

NOTES of 80 YEARS

N. N. Whitcomb is building an addition to his home.

Wm. Chambers is buying apples here for J. T. Eaman.

Erie Campbell has just brought us our year's supply of excellent honey.

Born to Wm. Ferguson and wife on Sunday last, a 8 lb. daughter.

S. G. Teeple and Joe Placeway attended the Mason Fair last Wednesday and Thursday.

The Misses Nellie and Mae Sloan of Dexter visited the Misses Rosalie and Minnie Dolan over Sunday.

William Rosencrans of Corunna visited old friends here Saturday. He formerly lived here, his father being the miller.

The Pasacas stallion owned by Michael Lavey won the blue ribbon at the county fair.

Dr. Oliver of South Lyon was in town Friday assisting Drs. H. F. Sigler and Dr. Obets of Detroit in a serious operation.

Dr. H. F. Sigler was in Stockbridge Saturday assisting in the post mortem on Mr. Force who died the day before under mysterious circumstances.

Major Joseph Kirtland of Chicago, a son of Prof. Kirtland, founder of Pinckney has just won the \$1600 prize offered by the Detroit Free Press for the best story.

H. M. Davis who went west some time ago has returned to Pinckney.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Drown have moved back to Pinckney from West Branch.

Thompson Grimes & Co. are putting a forty-five horse power stationary engine in the mill here.

Thomas Clinton has moved his harness and shoe shop into the building vacated by Frank Wright.

Louis Rollison, 16, daughter of John Rollison died Sunday evening of TB.

Prof. W. E. Sprout has an appeal in this issue for the donation of a number of books for the school library.

Andrew Grimes has been appointed postmaster at Stockbridge.

Following the failure of the Weinmaster Bank at Howell, John Weinmaster has made an assignment of his property to Patrick Hammell and Asa VanKleeck. His attorney claims that all liabilities are covered by assets.

J. T. Eaman and wife start on Monday for their new home in Camp Verde, Arizona.

E. T. Bush of Plainfield will have a complete display of undertakers goods at the Stockbridge Fair this week.

The Pettysville mill has had to close on account of low water.

Nellie Clinton is teaching school in Pettysville.

H. G. Briggs had a horse shot in the hip by unknown parties last week.

C. H. Edwards, South Lyon dentist will visit Pinckney each Saturday from now on.

A petition has been presented to appoint a guardian for Wm. McKellop, Perry banker, who was swindled out of \$7000 by the gold brick scheme.

Irving Latimer, lifer at Jackson, who has been in solitary confinement since his unsuccessful attempt to escape, has been released from solitary confinement and placed in the blacksmith shop.

Ypsilanti will spend \$50,000 on its water works.

NOTES of 25 YEARS AGO

Miss Madeline Bowman is now in first place in the contest for an Obermeyer & Sons piano to be given away by the Dispatch. Madge Cook is second and Delores Richardson is third.

Claude Monks will attend school in Baltimore, Md. this year.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude A. White on September 27, an 8 lb. boy.

R. K. Elliott of Swanton, Ohio, is making plans to move here on the Fred Griesbach farm which he purchased some time ago.

Invitations are out announcing the marriage of Herbert Dancer and Miss Francis Farmer of Stockbridge to take place on Sept. 30.

Leo A. Monks is attending Cleary Business College at Ypsilanti.

W. E. Murphy attended the Democrat state convention at Detroit on Wednesday as a delegate from his county.

Born to Emil Lambertson and wife of Amy a ten lb. girl on September 24th.

Rev. J. W. Mitchell of the Methodist church has been transferred to

Imlay City. Rev. Camburn will fill the pulpit here Sunday.

18 carloads of boosters for the Fowlerville Fair rit here Tuesday afternoon. They circled twice around the square tooting horns and the Fowlerville band which accompanied them played two selections.

Joseph Greiner has enrolled in Assumption College, Sandwich, Ontario.

Gladys Carr is assisting Mrs. C. Frost of Anderson who is sick.

Faye McClear of Anderson has returned to her school work at St. Joseph's Academy, Adrian.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Max Ledwidge on September 28, a daughter.

The chicken pox is raging around here.

Wm. Peters team ran away from him while he was hauling wood last Wednesday. He was thrown out and received a bad gash in his chin.

Conservation Dept. Notes

Last year was a banner year for trappers in Michigan more than a million dollars worth of fur being taken. They numbered 904,936 pelts this exceeded the years previous take by \$13,594. The fur take was as follows: Muskrat 782,924; skunk 84,485; weasels 32,550; opossums 18,634; raccoons 6,501; mink 17,546; foxes 3,159; wolves 59; bobcats 32; coyotes 2,095; badger 503.

165 tons of live fish will be transferred from the hatcheries and rearing tanks to the inland lakes and streams before freezing weather.

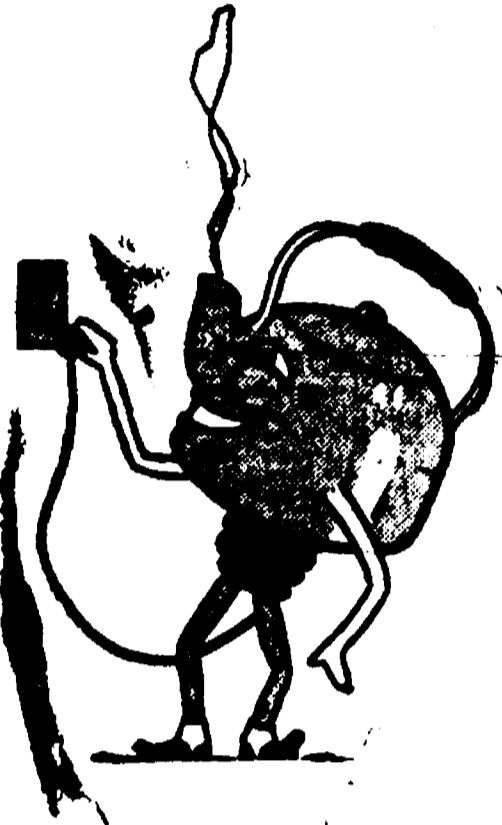
With a month to go before the period of greatest danger the states fire fighting organization hopes last years record may be duplicated. In September so far only 103 acres have been burned over.

Lake Erie has produced fish harvests of herring, whitefish and yellow perch.

Five hundred Hungarian partridges reared at the state game farms at Mason have just been released in Tuscola, Huron and Arenac counties. Earlier releases of birds were made in Livingston and Ottawa counties.

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The Ladies Aid Society wish to thank all who so kindly assisted in the moving pictures.
Mrs. E. C. Dallas, Pres.

PHILATHEA NOTES

A letter from the State-Baraca Philathea headquarters reminds us of the "Following Through" Convention to be held in Battle Creek on October 27-29. Send reservations to Mrs. Millie Thomas, 47 Echo Street, Battle Creek, Michigan. Another future event is a meeting at the First Congregational Church, Port Huron, Michigan, on Saturday, October 14, 1939.

Our members should bear in mind the "Church Annual Meeting" of the season, both to be held on Monday evening, October 2, 1939. Pot luck supper at 6:30.

The Pastor's helpful sermon Sunday on the text: "One thing I know" was a fitting introduction to the lesson for consideration in the Church School: "Isaiah: Foretelling the Birth of the Messianic King", with the one central thought, "The Light of the World is Jesus". This prophecy serves as a tie connecting this new quarters New Testament lessons in the Old Testament. Next Sunday's subject is "The Infancy of Jesus". Read Matthew 1 and 2, and come prepared to help in class discussion on the following Sunday, when undoubtedly this lesson and also the second one, "The Forerunner of the King" will be discussed.

Of course it is understood that next Sunday, October 1, is "Rally Day" combination service of church and Sunday School, and it is to be hoped that young and old will hear the rallying cry and will fill our House of worship. One third of the lesson collection it to go for the Church expenses, and two thirds for Benedicences in place of the regular Sunday School Missionary Treasurer will be glad of all we can give, before the Annual meeting.

The Maintenance fund is now due 14 cents per church members. Pay to Wm. Euler, P. H. Swarthout, or Mrs. Hattie Swarthout.

Three Pontiac men, Lawrence Coakley, 41, Charles Coakley, 44, and Lerin Sheldon, 35, are held in the Oakland county jail on \$5000 bonds which they have been unable to raise on charges of assaulting Deputy Sheriff Floyd Harger. Harger went to Coakley Lake, near Millford to make an arrest Friday night when he was seriously injured by the men and taken to the Pontiac General Hospital with head injuries.

Safetygrams

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The new 1940 automobiles have been provided with a complete new unit of lighting.

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These lights will provide more protection and greater safety after dusk on the nation's streets and highways.

The conservation dept. has set up a field experiment station at Hunt Creek, south of Atlanta to investigate trout production problems.

The one hundredth cooperative hunting club has been signed up. It is in Olive township, Clinton county. A club is limited to 10,00 acres.

Planting patches of rye, vetch, clover, alfalfa and turnips in valley bottoms and forest openings has been found effective in keeping deer out of farmers fields.

40¢ of the \$1 fishing rod license will be used to improve lakes and streams. Land having access on the lakes will also be bought.

Beaver's teeth are self sharpening. \$1.50 of each deer hunters license in Michigan is ear-marked for acquisition, development and maintenance of game refuges and public hunting grounds.

DAIRIES FACE ACTION

The attorney general's office is studying the evidence and may start action against a number of Detroit milk dealers who are failing to abide by the order of the Mich. Milk Board and pay the farmers \$2.08 per hundredweight for fluid milk. One dealer, George Johnson, refuses to pay on the grounds that the action of the Michigan Milk Board is unconstitutional.

NOTICE

The Mass Cider Mill is now open for the season, 7 miles north and 1 mile west of Pinckney.
Ed. H. Mass. P. 3 A

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Coming—"The Man in the Iron Mask" "Star Maker"
"The Rains Came" "Four Feather" "Chicken Wagon Family"

Hamburg

Confirmation services were held at St. Stephen's Episcopal church on Sunday morning when a class of 6: Mrs. G. Roy Merrill, Miss Janice Merrill, Miss Mercedes Merrill, Mrs. Frank Buckaleu, Mrs. Thomas W. Featherly and Miss Bessie Zeilman were confirmed by the Right Rev. Frank W. Creighton, S. T. D. of Detroit, bishop coadjutor of the diocese of Michigan; he also delivered the sermon; holy communion was celebrated. The church was beautifully decorated with many of the season's blooms. Following the services at the church dinner was served by the Ladies Guild of the church at I. O. O. F. Hall; covers being laid for over one hundred.

Hamburg hive, No. 892, Lady Macabees met in regular session at the IOOF Hall Tuesday afternoon. The guests were: Mrs. Mildred E. Kline of Lansing, district deputy and Mrs. Florence Fickett of Howell.

A birthday dinner was served honoring these members whose birthday anniversaries are in July, August and September: Mrs. May E. Stephanon, Mrs. Mildred Whitlock, Mrs. Blanche B. Fryer, Mrs. Nellie E. Haight, Mrs. Mary Crossman, Mrs. Bertha Winkelhaus, Mrs. Mable Rorabacher, Mrs. Pearl Worman, Alice Ruth Moore and Mrs. Mildred E. Kline with the entertainment committee, Mrs. Mary Moore, Mrs. Jennie Ferman and Mrs. Lois Borton acting as committee. The guests of honor each received a gift.

The dinner was followed by a business session in charge of the commander, Mrs. Stephanon. An announcement was made of the appointment of Joe Baker as national commander, succeeding the late Judge Edward Jeffries; announcement was also made of the semi-annual county association meeting to be held at Howell, Wednesday, October 4th. Mrs. Fickett's invitation to attend being accepted. It is expected Mr. Baker will attend the convention. Plans for Hamburg hive's participation in the county meeting were discussed.

The needs of Mr. and Mrs. Bond and family who recently lost their home with its contents by fire were discussed and some aid promised. It was voted to hold the next birthday meeting in November honoring those members whose birthday anniversaries are in October, November and December.

Mrs. Kline told of the dedication of the new addition to the Maccabee Old Ladies Home at Alma; remarks were also made by Mrs. Fickett and Mrs. Crossman. Official and committee reports were given by Mrs. Mary Moore. The next meeting will be held at IOOF Hall Tuesday afternoon, October 3rd.

Students from here who are attend high schools are: Donald Shannon, Rita Paine, Myrtle Waterbury, Dana Waterbury, Woran Rutter, Melvin Dundas, Calvin Field and Thelma Field at Brighton. Edwin Shannon III, Mary Charlotte Moon, Patty Ann Paine and Margaret Borton at Ann Arbor High. Arlene Lear and Betty Ann Kuchar, University High, Ann Arbor, Victor Sharp, Slauson High, Ann Arbor; and Marilyn Green and Doris Smith at the Seminary at Spring Arbor.

Mrs. J. Emery of Illinois is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Manly W. Bennett and Mrs. John Moon and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Myers had as guests the past week, Mr. Myers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Myers of Coffee, Mo.

Mrs. Charles Bennett who is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Earl Lear is reported a little improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Haggadore and son, Gerald spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John Haggadore at Lmay City and in Port Huron.


Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Elliott and four children who have been living on the Frank Van Antwerp farm have moved to Detroit.

Benjamin Kuchar in company with David Nuberg of Ann Arbor have returned home from a several weeks vacation in the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hurlst have returned to their home at La Grange Illinois after an extended visit with Emil J. Kuchar and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward McDonald entertained at a family dinner party at their farm home Sunday. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Myers of Coffee, Mo., Mr. and Mrs. Basil Bell and two daughters,

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| Kellogg's Corn Flakes 2 Lge. Pkg. 17 | | |
| Heinz Soups | 2 Cans | 25c |
| Fels Naptha Soap | 6 Cans | 25c |
| Spry | 3 Lb. Cans | 49c |
| Matches | 6 Boxes | 19c |
| Tomatoes | Hand Packed 4 No. 2 Cans | 25c |
| SLAB BACON | 3 lb. 4 lb. Average Lb. | 19c |
| PORK STEAK | Lean Cuts Lb. | 19c |
| PORK CHOPS | 1st. Cuts Lb. | 19c |
| BRISKET BEEF | Lb. | 13c |

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Preaching 11:30; subject: "Healing Waters" by Rev. George Smith.
Mr. and Mrs. Will Black and children of Okemus were the week end guests of her mother, Mrs. Ada Van Dusen and Mr. and Mrs. H. Griggs.

Miss Jean and Ada Black accompanied at the piano by their mother, Mrs. W. Black gave an interesting instrumental duet for Sunday School and for church and Jean sang while Ada and her mother played. It was enjoyed by all.

Mrs. Maude Stone returned last Tuesday from the hospital at Ann Arbor but not yet able to get around.
Mrs. J. E. Kinsey sr., spent the week end with her son, Mr. and Mrs. E. Kinsey jr., and daughters.

Mrs. Weston Gladstone and Mrs. A. J. Holmes called Tuesday on Mrs. Emma Fitchell in Uxahalla.

Mr. E. A. Haggan was Sunday guest in South Haven to visit Mr. Ed Haggan. They came home with him.

Some members of the church were at Hender-

LIVINGSTON COUNTY CONVICT ESCAPES

One of the four convicts who made their daring dash for freedom from Marquette prison Monday was John Thompson sent up from Livingston county several years ago. He came from Ponton. After robbing a barbecue near there he kidnaped a man and a car on Grand River to make his getaway. He later abandoned it and was captured by state police in Green Oak township near Reahton after a gun battle. Being badly wounded he was taken to Melus Hospital, Brighton, where he later escaped, clad only in pajamas. He was sought in Ann Arbor some time afterwards and captured.

Gregory

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Bucknell of Los Angeles, Calif., took supper with their uncle, Charles Burden and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Munsell last Thursday.

Ralph Hartley and Sam and the former's mother, Mrs. Sarah Hartley and sister of Indiana, are visiting relatives in Kentucky.

Mrs. Daisy Huston and Mr. Cudmore of Pontiac were Sunday visitors of Effie Reason and H. E. Munsell and family.

Graydon Simonds and Lloyd Hicks attended the open house of the Farmer Peet Packing Co. at Cheesaning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright, Harry and Ardith Wright, Forest Hartley and Marion Cobb spent the last of the week with Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wright and Elmer in Kokomo, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Biner of Stockbridge were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oviitt one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Disco Brown of Howell were Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Brown.

Alberta Barbour fell and broke her left arm last week while playing.

Mrs. Junia Rae Gallup of Coldwater is visiting her sister and father, Mrs. Melvin Cook and Ed. Brotherton.

The Twin Pines Milk Co. of Northville will hold a meeting at the town hall Wed. eve., Sept. 27th. Dr. Wamsley will speak on the new State Milk Marketing Law. Free dairy

drinks and coffee will be served and a bake sale sponsored by the Kings Daughters.

The Junior Kings Daughters met at the home of Elaine Young Saturday. P. M. After the business meeting refreshments were served.

Robert Owens was surprised Saturday afternoon when his friends came and helped him celebrate his birthday. Games were played and ice cream and cake served.

Charles Burden and Wm. Foster were in Detroit Sunday.

Civils Thomas of South Bend, Ind and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barbour of St. Johns were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Thomas and Mrs. Maggie Barbour.

Miss Janet Marshall entertained the girls of the 6th and 7th grades and the teacher at a theatre party at Chelsea recently.

Lloyd Hendee spent the week end in Flint with Ed. Howell.

Mrs. P. H. Swarthout visited her sister in Manchester last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mack of Millford were in Pinckney Tuesday.

Marvin Shirley and Miss Lucia Soper were in Comins Sunday.

Marion Shirley and James Wagner Mrs. Nettie Vaughn is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Roy Merrill in Webster.

spent the week end in Fairview.

Mr. and Mrs. David Quaal of Hamburg were Pinckney visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Brock Cole of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Anna Kennedy.

Mrs. Ed. E. Sloan of Corunna and son, Lawrence E. Sloan of Mar Vista, California, were recent guests of the Fish and Lekan families.

Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Wright of Flint called on Pinckney friends on Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Thomas of Mount Clemens has opened her home here for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Latus Moran were Saturday evening guests of the Michael Lavey home.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Lavey of Detroit were Friday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Michael Lavey Mrs. C. H. Kennedy and daughter, Lois, were in Howell Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Leo Lavey and sons, Merlyn and Joe, were Stockbridge shoppers Saturday evening.

Fred Campbell and wife of Ann Arbor were Sunday visitors at the Ona Campbell home.

Theodore Purdy who lives 7 miles west of Mason celebrated his 102nd birthday Sunday last.

Mrs. Patrick Kennedy had as Sunday callers Charles Dyer, Mr. and Mrs. M. Martin and daughter, Frances, of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwin Hulce had as Thursday guests, Albert Hayes, the Misses Edith and Margaret Hayes of Jackson, Mrs. Theo. Bahnmiller of Jackson.

The inmates of Southern Michigan prison at Jackson evidently have a foot ball team which is tops. They beat the Rosford Merchants who claimed the semi-pro championship of Ohio Sunday 22 to 6. The prison team gained 300 yards by rushing and the merchants 84.

140 TAKING STATE POLICE COURSE AT NICH. STATE

140 youths are taking the special state police course at Michigan State College this year. This course was started in 1935 with only 51 students and has increased yearly. This is a four year course. Of last year's 97 graduates over 60 percent have obtained jobs with police departments, insurance companies and other corporations. Under the new plan the students spend 2 1/2 years in school and the balance of the time with the state police.



CASH SPECIALS!

FRI. SAT., Sept. 29, Sept. 30

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| Oxydol | 2 Lge. Pkgs. | 39c | Giant | 57c |
| Maxwell House Coffee | Lb | 25c | | |
| Chipso | 2 Lge. Pkg. | 39c | | |
| Pure Lard | Armour's Star | Lb | 12c | |
| Corn Flakes | Kellogg's Lge. Pkg. | 8c | | |
| Oleo, Eckrich | Lb | 12c | | |
| P.&G. or Kirk's | Flake White Soap | 5 Bars | 17c | |
| Kirk's | Cocoa Hardwater Castile Soap | 4 Bars | 17c | |
| Pet Milk | Large Can | 6c | | |
| Crackers | 2 Lb. Box | 13c | | |
| Cocoa | 2 Lb. Can | 18c | | |

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Sun., Mon., Tues., Oct. 1, 2, 3
"THE WIZARD OF OZ"
 A Musical Fantasy with JUDITH GARLAND, RAY BOLGER, JACK HALEY, BERT LAHR, FRANK MORGAN, BILLIE BURKE, and CHARLES GRAPEWIN
 Cartoon Stranger Than Fiction

Wed., Thur., Oct. 4, 5
 DOUBLE FEATURE
"CHICKEN WAGON FAMILY"
 Comedy-Drama with JANE WITHERS, LEO CARILLO, SPRING BYINGTON, MARJORIE WEAVER
"STRONGER THAN DESIRE"
 Drama with VIRGINIA BRUCE, WALTER PIDGEON, LEX BOWMAN and ANN DVORAK

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Miller are now nicely settled in the Elmer Book house on East Main St.

Miss Margaret Overett was home from Lansing over the week end.

Miss Blanche Martin returned to her home from Brighton Monday.

Mrs. Alvin Mann of Detroit is spending the week with Mrs. N. O. Frye.

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Sprout and family visited Plymouth friends Sunday.

Monday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Nash were Bert Nash and wife of Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Patton and family of Howell were Sunday dinner guests at the A. F. Brown home.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Orville Nash were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Standlick and children of Detroit.

Miss Jessie Green and Mrs. Weltha Vail spent Friday and Saturday with relatives in Horton and Parma.

Mrs. Nellie Snyder and children of Owosso, were visitors at the parental home of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Brown Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clara Hendee of Duluth, Minn., and children are spending a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Hendee.

Mrs. Caspar Vollmer, son, John, and Mrs. Mary Brandle were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elsiele at Fowlerville.

The basement floor of the Baptist church building was treated to a coat of paint last week which added much to its appearance and the comfort of the worshippers.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bullis were hosts at a dinner party Sunday honoring their father, Charles Bullis, and their daughter, Francis on birthday anniversaries.

The baptismal service at Hilland Lake last Sunday afternoon was conducted by Pastor Patton and Rev. Roy Brown. The baptism of two candidates was witnessed by a good crowd.

Mrs. Erma Lewis, Mrs. John Chambers, Mrs. F. E. Hollis, their daughter, Patry Ann, and Mrs. Henry Johnson and daughter, Elaine, called upon Mrs. Lewis's mother, Mrs. O. W. Backus in Piogree Sunday.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hartman has sold the buildings and 40 acres of land of what is known as the Fred Hemingway or Bailey Castle farm, west of town, to Henry Krahn who has been living on the farm of Mrs. Anna Samburgki on the Howell road. The Hartmans have purchased the 70 acres opposite the duck farm and will build a home there.

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Otto Wagoner of Dexter was a Pinckney caller Monday morning.

Junior Dinkel and Joe Singer transacted business in Howell Saturday.

Marshall Guidot of Detroit spent the week end at the Bluffs, Portage Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crane of Detroit spent the week end at Anderson.

Mrs. Mildred Bowman is keeping house for a school teacher in East Lansing.

Clifford Cook has closed his grocery store here and returned to his home in Howell.

Lee Lavey sold a Duo-Therm oil burner to the Burroughs Country Club last Saturday.

Miss Jessie Green and Mrs. Mary Fick have installed oil burning furnaces in their homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Haines of Howell spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Ora Haines.

Mrs. Loreno Murphy and son spent last Thursday with Mrs. John Gallagher at Hudson Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lucas of Lansing were Sunday callers at the home of Mrs. Hattie Decker.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Carr and son, Michael, of Detroit spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Carr.

Henry Allen of Edwardsburg, Mich. visited friends several days last week. It was his first visit here in 12 years.

In the recent TB tests conducted at the Pinckney school there was one positive test and six doubtful, we understand.

Brighton Lodge F. & A. M. No. 247 will celebrate their 70th anniversary on Thursday, Oct. 5. Dinner at 6:30 P. M.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hornshaw have returned from their wedding trip and are now living in the Dark apartments on West Main St.

Miss Muriel McEachren who has been visiting relatives at Cambridge, Mass., has returned and is staying at the home of Milford Head.

Henry Fleming and sister, Nellie, who have been spending the summer here in their house trailer near Hilland Lake have gone to Detroit.

Charles Smith, Ellsworth Kirtland, John Cologne, Mike Dark and Billie Darrow have all secured jobs at the Hudson Motor Co. factory in Detroit.

Week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Darrow were Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gillen of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Loomis Jr. of Detroit.

The room in the basement of the school, formerly used as the chemistry room is being painted and fitted up for a girl's athletic dressing room.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Swarhout of Detroit spent Sunday here. Mrs. Hattie Swarhout and daughter, Bessie, returned to Detroit with them for a visit.

The rapidly rising price of wool is making some farmers happy. Two farmers in this section, we understand, have not sold their wool clip in 10 of 12 years and expect to get 50 cent a pound for it.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Plummer had as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Plummer of Saginaw, Alfred Plummer and daughter, Therna, of Bay City, Emmett Plummer and wife of Belleville.

The "Messengers of Jehovah" hit town again Saturday. They had no loud speaker with them and attempted to hold no meeting. Making a house to house canvass they tried to sell books and get permission to play a phonograph record of Judge Ruth-erford's sermon on a portable phonograph they carried.

As far as we know Al Presley was the only one from Pinckney who attended the Louis-Pastor prize fight in Detroit last Wednesday night. C. H. Kennedy won a ticket in a contest put on by a wholesale grocery house but sold it. A number of bets were made on the affair here but they were mostly on how long Pastor would survive the Louis attack.

We have received a letter from Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stanton who recently returned from an auto trip through Maine, Vermont, New Hampshire. They were especially impressed by the beauty of the White Mountains. Maple syrup sold for \$3 a gal. in Vermont. The New England states look prosperous and peaceful is a very good sign.

Fall and Winter
 Is Cold and Cough Time

For Your Cold Take Our
Cold Capsules
 15c a Doz. 2 Doz. 25c

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P. S.—This Same Company Closed a Ten Weeks Stay in Battle Creek on Last Sunday Night.

Miss Marilda Rogers was home from Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Thomas of Detroit is spending the week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Danforth of Flint spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Metz of Howell called upon Mr. and Mrs. Lee Lavey Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Berkeley Isham and daughters visited her son, Paul, in the northern part of the state Sunday, it being his 21st birthday.

Mrs. James Roche had as Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Russel West and children of Ann Arbor and George Roche of Dexter.

A number of Pinckneyites and others from this section have enrolled in colleges for the coming term. They are Mich. State, James Lamb, 3rd yr.; Alger Lee, 3rd yr.; Mary Otwell, first year; Tol. Bourbonnais Jr., first year; Alton, Howland, 2nd yr.; Cyrus A. Lee, first yr.; Newark Academy, Kalamazoo; Holton Kennedy, first yr.; Chas. Bell, Robert Reed; Gene Edwards, Nursing School, Ann Arbor; College of Nursing, 2nd yr.

John Wise is now employed at the Hamburg factory.

S.E. Swarhout and wife spent the week end with relatives in Flint.

Mrs. O. L. Campbell and Mrs. Ed. Parker were in Howell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Miller called on Elmer Book in Detroit Friday.

Miss Lucia Soper is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Reed Soper in Ann Arbor.

Mrs. Lucius Wilson and son, Lucius Jr., spent the week end in Chicago with Mr. Wilson.

The Misses Hazel Potts and Della Ridling of Pontiac were Sunday visitors of Mrs. Frankie Leland.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Daller were called to Detroit Monday by the serious illness of her brother, Arthur Ahrens.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carr had as Sunday guests Mylo Kettler and family of Eaton Rapids, Harry Lee and family of Lakeland.

Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hollis entertained Sunday in honor of their daughter's first birthday Mrs. Helen Leland of Jackson, Mich. and J. E. Stanton of Howell, Mich. were also present.

WINGS for WORDS



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FROM OUR EXCHANGES

The Hartland Band will play at the Allegan Fair this year.

The Munith elevator was robbed on Monday night of last week, \$100 in cash being obtained. Jackson police are holding two men on suspicion.

The Fenton school has been closed on account of infantile paralysis. Gratiot county has 22,008 acres of sugar beets.

Richard Reyle of Fowlerville left last week to join the state police at East Lansing.

The Howell high school band has new uniforms.

The A. B. Clark grocery and Harpers garage at Chelsea were both entered by burglars last week. About \$250 worth of money and merchandise was taken from each place.

Marian Hanewald has been selected as queen of Manchester's gala day celebrations on Sept. 29-30.

Errot Kistler has been named as president of the Stockbridge Community club to succeed Nicholas Kerbawdy who has left Stockbridge.

The new Horace Racelham school for defective children opened at Ypsilanti Monday with 140 children. The building cost a half million dollars. 100 houses have been removed from the approved list of rooming houses in Ann Arbor by University of Michigan authorities coincident with the opening of 950 rooms in new dormitories at the University. This was made necessary in order to pay off bond issues on the dormitories. All freshmen must live in the dormitories.

11 cows of a herd of 30 belonging to Alfred Schoenberger of New Hudson died after eating sweet corn according to the South Lyon Herald. The remaining cows of the herd are sick. The herd were pasturing in a sweet corn field.

The seniors of Northville high school sold over 475 dozen gladiolas in a recent campaign sponsored by the Rotary Club. The proceeds went to the student loan club.

The Gage school in Green Oak was broken into last week, a radio and other articles taken.

Rev. George Masselink of Boscobel, Wis., has been named pastor of the Stockbridge Presbyterian church. He was pastor there in 1934-35.

THE NEUTRALITY ISSUE

The neutrality issue up before congress seems to be more and more scrambled daily. Most people have a hazy idea about it. In the first place it does not prevent trading with nations at war but only the sale of finished implements of war such as airplanes, guns, shells, etc. This country if the present law is upheld could still sell iron, steel, copper, and in fact all other materials of war to the warring countries providing they were in a raw state. If this happens this country would sell the materials and the munitions would be made in other neutral countries which have no embargo law. As for getting us into war the German submarines would sink a boat carrying raw materials just as quick as they would one carrying the finished product. The present law as it stands is in fact a non-aggression pact with Hitler and Stalin as they have not the ships to get the munitions but England and France have and with so many men under arms they have not sufficient labor to make their munitions.

Rev. Charles Coughlin who has no use for Great Britain started a mail campaign against the repeal of the neutrality law and showed the congressmen and senators in Washington with mail opposing the lifting of the embargo. In this he was joined by all other organizations opposed to war, to Great Britain and France and also all Nazi organizations in this country. In the Gallup poll published last Sunday a majority of the people favor repealing the embargo some 65 percent. In the poll conducted by the Fortune magazine only 24.7 of the people favor an embargo against all warring nations. 82.1 per cent want victory for England and France. The Gallup and Fortune polls in 1936 predicted the results of the election within one percent.

TEACHER'S OATH

Superintendent Halce has today received a supply of teacher's oath forms from the Superintendent of Public Instruction at Lansing. According to Act 54 of the Public Acts of 1939 (all persons holding a Michigan teacher's certificate are required to file an oath of allegiance, properly notarized, in the office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction between the dates of September 29 and December 27, 1939 in order to protect the validity of the certificate. The act applies to teachers in public and parochial schools and also to persons who hold certificates but are not now in the teaching profession. After the oath is filed, Dr. Eugene B. Elliott, Superintendent of Public Instruction, will send the certificate holder a card certifying the fact that the oath has been filed. Proper forms for filing the oath, which need be filed only once, may also be secured from the County Commissioner Alma Sharpe and Superintendent of Public Instruction Elliott at Lansing.

THE BIG PRIZE FIGHT

Depression or no depression the people were able to dig up \$847,379 last Thursday night to see Joe Louis world's heavyweight champion batter Bob Pastor the challenger into insensibility in 11 rounds at Detroit. The world's champion Louis pulled down \$118,000 and Pastor \$51,000. The result was never in doubt and there was little betting on account of lack of Pastor money. Most of the bets were on the length of the fight. As far as we know Al Presley of Hi-Land Lake was the only person from this section to attend. The \$27 ring-side seats were too much for the pocket books of the rest of us.

NEW TRAFFIC LAWS

The new state traffic law becomes effective September 29 and many important changes have been made in the rules of the road, including the amendment prohibiting right-hand turns on a red signal light.

So that every motorist may have the opportunity to study and familiarize himself with the regulations Harry F. Kelly, Secretary of State, has prepared a booklet entitled "What Every Driver Should Know" and containing a clear summary of the various sections of the law.

This booklet will be sent free of cost to every person writing to Mr. Kelly, in care of the Secretary of State's office, Lansing, Michigan.

The booklet contains many illustrations showing the proper way to make turns, etc. and covers in concise form the important regulations relative to speed limits, stop and go signs, lanes and pavement markings, parking, bicycles and motorcycles, overtaking and passing other vehicles, through highways, and much other information of value to both drivers and pedestrians.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell in the said County, on the 11th day of September, A. D., 1939. Present: Hon. Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Frances M. Mosker, Deceased.

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

It is ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 15th day of January, A. D., 1940 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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

A true copy.
 Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.
 Celestia Parrish, Register of Probate.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF LIVINGSTON IN CHANCERY.

LAWRENCE C. HEWITT, Plaintiff

-v-
 DOROTHY M. HEWITT, Defendant
 Suit pending in the Circuit Court for Livingston County, in Chancery, on the 28th day of August, A. D. 1939, at Howell in said County of Livingston.

It satisfactorily appearing to the Court by affidavit on file that after diligent search and inquiry it could not be ascertained in what state or country the said defendant resides, or the whereabouts of said defendant learned, therefore, on the motion of Jay P. Sweeney attorney for the plaintiff, IT IS ORDERED, that the said defendant, Dorothy M. Hewitt cause her appearance to be entered in this cause within three months after the date of this order, and in case of her appearance that she cause her answer to the plaintiff's bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof served upon the plaintiff's attorney, within twenty days after service on her of a copy of said bill and notice of this order and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant.

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

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

Joseph H. Collins, Circuit Judge
 Jay P. Sweeney, Attorney for Plaintiff,

Business Address: Howell, Mich.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Livingston.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Howell, in the said County, on the 2nd day of September, A. D. 1939. Present: Hon. Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Ellen Harris, Deceased.

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

It is ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 8th day of January A. D. 1940 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

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

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COOKING AROUND AMERICA
 "Sea Primitives"-the fourth in a Series of Seven Color Pages Illustrated by James Montgomery Flagg, appearing in The American Weekly, the Magazine Distributed with the SUNDAY CHICAGO HERALD-AMERICAN.

NOTICE

The village Taxes are now due, and payable at my home on Washington Street, N.W. - Wash.

NO SUNDAY Hunting

In Livingston County

Violators Will Be Prosecuted



The entire state has become soil-conservation conscious as a result of the battle being waged in western Michigan against sand and wind brush, which is placed over bare spots to prevent soil blowing until trees may be planted and started to halt the inland march of the sand dunes.

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Some of the odd and weird complaints by unhappy husbands and wives which give some notion of the difficulties of American jurists who figure that King Solomon had, comparatively, an easy time of it, will be detailed in an article, one of the many human interest features in The American Weekly, the great magazine, with the October 1 issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Ford Lamb on Sunday, Sept. 24th, a son.

Neutrality Proclamation Stamped With Official Seal



Secretary of State Cordell Hull watches an aide affix the official seal of the United States upon the neutrality proclamation which previously had been signed by President Roosevelt. Shortly afterward, Mr. Roosevelt issued a proclamation placing an embargo on arms, ammunition and implements of war to belligerent nations. Right: A photograph of the last page of the neutrality proclamation.

These Factors May Tell Story in Europe's War

| NATION | ASSETS | | | |
|---------|--------------|-------------|------------------|-----------|
| | AIR STRENGTH | ARMED FORCE | NAVAL POWER | RESOURCES |
| BRITAIN | 4,000 | 1,000,000 | 2,062,000 (TONS) | 100% |
| FRANCE | 3,500 | 6,300,000 | 780,000 | 60% |
| GERMANY | 6,500 | 3,200,000 | 500,000 | 30% |
| POLAND | 1,000 | 2,000,000 | NONE | 10% |
| RUSSIA | 5,000 | 12,250,000 | 306,000 | 100% |
| ITALY | 5,000 | 5,700,000 | 680,000 | 20% |

Military, naval and economic might of Europe's leading powers is shown on the above chart, prepared from best available sources.

Poilus in Action Near Siegfried Line



French infantry and machine gunners are shown in action under covering fire of their tanks during recent encounters in the German territory near Saarbrücken, adjacent to Germany's west wall, or Siegfried line.

Bearded Explorers Demand Tonsorial Aid



When Commander Donald B. MacMillan arrived from an Arctic expedition with his crew of college boys at Boothbay Harbor, Maine, the first demand was for shaves—and not "come over lightly!" Here Mrs. MacMillan shows Dr. Wayne Houston of Massachusetts general hospital, who's doctor, and Dr. Donald Evans of Watrous, Mass.; Mrs. MacMillan, Dr. W. H. ... and James Wilson of Norway, Maine.

Gunny Sack Tarzana



Wearing a gunny sack garment, and carrying a bow and arrow and knife, Miss Wilma Jacobson, 13-year-old Wyoming girl, recently spent three nights in the wilds of southeastern Wyoming. Here she lights a fire preparing to cook the one rabbit she killed. The trip was merely a vacation.

London Milkmaid



The London milkmaid has gone to the colors, and his job has been taken over by a comely miss. The hat hung over her shoulder is not her lunch, it's her gas mask.

Two in the Morning

By OSCAR WOODS
(Associated Newspapers.)
WNU Service.

ED LIKED bridge; Barbara liked to read. But Barbara was a this year's model wife and she eagerly perfected herself in the game until Ed might be proud of her.

On odd Thursday nights, however, when Ed went to the meeting of the Exalted Elephants of Englewood (they had started their married life in Englewood a year before) Barbara smeared cold cream on her face and neck, had tea and toast and jam for dinner and settled down comfortably with the latest detective novel. By two in the morning when Ed returned across the city Barbara was usually sitting wide-eyed and anxious lest in some way she be a murder victim like the hero or heroine in the tale she had read.

"I called you up," Ed said one Thursday night, or rather Friday morning, "and you didn't answer the telephone. I thought maybe you'd forgotten your book and had gone to the movies with Stella."

"I just guess not," Barbara said decidedly. "I get only one night a week to read, and I'm not going to waste that chattering over the telephone with anybody."

"You mean to say you deliberately didn't answer the phone?"

"That's just exactly what I mean," she laughed, dimples dancing in and out of her firm cheeks. "Neither did I answer the door."

"Bah!" said Ed. "You sound like a Wednesday night book review. Give me people—real, live, talking folks—any time rather than a book written at so much a word!"

"I'll give you nothing," laughed Barbara merrily, "nothing except a request for a new fur coat or maybe a new car."

It got so that people would telephone on odd Thursdays just to see whether or not Babs would answer that telephone. It was useless, though. Within the apartment Babs, grinning at the telephone like the rascally little modern that she was, sat cold-creamy and blissful with the latest detective thriller in her hands.

Then came the Thursday night. Ed opened the front door with his key and stepped inside to find Babs sitting on the floor near the door.

"I guess," she said unsteadily, "I guess I've killed a man. They'll probably hang me, Eddie dear, unless you can get me that new fur coat and some spiffy clothes to impress the jury of my innocence. I—I—I've k-k-k-killed a man!"

And Babs was old-fashioned enough to faint at that moment right into Ed's arms. He saw the man stretched out on their one and only Persian hall runner—an ugly gash in his chin where Babs had evidently hit him with something or other.

"You see," Babs explained while they were waiting for the police, "the telephone kept ringing and ringing and ringing, but I kept on reading my book and didn't answer it. When I got to the third murder, though, I got kind of a scary feeling and I reached over to the writing-desk and picked up that heavy inkstand that Aunt Orinda gave us for a wedding gift. I thought: if any one tried to murder me I'd throw that at him."

Here she stopped and shivered as the man on the floor stirred slightly.

"Maybe—maybe he's not dead after all," she whispered. "Oh—if I k-k-killed a man—"

"Where did the ink-well hit him?" asked Ed practically.

"Well," Babs went on, "after the telephone had rung for a long time the doorbell rang and I didn't pay any attention at all. Then a key was put into the lock very gently and the first thing I knew the front door opened and this man poked his head in. I—I—I tried to yell, but no yell would come, and so I threw the ink-well as hard as I could and it hit him right on the side of his chin."

"Um," murmured Ed in some satisfaction. "He'll come out of it all right. He probably never knew what hit him."

Ed laughed and cuddled her close to him just as the police patrol clanged up to the lower doorway.

"It's Slinky Simms!" muttered the first officer. "Well, well, well, lady, you made a right nice haul, if you'll let me congratulate you, ma'am. Rang you up on the telephone, probably, before you got home—"

"Oh, I was right here," Babs said calmly now. "I had a good book, you see, and I didn't want to be bothered answering the door and the phone."

"Well!" gasped the officer. "Well! That's Slinky Simms' method. He rings 'em up on the phone and then rings the bell to make sure no one's home. Lots of folks leave a light burning to throw robbers off the track. Then if no one answers he robs the flat. There's a standing reward of a thousand dollars for him dead or alive, ma'am. A rich man not far from here was robbed—"

"A thousand dollars," said Barbara. "A thousand—dollars!"

The police had gone, taking Slinky with them.

"I'm going downtown tomorrow to get a pile of detective books," announced Ed, "and I'm going to sit reading without answering the phone or door, ink-well in lap—"

"Bah!" giggled Babs. "You sound like a Wednesday night book review!"

PATTERN DEPARTMENT



1673, even if you never wear a skate—whether roller or ice!

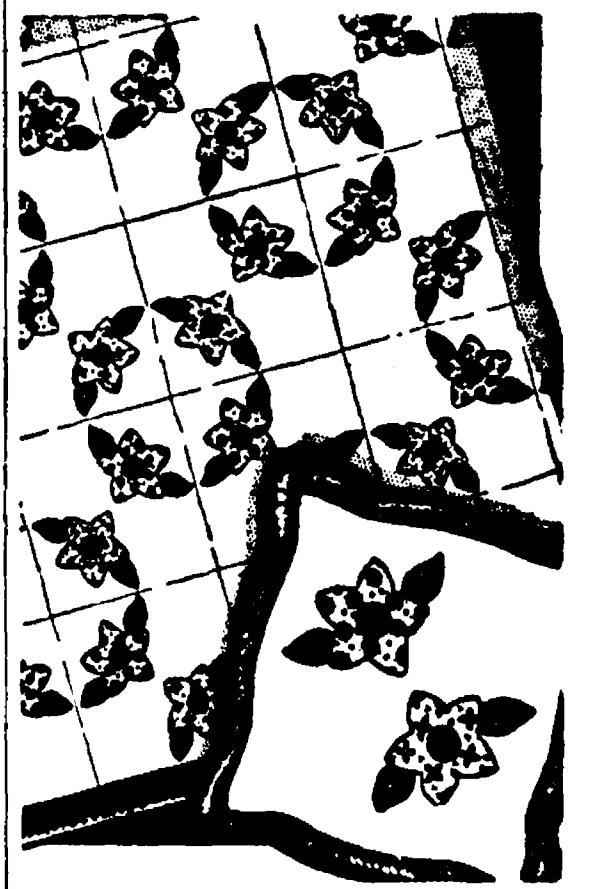
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Send your order to The Sewing Circle Pattern Dept., Room 1324, 211 W. Wacker Dr., Chicago, Ill. Price of patterns, 15 cents (in coins) each.

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To obtain this pattern send 15 cents in coins to The Sewing Circle Household Arts Dept., 259 W. 14th St., New York.

Please write your name, address and pattern number plainly.

Peaceful War

Ever hear of a peaceful war? There's one in West Virginia now. For "War" is the name of a community of 1,500 people in the state. Until quite recently War also had the distinction of being the largest town in the country without telephone service. But that distinction exists no more. Now you can "go to War" by telephone from any of the other 70,000 communities in the United States which have phones.

Strange Facts

Beggars' Paradise
Too Lazy to Breathe
Judas Left Out

Among the Arabs of Africa and Near Eastern countries, the gratuity or tip, called "baksheesh," goes to the poorer man whether he renders a service to you or you render a service to him. Even if you save a man from drowning, he will demand his "baksheesh" if you appear to be in better circumstances.

One of the most lethargic animals in existence is the tuatara, *Sphenodon punctatum*, a two-foot, lizardlike reptile of New Zealand. Not only does it rarely move, but it breathes so slowly that, usually, the creature appears to be lifeless. Those in captivity have been known to stop breathing for more than an hour at a time.

A number of Christian altars in various parts of the world do not include the figure of Judas in the statuary of Christ and His disciples.—Collier's.

In Cause of Peace

For the maintenance of peace, nations should avoid the pinpricks which forerun cannonshots.—Napoleon to the Czar Alexander.

Whatever price you pay per pack, it's important to remember this fact: By burning 25% slower than the average of the 15 other of the largest-selling brands tested—slower than any of them—CAMELS give a smoking plus equal to

5 EXTRA SMOKES PER PACK



I LIKE A MILD, COOL, LONG-BURNING CIGARETTE THAT MEANS CAMELS

YES, there's not only extra pleasure in Camel's cooler tobacco, but extra smoking, too, because Camels are long-burning. Recent impartial laboratory tests of 16 of the largest-selling brands confirm the superior burning quality of America's favorite cigarette. Here is a summary of the scientific test findings:

1 CAMELS were found to contain 1 MORE TOBACCO BY WEIGHT than the average for the 15 other of the largest-selling brands.

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3 In the same tests, CAMELS HELD THEIR ASH FAR LONGER than the average time for all the other brands.

Camel's long-burning, cooler tobacco also gives you cooler, better smoking. It's made of rich, mature leaves and contains no additives that have no equal. Get smoking pleasure at its best and more of it per pack in Camels, the cooler cigarette every smoker can afford. Funny, but true, Camels are your best cigarette buy!

CAMELS

LONG BURNING
TUBER TOBACCO

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HURON-CLINTON RIVER PARKWAY PROJECT

Claire. They determined to combine the two rivers in a huge parkway project, 80 miles long and embracing 40,000 acres. Committees were formed in the five counties through which the two rivers run and publicity sent out, the results being favorable. Land donations were offered. In order to get authority to start a project a bill was introduced into the legislature, passed and signed by Governor Dickinson authorizing a Huron-Clinton Metropolitan authority to unite and build what experts say can be the outstanding recreational system in the country. This bill will be voted upon in November 1940. It provides for the levying of a quarter mill tax on a thousand dollar valuation. However it means no additional tax but would be apportioned out of the 15 mill tax already levied. It is expected that the project could not be started until 1941 as it will take some time to get right of ways and survey the route. In all other parkway projects the result has been to increase property valuations and bring thousands of tourists and increased business into the section where the project runs. About eleven miles of the Huron River is located in Livingston county. There has already been much resort development along it and this project would tend to boom it much more. If the amendment passes in 1940 it is expected that the county road commissions of the different counties and the conservation commissions would construct the parkway. All county road commissions of the five counties are represented on the county committees.

At the Howell meeting, Bruce McPherson of Howell, a pioneer in the county good roads movement presided. Speeches were made by H. Earhart, president of the committee, and Professors Edwin Goddard and Edwin Curtis of the U. of M. A county committee was organized consisting of Bruce McPherson, Frank Ritchie, Wm. Slavin, Claude Rollison, Tom Woods, Henry Roas, Dan Noecker and Rex Peckens.

This project will be sure to benefit the county as only about 11 miles of road would have to be built, the cost should not be excessive spread over a term of years.

The committee and all other persons interested were to make an auto tour today from the mouth of the Huron river at Lake Erie up to its source at Lake Pontiac and then down the Clinton river to Lake St. Claire. Dinner will be served at the Barton Hills, Ann Arbor.

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MICH. BELL TELEPHONE CO. MAKES IMPROVEMENTS

This service expansion has been accompanied, the president emphasized, by a residence rate schedule that is 15 per cent below that in 1934 as the result of two rate reductions since that year.

"With these expanded facilities also has come a substantial improvement in service", Mr. Welch declared. "It is easier to hear over rural lines, and the all around service is better today than ever before because of the plant improvements made the past three years. Pole lines and other outside equipment are being replaced. More and more cable is being extended into rural areas, further safeguarding the service. The most modern telephone instruments and central office equipment are being installed."

By the end of December, he stated, gross additions to central office equipment in rural areas during the last three years will have reached \$525,000, outside plant additions, \$474,000, and new telephone instruments, \$251,000, or a total of \$1,250,000. Nearly half a million dollars worth of the plant additions and current second half of this year. Improvements is scheduled for the

The end of the year will find old equipment replaced with new in approximately half of the 194 rural exchanges in the state. Three years ago only 3.6 per cent of the rural exchanges were of the common battery type while 96.4 per cent were furnished magneto service.

Michigan Bell officials estimate the company will have 35,000 rural telephones in service at the end of the year. Of that number, 14,000 will have common battery service. There was a time when it was not unusual to have as many as 15 customers on a single rural telephone

Classified Want Ads

FOR SALE—One good Guernsey cow and 350 shocks of yellow dent corn.
Edward Singer.

FOR SALE—Apples for cider. All kinds. Reasonable.
Theodor Luhmann,
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GRAPES FOR SALE—Any amount.
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LOST—Six head of cattle, 4 heifers and 2 yearling bulls. Finder please notify
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GASOLINE Station for lease. \$5.00 per month. Lunch Stand Included. Capital Needed, \$200.00. Inquire of M. Hillman, Box 225, Ann Arbor, Michigan Phone 2-3821.

DANCE—St. Joseph's Hall, Friday, September 8, Jack Dowling's Band, 25c Admission.

GRAPES FOR SALE—Any amount you want.
H. Barkovitch

FOR SALE—Grapes, all kinds, any amount.
Will Kennedy.

FOR SALE—Three Brood Sows, also three pigs nine weeks old.
Theodore Olderman, Jas. Henry farm.

STOCKBRIDGE livestock sale every Tuesday. Had a good run of livestock last Tuesday with top prices. Buyers for lambs, calves, cows, and feeder pigs. Come in and see our yards and let's get acquainted.
J. A. Mitterer, Mgr. R. H. Mitterer, Auctioneer.

FOR SALE—Peaches, apples, and vegetables at market prices.
Van Slambrook's Fruit Farm

WANTED: An elderly couple to rent modern farm house 1 1/2 miles west of Pinckney. Willing to allow part on rent for care of place.
Inquire at Dispatch Office

FOR SALE—10 Tube Atwater-Kent Radio, cabinet style \$8.
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FOR SALE—Baby carriage, good as new for \$10.
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FOR SALE—One 14 ft. boat used; one two wheel trailer; one small The circulating heater, \$8.00.
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The average today is only about six and seldom more than eight connected to one line.

Two years ago a queer looking glow made its appearance in rural Michigan. Its function was to bury telephone wire in the ground. Since that time the Michigan Bell Telephone Company has installed more than 1,800 miles of buried circuit.

SCHOOL NOTES

Last week \$120 worth of new equipment for the laboratory arrived. In case some of you don't know the work being done in the laboratory. Here is a brief idea.

To receive more credit from the University, each pupil should do each experiment. Up to now, either the teacher or a few students at a time would demonstrate to the rest of the class. With the new plan, a laboratory bench and necessary natural gas will be installed. This will enable twelve students to work at a time. By a careful scheduling each student can do every experiment for himself.

This plan also will enable the Chemistry students to carry on projects that will illustrate the practical applications of chemistry. For example, soil testing, paint pigments, also the testing of paints and the manufacture of plastics such as bakelite, etc. We will also carry on the study of coal tar products (dyes, drugs) and the method of extracting gasoline, kerosene and motor oils from crude oil. Another interesting project will be analysing popular products for harmful ingredients.

Manchester won the game Friday night by a score of 15 to 6. The next game is with Linden on September 29, there.

Girl's Athletic Assoc is fixing locker and shower rooms this week. They have it cleaned and expect to have painted this week. Mr. Van Blaricum is donating the work. Any other donations of furnishings in a fairly good condition will be greatly appreciated by the girls.

NOTICE

No Sunday Hunting in Livingston County. Violators will be prosecuted.

FOR RENT—Brick house in village of Pinckney.
Lucius J. Doyle.

FARM HAND—Single man, reliable honest; take care small farm, near Brighton; chickens, few small stock. Board, room, compensation. Write B. Fenrich 12701 Sussex, Detroit.

PEACHES—6 varieties.
Cecil Roberts, Pinckney-Howell road

FOR SALE—Early Gobbler potatoes
Phillip Sprout, Phone 1975.

FOR SALE—Brick house in village of Pinckney
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FOR SERVICE—Registered Belgian Stallions. Rubis breeding now standing at my farm
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JOHN C. ELLSWORTH

John C. Ellsworth, 92, the oldest active banker in the state of Michigan died at his home in Fowlerville on Friday. He had been in the banking business there 65 years and had weathered five panics, never closing his bank a minute and never turning away a single depositor. The funeral was held at Fowlerville on Sunday.

JOHN McMANUS

The body of John McManus of Jackson was brought here for burial in the Pinckney cemetery Saturday. The funeral was held from the Deenoyer Funeral Home in Jackson at 1:00 P. M. Saturday. Mrs. McManus was formerly Elizabeth Broad-stall of Pottsville.

Mrs. Edith Peck, Miss Lois Kennedy and John Burg were Saline visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reason visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weidman at Dexter Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Dabore of Windsor, Ontario, spent Sunday with Mrs. Thomas Sheehan.

Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Plummer were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Oviat of Gregory and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Peterson and daughters of Howell.

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| Graham Flour | 5 Lb. Sack | | 19c |
| Salt | 10 Lb. Bag | | 19c |
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| Karo Syrup | 5 Lb. Pail | | 33c |
| Pancake Flour | 5 Lb. Sack | | 19c |
| Sugar | 25 Lb. Bag | | \$1.63 |
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