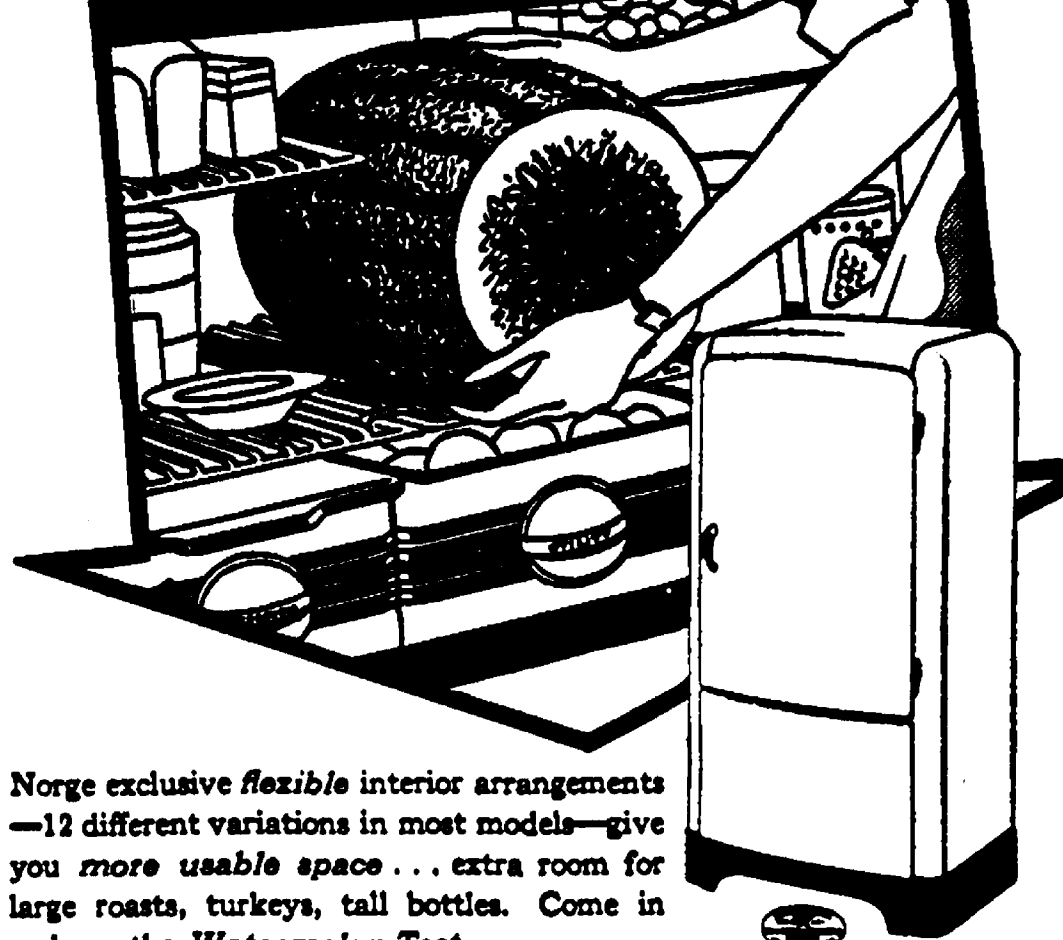
Mrs. B. T. M.—Do not worry if your child prefers the egg yolk to the white. The white is chiefly protein, and he can easily obtain protein from other foods, especially milk. But the yolk contains an abundance of minerals and vitamins in addition to protein and fat. Nutritionists have determined that the inclusion of one egg yolk daily in an otherwise adequate diet is an effective method of balancing the intake and output of iron in a child's diet.

Miss S. B.—No, the generous use of cream cannot be considered as a substitute for taking milk as a beverage or in cooked dishes. Cream is much higher in fat and contains less protein, minerals and vitamins, with the exception of vitamin A. Cream deserves to be included in the diet for its vitamin A content, but it should not replace milk.

Mrs. A. McK.—Strawberries contain vitamins A, B and C. Recent experiments indicate that they rank with citrus fruits and tomatoes as a source of vitamin C. © WNU—C. Houston Goudiss—1938—8

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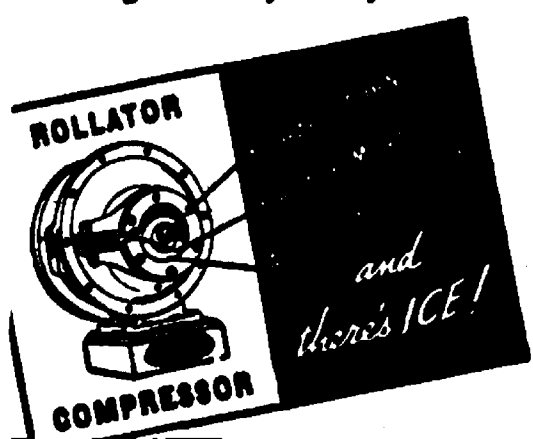
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Washington News
News Letter

By Congressman Andrew J. Transue

The House and Senate Conference Committee on the Revenue Revision Bill which early last week seemed at an impasse last Friday agreed on a compromise by which the undistributed profits tax will be retained in modified form and the present system of taxing long-term capital gains abolished. The compromise was announced by Senator Harrison of Mississippi chairman of the Senate Finance Committee and head of the Senate conferees. His statement opened the way for final competition of conference work on the measure. Both Harrison and Doughton (the chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee) declared that the agreement should reassure business and Harrison said that he believed the Senate would accept the compromise, and since the bill as it was reported from conference approximated the one passed by the House the only possibility of the anti-administration forces have to defeat the bill is when the Senate considers the conference report.

Capital Gains

The House acceded with only a slight modification to the Senate version of the 15 per cent flat capital gains tax and it was on this basis that the compromise between the House and Senate was made. The undistributed profits tax, however, nearly caused a rift in the conference meeting, and it was only because the slight modifications granted by the House included a time limit of two years on the effect of the tax that it was finally passed and accepted by a majority of the group. This means, however, that Congress must reopen the matter before March 15, 1941 when 1940 tax returns are due. Both the House and Senate conferees were unanimous in a desire to amend certain inadequacies and faults in the present tax laws, and it was the desire to prevent the revenue measure from being locked in conference, and so die at the adjournment of the Congress, that finally served as a deciding factor in settling the House and Senate troubles.

Wages and Hours

Declaring that "inevitable" wage cuts of a depression are already upon the Nation, the House Labor Committee Friday said the need for the enactment of the new compromise wages and hours bill by this Congress is urgent. In a majority report on the measure, the Committee pointed to the sharp decline in business activity and declared enactment of the legislation essential to forestall a vicious spiral of deflation which, if allowed to gather sufficient strength may threaten the foundation of government itself. "The majority asserted that unless wage levels are maintained on at least a cost-of-living basis, the 'unprecedented demands' upon the Federal and State Governments for relief must continue."

Legislation Imperative

"The payment of oppressive wages is not only detrimental to interstate commerce, but also casts a direct burden of such employees upon the Government," the report continued. "The Government cannot indefinitely provide what is in effect a subsidy for such employers to maintain fair labor standards in the face of wage cuts by chiseling competitors." The committee also pointed out that within three years this measure would make a minimum 40 cents per hour wage and a maximum 40 hour a week the law of the land for persons engaged in interstate commerce. The committee expressed the hope that State legislatures will adopt "similar if not higher standards" for interstate commerce.

Government Gold

Last week the Treasury weighed the problem of how fast the \$1,400,000,000 of gold recently sterilized should be allowed to flow into the country's credit structure in order not to put it out of balance. The money will be disbursed from the Treasury's working balance at the rate of \$50,000,000 a week replacing an equal amount which would otherwise have been borrowed in Treasury bills (short term loans from banks). The first \$50,000,000 chunk of sterilized gold was added last week.

Henry Ford

Many of Michigan's political leaders, foremost of whom is Governor Frank Murphy, have long had the "open sesame" to the White House. This week one of Michigan's business leaders is scheduled to visit at the White House in the person of Henry Ford. The topic of Mr. Ford's conference with the president is unknown, but it is presumed to be, according to a statement made by him in Sudbury, Mass., relative to business conditions. The president, however, remained non-committal saying that he only supposed he would talk about the things Mr. Ford has already told the newspapers.

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