

## News and Doings of the Michigan State Legislature

Big Debate on Whether To Levy More Taxes. Auditor General Vern Brown Claims New Tax Levy Unneeded If Proper Economy Measures Are Adopted. Gov. Shows Firmness and Independence in His Appointments.

To tax or not to tax, that is the question. Once again an administration at Lansing is confronted with the very distasteful prospect of imposing additional taxes. If the estimated 25 million deficit for the current fiscal year is to be reduced, and if expenses and receipts of the forthcoming fiscal year are to be balanced, the state administration must obtain more money from one source or another.

And there's the rub, who is going to pay the piper.

State treasurer Miller Dunckel believes that the sales tax should be increased from 3 to 4 cents. The revenue from the additional cent would be segregated for the sole purpose of paying off the 25 million dollar deficit. Treasurer Dunckel would have it tagged the 'Murphy tax'.

### Brown Opposes New Taxes

Auditor General Vernon J. Brown offers a seven-point budget balancing program to solve the state's financial problem without creating another levy or increasing an existing tax.

1. Abolish payroll increases ordered by the civil service commission and thus save 'at least' one million dollars a year.

2. Abolish most commissions, the boards and bureaus created by 1937 legislature, thus saving 'more than' one million dollars a year.

3. Revise formula for distribution of state aid to public school to equalize districts that raise no school taxes locally and other districts which get more than they need, thus saving 13 million dollars a year. School aid this year was 28 million dollars.

4. Revise property tax law and tax intangible property at a special low rate. Intangible property is now taxable at the same rate with real estate property, the rate being than the yield and hence not being enforced. The 1937 state tax commission started a movement to enforce the intangible property tax, but Governor Murphy called it off.

5. Plug sales tax loopholes, thus collecting 'several millions'.

### Hope on Sales Tax

The auditor general is confident that efficient enforcement of the state sales tax, together with certain changes contemplated to aid collection, would result in many millions more for the state treasury.

Senate bill 114 by Senator George McCallum of Ann Arbor, chairman of the senate taxation committee, would require auto dealers of new and old cars to pay sales tax to secretary of state at time of registration or transfer.

This bill is expected to net approximately 5 million dollars more annually in sales tax collections.

6. (Point in Brown's program): "Adopt a sane and sensible welfare plan."

7. Strict economy by the administration to the end that there is severe pruning of every item of public expense.

### McCallum's Tax Plan

Senator George McCallum, taxation committee, has introduced a bill requiring the state tax commission to assess personal property at either of the following rates: 5 per cent of the annual income derived from stocks, bonds, etc., or one quarter of 1 per cent of the par value, whichever ever is the greater.

The present personal-property tax (now unenforced) averages 2.7 per cent of the par value, or 19 times as much as the McCallum proposal.

Exemptions: Government bonds, armory bonds, possessions of benevolent institutions, G. A. R. and the Y. M. C. A. and similar groups, banks and trusts companies, and insurance companies and utilities that new pay a specific tax.

### State-Owned Autos

For many political moons an unwritten law has permitted state officials and employees to obtain and to use at public expense, expensive cars for personal as well as business purposes.

Representative Arthur U. Odell of Allegan and six other members of the house have just introduced a (Continued on last page.)

### WOOL WANTED

See me before selling your wool. Lynn Hodges, Phone 35F11, Pinckney

## Past Masters Night Banquet

Nearly 200 Attend 10th Annual Banquet Honoring the Past Masters of Livingston Lodge No. 76.

Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. held its 10th annual banquet on Friday evening, March 31 with an attendance of approximately 200. The banquet was served by local O. E. S. Chapter. The Howell F. & A. M. orchestra played the march when the diners marched from the lodge room into the dining hall. The invocation was given by Reverend John McLucas, chaplain of the lodge.

Following the excellent banquet which featured roast ham, Ford Lamb, master of Livingston Lodge, welcomed the grand lodge officers, past masters and visiting brothers. Past Master C. W. Hooker responded in behalf of the past masters. Ross Read, senior warden, was called on to introduce the toastmaster and did so in his inimitable style. Kirk Van Winkle of Lansing who served as master of the local lodge 30 years ago officiated as toastmaster in an able manner. Of the members of the lodge who belonged 30 years ago when he was master only five, Roy and Chas. Teeple, J. H. Hooker, Geo. Green and W. C. Miller were present. Charles Sherman, senior grand warden was called upon and talked briefly mostly on the reminiscence order. He was followed by Dewey Hesse of Saginaw grand junior warden who talked on the future of Masonry. Paul Strawhecker, junior grand deacon of Grand Rapids was next. He talked on the problems of Masonry and enlivened his discourse with witty anecdotes. Harold Tooman of Ypsilanti rendered a solo with Mrs. Florence Baughn as the accompanist.

Dr. Francis B. Lambie, of Midland acting grand master, delivered a forcible address on Masonry in which he touched upon the problems of Masonry and explained many angles here-to-fore untouched upon, dividing home his points with his broad Scotch burr and customary vigor. This marked the 6th Livingston past masters banquet at Pinckney (Continued on Page 6)

### TWO MEN SENTENCED AT HOWELL

Earl Perry of Howell was given a jail sentence of 45 days from Justice Knapp for driving after he had been drinking. He collided with a car driven by Wm. Brown jr., of Pinckney. The Brown car was badly demolished.

The accident happened on the Howell road near the Freeman Mussion farm.

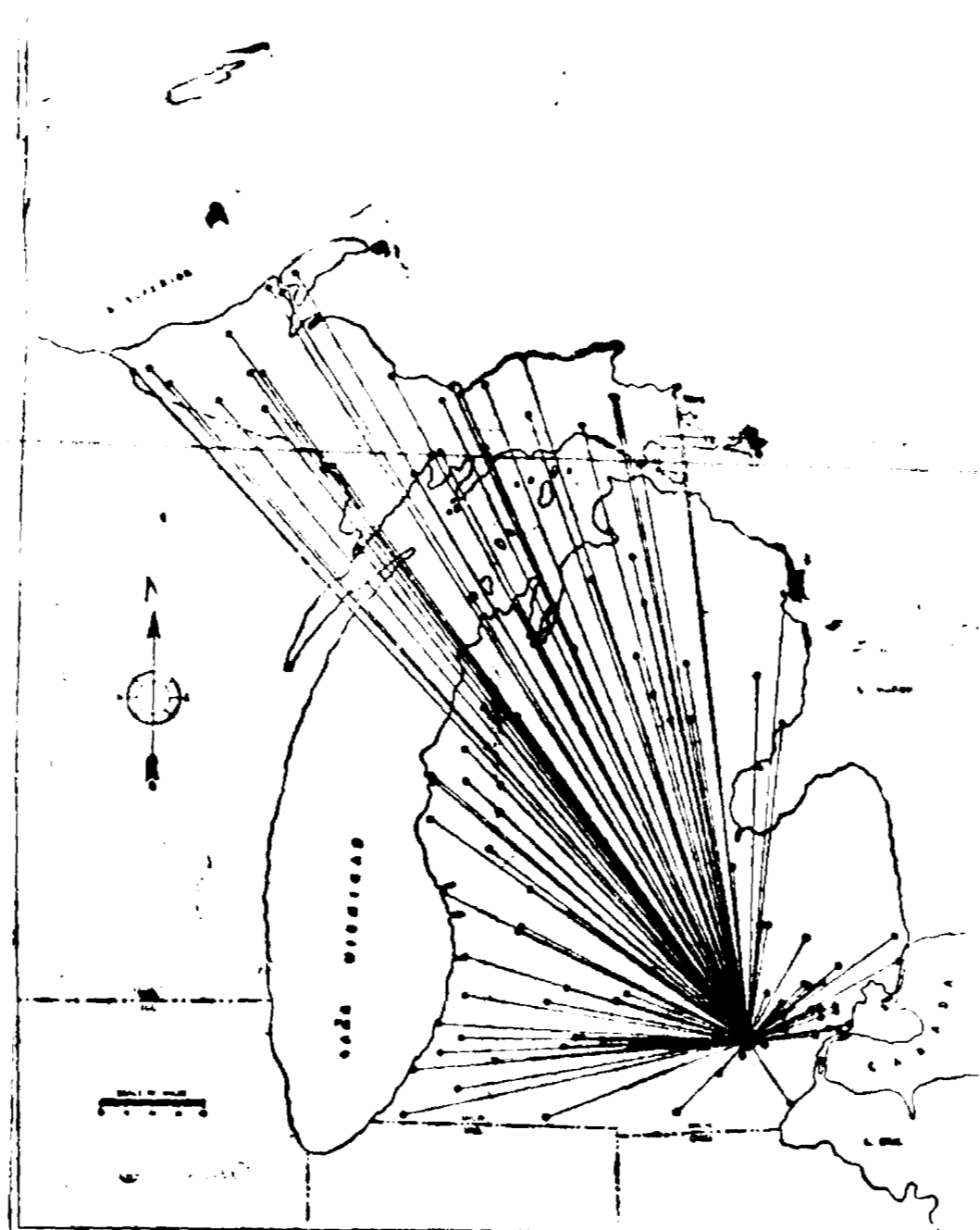
Merrey Harris, employed at the Hamburg factory was arrested for wife beating and drew a 30 day sentence from Justice Knapp.

The Charles Downs vs Lewis Redinger lawsuit was tried before Justice Pardee in the court house on Saturday. Redinger cut wood on the Downs farm and the two had trouble dividing it.

John MacDonnell of Patterson Lake is still held at the jail on the charge of molesting children in Unadilla township. We understand that he may be examined by alienists as to his sanity and committed to an institution.

The sheriff officers were called to Kias Lake, south of Pinckney Saturday where 5 cottages had been broken into. We understand that not much was taken but considerable damage was done by destroying furniture, dishes, etc. The cottage of Hub Lee was entered. He did not discover the burglary until he came out from Detroit Friday.

We understand that about all the articles stolen from the Bass Lake cottages were found hidden in the Davis cottage at Patterson Lake on Sunday by sheriff's officers. The two boys who are suspected are from Detroit and are about 19 years old. One, we understand, has been arrested before.



### CORRESPONDENCE STUDY COURSES

Over 1,350 Michigan people "went to college" by staying home last year when they took advantage of correspondence courses offered by the Extension Service of the University of Michigan in cooperation with the W.P.A. In addition, 1,330 were enrolled in high school courses offered by the Extension Service.

The map above shows the various centers in Michigan where these correspondence courses have been

offered during the last year. Unlike much correspondence study, these courses are organized in groups. The students' work is directed by a supervisor who sends their completed lessons to the University for correction.

Of the 2,683 students enrolled in these courses during 1938-37, 718 were in city study centers, 1,770 in CCC camps, and 195 studied alone. College credit was given to 153 students for work done in these courses during that year.

## News of the Circuit Court

Judge Collins Finishes March Term of Court Friday and Adjourns Court Until May Session. A Number of Chancery Cases Tried Last Week.

A no more cases are ready for trial Judge Collins adjourned the March term of court to the May session and returned to his home in Cassopolis Friday night. There were no jury cases last week, mostly chancery cases being tried.

James Sinta, who broke into some business places in Pinckney last summer waived a jury trial and pled not guilty. A number of Pinckney people were witnesses against him. Among them were Mr. Tipton, the Grand Trunk agent here who surprised him after he had broken into the depot and Stub Bennett who picked him up on the Dexter road the morning after the break-ins and took him to Dexter. Jay Sweeney was attorney for Sinta and Prosecutor Gates appeared for the people. Judge Collins rendered a verdict of guilty and sentenced Sinta to 3 1/2 to 15 years in Southern Michigan prison. Sinta recently finished a term in Ionia for a Saline break-in.

The case of Lawrence Cross vs the Island Lake Hotel Co. was tried. Cross was given a judgement of \$325 and \$3.50 costs. This concerns collection of a note. The case of Ebbson Swann vs Albert and Lillian Krause was dismissed. This had to do with setting aside a deed.

The case of Wilson Yanson vs Wm. Mattingly was tried. This had to do with an injunction. Judge Collins tooks the case under advisement.

The case of D. Edith Bullock vs Eddy Sexton Bullock to construe a will was settled as was also the case of Floyd Slider vs Valentine Wagner. Ida Mae Vagner was given a divorce from Ralph Vagner and Margaret Griffin from Wilton Griffin.

### COMMUNITY AUCTION

There will be a community auction sale held on the village square in Pinckney on Friday April 14, bring in what you have to sell, furniture, stoves, farm tools, live stock, there will be buyers for everything. Call me or the Dispatch office, in order that your articles can be listed. Free drawing for prizes to all purchasers. Percy Ellis, Auctioneer.

DANCES—St. Josephs Hall, Howell Tuesday, April 11. Jack Dowlings band. Friday, April 14. Bob Dyer's band. Regular Admission.

### 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 10:00  
Special and separate service for the little folks.  
Sunday School 11:45  
B. Y. P. U. 7:00  
Evening Worship 8:00  
Thurs. evening prayer service 8:00

### Congregational Church

Rev. J. M. McLucas, Pastor  
Sunday Services:  
Offering.  
Morning worship 10:30  
Sunday School 11:30  
Mr. Dan VanSambrook, Supt.  
C. E. Society 7:00  
Choir Rehearsal Wed. Eve 7:00 A.M.  
Special Easter Services  
Sunrise Service 6:30 a. m.  
Sponsored by C. E. Society. Sermon by Pastor. Topic 'Dead and Rose Again'.

Easter Breakfast in Church Dining rooms 7:30 a. m. Arrangements in charge of What-so-ever class.

Morning Service 10:00 a. m.  
Christian Baptism of infants and those older in years. Reception of new members. The Sacrament of Holy Communion. Sermon by the Pastor. Topic 'The Power of the Resurrection'. Anthems appropriate for Easter will be sung by the choir under the direction of Mrs. Earl Baughn, choir leader.

We attend a hearty welcome to all who worship with us on Easter Sunday. Do not fail to attend the Christian Service of worship as we commemorate once again the resurrection of Jesus, our Lord. Good Friday services in the Cong'l Church from one to three o'clock. The first word: 'Father Forgive them for they know not what they do'. Rev. Emogene Quinn. Special music on the marimba. Miss Daisy Andrews. Congregational singing. 'It is finished'. Rev. D. W. Ryan. Anthem by the choir. Last word: 'Father, into Thy hand I commend my spirit'. Reverend J. M. McLucas. Vocal music. Congregational singing. Benediction.

A hearty welcome is extended to all to come and worship with us. Come with us and we will do these good.

## News and Happening of the Spring Election

Republicans Get Clean Sweep in the State Election When They Elect Complete Ticket Including Harry Kipke. Putnam Township Goes Democratic Again When That Party Wins All Township Offices Except Supervisor and One Constable.

In the election Monday, the Republicans elected all of their candidates on the state ticket. No campaign to speak of was waged and the ticket nominated by the Democrats was weak. Harry Kipke despite the fight made against him won easily, and early returns showed him leading the ticket.

In the townships, local issues predominated. Putnam township which has been going Republican the last two years went back in the Democratic column and that party elected all their candidates but supervisor and one constable. Norman Reason, Republican candidate for supervisor beat Frank Bowers, Democrat by 12 votes, giving him a third term. Francis Haines also won a third term, being elected constable by 13 votes. Most majorities were close except for highway commissioner and one constable where John Conners and Roy Hannett each got 54 votes each.

Unadilla township elected the entire Republican ticket. In Hamburg the Democrats won all offices but clerk and treasurer where Mrs. Edna Carpenter and J. H. Hooker, the Republican candidates were unopposed. In Howell City Francis Barron young lawyer, was elected Justice of Peace over Don Knapp, incumbent by 92 votes. The municipal court amendment carried but lacked 63 votes of getting the required three fourth majority. W. H. Gartrell won over Lyman Fay for assessor. This officer is a member of the board of supervisors. The following are some of the township results in this section:

Putnam  
Supervisor, Frank Bowers, D, 254.  
Norman Reason, R, 266  
Clerk, Eleanor Ledwidge, D, unopp.  
Treas., Lorenzo Murphy, D, 273.  
Winifred Graves, R, 243  
Justice, Asher Wylie, D, 255.  
Jesse Richardson, R, 247  
High. Com., John Conners, D, 275.  
George Long, R, 229  
Board of Review, Bert VanBlaricum, D, 260, Percy Ellis, R, 249.  
Constables, Bert Wylie, D, 267, Roy Hannett, D, 280, Wm. Farrell, D, 252, Edmund Haines, R, 259, Frank Presley, R, 251, Al Dewey, R, 241, George Holben, R, 226.  
There were 325 votes cast in Putnam, 81 more than last year. Of these 162 were Democrat straight, 141 Republican straight and 222 splits. Absent voters ballots numbered about 100. 11 of these failed to be returned.

Hamburg  
Supervisor, Arthur Shehan, D, 94 unopposed.  
Clerk, Edna Carpenter, R, 74, unopposed.  
Justice, Walter Girard, D, 62, Myron Hendricks, R, 61.  
High. Com. John Richter, D, 65, Chas. DeWolf, 57.  
Bd. of Review, Wray Hinckley, D, 77, Smith Martin, R, 45.

Unadilla  
Supervisor, June Taylor, D, 162, Ralph Glenn, R, 268.  
Clerk, Mrs. Harold Ludtke, D, 153, John Grishans, R, 275.  
Treasurer, Joe McClear, D, 132, Clare Cranna, R, 292.  
High. Com. Waide Waters, D, 146, Duane Jacobs, R, 275.  
Justice, Roland Gorton, D, 150, Clare Barnum, R, 263.  
Bd. of Review, Chas. Galbreath, D, 159, Claude Rose, R, 272.

Dexter Township  
Only Democrat ticket in field. Supervisor, Gilbert Madden, 65.  
Clerk, William Clark, 66.  
Treas., Elsie Bock, 65.  
Justice, Clarence Stapish, 65.  
Bd. of Review, Ed. Carr, 65.

NOTICE  
Pinckney, Michigan  
March 9, 1939

The Honorable President & Village Council  
Pinckney, Michigan

Since Good Friday is a historical day in the Christian era, and is kept as a Holy Day by both Catholics and Protestants, we the undersigned clergymen of Pinckney are asking the Village Council to authorize the President to issue a proclamation and cause same to be printed in the Pinckney Dispatch asking all the merchants to close their places of business between the hours of 12:00 and 3:00 p. m. on Good Friday. Services will be held in the churches during the hours above mentioned.

Respectfully yours,  
Rev. J. M. McLucas  
Rev. James Carolan

## CURRENT COMMENT

We note by the papers that Geo. Rat has refused to take the part of John Dillinger in a picture soon to be made featuring the late underworld villain. We wonder why the motion picture interests persist in forcing this class of films on the public. John James has recently been featured. However that outlaw died many years ago and his exploits are now in the legendary class. Dillinger was a cold-blooded killer who drew for the sake of killing and why he or his deeds should be perpetuated by the screen or he be made into a heroic figure (which he was not) is beyond us.

A new kind of racket seems to have sprung up in Wayne county and according to the law enforcing agencies not much can be done about it as there are no laws on the books specifying how people should be buried. It seems a couple of enterprising kents laid out a cemetery there and then got the concession to bury indigent people. Some 40 were buried by them. The authorities now claim only 14 inches of earth were placed over some graves in which indigents were buried in rough boxes. It was the custom to hold the grave services over a grave 5 ft. deep. Then the body was transferred to a shallow grave. The cemetery owners explain that the criticized graves are a low part of the cemetery and when the cemetery is filled in someday, there will be five feet of dirt over them. In the meantime until a law is passed specifying what a legal burial is the authorities claim nothing can be done.

The legislature recently appropriated \$500,000 to pay 20 thousand more aged people old age pensions. There were no funds available for this so the attorney general was instructed to draw up a bill to tax cigarettes and tobacco sufficiently to raise about 7 million a year. The tax on a 15c package of cigarettes would be three cents and that on cigars, smoking and chewing tobacco and snuff in proportion. However, this will probably not be the end. We understand that there is a waiting list of 260,000 who have applied for old age pensions. More of them will have to be granted pensions in the near future so more funds will have to be raised.

For some time there has been agitation for only doctors to be appointed coroners. We believe such a bill is now up in the legislature. Some people are for such a bill while others are not and brand it as medical fraternity. We wonder if Jackson recently an old man and his young grandson were burned to death in a fire. Coroner Pulling, a veteran coroner who is not a doctor was called. The charred body of the old man was removed from the ruins and also two small charred bodies. Pulling identified one as the child and had it placed in a box and taken away by the undertaker. The other body he pronounced to be that of the family dog and ordered it thrown back in the fire. The undertaker took the body to his parlors where he became suspicious and called in a doctor who pronounced it to be that of the dog so a trip had to be made back to the smoking building and the child's body removed from the ruins.

The new civil service bill was passed by the house 69 to 28 last week and goes to the senate. It reduces the number of jobs under civil service from 17 thousand to 7 thousand 5 hundred. Three Republicans voted against the bill, one of whom was Lion. Charles P. Adams of Howell. If this bill passes the senate and is signed by the governor it means that the patronage dispensers will have 6,500 more jobs to hand out to their supporters and a grand haul over will take place every two years as in the past.





## WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

**NEW YORK.**—There is an Anthony Edenish flavor about the way Undersecretary of State Sumner Welles denounces Germany in the absence of Secretary Hull, and there is an Edenish flavor about our Mr. Welles himself. He is tall. He is lean. He has a wee, precise mustache, and why nobody has picked him in a best-dressed poll is a mystery. His long, big nose is perfectly cut, too, and not a hair is out of place in the thinning pompadour that reaches back from a domed forehead.

This is not, however, to hint that the undersecretary is anything less than 100 per cent American. He was born in New York City 46 years or so ago. President Roosevelt's own Groton and Harvard shaped him, and he is at home in four or five clubs that insist on looking up candidates in the Doomsday book of the Revolution of '76. His church, naturally, is the Episcopal church, and his home now is understandably in historic Maryland, where two sons are no doubt also preparing for Groton.

The diplomatic gauntlet that he ran to reach his present post extends back to 1915 and Tokyo. Besides he has been much in South America. He has been first assistant since 1937 to Secretary Hull.

ONE of Carl Sandburg's songs runs: "I have led a quiet youth, careful of my morals; I shall have an old age full of vice and quarrels." So it goes with *Youth in Peace* and *And Quiet; Now* Walter Brennan, making a distinguished film career playing likable old reprobates. Hollywood pegs him as the successor to Will Rogers, and four Rogers pictures are being readied for him.

He is a personable young man of 49, but, in "Barbary Coast," "Kentucky," and such earlier films as "Smilin' Guns" and "The Lariat Kid," he came through handsomely as a tough old-timer, and now that's his ticket. He likes it, and, living these roles, becomes a sage, homespun old codger given to offhand, David Harum aphorisms. I have heard of similar occupational trends in Hollywood. He says he is growing old happily.

He first upped himself as an older by lying about his age to get in the war. Gassed in France, he lost all his teeth and got a rasp in his voice, which also helped. He raised pineapples in Guatemala, made money, lost it in Los Angeles real estate, and then crashed the films. Born and reared in Swampscott, Mass., he is a master of the quaint western and southwestern idiom.

WHEN this writer was doing a short turn helping build the Panama canal, he fell in with a Jamaica Negro water boy, a sort of Gunga Din of a squad of Paraiso swamper, who was worried about the canal being too narrow. In the quaint lingo of the British-taught island Negroes, he used to say:

"Yes baha, ships grow hugely in coming years and if some is fighting ship it must go swiftly and not fear other passing great ship. Axing parding sir, we Jamaica boys say canal need great enlarging."

Frank J. Taylor, president of the American Merchant marine, returns from the canal to New York with the same idea. He says congress should spend \$300,000,000 to widen the canal for both commercial and national defense reasons. Mr. Taylor's career is Brooklyn's favorite "boy who made good" story—from \$1 a day to \$35,000 a year, which is the possibly vulgar epitome of such careers in this day and age.

He was an orphan lad in a Manhattan slum, at work at 12 as an apprentice at Robbins dry dock in the Red Hook section of Brooklyn. He rose in politics, in the state assembly for 12 terms, sheriff, commissioner of records, welfare commissioner and comptroller of New York City.

Retiring from the last office in 1937, he went to Florida, but the steamship owners tracked him down and burdened him with this \$35,000 job. He fights government intrusion on private enterprise, but says the shipping interests will co-operate effectively with the United States maritime commission.

### Brackart's Washington Digest

## Find Joker in Department of Agriculture Appropriation Bill

It's the Soon-to-Be-Famous Food Stamps and Here's How Advanced Thinkers Think It Will Work; Billion Dollars Is All They Want.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART  
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WASHINGTON.—It was not so long ago—six or eight years, perhaps—that the annual cost of the department of agriculture to the taxpayers of the country amounted to something like \$40,000,000. There was some talk even in those days about the drain upon the federal treasury resulting from department of agriculture operations. The totals were questioned; many persons wondered whether the politicians were justified in voting that much money to the department because there was little to show in the way of results. That is, congressmen could show very little except the packages of seeds sent out to their districts.

It was in those days, however, that the department of agriculture was seeking to operate effectively. Farming was not regarded by the folks who used to run the department as a subject for politics. The departmental officials were going about their business, rendering assistance in the form of advice and promoting better farming—when the farmers asked for it.

I was reminded of those days recently when the house appropriations committee brought out for consideration the appropriations bill for the department of agriculture for the fiscal year that begins next July 1. A Rip Van Winkle who could have slept through the last 10 years would have believed, truly, that he was in another world. The new money bill for the department contains a total of more than \$1,000,000,000. The measure, indeed, ranks as the third largest appropriations bill of this year when altogether there is likely to be almost \$10,000,000,000 appropriated.

### What Is Planned to Do With a Billion Dollars

It is extremely difficult to realize what a billion dollars is. That is, it is difficult for me to understand what it is. I can write the figures glibly enough. But to comprehend that sum of money, or a billion of anything, is something almost outside the pale of human knowledge. Yet that is what the department of agriculture seeks this year, and here is how that money is supposed to be divided:

- \$429,580,000 for soil conservation payments.
- \$250,000,000 for parity payments.
- \$191,000,000 for road building.
- \$23,462,000 for soil and moisture conservation and operations.
- \$24,984,000 for the farm tenancy program.
- \$7,175,000 for eradicating tuberculosis and Bang's disease.
- \$6,996,570 for the weather bureau and its services.
- \$4,978,000 for retiring submarginal lands.
- \$1,631,000 for soil and moisture investigation.
- \$1,500,000 for wild life restoration.
- \$300,000 for co-operative farm forestry.
- \$250,000 for the water facilities program.

There were some other odds and ends embracing items of 20 or 40 or 90 thousand dollars, amounts so small that men almost smirk because they have forgotten how to speak in such limited numbers.

Then, and here is the joker which is hidden away. I really should not say "hidden" because no reference is made in the agriculture bill language. The joker is that there are almost countless millions of other dollars with which the department can play around, including approximately \$100,000,000 of money for use in getting rid of farm surpluses. That is the money from which Secretary Wallace and his advanced thinkers will draw funds for the soon-to-be-famous food stamps.

The country got its belly full of blue eagles before the NRA was plowed under. But the undistinguished, yet befitting, end that came to the NRA blue eagle has not deterred the advanced thinkers from attempting something else that is blue—a blue stamp for relief food. Yes, relief workers will have the same wages as before, but they will receive free blue stamps with which to buy surplus products for foods.

### How Wallace's Men Think Blue Food Stamp Will Work

I must write a little bit about that blue food stamp, about how the advanced thinkers think it will work, before I report on the main department of agriculture appropriation bill.

It seems to be Secretary Wallace's idea of a more abundant life to designate certain farm products each week as being "surplus" and to help get them off of the glutted market by making them available for relief workers' kitchens. The first trial of the scheme will be limited to six cities. In those areas, the relief supervisors will be supplied with books of blue stamps. They are rather pretty stamps, too. Each WPA worker will get a book of stamps of a specified value. He can take those stamps to his gro-

cery store and use them just like they were quarters, or half dollars or dollars. The groceryman will take them and he will be paid honest-to-goodness United States money for them. Thus will the surplus stocks of food products be reduced and the remainder will bring better prices. Or so say the advanced thinkers.

When I read the explanation of the program that was sent me by one of Mr. Wallace's publicity staff, the first thing that struck me was the extreme discrimination that will result. It is easy to see. Take any man who is trying to hold down a private job. It may be paying him only \$50 a month, or about the same as the relief worker gets. Naturally, he would like to be making more money. Who wouldn't? But he sticks on his job and stays off of relief. Then, when he gets paid he goes to the grocery store to buy some food. He pays cash, and gets his food.

About the same moment a relief worker walks in, orders the same list of groceries, perhaps, and pays for them out of a stamp book. It appears to me that the hard bitten private worker is going to find little solace in remaining on his job. It strikes me he—and millions of others—are going to be resentful of such tactics.

### See Possibility of Creating A Lot of Bootleggers

There is another phase of the picture which was mentioned to me by Representative Hope of Kansas, one of the ranking members of the house committee on agriculture. He suggested that the blue stamps are going to create a lot of bootleggers. For example: the relief workers are not permitted to buy liquor with the stamps. They won't be redeemed if they are used to buy anything but food. However, Mr. Hope could see no reason why a relief worker couldn't use the stamps to buy liquor from a liquor store and the liquor store owner might possibly be a crook. It is possible, you know. He might own a food store, too, or he might have an understanding with a food store owner who would take the stamps at a few pennies discount. What is to stop such procedure? It's your guess.

The whole thing strikes me as being so silly as to defy one's powers of imagination. It is dealt with here at such length only because I regard it as typical of a great many things that are going on within the department of agriculture for which more than \$1,000,000,000 is soon to be appropriated for a year's operations. The blue stamp scheme is destined to fail, even as the plowing under of crops and the slaughtering of 6,000,000 pigs was doomed a-borning and as the limitation of crop production was certain to flare back on those who were sucked into the maelstrom of nit wit plans.

Now, lest I be misunderstood, let me restate with emphasis that there is good work that the department can do, and has been doing. Road building appropriations, for instance. Where would this country be had there been no attempt to build usable roads? Who can say that eradication of tuberculosis and Bang's disease among live stock is not a valuable aid to farmers?

### Learn Beautiful Phrases But at Rather High Cost

I am not prepared to say that the wild life restoration program is wholly bad. It seems probable that the country ought to rebuild the wild life stocks that have been wantonly destroyed in the days when people could go out and shoot ducks or deer or what have you without thought of the morrow. It is a program for which considerable justification can be advanced.

But it is to be noted that most of these items are small. Neither the department of agriculture administration nor the members of the house and the senate have seen fit to do more than maintain them. I have seen the inmates of the capitol squirm and fuss and scowl about some of them, while swallowing the items reaching into hundreds of millions with the greatest of glee.

As I said, it was not so long ago that department of agriculture appropriations were regarded as huge if they totalled 40 millions. As far as I can see, agriculture is no better off today than it was in those years. Of course, a very great number of farmers have learned that the beautiful phrases like "the more abundant life" and such, are meaningless. But I venture the assertion that the education has been rather expensive.

From all of these things it is surely made to appear that there are some large Ethiopian gentlemen in the wood pile. When the politicians and the advanced thinkers joined hands to manage agriculture, just then federal expenses for the department of agriculture began zooming upward.

## TIPS to Gardeners

### Helping Seeds Along

THE first step toward insuring germination of seeds is proper planting. In exceptionally dry weather, however, even properly planted seeds may not germinate. It is advisable in such a case to prepare the dry soil for the seed. Water freely, as though you had a crop growing. Allow the water to soak in and when the soil has good moisture content, begin your planting. You must be careful, of course, not to plant in wet, muddy soil.

Excessive rainfall, on the other hand, may make the soil so moist as to cause rotting of planted seeds. While few vegetable seeds require special treatment to assist germination, numerous flower seeds can successfully be treated, according to Gilbert Bentley, flower expert of the Ferry Seed Breeding Station.

He advises as follows: Nick the seed coat of lupin, moonflower and morning glory; remove the rough outer coating of nasturtium, momordica, castor bean and sand verberna; soak canna, lily, job's tear and sweet pea seeds in water for 12 hours before planting.



### QUICK QUOTES

A GUARANTEE  
"GIVE enterprise a chance and I will give you the guarantee of a happy and prosperous America."—U. S. Senator Josiah W. Bailey.

## ASK ME ANOTHER ?

A Quiz With Answers Offering Information on Various Subjects

- The Questions**
1. What is the highest denomination of U. S. postage stamp now used?
  2. In what city is found the longest street?
  3. What is a metaphor? A simile?
  4. What was the family name of Romeo; of Juliet?
  5. What anniversary will baseball celebrate this year?
  6. What is the most powerful lighthouse in the United States?
  7. What is the largest flowing spring in the world?
  8. When and from where was the first wireless call at sea sent?
  9. What are the largest guns on U. S. battleships?
  10. Which five universities in the United States have the largest student enrollment?

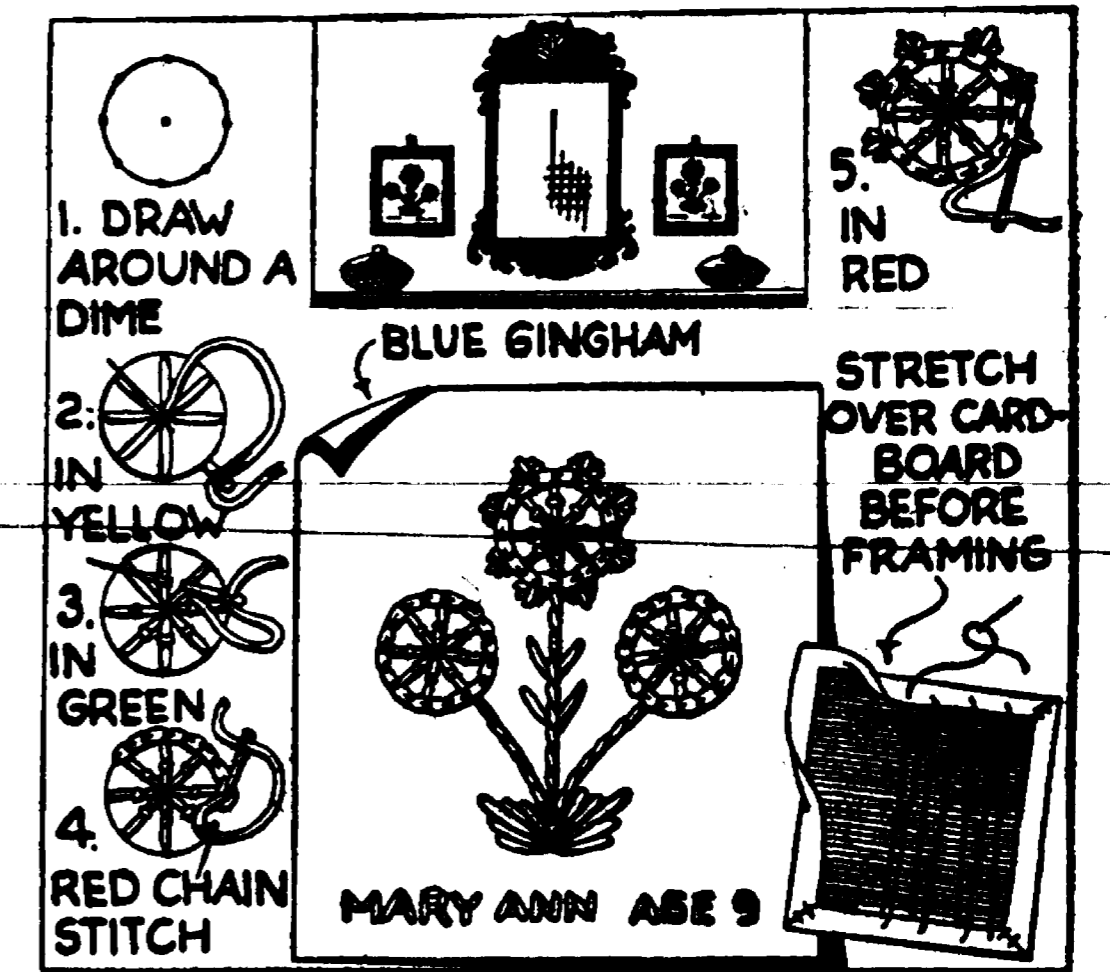
- The Answers**
1. The \$5 stamp is the largest.
  2. Los Angeles—Figueroa street—27.5 miles long.
  3. Unexpressed comparison; expressed comparison.
  4. Montague and Capulet.
  5. Its 100th anniversary.
  6. It is the lighthouse at Navasink, N. J., which uses 9,000,000 candlepower.
  7. Silver springs in Florida has a registered volume of flow of 801,000,000 gallons every 24 hours and is conceded the largest.

### Wisdom in Retreat

To retire is not to flee, and there is no wisdom in waiting when danger outweighs hope, and it is the part of wise men to preserve themselves today for tomorrow, and not risk all in one day.—Cervantes.

## HOW TO SEW

by Ruth Wyeth Spears



Embroidery by Mary Ann, age nine.

MARY ANN was named for her grandmother, who at the age of nine, made an elaborate sampler of embroidery stitches. Everyone thought it would be nice if the modern Mary Ann could also do a bit of hand work to be framed and kept. We here report, thanks to a series of rainy afternoons, this was actually accomplished.

Mary Ann's mother started the project with a rather large piece of blue gingham; a pair of embroidery hoops and some odds and ends of bright six strand mercerized embroidery thread. Outlines for flower designs were made by

drawing around coins and the flowers were embroidered as shown here. Stems were done in outline stitch and leaves in groups of straight stitches.

From the many attempts on that piece of gingham, two flower groups had almost as much life and charm as the modern Mary Ann, age nine. These were neatly framed and lend a gay note at each side of an old mirror.

NOTE: Book 1, Gifts, Novelties and Embroidery, gives full instructions for ninety embroidery stitches with many sketches showing ways to use them. You and your children may have happy hours with this fascinating hand work. Book 1, SEWING, for the Home Decorator, contains 48 complete lessons for making slipcovers, draperies, bedspreads and many other things for the house. Books are 25 cents each. If you order both books, crazypatch leaflet, reviving interest in this old-time hand craft, is included FREE. Address, Mrs. Spears, 210 S. Desplains St., Chicago, Ill.



### Uncle Phil Says:

Let Us Add Courage  
Confucius recommended five moral virtues—humanity, justice, order, prudence and rectitude; none of which is likely to accomplish much without a stout heart.

One of the mistaken virtues is candor in the wrong place. If one earnestly wants to be a gentleman he can be one. The rules are plain.

### We Cultivate That Field

Politics offers such a tremendous field in which to be bogus.

A father with youthful sons lives perpetually in the midst of alarms.

What is the greatest pleasure of an old man? Conversation. Indulge him—if you have a kind heart.



THANKS, I DO ENJOY A MILD CIGARETTE

—AND I GET A BIG THRILL FROM CAMEL'S RICH, RIPE FLAVOR TOO!

SMOKERS FIND CAMELS NEVER JANGLE THE NERVES



# CASH SPECIALS!

**FRI. SAT., Apr. 7, Apr. 8**

<b>SPRY</b>	<b>3 lb. Can</b>	<b>49c</b>
<b>No. 2 Can Michigan Asparagus</b>		<b>19c</b>
<b>Kraft's Cheese</b>	<b>2 1/2 LB. PKGS.</b>	<b>29c</b>
<b>No. 2 Can Florida Gold Grapefruit</b>		<b>12c</b>
<b>No. 2 1/2 Can Gibraltar Peaches</b>		<b>15c</b>
<b>SUGAR, Fine Granulated</b>	<b>10 lbs.</b>	<b>49c</b>
<b>Crackers, Sun-Ray</b>	<b>2 LB. BOX</b>	<b>14c</b>
<b>1940 Rinso</b>	<b>2 LARGE PKG.</b>	<b>39c</b>
<b>Lard, Armour's Star</b>	<b>2 1 lb. Pkg.</b>	<b>17c</b>
<b>Gauze Toilet Paper</b>	<b>6 rolls</b>	<b>25c</b>
<b>Ambrosia Baking Chocolate</b>	<b>1/2 Lb.</b>	<b>10c</b>
<b>Red Salmon Defiance</b>	<b>Lge. CAN</b>	<b>21c</b>
<b>Dairy Butter</b>	<b>Lb.</b>	<b>25c</b>
<b>Shredded Wheat</b>	<b>2 Pkgs.</b>	<b>23c</b>
<b>New Crop Navy Beans</b>	<b>6 LB</b>	<b>19c</b>
<b>Rinso</b>	<b>2 lge. pkgs.</b>	<b>39c</b>
<b>Tomato Juice</b>	<b>50 oz. Can</b>	<b>19c</b>
<b>No. 2 Can Red Beans</b>	<b>2 for</b>	<b>15c</b>
<b>Creamery Butter</b>	<b>PER LB.</b>	<b>27c</b>
<b>Head Lettuce</b>	<b>2 lge. Heads</b>	<b>15c</b>
<b>Bananas</b>	<b>4 lbs</b>	<b>22c</b>

## Kennedy's Gen. Store

### The Pinckney Dispatch

Published at the Postoffice at Pinckney, Mich. as Second-Class Matter. Subscription \$1.25 a year in Advance. PAUL CURRETT PUBLISHER

Mrs. Ford Lamb was in Detroit last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Curlett and daughter, Paula, were in Dearborn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nottley of Kalamazoo are visiting Dr. and Mrs. R. G. Sigler.

Mrs. Cynthia Wellman of Pingree fell at her home and broke three ribs one day last week.

Dr. and Mrs. Robert Bird and children of Wayne were Friday guests of Pinckney relatives.

Rev. J. M. McLucas will speak on Good Friday, during the 12 to 1 hour in the Presbyterian church at Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Runciman of Gregory were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willis Caulk.

Miss Lois Kennedy attended the Flower Show in Detroit one day last week.

St. Mary's Altar Society held a card party at the home of Mrs. Emma Vollmer Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Williams and son have moved into the rooms on second floor in the Dr. H.F. Sigler home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hendee returned home from Sarasota, Florida, where they have been spending the winter last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O'Connell who Florida have returned to their home have been spending the winter in at Patterson Lake.

Mrs. J. M. McLucas is setting up her time time each day after being confined to her bed for three weeks with the flu.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert McLucas and sons, Wesley and James, of Detroit spent Sunday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. McLucas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Devereaux, Miss Helen Devereaux of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. James Deal of Howell spent the week end with Pinckney relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve O'Brien and son, Howard, of Bunker Hill spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lavey.

Lucius Doyle is installing a bathroom upstairs in his house on Putnam St. recently damaged by fire. New bathroom and kitchen fixtures are also being put in.

The farm house on the Fred Woodworth farm on the Howell road caught fire Saturday evening. The Pinckney fire dept. made the run and put out the fire.

# EASTER

WE HAVE A FULL LINE OF EASTER NOVELTIES TO CHOOSE FROM 1c to \$2.00

EASTER RABBITS, BASKETS AND TOYS 5c, 10c, 15c and 25c

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GILBERT BOXED CANDY 50c to \$1.25 Pound

EASTER CARDS 5c & 10c 2 for 5c, 5c and 10c

## Kennedy's Drug Store

Frank Plasko took a truckload of horses to Traverse City one day last week.

Ted Singer and wife are now living in the cottage west of the Porter house across the pond.

The Misses Eva, Pauline and Norma Jean McLucas visited relatives in Detroit several days last week.

Gerald Vedder who recently cut his leg badly is improving. He had the 14 stitches removed last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teeple of Brighton spent Monday with Mrs. Villa Richards and Miss Blanche Martin.

Junior Dinkel seems to be becoming greatly interested in the printing and newspaper business of late. How about Junior?

Boy Clark has moved from the Stickle or Horine farm, east of the village to the Frank Bowers farm west of town. Alfred Rhoderer of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Hennepin have moved on the Horine farm.

The Hennepins have twin daughters who have enrolled in the 7th grade here.

The road south of here from the picnic woods to the bridge west of the Patrick Kennedy farm, is being gotten ready for blacktop by the county road commission.

Paul Strawhecker of Grand Rapids spent Friday night with his sister, Mrs. Ona Campbell and family. He states that oil and gas have been found inside the city limits at Grand Rapids and a big boom is on there at the present time.

### SYLVAN THEATRE

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#### "PRIDE OF THE NAVY"

Starring JAS. DUNN, ROCHELLE HUDSON Serial- THE LONE RANGER RIDES AGAIN. Selected Shorts

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Shows on Sunday 2:00 P. M. Cont. Shows Remainder of Week 7:15 and 9:15 P. M. Admission 10c and 25c

### A Side Light on Spring Cleaning

The traditional housecleaning period is an opportune time to gather up your valuable personal belongings and place them in a safe deposit box in our vaults. The convenience of having all your valuables in one place is alone worth the moderate cost of this protection.

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Mrs. Louis Coyle and Miss Mary Verna Howard spent Sunday with Mrs. Ed Stapish at Chelsea.

Paul White and wife of the Howell Sanitarium spent last week Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Ben White.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Amelia Reuburger were Miss Hilda Hartman, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Gensart and daughter Eileen of Detroit.

Miss Nellie Hecox of Howell was a Sunday guest of Miss Isabel Nash.

Mrs. Charles Reason of Webberville was a Friday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Reason.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Magnuschal were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barber and daughter, Florence and granddaughter, Marilyn and son Thomas of Howell.

Francis Shehan was in Perry on Sunday.

James Martin spent the week end with relatives at Swartz Creek.

Miss Polly Dillon of Howell was the guest of Muriel Read last Friday.

Miss Lucia Soper spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Don Patton in Howell.

Vernon Thorpe who is employed in Lansing spent the week end with his family here.

Mrs. Bell Drewery of Ann Arbor was a Sunday caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Teeple.

Miss Janice Merrill of Jackson spent the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. Nettie Vaughn.

Dan Driver of Dexter was a caller last week Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben White.

Miss Francis Bullis was home from Detroit and Genevieve from Ann Arbor the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Hendee and children of Ironwood are guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hendee.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hausse of Ann Arbor were recent callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hicks.

Mrs. Nettie Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Shehan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Merrill in Webster.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Darrow were Mr. and Mrs. Richard Loomis and Mr. and Mrs. L. Loomis of Detroit.

Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Shehan were Mrs. Agnes Knaggs, A. M. Parent and wife of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Miller, Mrs. Clare Miller and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Gardner at Plainfield Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Swarthout had as Sunday callers T. J. Latson and wife, Mrs. Leona Mauch and daughters, Jennie and Patty, of Detroit.

Thursday evening guests of Mrs. Elwin Hulce were Mesdames Vincent Young, Clyde McClear, Tom Howlett, Harold Ludtke of Gregory Mrs. Walter Baker and Mrs. Kenneth Reason.

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hendee were Dr. and Mrs. Cecil Hendee and son of Okosao, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hendee and family of Ann Arbor, Max A. Parkinson and wife of Ann Arbor, Paul Miller, daughter Myrtle and son of Howell, Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Hendee and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Read were in Detroit last Friday.

Louis Stackable of Detroit was a Pinckney visitor Friday.

Billie Darrow has enrolled in the CCC and expects to go to Mackinac Island this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Beck entertained their card club at their home last Thursday evening.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Reason were Bud Bates and wife of Detroit.

The two auctions in this section last week drew good crowds and got good prices. Cattle especially sold high.

Mrs. Lucius Doyle and sons spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Lucius Smith in Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coyle and Miss Mary Verna Howard, were in Ann Arbor Friday.

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

Mrs. Gordon Hester of Detroit was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Nisbet several days last week.

Miss Loretta Roche, Emmett Roche and Lucius Wilson of Lansing spent the week end with Mrs. James Roche.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. McGregor and daughter of Brighton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mercer.

Mrs. Emma Fisk had as Sunday guests Wm. Fisk and wife of Brighton, Mrs. James Trelle and children of Lyons.

Miss Jean Graves was home from the State Sanatorium the week end and had as her guest, Miss Evelyn Kruper of Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Teeple had as Sunday dinner guests Mrs. Mary Ratz, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fishbeck and Will Ratz of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Derrin Heller, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Heller and Harley Miller of Pentlae were Sunday dinner guests of W. H. Clark.

Sunday callers at the Robert Pike home were Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Farrington, Mrs. Louis Farrington, her daughter and son and granddaughter of near Stockbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Reason and daughter, Leota, visited Mrs. Kate Atkins in Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Roberts in Okomas Sunday.

Dr. W. C. Wylie of Dexter sold his timber land near Bentley Lake to Eastman, the Howell sawmill man, who has a sawmill there getting out lumber.



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## FROM OUR EXCHANGES

The Fowlerville Community Conservation Club will hold their annual Crow Hunt from April 15 to May 25. All contestants must be members of the club. No decayed heads or eggs of birds will be counted. Owls and hawks will count 2 points each, and starlings one-half a point.

Don Kline, agriculture teacher in Lowell high school for 11 years has accepted a FSA post at Washington D. C. Alger Hanson of Michigan State will replace him at Howell.

Miss Mary Otwell has resigned her position with the Watson-Uptegrad Creamery and returned to her home at Pettysville. Liv. Co. Press.

Otto Hannewald of Munith burned over his marsh the other day. The fire got away from him, spread to the barn yard where it destroyed two sheep racks and a pump house.

Two thoroughbred Jersey cows from the farm of Fred and Melvin Hartman, on Textile Road, 5 miles south of Ann Arbor have been selected for exhibition at the New York World's Fair.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt is scheduled to be in Eaton Rapids on April 23rd, on the occasion of the dedication of the new V. F. W. \$64,000 home.

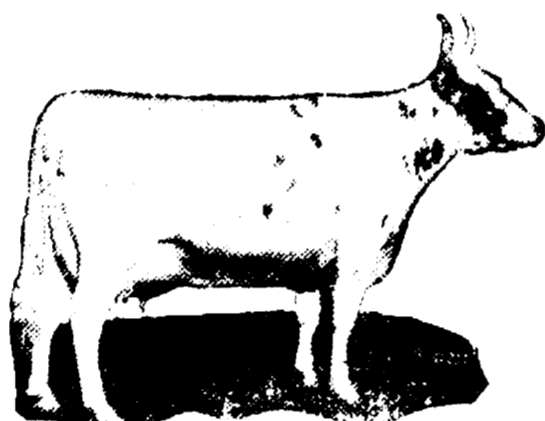
The Mack & Co. store at Ann Arbor, after 82 years of existence has been leased to Chauncey T. Ray of Flint who will conduct a department store. Mr. Ray was manager of the Sears-Roebuck store at Flint.

At a meeting at Grass Lake last Friday night 100 farmers from the section organized a Cost of Production club and pledged themselves to endeavor to get a law passed by the legislature setting a minimum price for milk. Talks were made by Louis

Wood of Detroit, organizer of the Cost of Production club and Edward Kennedy of Washington D. C. of the National Agriculture Conference. Harold Ford of Munith was named president of the club and Emma Tishler of Stockbridge, secretary-treasurer.

A bridge over the Raisin River at Manchester is being constructed with non-union labor. A construction union picketed it one day last week but did not return the next day, it is believed on account of the threatening attitude of some 50 Manchester citizens.

### Queens for the Fair



When the World's Fair opens in New York in the spring of 1939, the dairy industry will be well represented. Five breeds of dairy cattle—Ayrshire, Brown-Swiss, Holstein, Guernsey and Jersey—will each have thirty outstanding cows in the "Dairy World of Tomorrow." These 150 cows will be milked in the Borden Building on the Central Mall, using a rotolactor equipped with magnetic milkers to do the job. Calves and bulls representative of each breed will also be on exhibit.

The animals are chosen by a special committee from each breed Association, and will come from all parts of the United States and Canada as representatives of the best that the breed can produce. The Ayrshire cow shown above is one of the animals chosen.

In this exhibit not only the production of milk will be demonstrated, but the handling, bottling and sale of it will go forward under the eyes of the public. About one-third of the milk produced by the cows of this country is used as fluid milk. The rest is sold as butter, cheese, ice-cream, casein for paint, biliard balls, paper sizing, milk sugar for medicines, and in literally hundreds of others forms. The Borden exhibit will tell much of this story and give a better understanding of the place the dairy cow, as exemplified by these pure-breds, and the milk distributor play in the scheme of things.

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said County, on the 4th day of April, A. D. 1939.

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

In the matter of the estate of Peter Jabowski, deceased.

James H. Hooker, having filed in said Court his final administration account, as special administrator and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, That the 1st day of May, A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

Willis L. Lyons,  
Judge of Probate

A true copy.  
Celastia Parshall,  
Register of Probate

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### MORTGAGE SALE

#### ANNUAL PAST MASTERS BANQUET IS HELD

attended by Dr. Lambie. He also touched on the big Masonic meeting at the Washington Memorial at Alexandria, Va., last February 22 attended by the grand masters of the 48 states and read the Masonic creed promulgated by them. His remarks were attentively listened to by the assembly and he was given much applause.

Dr. Kenneth Lyons of Jackson was the last speaker. He is a candidate for grand marshal in the grand lodge and deputy grand lecturer for the Jackson district. Dr. Lyons made a nice impression.

Al Smith of Howell, the county's only 33rd degree Mason was introduced. Bill Hodge led in community singing with Art Smith at the piano. A feature was the rendering of the classics 'Down by the Old Mill Stream' and 'Sweet Adeline' by a quartette composed of C. W. Hooker and John Martin of Pinckney, Dave Steptoe and Ira Ott of Dexter and Former Mayor Bob Campbell of Ann Arbor.

Following this the past masters of Livingston Lodge and the visiting past masters were introduced and also the visiting masters and repre-



Dr. Francis B. Lambie

sentatives of other lodges.

Lodge was then opened and a life membership presented to Patrick King and life membership buttons to John Martin, W. H. Clark, C. J. Teeple, Patrick King, James Greene and Eugene Campbell.

Some 32 different lodges were represented. Howell led with 18; Brighton had 14 and Golden Rule of Ann Arbor and Dexter tied for third with 10 each. Other lodges represented were Stockbridge, Williamston, South Lyon, Ypsilanti, Saline, Milan, Detroit No. 2, Ionic, Manistique, Lewis-Kentucky, Springport, Saginaw, Royal Oak, Midland, Walter French, Jackson No. 17, Lansing No. 33, Grand Rapids, Amity-Lansing, Fowlerville, Chelsea, Lansing No. 64, Hudson, Friendship-Detroit.

#### MOTORISTS WARNED OF JUNK CAR RACKET

Motorists who junk their cars either by design or as the consequence of an accident, may unwittingly be riding car thieves, Harry F. Kelly, Secretary of State, points out.

The possibility of motorists being an involuntary party to auto theft rings, exists more often in the case of new or nearly new cars that have been wrecked. If car thieves can acquire a fairly new model car, wrecked and about to be junked, and acquire its title as well, their path is not difficult. It is necessary then only to obtain a car of like make and design, make alterations such as exchanging motors, to have a car available, to which no one could challenge, Kelly advises.

Motorists can protect themselves against such a possibility if they will not that the only instance in which a title does not 'follow' the car is when the car is to be junked.

The Motor Vehicle Law provides that a motorist disposing of his car to a junk dealer, must assign the title of the car to the junk dealer but not deliver it to the junk dealer. Rather, the title must be sent to the Secretary of State, together with an application for a certificate to junk which can be secured from licensed car junker. A junking permit is then sent to the dealer by the Secretary of State.

DEFAULT having been made for more than thirty days in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Albert D. Crawford and Norma E. Crawford, husband and wife to C. F. Rudolph dated the eighth day of March A. D. 1937, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Livingston and State of Michigan, on the eighth day of March A. D. 1939, in Liber 141 of Mortgages on page 882 and 883; and which mortgage was on the 24th day of March, 1939 assigned by C. F. Rudolph to Ora D. Koch and Margaret H. Koch, said assignment being recorded in the Register of Deeds office, Livingston County, Michigan on the 24th day of March 1937, in Liber 143 of Mortgages

page 640 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due and unpaid at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, taxes and insurance the sum of nine hundred six and thirty-six 100ths Dollars, (\$906.36), and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been had or instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof

Now, therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Friday, the twenty-third day of June, A. D. 1939 at ten o'clock in the fore noon Eastern Standard Time, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public vendue to the highest bidder at the westerly entrance to the Court House in the City of Howell, Livingston County, Michigan (that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston is held), of the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due on said mortgage as aforesaid, with six per cent interest (6%) thereon and all legal cost charges, and expenses including the attorney fees allowed by law and the sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned mortgagee at or before said sale, necessary to protect its interest in the premises. Which premises are described as follows: The South half (1/2) of the Southwest quarter (1/4) of Section Twenty (20) in Town four (4) North, Range four (4) East, Michigan containing thirty (30) acres of land, more or less.

Dated March 27, 1939

Ora D. Koch and Margaret H. Koch, Assignees of the Mortgage

Jay P. Sweeney, Attorney for the Assignees of the Mortgage.

Business Address Howell Michigan

### STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Livingston

At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in said county, on the 24th day of March, A. D. 1939.

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

In the matter of the estate of Ephraim W. Bush, Deceased.

Jay P. Sweeney having filed in said Court his petition, praying that a certain instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court, be admitted to probate and that the administration of said estate be granted to himself or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered; That the 24th day of April A. D. 1939, at ten o'clock in the forenoon at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate  
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Duquesne University coeds have started a new era in college custom by soothing with coin the 'stood-ups' and by blacklisting the 'stand-uppers' Complete details about a new fad that's spreading like wildfire among college boys and girls, appears in The American Weekly, the great weekly magazine, with the April 9 issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.

BRONSON, (MPA)—Whether you consider safe-cracking a talent or not, there is at least a certain amount of knowledge involved in the business. That knowledge put a man in Jackson prison, but it came in handy there once he recently when expert assistance was needed to open the safe in the quartermaster's quarters. A man serving time for safe-cracking easily did the job.

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## NOTES of 50 YEARS

Kit Cobb has moved here from his father's farm at Portage Lake.

Frank Reason has moved into the Playway home near Dexter Corners.  
G. E. Coste and wife have moved into the Jeff Parker home on Pearl Street.

W. H. Leland and wife now live in Harry Isham's house in the east part of town.

Miss Minnie Kirkland will teach school in the Livemore district beginning April 22nd.

Dell Bennett has moved into part of the Dan Richards house.

E. M. Fobey who has been studying telegraphy in Janesville, Wisconsin, is home for awhile.

Dick Baker and Wm. Harris started last week for Washington territory to locate.

Michael T. Kelly of this place is reading law in the office of Prosecuting Attorney W. P. Van Winkle at Howell.

George Collins who works for Charles Bailey, west of town is ill with pneumonia.

John Mortenson removed the remains of his son who was buried near his home to the Hamburg cemetery last week.

A surprise party was given for Mr. and Mrs. Dell Hall of Anderson last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Clinton went to Detroit last week to attend the floral exhibit but were unable to get into the hall on account of the huge crowd.

Miss Tressa Staffan of Chelsea has opened a millinery shop in the rear of John McGuiness' store.

The drama 'The Dutch Recruit' which was put on in the dining room of the Monitor house Friday night was well patronized.

Last Saturday morning when Percy Teer and Claude Sigler started for Chelsea with Teeple & Caldwell's team, the wagon tongue dropped down and the team ran away. At the cemetery they ran into the high embankment and stopped with very little damage done.

Floyd Reason has been appointed village marshall at Pinckney.

## NOTES of 25 YEARS AGO

At the election Monday the entire Democrat ticket was elected in Putnam township except for board of review where P. H. Swarthout won on the Republican ticket by 40 majority. The successful candidates and their majorities were: Supervisor, James Harris 99; Clerk, Clayton Halloway 57; Treasurer, Irvin Kenner 99; High Com., James Smith 119; Overseer, Claude Reason, unopposed; Justice, Alex McIntyre 91; Justice, Willis Tupper 52; Board of Review, P. H. Swarthout 40; In Hamburg, Arthur Shehan was elected supervisor and in Unadilla, Elmer Freley.

The county infirmary proposition to raise \$2000 of building purposes carried in the county.

Miss Fannie Swarthout of Beaverton is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout.

Chaleton Barnard of Chilson, orchestra leader, has opened an auto livery and vulcanizing station at Howell.

The Miller House at Howell recently bought by John McIntyre is being remodeled into a hotel.

Eugene Mercer has started suit in circuit court over a note for payment of a horse he sold to James Nash.

Eugene Dinkel has hired out to work for Vern Demerest this year.

Thomas Richards has rented the E. O. Beach farm in Marion.

Harlow Munsell who is attending school in Fowlerville is working in S. A. Denton's store at Gregory on week ends.

Born to Art LaRowe and wife of Anderson on April 2, a daughter.

Lee Carr of Lansing is spending the week at his home west of town.

At the last debate at the Anderson school Friday the judges, Mrs. M. Lavey, Lela Monks and John Ga'ner decided in favor of the affirmative. The subject was 'Is President Wilson's Mexican Policy Justifiable'. Following the debate there were recitations by Ruth Collins, Lorenzo Lavey, Pearl Haines, Blanche Frost Cynthia Haines, Florence Gallup, and Muriel McClear. Solos by Nellie Gardner, Helen Dunne and John Martin, and songs by a quartette composed of Nellie Gardner, Veronica Brogan and Michael and W. Roche.

A farewell party was given for Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Connors last Wednesday. After a very pleasant evening spent, Michael Roche in behalf of those present presented Mr. and Mrs. Connors with two fine rugs.

## Conservation Dept. Notes

The conservation dept. has tried out the spring marsh and roadside custom burning, followed by farmers for years at their forest experiment station and finds no benefit in it. Nesting birds and young rabbits are destroyed and also many other animals beneficial to farmers. Also game cover and food is destroyed and many forest flowers.

Trout recently died at a state fish hatchery which had three heads.

District and regional conservation clerks are now attending the annual training school at Lansing.

Pussell J. Martin has been named superintendent of the training school of the dept. of conservation.  
Paul Houlemont making a deer survey recently found a spruce tree growing inside a coffee pot. He believes the coffee pot, a large one once used in lumber camps was left behind when the lumber crews left. The bottom was knocked out and it was placed over a young spruce. As the tree is now 30 feet high it must have been done at least 15 years ago.

A recent 20 ton take of carp near Holland brought the seasons take up to 20 tons. The fish are taken alive and shipped to eastern cities in tank cars. 50 tons recently went to Philadelphia.

In 17 years of production a Michigan gold mine has produced \$500,000 worth of gold bullion.

## BIG MILK WAR ON

A milk war seems to be looming in the Detroit Area following an announced price cut of 2 cents a quart by the Detroit Creamery and Ebling Creamery, two members of the National Dairies. The Borden Farm Producers Co. has as yet announced no price cut but the independent dairies which have so far maintained the price are awaiting anxiously the action of the Borden Co. for if this company also announces a price slash the small companies will have to follow suit. The Ira Wilson Co. announced a price cut Saturday. Standard milk is now selling at 9 cents a quart, homogenized 10c and Jersey milk 11c.

The reason given for the price reduction is that big companies are forced to meet the competition of Gen. Johnson who has established some 20 cash and carry stores and is selling milk for 6 cents a quart. This is only half the story, however. Most of the creamery milk wagon drivers and workers have become unionized. These drivers work on a commission basis and this milk cut will reduce their wages about \$50,000 a month or about \$6 to \$10 a week for each driver. The creameries would also take a loss of about \$250,000 a month. This price cut is also expected to mean a decrease of one cent a quart paid to farmers for raw milk. The Michigan Milk Producers held a meeting at the Northwood Inn on January 27 last and voted against farmers milk strike on account of low prices by only two votes, the vote being 98 to 91.

A bill is now up in the legislature to set a price on milk. This is favored by the big creameries but opposed by the small ones as they claim it is for the purpose of 'putting them out of business.'

Monday the Borden and Kennedy creameries announced a two cent cut in the price of milk.

## Philathea Notes

We wish for our readers a glorious Easter, with all the joys that may be yours at this season.

On the Wednesday afternoon following Easter, the Philathea class will hold its regular meeting with Mrs. Funa Eyer as hostess. A good attendance is hoped for, as remember the date, April 12, 1939.

The Kings Leaguers meet at the church parlors this week Thursday afternoon at two o'clock. Pot luck dinner.

The lessons of the present quarter are wonderfully helpful and very interesting. Following the story of Paul's conversion, we have for next Sunday, the Easter lesson—'Paul Preaches the Risen Christ' Acts 13: 16-31, 38, 39 and 1 Corinthians 15:19-22. However, we understand there will be no regular class study period, since the special Easter services will be held as announced on an Easter breakfast followed by special church service at ten o'clock.

IRON RIVER, (MPA)—Is it profitable to chase dogs in Oakland county? It almost seemed so when the county board of auditors reported that the official dog catcher was the highest paid of any county employee except circuit judge J. Paid on a fee basis, the warden received \$4,281.40 in 1937. Circuit judges received \$7,500 annually.

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Space in this column will not permit me to conduct a long quiz program, but I am going to ask one question here and wish that readers would try and answer it honestly before looking at the answer. Here is the question.  
What is the common reason that some cars veer to one side when the brakes are applied?  
(a) Something is wrong with the steering mechanism  
(b) Brakes are not equalized  
(c) Rear axles are loose.  
What do you think is the answer?  
This is it.  
If the brake lining grips more firmly on one wheel than on another the car is apt to veer to one side when the brakes are applied. The car should be taken to a competent service man to have the brakes equalized.

COLOMA, (MPA)—Just what an oil boom can do to a man was illustrated by a bet made by two Paw Paw Lake men. William A. Cross wagered 60 beers (he is a tavern keeper) against \$9 in cash with Steuart Bell that by July 4, 1940, there will be 111 oil wells within a five-mile radius of Coloma. The bet was drawn up in legal fashion, and is listed by a notary public.

AUGUSTA, (MPA)—When Marshall William Purdy picked up a man on a charge of being drunk, he not only conducted him to jail, but sobered him as well. While he was taking the culprit to the county jail recently, (there is no jail in Augusta), the marshall's car ran out of gasoline. Leaving the prisoner to guard his Purdy walked several miles for gas. By the time he reached the county jail, officers refused to accept his prisoner—he wasn't drunk anymore.

DENTON, (MPA)—Law Raptor came home one day, proudly displaying a 12 1/2 pound fish. His son, Paul, was quite interested in the catch, and decided there was room for competition. A few days later, Paul came home with a 15-pound pickerel.



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### Hamburg

The honor roll of Hamburg village school for the month of March, those pupils neither absent or tardy during the month is announced as follows: In Tracy C. Horton's room: Harry Miller, Mary Moore, Bobby Roberts, Melvin Shannon, Wesley Shannon, Shirley Smith and Garnet Stevens.

In Miss Helen Wenderlein's room: Donald Briggs, Charlotte Gray, Roland Hackbarth, Ernestine Keenman, Evelyn Jean Keenman, Kenneth Leach, Donald Moon, Edward Moon and Barbaradell Way.

Honor roll for the year: Mary Mooie, Bobby Roberts, and Donald Briggs.

Perfect spellers for the month: In Mr. Horton's room: Marion Gray, Donovan Green, Harry Miller, Mary Moore, Jennie Samuels and Wesley Shannon.

In Miss Wenderlein's room: Donald Priggs, Dorothy Fialkowski, Charlotte Gray, Ernestine Keenman, Robert Koskovich, Florence Myers, and Louise Stevens.

Perfect speller for the year, Donald Briggs.

Hamburg Lodge, No. 438, IOOF held its regular card party at their hall Tuesday night with six tables in play and others not playing. First prizes were won by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Featherly, second by Mrs. Glen Borton and Mr. Wheeler, Consolation by Mrs. Charles Wehner and Frank Buckaleu.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Van Horn entertained at a dinner party Mr. Van Horn's father, Stephen E. Van Horn and Mrs. Van Horn of Howell and Mrs. Van Horn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Wray Hinckley. The occasion was in observance of the 43rd wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Hinckley's and Mr. Hinckley's and Stephen E. Van Horn's birthday anniversaries.

Mr. and Mrs. George Knapp are the parents of a baby daughter, born at the Pinckney Sanitarium Saturday March 25th.

Mrs. Nellie J. Pearson and Mrs. Anna Miller attended a Past Chiefs district convention of the Pythian Sisters at Chelsea Wednesday.

The quilt that was to have been put on the frames at the home of Mrs. Charles DeWolf by the Ladies Guild of St. Stephen's Episcopal church was put on at Mrs. Nellie J. Pearson's owing to the illness of Mr. DeWolf and her sister, Mrs. Bessie Zielman.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Haggadore and son, Gerald, have been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John M. Haggadore at Imlay City.

Members of the Ladies Guild quilting at Mrs. Nellie J. Pearson's are: Mrs. Charles Wehner, Mrs. William H. Keedle, Mrs. E. Wray Hinckley, Mrs. Jennie Ferman, Mrs. Elmer E. Blum, Mrs. Emily E. Docking, and Mrs. Pearson.

Mrs. Mary E. Royce has returned to her home here after spending the winter with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Leon B. Royce of Lansing and daughter, Mrs. Harry J. Murphy and family at Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Laurence R. Queal and son, Leland of Mio are spending a week and a half with Leland's grandfather, Henry M. Queal. Thursday, Leland underwent a tonsillotomy at the Pinckney Sanitarium.

Mrs. Curtis Olsaver is improving slowly.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Martel of Dearborn spent the week end with Mrs. Martel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Myers.

Mrs. G. William Leece has returned to her home at Harbor Springs, having been called here by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Curtis Olsaver.

Mrs. J. William Winkelhaus accompanied by her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Winkelhaus and daughter of Ann Arbor were dinner guests of Mrs. J. William Winkelhaus' brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Newmann at Brighton.

Mrs. Elmer E. Blum on the shore of the Huron river here has been visiting her mother, Mrs. Joseph Cebulski in Detroit. Mrs. Cebulski who has been seriously ill is much improved.

Easter church services will be held at St. Stephen's Episcopal church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock, with Rev. William F. Jerome of Detroit officiating. Holy communion will be celebrated.

The Ladies Guild of St. Stephen's Episcopal church will hold its regular meeting at IOOF Hall Thursday afternoon.

The Pettysville P. T. A. will hold its regular meeting at the school house Friday night.

The North Hamburg Mite Society will be entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Van Horn at their home at Howell Thursday, April 13th.

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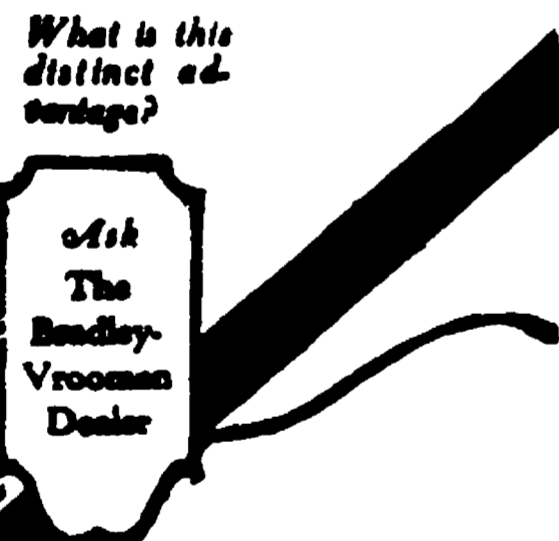
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### Plainfield

Mr. Orla Jacobs was a life long resident of Plainfield passed away March 28 at his home here. Funeral Friday March 31st at the church. Burial in the Plainfield cemetery. Reverend D. W. Ryan officiated. The wife and family have the sympathy of the whole community.

Mrs. Wm. Wright and children of New York and mother, Mrs. Frank Wright of Stockbridge called Sunday on Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kinsey, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Topping and Mrs. Eva Jacobs.

Mrs. Eva Jacobs, niece, Ruth Witty of Detroit spent the week end here.

Mr. Frank Lidgard and son, Orville Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Munsell and Mrs. Floyd Munsell of Fowlerville, Mrs. Russell Shaw and son Herbert of Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. June Taylor and Mrs. Theodore Robb were callers last week on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lillwhite.

Mrs. George Bounce of Mt. Morris spent the week end with Mrs. Pearl Waters and family.

Mrs. Jack Delmart and Betty Ann of Detroit were Sunday guests at Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wason and M. Glenn Calkins called.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Munsell were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Donohue.

Dale Holmes was home from Howell Sat. the week end.

Mrs. Florence Holmes will open her home for the Guild this week.

### Gregory

Mr. Ernest Munsion and Mr. Chas. Munsion of Howell were Sunday callers of Mrs. Fannie Hill and Mrs. Cora Quinn and Nelson Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Burnett of Howell called at the H. E. Munsell home Sunday p. m.

Mrs. Maggie Barbour has purchased the lots of Lawrence McCleer where the ice house now stands.

Harold Hartsuff and family spent Sunday with Herbert Hartsuff and family of St. Johns.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Breniser of Toledo were week end guests of D. Breniser and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hulbert Thomas of South Bend, Ind. and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barbour of Ionia spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas and family.

The Ladies Aid Society of the Baptist Church served dinner and supper at the town hall election day.

Mr. and Mrs. Tunis Grover of Fowlerville spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hartsuff.

Mrs. Lawrence Owens and children were in Lansing on business Friday.

Mrs. J. E. Bull spent Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Cranna and family.

Irwin Nisholas was brought home from the Hospital in Detroit Friday evening.

Several from here attended the Masonic banquet honoring the Past Masters at Pinckney last Friday eve

### SOCIAL SECURITY FOR WOMEN

Thirty-six of every hundred persons who applied for social security numbers in 1938 were women, according to Elmore E. Pollock, manager of the Old-Age Pension Bureau Field Office in Lansing.

Of 5 million seven hundred thousand applications for social security numbers received in 1938, a total of 2 million one hundred thousand were filed by women, Mr. Pollock said.

In 1937, the first year in which old-age insurance was in operation only 27 per cent of the applications for social security numbers came from women.

The largest age group applying for numbers in 1938 was composed of women were under 20 years of age. They represented 25 per cent of the years total, practically all being boys and girls over 15 who were getting steady jobs for the first time.

### FORMER HOWELL WOMAN FOUND DEAD

St. Joseph police are puzzled by the death of a man and woman that were found in a tourist cabin owned by the House of David Monday night. The man was identified as Nathan Rosenberger of Michigan City, Indiana, and the woman as one known as Mildred Baldwin who worked in a drug store at Hartford for three years, leaving there a month ago to take a waitress job in Michigan City. The latter formerly lived in Howell where she was known as Mildred Stanley and worked in Eager's restaurant. She went to Hartford three years ago. No marks of violence were found on the bodies and the cause of death was not determined.

### NOTICE

There will be a regular meeting of Pinckney Chapter O. E. S. No. 145, Friday evening, April 7th. Past Master's Night. Potluck.  
Alta Meyer, Sec'y.

### NOTICE

Dumping rubbish on Unadilla St. is strictly forbidden. Violators will be prosecuted.  
C. H. Kennedy, Village President.

### SCHOOL NOTES

Well, Spring vacation is over and everyone is back at work again. It was awfully hard to get accustomed to doing things on schedule. Especially since the schedule has been changed. School starts at 8:30 and is dismissed at 11:30. Back again 12:30 and the school day ends at 3:30. (for most of us).

The annual Detroit News Spelling Bee has been held and here are the results.

5th grade	Charles Clark
6th Grade	Muriel Read
7th Grade	Mildred Petsch
8th Grade	June Caldwell

These class champions receive dictionaries; the school champion, Junior Aaron, will receive a medal at the district spelling bee.

The 5th and 6th graders will furnish entertainment for the Court of Honor to be held at 8:00 o'clock Monday, April 10th in the Pinckney Gym. Parents and public are urged to attend. Scouts from surrounding districts will be present.

The boys' base ball team started practice in the Gym this week. They hope to begin practice outdoors next week if the weather permits. They are going to try to start the season with a bang. In case you folks didn't know it, it helps an awful lot to have a large cheering section at every game, and especially the first. The new baseball suits arrived this week and naturally the boys are anxious to try them out.

Girls' baseball practice begins next week. They hope to play a game the week of the 17th. They will probably have a schedule of eight games with such towns as Stockbridge, Milford, New Hudson, etc.

The Seniors started practice for their play, Monday evening. The play will be given April 21st.

### LOCAL AND GENERAL

Howard Read is home from Albion college for a weeks vacation.

Henry Shoemaker of Chelsea was a caller at the Dispatch office Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Henry and son Gerald, visited Mrs. L. T. Lamborn Gregory Sunday.

Mrs. Lee Lavey and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Shields in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Merwin Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Henry and daughter were in Lansing Saturday.

Tom Stevens of Plymouth was a Monday caller at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meabon jr. attended the funeral of Orla Jacob at Plainfield Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Hooker of Ann Arbor have purchased a new home on Charleston Ave. there.

Miss Barbara Sibley and Miss Pat Dancer visited several friends in Pinckney Tuesday evening.

Lemuel Martin and wife of Ypsilanti were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Martin.

Norbert Lavey and wife of Detroit were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lavey.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Campbell daughter, Leoni, and Rita Kenned were in Howell Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnson and family of Brighton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Johnson.

Mrs. Ida Fiedler, daughter, Helen Ross Read and wife attended the Flower Show in Detroit last Wednesday evening.

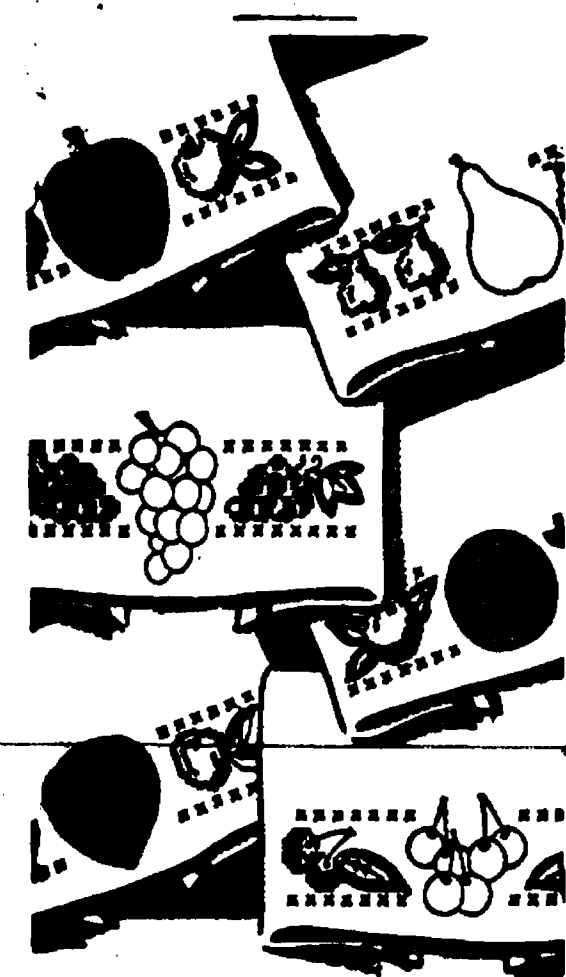
William Dilloway attended the conference between the state liquor commission and the Michigan liquor dealers called at Lansing Tuesday by Gov. Dickinson.

### CARD OF THANKS

To the Voters of Putnam:  
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# There COMES a MOMENT

## By ELINOR MAXWELL

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### SYNOPSIS

Mary Loring and her father, Jim, an intellectual attorney, meet a train which brings a wealthy sister-in-law, unmarried Linnie Cotswell and her friend, Lelia Ormsby, divorcee, for a Christmas visit. Waiting at home for them are Mary's mother, her younger sister, Ellen; her father's nagging maiden sister, Aunt Linnie; and Peter, the baby of the family. At the depot Dr. Christopher Cragg helps the guests with their luggage. Mary is secretly in love with Doctor Cragg. In leaving, her Aunt Linnie urges Mary to visit her in New York, but Mary refuses. Mary works in a rental library, where she spends her spare time writing short stories. Mary's father is let out as railroad attorney, the fees of which were almost the sole support of his family. To earn money she decides to begin writing in earnest. Mary feels sure that her newest story, "At Sea," would please the editors of National Weekly. After finishing it she calls Doctor Cragg, who comes to the book store for a current novel. Falling from a ladder while getting his book, she regains consciousness to find his arms around her. He tells her he loves her, and then tells her he is to be married the coming month to a girl he has known all his life. Despondent, Mary decides to accept her Aunt Linnie's invitation. In New York her aunt laughs at her for her plans to write, and insists that she meet as many eligible men as possible. The new week brings two letters. One, from the National Weekly.

### CHAPTER IV—Continued

Almost afraid to touch the letter, yet frantic to know its contents, Mary picked it up, and feverishly slashed it open. A sheet of paper, folded twice, dropped out, and glancing toward the bathroom, hoping Lelia would not come out until after she had read whatever news the letter held for her, Mary started to flatten it out. At last, her fingers ceased their stupid trembling! At last—

It was a check on the Corn Exchange Bank of New York, and it read:

New York, January 22nd, 1937  
Pay to the order of Mary Loring... \$100.00  
One Hundred and no-100 Dollars  
The National Weekly

"Lelia!" Mary shrieked, rushing towards the bathroom and pounding on the door. "Lelia! Lelia!" Lelia, a bathrobe of Turkish toweling wrapped hastily about her, opened the door. "What's happened, Mary?" she demanded apprehensively. "Have you had bad news?" Mary prouetted about on her silly silver-and-scarlet sandals, and waved her precious bit of paper in the air. "Bad news!" she cried. "Darling, it's good news! Grand news! The best I've ever had! Lelia, my story's been accepted by The National Weekly, and they've sent me a check for a hundred dollars."

"Mary! That's wonderful! Congratulations, darling. I'm proud of you."

"What in the world is going on?" demanded Linnie Cotswell, crossing the hall from her own bedroom. Mary rushed towards her aunt and engulfed her in a bear-like embrace. "Aunt Linnie, my story, 'At Sea,' has been accepted, and the magazine's sent me a check for a hundred dollars. Just think of it! A hundred dollars!"

"But," Linnie Cotswell demurred, her speech somewhat hampered by the chin-strap that bound up her face, "why didn't they write to you first and make you an offer, instead of just taking it for granted that a hundred dollars was satisfactory to you?"

Mary looked dubious. "Perhaps that's their regular price for a short story."

Stooping, Mary retrieved from the floor the letter which had accompanied the check, and hastily glanced through it. "They say they like 'At Sea' very much," she murmured as she scanned the typed lines, "and they want to see more of my work. Work! Doesn't that sound professional! A man named Buchanan, Phillip Buchanan, has signed it."

"I know Phillip Buchanan," Lelia offered casually, returning to the bathroom, and reaching for a gold-and-white box of bath powder.

"No!" Mary exclaimed. "Not really! What is he like? Terribly learned, and everything?"

"Terribly—human," Lelia returned. "And utterly wrapped up in his work. He started The National Weekly about twelve years ago, soon after he graduated from Harvard, and he's built it up until today it's just about the biggest thing in weekly magazines. The circulation is enormous, you know."

told herself with awe. "Now I'm started on my life's work."

Opening the top drawer of the dressing table, she extracted the new brown suede purse Aunt Linnie had just given her, opened it, and slipped the check inside the zippered pocket. Then, turning eagerly towards the bed, she picked up Ellen's letter.

Darling Mary, we do miss you so. The house seems so dull without you, and poor Dad appears absolutely lost. You see, he has always depended on you more than anyone else, and while I try my best to take your place, we both know it isn't quite the same.

Well, Mother has heard about his dismissal and the shock of the discovery has gone rather tragically for all of us. It happened this way. She was buying some tape in the notion department at Sullivan and Overwelder's, and Miss Pattie Carson came in to get some thread, and breezed right up to Mother with, "Oh, Janet, I want to tell you how sorry I am about Jim's losing his position."

Mother hadn't the vaguest notion what she was talking about, and although Miss Pattie's remark almost made her smile, and she said, "Why, Miss Pattie, Jim just had to resign because his private business is demanding so much of his time."

Then, she said for the tape, and walked out of the store as calmly as she could, but as soon as she got past the store window, she fairly ran up to



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Dad's office, and demanded an explanation. And when darling Dad admitted the whole thing, she fainted, and he and I had a dreadful time bringing her back to consciousness.

Mother says we'll have to let Phrony go, and, no doubt, we will in time, and Aunt Linnie says she can't do a lick of work, what with her arthritis or neuritis, or whatever it is she's supposed to be having this winter.

And what do you think? A report's going around town that Christopher Cragg's going to be married soon—to a girl he's known for some time. Her name's Iva Greenland, and she's the daughter of a Chicago doctor. Have you heard anything about it? Everybody seems awfully surprised, and really, for a bridegroom-to-be, I must say Chris doesn't look particularly radiant.

Darling, do you love New York? Do write me about everything. Give my love to Aunt Linnie and Lelia, but save most of it for yourself!

Mary, so blinded by tears that she could scarcely see, folded the letter, and tucked it beneath the pile of handkerchiefs in the little right-hand drawer of the highboy. Lelia was coming into the room, and she must not see her tears.

Mary, her back to the other girl, hurriedly applied a handkerchief to her eyes; then, with apparent casualness, reached for the powder puff and dusted it over her straight little nose.

"I shall get that check cashed tomorrow," she said to herself. "Aunt Linnie'll tell me where to go. And I'll send all but fifteen dollars of it to Dad. Something will have to be kept out for my pocket money. Poor Dad. Oh, poor, dear Dad!"

A thin blue haze of cigarette smoke hung like a delicate cloud over Linnie Cotswell's living room, and the smell of tobacco, Ophelia roses, and the last word in imported perfumes filled the air. It was Sunday afternoon, and Linnie's friends were dropping in to meet Mary Loring.

Miss Cotswell fitted about from guest to guest, exchanging a welcoming word here, a bantering sentence there. Lelia Ormsby presided over a silver tea service that had once belonged to a Russian grand duke; while Mary remained entrenched behind a group of men in front of the fireplace.

Jerome Taylor held a cocktail glass, frosted with sugar, to the level of his laughing eyes. "My dear," he said softly, lifting the glass in an almost imperceptible toast to her, "you are ageless!"

"Fol-de-rol!" commented Linnie Cotswell, pushing her way towards Mary—a dark intense young man in tow. "Jerome, don't be trying any of your well-known allure on this child of mine. She's far too young and sweet to be contaminated."

"Linnie, my darling," Jerome Taylor returned, completely unabashed, blatantly amicable, "forget, for a moment, how violently you disapprove of me, and tell me which night this week I may entertain you and Mary Loring at dinner. Any night, dear Linnie. Any spot. Any play."

"Hush, Jerry. I'll tell you later. Right now, I want to introduce Balianci to my niece."

"I await with eagerness that pains—with impatience that sears," the young Italian announced oratorically, attempting to wither Jerome Taylor with a glance.

"Mary," said Aunt Linnie, trying to control the corners of her mouth, "this is Count Umberto Balianci. Balianci, Miss Loring." Then, turning to Jerome Taylor, "Trot along to the tea table, Jerry. Lelia hasn't been able to coerce anybody except the Bishop's wife into taking a cup of tea. Even the Bishop balked!"

Aunt Linnie's sentence was drowned in a roar of laughter from that corner of the room where Judge Byford was holding forth; and Mary suddenly realized that her hand was still clasped in Balianci's, and that his grip was unpleasantly moist.

"How do you do?" she remarked inadequately, smiling at the handsome, dark person whose gaze upon her had never flinched.

"It is an ambition attained," he replied in a voice that struck Mary as being too soft, almost oily.

"An ambition attained?" she repeated uncomprehendingly.

"But yes!" he returned with fervor. "I saw you at the Stork Club two nights ago, and, since that moment my eyes fell upon you, it has been my ambition, my sole thought, to meet you."

Mary felt a little dazed. A fixed little smile forced itself to her lips. The man was still devouring her with his somber eyes, all the while extracting a fat, gold case from an inner pocket, removing a cork-tipped cigarette, lighting it, and exhaling a puff of heavily scented smoke. "Egyptian cigarettes," thought Mary. "That heavy fragrance makes me a little sick."

Aloud, she said inanely, "I didn't see you at the Stork Club."

"One does not expect a queen to notice a serf," purred Balianci. Mary thought perhaps she was going to scream. When would this asininity ever end?

At nine, Jerome Taylor came to bid her good-by. "We're seeing each other Wednesday evening," he told her. "Linnie has actually agreed to let me have a little party for you. Dinner at my house, and, afterwards, seats for 'High Tor.'"

As for Balianci, he left ten minutes later, and, too, wedged his way through the crowd to say good night. Again, he took Mary's hand in his damp grip, and focused the full warmth of his brooding gaze upon her. "Fate is being kind to me," he said softly. "We are meeting again very soon."

He was gone before Mary could reply, and with an agree of repulsion, she thought, "Good heavens, has Aunt Linnie made an engagement with him, too?"

the apartment to order, and opening the windows to let in the crisp February night air, Aunt Linnie informed Mary that she had indeed made an engagement for her with Count Balianci. "He wants to take us to dinner Tuesday evening," she said.

Lelia, nibbling a much-needed sandwich, turned swiftly about. "Not me!" she said sharply. "I won't go anywhere with that gigolo!"

"He's not a gigolo, Lelia!" Linnie replied almost angrily. "I don't know why you're so suspicious of all foreigners with titles. Besides, he— he didn't ask you."

"He knows I wouldn't be seen with him!" Lelia retorted, sinking into the depths of a chair, and kicking off her high-heeled pumps.

"Well, you've snubbed him so often," Linnie admitted, "that, no doubt, he's finally taken the hint. But, after all, he is a charming person, and a perfectly legitimate count."

"As if that meant anything these days!" Lelia retorted.

"I want Mary to have every opportunity," Linnie went on, "and after all, Umberto has a title, goes everywhere, belongs to one of the oldest Italian families. In fact, he's a sort of cousin of the king's."

"He might travel faster if he were a cousin of Il Duce's," Lelia observed icily.

"He's terribly taken with Mary," Linnie continued happily, "and really, it would be rather fun for her to be the wife of a diplomat."

"I'm not at all interested in marriage, Aunt Linnie," Mary said harshly, her heart contracting as she thought of Chris. "All that I care about is writing—and making a lot of money in the quickest possible time. In fact, I'm starting a new 'short' tomorrow morning."

Miss Cotswell rose from her chair, and started towards the hall which led to her bedroom. "All right, Mary," she said coldly. "I'll leave you to your own devices for a few days, knowing only two well that you'll soon get over this foolishness about being a woman with a career. Every young girl who comes to New York entertains that complex for a while—and then eventually reaches the same conclusion that, after all, marriage is the one and only thing for a woman."

Mary leaped to her feet, and rushed to embrace her aunt. "Please don't think I'm ungrateful, Aunt Linnie, for all that you're doing for me. I appreciate everything, absolutely everything. And thank you, darling, for the wonderful party."

Linnie Cotswell, restored to good humor, brushed Mary's cheeks with her lips. "All right, my dear. As for your working on one of your little stories, you just start right in tomorrow. I, for one, hope to sleep all day."

Mary woke with a start at seven the next morning, and, for an instant, lay in her comfortable bed wondering just where she was. At home in Hawkinsville? And was the slim figure beneath the covers in the other twin bed that of Ellen? Then, as consciousness came fully upon her, she realized that she was in New York, in Aunt Linnie's apartment, and that the sleeping girl beside her was Lelia Ormsby.

It was while she sat scanning the headlines of the Herald Tribune, a second steaming cup of coffee in one hand, a third piece of jam-covered toast in the other, that Addie brought in the mail. "Anything for me, Addie?" she asked.

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Anticosti, now an island appendage to Quebec, has changed hands many times in its career, says the National Geographic society. Last leased in 1928 by a pulp and paper company, it has served—in reverse order—as a pulpwood empire, a rich man's social experiment, a pirate's stronghold and an explorer's reward.

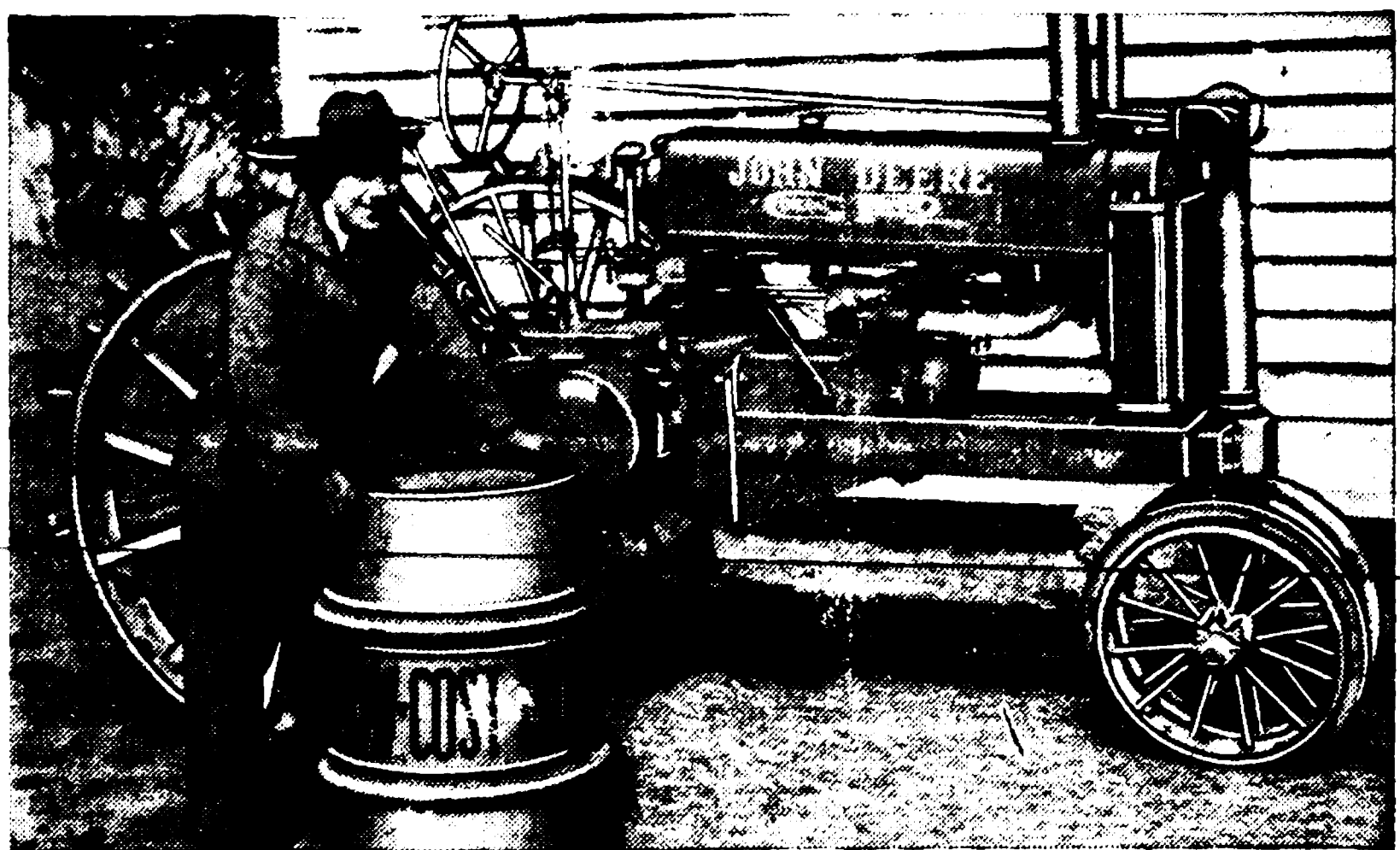
Roughly in the shape of a great whale, its tail in the St. Lawrence river and its head in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, Anticosti island is about 140 miles long and averages 35 miles across. It is a sportsman's paradise. Great forests of spruce bring green down to its very shores; game fish fill its streams, and flocks of ducks and geese stop off there regularly on flights north and south. So conspicuously placed and accessible is it that for the last 400 years this island has been the scene of man's activities and experiments. It has known business booms and colonization schemes that failed. It has seen the fashionable chateau life of a French "chocolate king" and been the haunt of an eccentric charged with being not only a buccaneer but in league with the devil besides.

In 1534 Jacques Cartier, seeking that mythical short cut to the East, first officially recorded the island and called it "Ile de l'Assomption." Already, however, Basque fishermen, familiar with this region from early fishing trips, had described it as "Anticosta," or island "before the coast"—the name which still sticks, slightly changed in spelling. In 1630 a grateful king, Louis XIV of France, presented Anticosti to the explorer-trader, Louis Joliet, who with Father Marquette had sailed the Mississippi and later explored Hudson bay for his country. For a decade Joliet enjoyed fur and fish trade with nearby Indians, until he and his wife were made prisoners by Sir William Phipps' raiding party in the current French-English conflict. Tradition says that Joliet was eventually exchanged and returned to his island home. At any rate, during the next century family heirs, squatters and other claimants disputed its possession.

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### Legislative News

Bill to curtail the car-buying practice by requiring approval of a state emergency appropriations commission before a car could be purchased.

A check-up revealed there are 2 state-owned machines, of which 111 are 1939 models.

The late Governor Frank Fitzgerald always declined to use a state-owned automobile for official business. He provided his own car and charged mileage expense. Furthermore, he had an Eaton county license plate. Luxurious machines used by former Governor Murphy and George Gundry, now reposes unused in the state garage.

Governor Dickinson has been provided transportation to and from the capitol and his home near Charlotte by state police.

### To Extend Payroll Tax?

A last minute attempt will be made in the Michigan legislature to extend the unemployment compensation tax to all employers.

The present act exempts 'small employers'—those who hire less than eight workers.

This year the social security taxes include an employer levy of 3 per cent to support a system of unemployment insurance and a levy of 2 per cent, divided equally between employer and worker, to support a system of old age insurance. Next year the old age insurance plan will go up one cent, borne one-half by the employer and one-half by the worker.

David Lawrence, Washington observer, points out that the 1939 payroll tax total will equal the entire amount paid by corporations in income taxes during the prosperity year of 1929, and that this cut into purchasing power will be in addition to a corporation income tax that is almost as high as in 1929.

The plight of the small business man, already badly tax-harrassed, will receive careful consideration at Lansing. We forecast that the Dickinson administration will not lend encouragement to further extension of the payroll tax.

### Liquor Jitters

Liquor interests are slowly recovering from a bad case of jitters.

Because Governor Dickinson is an ardent dry in his personal life, many dealers and vendors of alcoholic beverages jumped to a hasty conclusion that Dickinson would try to return prohibition to Michigan.

The governor, president of the Michigan Anti-Saloon League, has let it be known that it was his duty as governor to carry out the will of the people to the best of his ability. In other words, to permit sale of liquor under rigid control.

'Control', however, may be tightened up to require midnight closing for roadhouses outside of municipalities, enforce the prohibition of sale of liquor to minors, and perhaps to ban Sunday liquor sales.

Mass production methods in industrial centers complicate the liquor enforcement picture somewhat. A worker whose day begins at 4 p. m. and ends at midnight usually abstains from taking a drink before going to work. When he finishes work at midnight, he is often in the mood for 'relaxation', a glass of beer or so.

Muri DeFoe of Charlotte, 'personal representative' of Governor Dickinson on the state liquor commission formerly was convinced that the state store system was wrong and that the state should get out of the liquor business. Today, looking from the inside out, he finds that he has changed his mind, that the state monopoly is the only sure way to effect decent control.

Democratic leaders at Lansing have adopted the Republican policy which has prevailed at Washington: Lay low, wait for opponents to make mistakes, and then capitalize on the issues.

Spokesmen in the Senate and the House have already indicated that some of the 1940 issues may be the following:

Labor—A 'Cossack' labor relations law, clamping severe restrictions upon workers and employers who are not covered by the Wagner act for interstate commerce, would provide Democrats with welcome campaign material. Civil Service—Effort will be made to show that the legislature has virtually 'annihilated' civil service in its insistence that many workers should be exempt and that less money should be spent in administering the act. (Bill has passed the House).

Will the conservative pendulum swing too far to the right? Democratic leaders are secretly hopeful that it will. The old game of politics is still being played.

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