

Pinckney Dispatch

Local Interest War News

Deaths and Activities of the Boys From This Section Who Are in Their Country's Service.

Word received from Edal Meyer who enlisted in the U. S. Navy and has been at the naval pier, Chicago, was that he had been transferred to a receiving ship on the Pacific coast and would receive his mail in care of the postmaster at San Francisco, California.

A letter received from Norman Miller read that he was back with his old company at Camp Livingston La., but that they expected to receive marching orders most any time now.

Robert Dilloway, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dilloway, recently examined by the army, was rejected for bad eyesight. He is employed in the office of the state police at East Lansing.

Ted Adesh, expected home on a furlough, wrote that it had been postponed as his company was undergoing three weeks of strenuous training.

Among those scheduled for army medical examination at Detroit on February 18, are Bert Wylie, Grant Ward, Charles Schaefer, Willie Rockhold, and others.

Stanley Zera, science teacher in Pinckney high school, has been called for army examination at Howell for the selective service draft. So has Harold White who is managing the Haller store here at the present time.

Royal Baker, Jr. formerly of Camp Livingston, La., writes that his address is now Los Angeles, Cal. Bennie Van Blaricum, who has been ill with pneumonia, has about recovered. Leonard Devins was also ill at Camp Custer with scarlet fever.

Arthur Krych, released from the army on the 28 year clause, last November has been recalled to duty and leaves for Camp Custer today.

Unadilla has three pairs of brothers both in the service. Ted and Leo Hackenberg, sons of Rev. Hackenberg, of Unadilla village, were inducted last April. Both are in different artillery companies at Fort Lewis, Wash.

Albert Barbour and Clarence Barbour, sons of Mrs. Stephen Barbour are also in the army. Clarence is at Fort Blanding, Florida, and Albert at Camp Wallace, Texas.

Ed and Clare Gilmore, two more Unadilla boys, are also in the army. Ed is in South Carolina and Clare is at Camp Livingston.

Richard Howlett is at Fort Bragg, S. C. His brother, Clifford, intends to enlist. This will make the fourth brother combination from Unadilla.

Rev. Fr. Joseph Dion, a brother of Rev. Lewis Dion, former Pinckney pastor, has enlisted in the army as a chaplain. We understand he was one of the 10 priests who enlisted in this capacity.

A card from Don Lang, inducted into the army last week states he has been sent to Aberdeen, Maryland, the army proving grounds.

GODFREY - THOMPSON

Richard Godfrey, son of Mr. and Mrs. William B. Morton, of Ann Arbor, and Miss Evelyn Thompson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Thompson, of Detroit, were united in marriage Saturday morning at the Community Congregational parsonage. Rev. J. M. McClucas officiating.

The young couple were attended by Mr. and Mrs. William Morton, of Ann Arbor. Mr. Godfrey is in the army and Mrs. Godfrey will make her home in Detroit where she is employed, for the duration of the war.

DIED SUDDENLY IN DETROIT

Detroit papers last week carried the notice of the death of Leland Kennedy, 47, well known Detroit attorney and at one time partner in the same firm with the late Edwin Deady. He was well known in Masonic circles, serving as master of Detroit Lodge No. 2 F. & A. M. In 1938 he came out to Pinckney and conferred a 3rd degree for Livingston Lodge with his degree team. Surviving are his wife and 2 sons.

CAR USER STAMPS SOLD

The Pinckney postoffice sold a total of 225 car users stamps this month.

Sugar Rations To Start Soon

Heads of Families Will Be Issued Sugar Stamps, Allowing Them 12 Ounces of Sugar Per Week.

Sugar rationing will begin in about three weeks, according to a government bulletin. One person must register for each family. He will be issued a book containing 28 sugar stamps, each one dated and good for 12 ounces of sugar. This he takes to the store where he buys sugar, tears out the stamp and gives it to the grocer, who pastes it on a card with the customer's name.

To get these sugar rationing stamps, the family head must register in a school, where the teachers will have charge of registration.

At the time of registration, the one who registers must give the amount of sugar on hand and if it exceeds two pounds per person, the appropriate number of stamps will be torn from his or her book. No more sugar will be allowed him until the stock is used up.

Giving false information is punishable by \$10,000 fine or 10 years imprisonment.

Details concerning the issuing of sugar and large industrial concerns will be announced later.

During the fruit canning or preserving season, additional regulations will be issued.

3rd REGISTRATION IS FEB. 16

The third army registration for the selective draft for residents of Putnam township will be held at the Putnam township hall on Monday, February 16. Frank Bowers is the chairman and will be assisted by pupils from the high school. According to law, the registration hall must be open from 7:00 a.m. to 9:00 p.m. For the convenience of those who cannot register on that day they may register with their local board on the Saturday or Sunday preceding the registration day.

The registrant must answer only nine questions. They are: 1, Name; 2, Residence; 3, Mailing Address; 4, Telephone; 5, Age; 6, Date of Birth; 7, Name and Address of Person Who Always Knows his Address; 8, Employer's Address; 9, Place of Employment or Business.

NOTICE

As a defense measure in helping prosecute the war, I would like to ask the people of this township to make every effort to gather scrap metal and old iron that is laying around useless. In your business or on the farm, in this way you can realize something from the sale and also do a good turn for our great country.

If you will let me know by phone or postal card, I will try and arrange to have it picked up.

Frank Bowers, Phone 22 Pinckney.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued in this county last week: Ralph Humerick, 24, Webberville, Kathryn Roberts, 22, Gregory Richard Godfrey, 22, Lakeland, Evelyn Thompson, 22, Detroit; Robert Munsell, 23, Fowlerville, L. Elinor Sharpe, 22, Fowlerville.

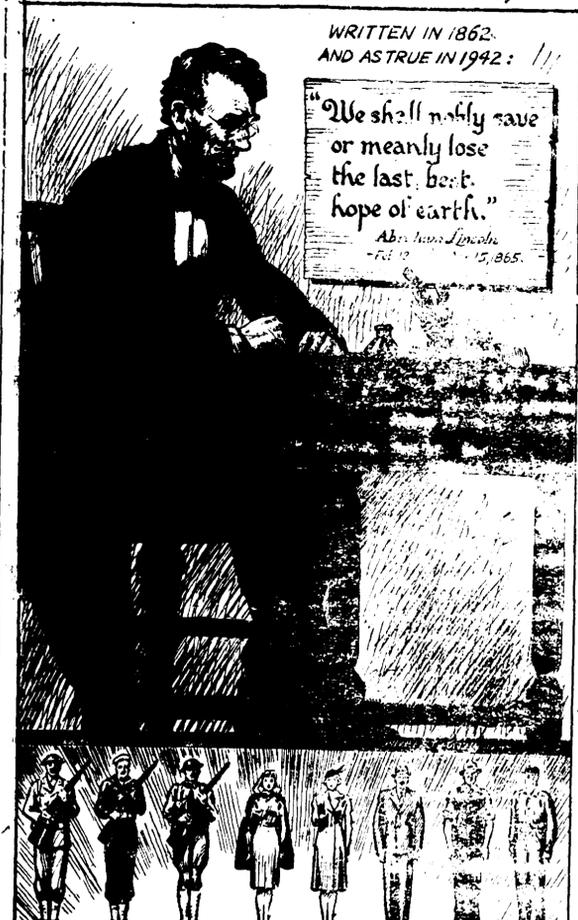
WALTER C. CLYMER

Walter C. Clymer, 41, died Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Erma Lewis, where he has been cared for since Sept. 16th, 1941. His wife died at the Lewis home, Oct. 19th, 1941. He leaves one daughter, Mrs. Sam Gibson, of Lansing; his father, Steve Clymer, of Byron; a half-brother and four half-sisters. Funeral was held at the MacDonald funeral home in Howell, Monday at 2:30 p.m.

AUCTION SALE

I will sell my personal property at public auction at my farm located two miles east and 1/2 mile north of Gregory, on THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19th Starting at 12:00 Noon. Said property consists of two Horses, 12 Head of Cattle, of which 8 are Milking Cows; 2 Brood Sows, Stack of Hay, a Complete Line of Farm Implements, and a Quantity of Household Goods. Terms of Sale - Cash JAMES SMITH, PROP. PRICE and MITCHELL, Auctioneers

OUR DEMOCRACY



Engagement Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Burns announced the engagement of their eldest daughter, Helen Marie, to Jack L. Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Young, of Gregory, at the Burns home last Friday night, Feb. 6, which was also the occasion of her 20th birthday.

About twenty of her close friends gathered at her home, giving her a complete surprise upon her return home from her work in Ann Arbor where she is employed in the office of the King-Seely Co., since her graduation from St. Thomas high school, of Ann Arbor, with the exception of a month spent in California as the guest of her uncle, Bernard McCluskey, and family.

The evening was spent in playing bridge and bingo, prizes being given the winners. A buffet luncheon was served, consisting of hot drinks, jello, marshmallows and potato chips. The main feature was a beautiful, decorated pyramid cake, each pyramid holding five candles, making twenty, and bearing the names Helen and Jack (his birthday was Jan. 6). This was served with ice cream. Helen received congratulations and good wishes, as well as many gifts to place in her cedar chest, which she received on this occasion. Guests were present from Pinckney, Howell, Fowlerville, Fenton, Deerfield, Gregory, Ann Arbor, and Detroit.

Among those who were present were Earl Berquist, Lloyd Nash, Bill Baughn, Bill Kuhn, Bob Young, Frank Smith, Max Reynolds, Garry Eichman, Mary Spears, Mary Jane Gallagher, Jean Craft, Helen Reason Betty Baughn, Peach Palmer, Muriel Read, of Pinckney and Bonnie Burns of Deerfield.

GIVEN ANOTHER OFFICE

Homer Tilney, who has a cottage at Strawberry Lake and attends St. Mary's church in the summer time, has just been elevated to another office, that of president of the American Business Club, in Detroit. He is also Supreme Bozo of the Grand Order of Bozos, a member of the American Legion, Detroit Lodge of Elks and the United Commercial Travelers.

Don Clark is staying at the W. H. Meyer home while his family is quarantined with scarlet fever.

Mich. Mirror State News

State Capitol New Items from Here and There

Michigan's "news story of 1942" when recorded by historians, will probably be the unparalleled scrapping of the automobile industry and the latter's complete conversion to production of munitions.

Its import staggers the imagination. Developed for 35 years into one of America's leading industries - one accredited by economists with leading the nation out of the world depression - the automobile industry does not exist today. Assembly lines are being torn out. Space is needed for war orders.

Try to comprehend this: War work of the Ford Motor company will require TWICE as many employees as were needed for making of automobiles and trucks.

Instead of 100,000 workers, Ford must have 200,000!

Chrysler's government contracts for army tanks - today are TEN TIMES GREATER than the original order from Washington, largely as it was.

General Motors is DOUBLING its dollar volume.

A labor shortage, such as Michigan has never experienced, is regarded as inevitable.

Military needs will take tens of thousands of men under 44. Married men with family dependents - a wife with or without children - and men supporting parents or other relatives face the prospect of ultimate military service.

Government aid for dependent will be supplied.

Furthermore, thousands of women will probably work in war factories before Victory is achieved.

Transportation of workers to Michigan war plants is a major problem. Conversion of automobile carriers into busses is proposed in Detroit. New highway and parking facilities are being studied. It's one of the numerous new headaches plaguing war planners.

Michigan's dairymen are asked to increase milk production 10 per cent. Uncle Sam wants Michigan's 950,000 cows to produce an average of 500 MORE pounds of milk per animal than the 5,200 pounds averaged in 1941. To do this each cow will

THE NEW TIME SCHEDULE

Pinckney slipped into the new time change Monday with scarcely a ripple and no protests as far as we know. The school opened an hour earlier. The mail arrived an hour earlier and everything was stepped up an hour. With but few exceptions in the state the people seem to take the new time good naturedly.

MASONIC SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION

Dr. Francis B. Lambie, grand lecturer, will hold a school of instruction for the lodges in the 14th district, of which Pinckney is a member, at Ann Arbor on Friday evening, February 13. It will be held in the Masonic temple at Ann Arbor and will commence at 7:30. The work will be in the first degree with the 3 Ann Arbor lodges doing the work. The 14th district is made up of the following lodges: Three Ann Arbor lodges, Ypsilanti, Plymouth, Northville, Saline, Chelsea, Dexter, Pinckney, Brighton, Howell, and Fowlerville. Livingston lodge expects to send a good delegation. All who have no way to go, please phone the secretary.

UNION CAUCUS

A Union Caucus will be held at the Village Fire Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1942 at 3:30 p.m., for the purpose of nominating candidates for the several village offices to be filled at the village election, on March 9th, 1942.

NOTICE

The Young People of the Community Cong'l church will have a Valentine party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Evans, Saturday evening, Feb. 14th, at 8 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Evans are in charge of all arrangements.

CURRENT COMMENT

According to General Hershey, the department, exemptions from military head of the selective service - deference for those with few dependents are liable to be few and far between. Already the war department is making out allowance allotments for the dependents of men who have so far been immune to the draft. Many draftees with minor defects, who were placed in class 1B will also be inducted into the service. For illustration, many were rejected for faulty dentistry, while the government maintains a dental corps which could have corrected this faulty dentistry at low cost. The demand today is for a huge force and this cannot be achieved unless the purely decorative rules of induction are abridged. As for the new draftees who will register this month, it is unlikely that any will be called before May and it may even be July before they are available.

Considerable criticism is appearing in the papers and over the radio as to the present tendency to play up slight Allied victories with glaring headlines and broadcasts and minimize the defeats suffered. The objection to this is that it causes a letdown in the morale and a smug complacency comparable to that which existed previous to Pearl Harbor when 99 per cent of the people believed we could defeat Japan with one arm tied behind us. The Pearl Harbor defeat changed this attitude and, for a time afterward, this country was the most united in purpose it had ever been. Of late, the smug complacency attitude seems to be returning. The censorship shuts off much of the war news and the present attitude to play over the defeats and enlarge the victories is probably as much a result of deficiency of news which makes it necessary to stretch it out to an extreme degree.

In the Washington news column of the Lansing State Journal is given a plausible reason for the impending sugar shortage which made ration cards a necessity. Of the 1942 sugar supply about one million tons has been laid away by families and corporations. Another million tons was lost by the war in the Philippines. These deficiencies could have been offset by a larger Cuban quota and a setup in the domestic crop. Powerful interests, engaged in the spirit and alcohol manufacturing have insisted that one million and fifty thousand tons of the Cuban output be turned over to them in the form of high test molasses. They refuse to use any other base, although the distillers offered to manufacture the product from corn and wheat, of which there is a plentiful store. This would release the Caribbean harvest or about one-fourth of the output, for domestic use.

Monday the clocks of the nation were set ahead one hour in conformity to the law recently passed by Congress. This is supposed to give the nation one hour more of daylight in which to work. In the past this has not proved unpopular as it gives the working man a longer evening; Michigan, however, was one of the states which does not set their clock back each fall and ahead each spring. Nevertheless they do conform to the law. The net result seems to be that schools and other institutions have set their starting time back one hour.

A suit of interest to the state at large started in the circuit court at Hillsdale this week. It had its inception some time ago when Walter Evers, of Waldron, kept his 14-year-old son out of school to assist him in farm work. When he refused to send the boy to school he was tried before Justice Hagaman, found guilty and given a 60-day jail sentence. He appealed to circuit court and is being tried there this week by Judge Arch before a jury of 12. Tuesday, the jury found Evers guilty. He was released on \$2000 pending the report of the prosecuting officer before passing of sentence.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Loomis, Jr. (Constance Darrow) Harper Hospital, Detroit, on Feb. 5, a son, Richard Nelson.

SYLVAN THEATRE

Air Conditioned
Michigan's Finest Small Town Theatre
CHELSEA, MICH.

Friday, Saturday, Feb. 13, 14.
'CONFIRM OR DENY'
A Melodrama with
DON AMECHE, JOAN BENNETT, RODDY McDOWELL
Cartoon News

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday,
February 15, 16, 17
'BIRTH OF THE BLUES'
A Musical Comedy with
BING CROSBY, MARY MARTIN and ROCHESTER
Matinee Sunday, 3:00 cont.

Wed., Thurs., Feb. 18, 19
'Never Give A Sucker An Even Break'
A Comedy with
W. C. FIELDS, GLORIA JEAN and LEON ERROL
Plus
'FLYING CADET'
An Action Drama
EDMUND LOWE, WILLIAM GARGAN, PEGGY MORAN

Coming: "Nothing But the Truth" "Skylark" "Sullivan's Travels"

Howell Theatre

10% tax on all tickets

Thursday, Friday, Feb. 12, 13.
BETTY GRABLE, CAROLE LANDIS, VICTOR MATURE
in
'I WAKE UP SCREAMING'
with
LAIRD CREGAR, WILLIAM GARGAN
Novelty Cartoon News

Saturday, Feb. 14th
Matinee 2 p. m. 11c and 22c
ANNE SHIRLEY
in
'UNEXPECTED UNCLE'
also
'BADLANDS OF DAKOTA'
with
ROBERT STACK, RICHARD DIX and ANN RUTHERFORD
Cartoon

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday,
February 15, 16, 17
Matinee Sunday 2 p. m. cont.
ALICE FAYE, CARMEN MIRANDA, JOHN PAYNE and CESAR ROMERO
in
'WEEK END IN HAVANA'
in Technicolor
with
BILLY GILBERT, COBINA WRIGHT
Comedy Novelty News
Mickey Mouse Cartoon

Wednesday, February 18th
All Adults 15c plus 2c tax.
JANE FRAZEE
in
'SING ANOTHER CHORUS'
with
JOHNNY DOWNS, MISCHA AUER, WALTER CATLET
'MR. DISTRICT ATTORNEY'
in
'THE CARTER CASE'
with
JAMES ELLISON, VIRGINIA GILMORE

Coming: "Down Mexico Way" "Playmates" "Moon Over Her Shoulder"

VILLAGE CAUCUS

TAKE NOTICE, That a Citizens Village Caucus will be held at Village Fire Hall on Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1942, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of Nominating Candidates for the several Village Offices to be filled at Annual Village Election, March 9th, 1942, viz:

Village President
Village Clerk
Village Treasurer
Three Trustees, for two-year term
Three Trustees, one-year (to fill vacancy)
Assessor
One Assessor

Signed, Nellie E. Gardner,
Clerk of Village of Pinckney
Dated February 2nd, 1942.

THE AVON THEATRE

Stoughton, Mich.

Friday, Saturday, February 13, 14.
A Comedy
'SAILORS ON LEAVE'
with
WILLIAM LUNDIGAN and SHIRLEY ROSS
also
A Newspaper Story Drama
'PUBLIC ENEMIES'
with
PHILIP TERRY, WENDY BARRIE
U. S. Short "Pots to Planes"

Sunday, Tuesday, Feb. 15, 17
A Musical Comedy
'SUNNY'
starring
ANNA NEAGLE with RAY BOLGER and JOHN CARROLL
News
Cartoon: "Donald Duck's Income Tax" "Timber"

Coming: "Smilin' Through" "Down in San Diego" "Forced Landing" "Married Bachelor"

GEMS FOR YOUR Scrap Book

HONOR

The surest way to live with honor in the world is to be in reality what we appear to be.—Socrates.

By skillful conduct and artificial means, a person may make a sort of name for himself; but if the inner jewel be wanting, all is vanity, and will not last.—Goethe.

Be noble-minded! Our own heart, and not other men's opinions forms our true honor.—Schiller.

Honor to faithful merit is delayed, and always has been; but it is sure to follow.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Honor and shame from no condition rise;
Act well your part: there all the honor lies.—Pope.

By humility and fear of the Lord are riches, and honor, and life.
—Proverbs 22:4.

PHILATHEA NOTES

Mrs. McLucas is entertaining the class at the Parsonage this Wednesday afternoon, for the quarterly Missionary meeting.

The lesson topic for next Sunday is "Growing Tensions with False Leaders". Matt. 5:16-26; Luke 6:12-16. Everyone invited to our interesting lesson periods.

EDWARD J. McKERNAN

Edward J. McKernan, 56, died at his home in Lyndon township after an illness of several years. He was employed by the Detroit Edison Co. in Wayne and Macomb counties for many years, until ill health forced his retirement. Surviving are his wife, formerly Mary Quinn, of Harvey, Ill. two daughters, Mrs. Ben Thelen, Ann Arbor and Mrs. C. J. Eveland, of Detroit; a son, Kenneth; a brother, Eugene, and four sisters, Mrs. Ed Sullivan, Detroit; Mrs. W. H. O'Brien and Lucille McKernan, Chicago, and Mrs. James Ryan, of New York City. Also surviving are eight grandchildren.

He was the son of the late John McKernan and Ellen Tiplady McKernan.

The funeral services were held St. Joseph's Catholic church, Dexter, Rev. Fr. Walsh officiating. Burial was also there.

WHOM TO HATE

One reason this country still is not giving maximum sacrificial support to the war effort is that the Roosevelt-haters can't stop their Roosevelt-hating.

Let's be frank about this. Here's our situation:

The ship of state is in a storm. True enough, you may have warned the captain that he was fooling in dangerous waters with the clouds threatening on the near horizon. But that's past. Now we're in the storm. Nothing is to be accomplished but disaster by carping at the captain or by failing to join in repairing the damaged rigging.

Sure, some of the captain's pets are still trying to redesign the ship while she's in trouble, and the captain's wife insists on loading up with dance partners although we're already over heavy with nonworking cabin passengers. Kick about that if you want to. That's your right.

But Franklin Roosevelt is captain and the ship is still making water in a rough sea. It's time to man the pumps and give 'em all you've got. If you're doing that you won't have much time to hate Roosevelt or anybody except the rats—Japrats.

—Jackson Citizen-Patriot

Hamburg

Mrs. Jennie Ferman was hostess at the Ladies' Guild of St. Stephen's Episcopal church at the meeting held at the James H. Hayner home Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. N. J. Stephanon, the president, was in charge of the meeting which opened with singing "My Faith Looks Up to Thee" and prayer by the president.

A report of the Christmas party was given by Mrs. Nellie Pearson. It was voted to pledge \$10 to the Williams House, in Detroit. Three honorary memberships were taken out to the Williams house, for Mrs. Etta Twichell, Mrs. William H. Keedle and Miss Jule A. Ball, others taking out memberships were: Miss Bessie Hollister, Mrs. N. J. Stephanon, Mrs. Jennie Ferman and Mrs. Henry M. Queal.

Memberships in the American Red Cross was taken out by the Guild. Resolutions on the death of Mrs. Larry DeWolf were read by Mrs. Ida Knapp.

Mrs. Frank Buckalew and Mrs. Nellie J. Pearson were appointed readers, respectively in the Yellow and Blue Contest.

Mrs. Stephanon read a poem entitled, "Lincoln". Official reports were given by Mrs. Frank Buckalew and Mrs. Nellie Pearson. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Winkelhaus, Thursday afternoon, March 5. Mrs. Ferman served light refreshments.

The annual meeting of the Hamburg Cemetery Association was held at the Jury Hardware store Saturday afternoon. The meeting was in charge of Charles Bennett, the president. Official reports were read by E. Wray Hinckley; the treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of \$92.02. It was voted to levy an assessment of \$1.00 per lot and 50c per half lot for 1942. It was voted to raise the price of full lots to \$50 and alley lots to \$35; this price to include perpetual care.

Officers elected for the ensuing year are: Charles Bennett, president; Wayne Jury, vice-president; Miss Jule Ball, secretary; E. Wray Hinckley, treasurer, Columbus Roshlow, sexton.

Hamburg cemetery is one of the oldest, if not the oldest, in Livingston county. The first burial was that of Christopher Lupton Culver, who was killed at a barn raising in 1839. It was originally named Hamburg Burying Ground.

Troop 56, Hamburg Boy Scouts, Billy Bennett, Scoutmaster, and Frank Rutkowski, Jr., James Featherly Jr., Kenneth Leach, Edward Moon, Donald Moon, Robert Moon, Wesley Shannon, Robert Moon, Lee McMichael, Kenneth Mohlman, Gordon Jones, Herman Radoff, Harold E. Rice, James Gardner, and Adolf Knorpp, scouts, attended the Court of Honor held at Brighton Monday night; all were given the Tender-award.

Mrs. Florence Spooner, of Chelsea, who was visiting her sister, Mrs. E. Wray Hinckley had the misfortune to fall Sunday night, fracturing her leg below the hip. She was taken to the Foote hospital in Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Hinckley visited her Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hayner, and James Hayner and Mrs. Jennie Ferman, of Hamburg, were in Jackson Friday night to attend the graduating exercises of Jackson high school, Miss Vera Hayner, granddaughter of James Hayner, being one of the graduates. They remained overnight with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hayner.

Mrs. Clifford Van Horn has been spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Weeks at Grand Ledge.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moon and daughter are moving from Hamburg village to the Harry Moon farm.

James H. Hayner and Mrs. Jennie Ferman were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Hayner, of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Basil Bell and two daughters, Wanda and Geraldine and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller and son Ralph, Jr., of Dearborn, spent Sunday with Mrs. Bell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Myers.

KING'S DAUGHTERS MEET

The King's Daughters held their February meeting last Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Dora Swarthout. Owing to the inclemency of the weather, the attendance was not as large as usual. Assisting the hostess were Mesdames Mary Teasle Pauline Vedder, Carrie Swarthout, and Lucy Reason.

Red Cross and hospital sewing continue to occupy the time of the circle members. It was voted to contribute toward the educational system for the Crippled Children's Hospital. Following the business meeting, guessing contests were held in which honors were awarded to Mrs. Millie Elliott. A tasty luncheon was served.

SCHOOL NOTES

The Sophomore class is planning on selling defense stamps in the school, to help the government in the present emergency. There will be no profit for the class, the there will be the satisfaction of knowing that they are doing their share to help.

SOCIAL NEWS
Last week Friday, a party was given by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burns to announce the engagement of their daughter, Helen, to Jack Young. The occasion was also Miss Burns' birthday. Among the guests were friends from Howell, Hamburg, Gregory, Deerfield, and Pinckney. Cards and bingo were played. Dainty refreshments were served. Miss Burns received many beautiful gifts. A good time was enjoyed by all.

6th - 7th GRADES
Mrs. Lobdell's room won the paper contest. They have collected over two tons of paper.

The seventh grade has a new member from New Jersey. His name is William Hartman.

The girls in the 6th and 7th grades made a valentine box for the primary room and also a red, white and blue one for their own room. The grades are going to make

Fri. Feb. 13

Sat. Feb. 14

ABC

BY MERCHANDISERS

Corn Meal	5 Lb. Bag	19c
Orange Juice	45 Oz. Can	26c
Kix	2 Boxes for	19c
Grape Fruit	7 for	25c
Cleanser	LIGHT HOUSE 3 for	10c
Cocoa	2 Lb. Can	17c
Matches	carton 6 Boxes	19c
Catsup	14 Oz. Bottle	10c
Crites Pumpkin	1 Lb.	20c
Libby's APPLE BUTTER	12 Ozs.	15c
Roman Cleanser	26 Oz. Jar	15c
Bacon Squares	1/2 Gal.	18c
Butter	Lb.	35c
Oranges	Doz.	35c
Hominy No 2 1/2 Can		10c
Florida Oranges	Doz.	20c
Cottage Cheese	2 Lbs.	25c
Bananas	3 Lbs.	23c

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Don's Gulf Service

SCHOOL NOTES

The girls in the 6th and 7th grades made a valentine box for the primary room and also a red, white and blue one for their own room. The grades are going to make

their own ice cream at school for their Valentine's party.

L. D. Haines is back in school after several weeks of sickness. The paper collected to help pay for the stove amounted to \$59.15. The students collected it all.

BASKET BALL NEWS
Pinckney's winning streak of six straight games came to a sad end Tuesday night when Chelsea tore them to pieces in a game at Chelsea by a 38-18 score. This was also, incidentally, Chelsea's first win of the year, all other teams they have met having used them for a doormat. Dexter, whom Pinckney has beaten twice, took Chelsea two times. Chelsea accomplished this by bottling up Bill Kuhn. He has been averaging 20 points a game. At Chelsea he got 6. The efforts of his teammates were too weak to make up for his lack of scoring punch. Policht led the Chelsea scorers with 12 points. Chelsea led 16-6 at the half.

The Pinckney reserves also took it on the chin, 19-29. Fred Singer was their main scorer with 10 points but his teammates failed to give him much support.

The following are the scoring records of the team in 7 games:

First Team	
Kuhn	116
Plummer	86
Palmer	86
Reynolds	34
Young	26
Ludtke	6
Gentile	6
Aschenbrenner	1
Second Team	
Singer	47

Jones	34
Reid	27
Haines	18
Lamb	18
Ippolito	11
Sprout	8
Doolittle	5
Vedder	4
Griffith	4
Green	1
Meyer	0
Doyle	0

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AUTO LOANS
Finance your late model used car through this bank

We have ample funds available for sound loans

REAL ESTATE, MORTGAGE OR PERSONAL AT REASONABLE RATES

This Bank has a supply of income tax blank, for your convenience.

Year 1921

AVERAGE PRICE PER KILOWATT HOUR OF ELECTRICITY = 6.13¢

Year 1941

AVERAGE PRICE PER KILOWATT HOUR OF ELECTRICITY = 3.28¢

WHAT USED TO BE A "LIGHT BILL"

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NOTE OF 25 YEARS AGO

Considerable indignation has been caused here by the act of the Grand Trunk Railroad in taking off two passenger trains. One is the west bound leaving here at 9:54 a.m. and the east bound, leaving here at 4:44 p.m. Roy Darwin, who lives here and is one of the board of railroad commissioners has circulated a petition to get the trains restored. The railroad's reason for taking the trains off was to conserve coal.

The literary class of the high school will put on a Lincoln Day program on Feb. 18. The following is the program: Song, school; Lincoln's Boyhood, First Grade; Recitation, Edwin Brown; Song, "Our Flag"; Intermediate and Primary Girls; Recitation, Beulah Martin; Quartette, High school girls; Little Maids of Long Ago, Primary girls; Recitation, Dorothy Shehan; Your Country Needs You, Intermediate boys and girls; Solo, Beatrice Hinckley; Village Blacksmith, Helen Carpenter; Recitation, Georgia Fitzsimmons; Solo, Madeline Bowman; Instrumental Duet, Claude Dham; Henrietta Kelly; Betsy Ross Drama, Intermediate girls; "Hurrah for the Flag", Intermediate boys and girls; Washington's Life, Thelma Campbell; The Bridge, Edna Darrow; Lincoln's Life, Carter Brown; Abe Lincoln, Aesopic, 14 Boys; Longfellow's Life, Pearl Haines; Song, High School; Recitation, Pauline

Swarthout; Drill, Grammar Girls; Columbia, School. Remarks J. P. Doyle.

C. G. Meyer has purchased a drug store on Kercheval Ave., in Detroit and will move there.

St. Mary's church will raffle their \$250 phonograph at the opera house on Saturday night. Seebald, the magician, and Pullin, the ventriloquist, will give an entertainment.

The masquerade social held at the opera house last night by the Cong'l church was a success, about \$75 being cleared. The program was headed by the Old Maid's Drill, led by Clyde Galloway. The ladies also gave a drill with Miss Florence Kice as leader.

The marriage of Bernard J. Lavey, of Howell, to Miss Camille Glaser, of Williamston, took place on Feb. 8th at the Bishop's Chapel, Detroit, Rev. Fr. Fenlon officiating. The couple were attended by Elizabeth Lavey and J. A. Conners. They will live at Howell.

The Gregory play billed here for Saturday night was postponed.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris were Sunday guests of Mr. and William McMacken, at Howell.

Miss Leota Reason and Mesdames Jennie Devereaux and Frances Frye were in Howell Monday. Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Reason called on Mr. and Mrs. John Rape, at Whitmore Lake one day last week.

After Three-Week Layoff, Pinckney High School Defeats Dexter 38 to 21 for Sixth Straight Reserve, Loss 33-31 in Overtime.

Despite a three-week layoff due to postponements on account of the scarlet fever prevailing here, Pinckney showed good form in the game at Dexter last Friday night, turning back that team 38 to 21. Pinckney led 21 to 10 at the half and were never in danger. Bill Kuhn, who had averaged 20 points per game, was a little off, yet scored 12 points to lead the scorers. Plummer and Youngs made up for it by scoring 19 and 8 points each. Reynolds got 6. Dexter got few shots at the basket, the Pinckney zone defense keeping them away. Wagoner was their high scorer with 9 points.

Pinckney	Dexter
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Palmer	F Bates
Kuhn	F Mast
Plummer	F Waite
Young	C Moore
Gentile	C Shaw
Reynolds	G Wagoner
Ludtke	G Kleinse't
Aschenb'r	G

Field Goals: Kuhn 6, Plummer 4, Young 3, Reynolds 3, Bates 2, Mast 1, Moore 1, Kleinschmidt 1, Wagoner 4. Foul Goals: Palmer 1, Plummer 2, Young 2, Gentile 1, Waite 2. Wagoner 1. Fouls: Pinckney 11, Dexter 11.

Referee: Ryan. In the preliminary game between the two reserve teams, Pinckney had trouble keeping a team on the floor, Lamb, Singer and Ippolito all going out on fouls. Pinckney led 17 to 15 at the half but failed to hold the lead. Dexter led until the final minute of play when a field goal by Sprout tied it up. In the overtime period, Dexter finally managed to win out, 33 to 31.

Jones led the Pinckney scorers with 13 points. Sprout and Haines each got 6, Ippolito 4 and Lamb 2.

Reserve Game

Pinckney Res.	Dexter Res.
Haines	F Allmendinger
Sprout	F Mosher
Ippolito	F Zabinski
Greene	F McLeod
Jones	C Burt
Doolittle	G LaRosa
Singer	G Ritchie
Lamb	G

Field Goals: Haines 3, Sprout 3, Ippolito 2, Jones 5, Lamb 1, Allmendinger 5, Mosher 3, Burt 3, Ritchie 1. Foul Goals: Jones 3, Allmendinger 2, Mosher 2, LaRosa 2, Ritchie 2. Fouls: Pinckney 18, Dexter 18.

Referee: Ryan.

IS TAXATION DECREASING

For years we have heard of the staggering burden of increased taxation and believed it, yet the other day at East Lansing, former State Senator William Doyle, now representing a chain store association, said this belief is all hokey and entirely unsupported. In fact, he claims government costs have decreased and gives figures to prove it.

In 1930, the state property tax was \$27,500,000, corporation tax, \$7,225,000, utilities, \$20,000,000, miscellaneous, \$12,750,000, gas tax, \$22,000,000, weight tax, \$22,500,000, giving a grand total of \$237,277,000.

Ten years later the property tax had been abolished and two new taxes, the sales tax, which yielded \$60,354,000 and the liquor tax, which yielded \$17,500,000, had replaced it. The corporation tax was \$1,773,000, utility, \$4,861,000, miscellaneous tax, \$3,000,000, gas tax, \$31,000,000, weight tax, \$1,000,000 less, giving a total of \$167,000,000 in 1940.

Taking school finances he selects an average district in Ingham county. In 1930 the budget was \$1,916,000 for 14,497 pupils. The state supplied \$279,000 of this, the rest coming from the property tax. In 1940 the state supplied \$673,000 of this \$49,000 from the sales tax money and \$223,000 in primary school money. Throughout the state the cost of secondary school education was cut from \$148 per child to \$119.

PHOTO-STORY OF ADMIRAL HART

Tough, peppery, 64-year-old Michigan-born Admiral Thomas C. (Tommy) Hart, commander of the U. S. Asiatic fleet, is the subject of a series of timely, highly informative illustrated articles starting in The Pictorial Review with this Sunday's (February 15) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times! Be sure to get the Detroit Sunday Times this week and every week.

Ray Reason returned to work at the Kinc-Reeley factory Monday after a three-week vacation due to scarlet fever.

JOIN HOME DEFENSE

Be Ready When They Commence Royal A. Baker

When you hear the roar of bombs, Come streaking, through the sky, With the deadly eggs, there laying, Screaming out "You must die"; When the burning wall about you, Come crashing on your head, Mangling up your children, To be counted with the dead; Then you'll awaken to the truth, A killer of your own, For you sat back on your hunches, While another guards your home. You've beaten draft and Red Cross, Defense bonds you won't buy, And when you're asked to help in war, You have an alibi: That your parties, bridge and functions, Are the most important things, Like hoarding up your neighbor's food, To fat, your apron strings. You may think no one is caring, Or watchful eyes on you, But we know the loyal Americans, Are different than a shrew.

Why not you be a PATRIOT, And help your soldier lad Who is fighting stinkin' heathens, In a bloody Hell gone mad. Because you think that you are safe Behind your wooden door, Or that we are not vulnerable, From distant foreign shore. Even nit-wit filled with hair pins, Or one with classic brain, Will not be worth a Tinker's Damm, When bombs begin to rain. So you must prepare your courage, JOIN UP WITH HOME DEFENSE, LEARN IT LIKE AN AMERICAN, BE READY IF THEY COMMENCE!

Miss Nellie Hecox, of Mason, and Miss Isabelle Nash, of Ann Arbor, were Saturday night guests of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ritter, Jr.

Dr. and Mrs. James Nash and family, of Elsie, were week end guests at the Lynn Hendee home.

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Valentine

Beulah Pickell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Pickell, and Wm. Landis, son of Mrs. Catherine Landis, were married at the Presbyterian church Tuesday evening at 8:00 with Rev. Hackenberg officiating. Henry Sharp, of Stockbridge, sang "O, Promise Me" accompanied by Mrs. Gladys Dunn, of Ann Arbor, as organist.

The bride was attended by her sisters Donna Jean, and Maxine and Marine Biehn and Argel Collins, of Chelsea, cousins of the groom, were best men.

John Landis, of Jackson, and Merlin Hopkins, of Howell, were the ushers.

The bride wore white satin with a veil and train and her corsage was white rosebuds and sweet peas. The bridesmaids wore pink and blue marquisetta with veils and yellow rosebuds and pink and white sweet peas for their corsages.

The mothers had gardenias for their corsages.

The organist wore an orchid taffeta floor length gown with a corsage of tiger lilies.

A reception followed immediately after the ceremony in the dining room of the church. Ice cream and cake was served to about 100 guests.

Mr. and Mrs. John Taylor spent Sunday in Flint with his mother, and sister and husband.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Cole and Mr. and Mrs. Bradford Cole, of Shepherd attended a meeting of the Michigan Bean Growers Association in Saginaw Friday P. M. and evening.

Mrs. Frank Oviatt was brought home from the Mercy hospital in Jackson Saturday, where she was taken for X-ray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Usewick and family have moved to Unadilla in the Landis house.

Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Carr entertained their daughter, Alice, from Ann Arbor, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harlow Munsell, Roberta and Charlotte Batdorf, of Fitchburg, attended the oyster supper at J. B. Buckley's in Iosco Friday evening.

Ed Brotherton returned Sunday from Midland where he has spent the past two months with his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don Carpenter, who brought him home.

The Gregory Bowling team will hold a banquet at the Mayfair Grill in Jackson, Thursday evening, Feb. 19th, at 8 o'clock, to close the winter bowling tournament. After dinner they will bowl at the Recreation.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Galbreath of Romulus, spent Sunday with his father, Chas. Galbreath, and wife.

The Berean Sunday School class of the Baptist church, will hold an open house class party during February.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Davis, of Ypsilanti, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ludtke.

Mrs. Christine Howlett has moved back to her home in Gregory from the farm.

Relatives here received word of the marriage of Miss Wanna Bowdish, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Bowdish, to Corp. W. C. Erion Jr., of Buffalo, N. Y., which took place at Brunswick, Ga., on Jan. 24. He was stationed at Camp Stewart, Ga., with the 208th Anti-Aircraft Division. Mrs. Erion is a former Gregory girl and a graduate of Howell high school and manager of the gift shop at Cloister Sea Island Beach, Georgia. Mr. Erion is a graduate of Miami College, Oxford, Ohio. The couple were attended by friends from the resorts and a brother of the bridegroom. A reception was held for them, immediately following the ceremony. Corp. Erion left with his company for an unknown destination this week.

Clyde Thomas, of South Bend, Ind., and son of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Thomas, of Gregory, has been inducted into the army and sent to Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana.

Private Lawrence Gorton, who enlisted in the Army Air Corps, is stationed at Shepherd Field, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Chas. Poole, who has spent the past 8 months with his brother, Tom and Cleve Poole and wives and sister, Mrs. Jack Gorman, of Detroit, left for his home in Oregon Friday.

Chas. Sopp, who lives on the game reserve, east of Gregory, has received word from his son at Pearl Harbor that he is safe and well.

Mrs. Harold Caskey and Mrs. Ann Bumpus have returned from a visit with their husbands at Fort Monmouth, N. J.

The 4-H club boys held their February meeting with Kenneth and Donald Caskey Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Inez Bowdish has sold the four acres of land and house in Unadilla belonging to Peter Reecho to Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Teachworth, of Ann Arbor. Mr. and Mrs. Reecho have moved to Bay City, where he is employed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Mapes spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Fay Crawford near Okemos.

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that I will be at my home Tuesday, Feb. 3, 1942 from 8 o'clock a. m. to 8 o'clock p. m.; Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1942, from 8 o'clock a. m. to 8 o'clock p. m.; Tuesday, Feb. 17, 1942, from 8 o'clock a. m. to 8 o'clock p. m.

Notice - New Law

Tuesday, February 17, is Last Day For General Registration by Personal Application for Said Election.

The name of no person but an ANNUAL Resident of the Village at the time of said registration, and entitled under the Constitution, if remaining such resident, to vote at the next election, shall be entered in the registration book.

NOTICE: Absent Voter Must be

Although Sec. 2774, Laws Relating to Elections, Revision of 1939, still provides that an absent voter may apply for registration at time of applying for ballot, and gives form of Affidavit he should make, Act 63 of P. A. 1939 stipulates that in absent voter's application for ballots he must state that he is a "fully qualified and REGISTERED elector."

Opinion of the Attorney General is that Acts 66 and 63 "must be construed to repeal the inconsistent" provision of Sec. 2774 permitting absentee registration AT THE TIME of making application for an absentee voter's ballot.

Thus the Absent Voter's application and affidavit for registration are useful only in cases where voter may mail these in, then make application for ballots later, after registry has been completed.

The portion of application shown herewith enclosed in brackets should be crossed out when applying for registration.

FORM OF AFFIDAVIT STATE OF MICHIGAN

County of _____ State of Michigan
I, _____ being duly sworn depose and say I am a citizen and duly qualified elector of the _____ precinct of the village of _____, in the county of _____, and State of Michigan; that my postoffice address is No. _____ street or R.F.D. No. _____ P. O. _____; that I am not now registered as an elector therein (and that I am voting by absent voter's ballot at the election or primary election to be held upon the _____ day of _____, 19____, in compliance with the Michigan Election Law; and that I make this affidavit for the purpose of procuring my registration as an elector in accordance with the statute; That I make the following statements in compliance with the Michigan Election Law: Age _____; Race _____; Birthplace _____; Date of naturalization _____; I further swear or affirm that the answers given to the questions concerning my qualifications as an elector are true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Taken, subscribed and sworn to before me this _____ day of _____, 19____. My Commission expires _____, 19____.

Notary Public for said County, State of Michigan

Upon receipt of such affidavit in the time specified herein, the clerk shall write in the registration book the name of the applicant together with the other information required by this chapter and such applicant shall thereupon be deemed to be duly and properly registered.

Note-If this acknowledgement is taken out-of the State, the Certificate of the Court that the person taking the acknowledgement is a notary must be attached.

REGISTRATION OF ABSENTEE BY OATH

If any person whose name is not registered shall offer and claim the right to vote at any election or primary election, and shall, UNDER OATH state that he or she is a resident of such precinct and has resided in the VILLAGE TWENTY DAYS next preceding such election or primary election, designating particularly the place of his or her residence and that he or she possesses the other qualifications of an elector under the constitution; and that owing to the sickness or bodily infirmity of himself or herself or some member of his or her family, or owing to his or her absence from the VILLAGE on public business or his or her own business, and without intent to avoid or delay his or her registration, he or she was unable to make application for registration on the last two days, provided by law for the registering of electors preceding such election or primary election, then the name of such person shall be registered, and he or she shall then be permitted to vote at such election or primary election. If such application shall in said matter, wilfully make any false statement, he shall be deemed guilty of perjury.

Nellie E. Gardner, Village Clerk
Dated February 2, 1942

ON VALENTINE'S DAY...

Remember Uncle Sam, too!

Also Give U. S. DEFENSE BONDS STAMPS

REGISTRATION NOTICE

For Village Election Monday, March 9th, 1942

To the Qualified Electors of the Village of Pinckney (Prec. No. _____) County of Livingston, State of Michigan

Notice is hereby given that in conformity with the "Michigan Election Law", I, the undersigned Village Clerk, will upon any day, except Sunday and a legal holiday, the day of any regular or special election or primary election, receive for registration the name of a legal voter in said Village not already registered who may Apply Apostles' Creed on which to base. Provided, however, that I can receive no names for registration during the time intervening between the Twentieth Day before any regular, special, or official primary election and the day of such election.

Notice is hereby given that I will be at the Village Office at my home Pinckney, Michigan,

Tuesday, February 17th, 1942

the twentieth day preceding said election, as provided by Sec. 2767, Michigan Election Laws, from 8 o'clock a. m. until 8 o'clock p. m. on each said day for the purpose of REVIEWING the REGISTRATION and REGISTERING such of the qualified electors in said VILLAGE as SHALL PROPERLY apply therefor.

In any village in which the clerk does not maintain regular daily office hours, the village council of such village may require that the clerk of such village shall be at his office or other designated place for the purpose of receiving applications for registration, on such other days as it shall designate prior to the last day for registration, not exceeding five days in all.

Notice is hereby further given

PROFESSIONAL CORNER

The Pinckney Sanitarium

RAY M. DUFFY, M. D.
Pinckney, Michigan.
Office Hours—
2:00 to 4:00 P. M.
7:00 to 9:00 P. M.

DR. G. R. McCLUSKEY

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112 1/2 N. Michigan
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PERCY ELLIS

AUCTIONEER
Farm Sales a Specialty
Phone Pinckney 19-F-1

LEE LAVEY

GENERAL INSURANCE
Phone 59-F3
Pinckney Michigan

Ray H. Burrell Paul M. Burrell A. J. BURRELL & SONS

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R. M. Charlesworth, Mgr.
Phone 31 Brighton Mich

HERB SNEED
Phone 183 207 1/2 E. Grand River
Howell, Michigan
Real Estate, Insurance, Brokerage
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A Specialty
List Your Property With Me

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123 North Court Street
Howell, Michigan
Roofing: Metal, Asphalt, Asbestos
Siding: Asbestos, white and colored
Heavy Insulation, Insulated Brick
The Best Workmanship and the
Finest Materials Used
Let Us Estimate Your Job

JAY P. SWEENEY

Attorney at Law
HOWELL, MICHIGAN

MARTIN J. LAVAN

Attorney at Law
Phone 13 Brighton, Mich.

VanWinkle & VanWinkle

Don W. VanWinkle
Charles K. VanWinkle
Attorneys at Law
First State & Savings Bank
Howell, Michigan

P. H. Swarthout & Son

FUNERAL HOME
Modern Tel. Ambulance
Equipment 39 Service
Pinckney, Mich.

NEIGHBORING NOTES

The wedding of Beulah Louise Crockett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Pickell, of Cananda, to William Paul Lantis, son of Mrs. Catherine Lantis, of Howell, took place Tuesday night in the Unadilla Presbyterian church, Rev. Hackenberg officiating.

Dexter high school will have a band, some 67 pupils enrolling in it at a mass meeting at the school one night last week. Alvin Rounds of the University school of music, is the instructor. He was formerly instructor of the high school band at Demison, Ohio, which won the eastern Ohio championship.

A cow belonging to Hugh Rogers of near Hillsdale, recently gave birth to triplet calves for the second time within a year.

After a 15-mile chase through Shiawassee and Livingston counties, a 60-pound coyote was killed by Jerry Cosselman, a farmer living near Bancroft on a farm south of Byron.

\$4,000 worth of sheep were killed in Shiawassee county last year by dogs and coyotes.

Dr. Gerald Pelky, Brighton dentist, has enlisted in the U. S. Naval Reserve, getting a lieutenant junior grade.

Four county physicians, Drs. McGregor and Cameron, of Brighton, and Hayne and Crockett, of Howell are within the draft limits and have been given preliminary medical examinations. However, they have received no orders to report for duty. Citizens of Chelsea, held a mass meeting last week to consider incorporating for the purpose of building and establishing a hospital.

Lt. Col. E. L. Mills, former Livingston county Detroit Edison manager, has been transferred to active duty at Fort Wallace, Texas.

Active flight training started at the Howell city airport last week under the supervision of Lloyd Portert, of Lansing.

Charles Poole, who has been spending several months with relatives in Gregory and Detroit, has returned to his home in Eugene, Oregon.

The car of Russell Lozo, of Fowlerville, recently stolen from its parking place, has been recovered in Jackson.

Private Wade McCook, who graduated from Howell high school in 1941, has received an appointment to the U. S. Air Corps at Kelly field, Texas.

On the occasion of her 20th birthday, on Feb. 6, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burns announced the engagement of their daughter, Helen Marie, to Jack L. Young, of Gogory.

Miss Dorothy Brogan, of McPherson hospital, Howell, has resigned. She was acting superintendent for a while there.

CONSERVATION NOTES

The shipment of 250,000 lake trout eggs to Peru has been cancelled and the eggs returned to the hatchery at Thompson, Michigan. These eggs were held up so long in New York, due to delays in shipping caused by submarine attacks, that it was believed they had spoiled. However, on return to the hatchery, only 12.7 per cent were spoiled.

Feb. 16 is the final day for hunters to file game report cards. Better get busy if you don't want a representative of the conservation department to call on you.

The January mild spell is expected to cut down on the death of deer by starvation in northern Michigan.

First robins of the season are already being reported in different parts of the state.

Many townships and counties are finding use for tax reverted lands. Airports, parks, schools, and community forests, and managed woodlots are being developed there.

The odds against wildcat oil well drills striking it rich are about 16 to 1. Of 1807 wells drilled last year 80 produced oil, 28 gas and 1699 were dry holes.

With eight sharp-tailed grouse trapped and confined in pens, another attempt will be made to rear these birds artificially in incubators. All previous attempts have failed.

Conservation officers on patrol duty counted the following game animals dead or southern Michigan highways: 5,782 rabbits, 3,728 pheasants, 1,554 squirrel, 948 skunk, 772 muskrats, 460 deer, 354 opossum, 62 quail, 55 raccoon, 549 miscellaneous animals and birds.

TROUT will be added to the bass bluegills and perch in Loddell Lake a popular fishing spot near Flint, this year.

NOTES OF 50 YEARS AGO

Dispatch of February 18, 1892
A large number from here plan to go to Ann Arbor next Monday

to hear, President Cleveland speak.

The condition of the Stockbridge sleeping girl, Mable White, is about the same.

The sleighs are running again. 70 couple attended the K.O.T.M. dance at the hotel last Friday night. Born to Ed Cook and wife on Thursday last, a girl.

Wm. Wilcox, who underwent an operation at St. Mary's hospital, Detroit, has returned home.

O. T. Allen, foreman on the Democrat at Howell, has transferred his energies to the Lansing Journal.

The Dorcas Society has elected the following officers: President, Mrs. I. J. Cook; First Vice, President, Lucy Mann; 2nd Vice President, Addie Sigler; Secretary, Daisy Wilcox; Treasurer, Mrs. C. E. Coste Chaplain, Mrs. O. B. Thurston.

E. L. Glover, of Anderson, will organize a singing class, at the Congregational church next Sunday.

Thomas Birkett was in town on Monday. He says he does not understand why the people of this community do not form a telephone company.

A team belonging to the men loading straw at the depot ran away last Friday but did not do much damage.

About 65 people attended the Durkee-Holmes wedding at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Holmes, Rev. Love officiating.

St. Matthew's Temperance Society has organized with the following officers: President, John Donohue; Vice President, James Harris; Financial Secretary, Mike Ruen; Secretary, Wm. Devore; Treasurer, W. E. Murphy.

The board of St. Mary's church is now composed of John Fohey, Thomas Shelan, Malachy Roche and John McDonnell.

Miss Kate Dunn has entered St. Joseph's convent, Adrian, to become a member of the order of St. Dominic. Miss Rose Jeffreys will take the black veil at the Monroe convent next month.

William Stevens, of Birkett or Dover, passed away Saturday. He was buried in the Hudson cemetery.

T. P. McClear has sold his home in Gregory to C. McGee.

Miss Tessie Sweetman, of Dexter, visited her cousin, Mrs. Will Moran last week.

E. J. Briggs has been working in a sawmill at Quincy.

CONGRESSIONAL NEWS LEFTER

Hon. W. W. Blackney

The Civil Service Retirement Act

Some little time ago, H.R. 3487, a bill to further amend the Civil Service Retirement Act, came before Congress. The Senate had added some amendments to the bill. The bill was finally reported back to the House with the Senate amendments. Congressman Ramspeck presented this bill before the House by unanimous consent. Congress understood that there was no controversial legislation before it on that day, many members of Congress had gone to their various committee meetings. Therefore, when this bill was brought on the floor of the House, only a few members were present. It developed that the bill had broadened the Civil Service Retirement features so as to include members of Congress, both Senators and Representatives, and the President and the Vice-President.

Previous to this, the Civil Service Retirement Act had extended pensions to postmaster and post office employees, and other members of the Federal Government.

I did not vote for this bill. I had, on previous occasions, voted against the pension provisions for Congressmen, because I felt that this was not the time to take up pensions in higher brackets, because of the tremendous tax burden that is being imposed upon the American taxpayers, due to the national defense program.

As soon as it was generally known that this Retirement Act had been extended to Congressmen, a bill was immediately filed in the House to amend the Civil Service Retirement Act, by striking out the provisions pertaining to Congressional pensions. This will be done, in my judgement, and certainly should be done. While I am a believer in old age pensions, yet I believe that these pensions should be placed first where they are most needed.

Michigan and Magnesium

In 1918 the United States produced only 284,000 pounds of magnesium; this year we will produce 124,000,000 pounds. The American people are just becoming conscious of the value of magnesium which can be used in a multitude of ways—airplanes, motors, bombs, tracer bullets, etc.

Formerly, Germany led the world in production of magnesium. After World War No. 1, with Germany, the United States was thrown on its own resources so far as the production of magnesium was concerned. The Dow Chemical Company of Midland, Michigan, was one of its pioneers, increasing the production of magnesium in their plant from 7,000,000 to 18,000,000 lbs. a year, about all the old well could stand. Now, the Dow Chemical company, in order to increase production, has started its ocean mining—in other words, using the salty water of the ocean in the production of magnesium. The Dow Chemical company found a site at Freeport, Texas, for that purpose. From the ocean and from the Michigan brine wells, the Dow Company, this year, will extract 14 times as much magnesium as this country used in 1940.

Unification of Command in Army and Navy

One outcome of the Pacific disaster, particularly the Pearl Harbor catastrophe, is likely to be unified commands at important posts or in important campaigns. The Pearl Harbor report immediately provoked Congressional demands for such unification of land, sea and air command in war theaters. This policy is already being adopted in certain war zones, and it should result in a better Army-Navy coordination.

Weather Censorship Hits Fruit Growers

Censorship of radio and newspaper weather forecasts is causing unevaluated results. One of the fact of the censorship was to allow the coldest period in the history of the Far North to slip up on fruit growers in that area. Reports reaching Washington say that shrubbery was ruined, limbs overburdened with ice fell from the trees, and other damage was done. But, knowledge of the weather is of extreme value to the enemy, so not a word was said—nor will it be in the future, probably, so long as the war lasts.

Industrial Unemployment

Industrial workers in the factories of Flint and Lansing are greatly worried for fear that the change in production from automobiles to national defense material will necessitate a long period of unemployment. Congress has legislation before it at the present time which would lessen the hardships of those industrial workers who might be unemployed for such period of time as would result in considerable hardship.

Farmers Reasonable in Demand

Notwithstanding the statements made by certain editorial writers, our farmers are not profiting unduly as a consequence of the emergency. This fact was revealed by data furnished by the United States Department of Agriculture, The January, 1942, issue of Demand and Price Situation, states: "In 1942 prices received by farmers for farm products are expected to hold about parity, averaging neither greatly above or greatly below that point." At the same time, the American farmer, this year, will push his production of food to record breaking levels. This will be the farmers' outstanding contribution to the Nation's victory program.

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 6th day of February, A. D. 1942.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Bernard Lavey, 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 all of the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office on or before the 20th day of April, A. D. 1942 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 once each week for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

Willis L. Lyons,
Judge of Probate

A true copy:
Celestia Parshall
Register of Probate

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 27th day of January A. D. 1942.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Bessie L. Smith, M. I.

W. Marshall Smith having filed in said Court fifth, sixth, seventh, eighth, ninth, tenth and eleventh semi-annual accounts as guardians of said estate, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof,

It is Ordered, That the 16th day of February, A. D. 1942, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said accounts;

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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CHANCERY SALE

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston, State of Michigan, in chancery, made and entered on the 13th day of December, 1941, in a certain cause there pending between William H. Cooper and Sadie Cooper, his wife, Plaintiffs, and Louis Fink and Josephine Fink, his wife, The Industrial Morris Plan Bank of Detroit, a Michigan corporation, Theron M. Hall, Frederick W. Fox individually and Frederick W. Fox, as Executor of the Estate of Minnie Fox, deceased, Defendants,

Notice is hereby given, that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder at the West front door of the Courthouse in the City of Howell, County of Livingston, and State of Michigan (that being the place of holding the circuit court for said county), on Friday, the 20th day of March, 1942, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, the following described property, viz: all that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Putnam, County of Livingston, and State of Michigan, described as follows:

"The Southwest quarter (1/4) of the Northwest quarter (1/4) of Section Thirty-four (34); all that part of the Northeast quarter (1/4) of the Northeast quarter (1/4) of Section Thirty-three (33) lying Easterly of river; and all that part of the South half (1/2) of the Northeast quarter (1/4) of Section Thirty-three (33) lying Easterly of river. All in Town one (1) North, Range Four (4) East, Michigan."

Dated: February 2nd, 1942.

J. B. Munsell, Jr.,
Circuit Court Commissioner,
Livingston County, Michigan
Joe P. Gates
Attorney for Plaintiffs.
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 6th day of January, A. D. 1942.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Rollin G. Webb, Deceased.

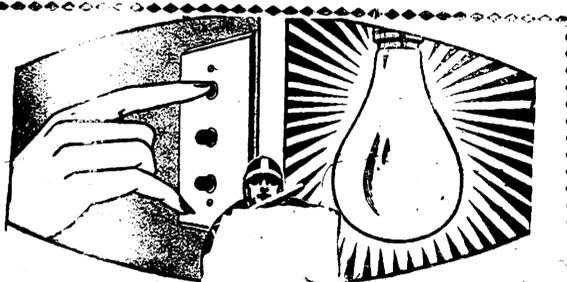
E. A. Densmore having filed in said Court his final administrative account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate;

It is Ordered, That the 16th day of February, A. D. 1942, 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,
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Miss Georgia Packer is working in Ypsilanti.
Mrs. Elizabeth Gaul spent the week end in Detroit.
Miss Leona Campbell is confined to her home by illness.
Miss Dorothy Meabon was home from Ann Arbor Tuesday.
Stuart Anderson is ill and Fred Fish is taking care of him.
Mrs. Edna Spears and Jack Sheldon were in Jackson last Friday.
Mrs. C. J. Clinton and Mrs. Ralph Clinton were in Ann Arbor Saturday.
Supt. E. L. Hulce and Dr. Ray Duffy were in Lansing on business Friday.
Mrs. Clair Miller spent the first of the week in Detroit with her parents.

Mrs. C. H. Kennedy, daughters, Helen and Rita, were in Howell on Friday.

Mrs. R. Merrill, of Webster, spent Friday with her mother, Mrs. Nettie Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dilloway have moved back to Howell from Lansing.

Ellsworth (Babe) Kirtland, of Detroit, was a caller at the Dispatch office Friday.

Mrs. Ross Read entertained her contract bridge club at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanson, of Munith, were guests of Mrs. Edna Spears last Thursday.

Roche Shehan and family, of Ann Arbor spent Sunday at the Will Shehan home.

Mrs. Elizabeth Frost is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Gertrude Amburgey, in Detroit.

Mrs. Mesdames Joe Metz, Norman White and Ernest White, of Howell, were Pinckney callers Saturday.

Miss Patsy Mauk, of Portage Lake, spent a couple of days last week at the Ona Campbell home.

The Charles McGregor farm, on M-36, east of Pinckney, has been sold to parties from Oak Grove.

The Misses Isabelle Nash and Nellie Hecox, of Ann Arbor, were week end guests at the W. J. Nash home.

Rev. Fr. Murphy is spending a couple of weeks at Benton Harbor and other places in western Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Goodremont and daughter, Charlotte, of Detroit spent the week end at Patterson Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hall and baby of Whitmore Lake, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Merwin Campbell.

Mrs. R. Schmelze and Mrs. D. Thompson and daughter, Gayle, spent part of last week with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Bourbonnais and two children, of Lansing, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Don Swarthout.

Axie Randall, who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. George Hornshaw was taken to the county infirmary last Thursday.

Mrs. Fannie Cavanaugh, of Jackson, and Mrs. Kittie McCabe, of Wyoming, were week end guests of Mrs. Jennie Devereaux.

Norman Reason has sold the Alfred Monks farm, now owned by the Citizen's Mutual Auto Insurance Co., of Howell, to James Murphy, of Lyndon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read, of Grand Rapids spent the week end at the Fred Read home. The Misses Crabb, of Grand Rapids, who have been visiting there, have returned home.

Last Thursday evening dinner guests of Mrs. Edna Spears were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Krych and Glenn Smith, of the Michigan State Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Clinton, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. AtLee, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee, Mr. and Mrs. Borton and Mr. and Mrs. William Dilloway attended the meeting of the 500 club at the Kettler home in Albion Sunday.

Week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Kennedy were Miss Helen Kennedy, of Nazareth Academy, Kalamazoo, and Mr. and Mrs. John Burg and son, of Armada.

Mary Elizabeth, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin J. Lavan, of Brighton, who was badly hurt when struck by an auto last summer, and who apparently recovered, was taken to University hospital, Ann Arbor, last week for an ear infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coyle were in Detroit Tuesday.

J. H. Hooker was in Howell on business Monday.

Lucas Wilson, Sr. left recently for Texas on a business trip.

Mrs. Emma Vollmer and son, Charles, were in Howell Monday.

Mrs. Joe Morris and David Ledwidge were in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hornshaw have purchased a home in Howell and will move there.

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Harry Murphy was in Detroit on Sunday.
John Craft was in Detroit Monday night to attend an OPM meeting.
Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hender spent last Wednesday with relatives in Ann Arbor.
Dr. and Mrs. Norman Wilson, of Jackson, were recent callers at the Arthur Bullis home.
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Nishett were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Wylie.
The Misses Gloria and Jean Craft spent the week end with Miss Betty Ritter, at Whitmore Lake.
Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Bland were Mr. and Mrs. Leland Line, of Marion.
Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Hooker and son, of Ann Arbor, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dillingham.
Dr. and Mrs. James Nash and children, of Elsie, were week end guests at the Lynn Hender and W. J. Nash homes.
Mrs. Warda Horwood and son and Mrs. Downs, of Iosco, called at the George Bland home Saturday. Also C. W. Hooker, of Ann Arbor.
Mrs. Nellie Frye entertained Mr. and Mrs. Fred Teple, of Howell, and Mrs. Mary Teple, of Pinckney, at dinner Monday night in honor of her birthday.
Week end guests of Mrs. Lulu Lamb were Miss Willa Meyer, of Ann Arbor, Miss June Lamb, of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. Bert Smith, of Perry.
The priorities which shut down the manufacture of automobiles in order to conserve steel for war needs has hit the auto salesrooms hard. The Ford Sales and Service at Dexter, operated by Gross & Lesser, closed Monday morning and the Ford Sales at Stockbridge, operated by Paul Ramsdell, also expects to be underdand.

CASH SPECIALS!

FRI. SAT. Feb. 13, Feb. 14

OXYDOL LARGE 2 LGE. PKGS. 43c	Duz GRANULATED SOAP LGE. PKG. 22c
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Lifebuoy Soap 4 bars 24c	Crackers "Sun-Ray" 2 lb. box 17c
Campbell's Soups Except 2 can 10c	Jell-o all flavors 3 pkgs. 20c
Prunes 2 lb. box 22c	Matches carton of 6 boxes 22c
Apple Sauce 1ge. can 10c	Maxwell House Coffee lb. 33c
Rice Fancy Blue Rose 2 lbs. 15c	Famo Pancake Flour 5 lbs. 23c
Oleo 2 lbs. 35c	Butter lb. 39c

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AUCTION!

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at auction on this farm located 7 miles north of Pinckney on Pinckney and Coan Lake Roads.

Friday, February 13th AT ONE O'CLOCK

<p>CATTLE</p> <p>Jersey Cow, 5 years old, due July 17 Jersey Cow, 6 years old, due April 30 Holstein Cow, 2 years old, due February 21 Guernsey Heifer, 6 months old Guernsey Heifer, 5 months old Guernsey Heifer, 6 months old</p> <p>HORSE</p> <p>Black Mare, 12 years old, weight 1600 lbs.</p> <p>CHICKENS</p> <p>90 White Rock and Leghorns</p> <p>FEED</p> <p>Quantity of ear-corn 10 tons clover hay 3 tons timothy hay</p> <p>HOUSEHOLD GOODS</p> <p>Oak Dining Table</p>	<p>6 Oak Dining Chairs Oak Bed Complete Library Table Florence Four-Burner Oil Stove Kitchen Table and Electric Vacuum Cleaner</p> <p>FARM TOOLS</p> <p>Steel wheel wagon, nearly new John Deere mowing machine, good condition McCormick mowing machine John Deere three-section spring tooth drag Two-section spike tooth drag Syracuse walking plow Oliver riding plow Two-horse cultivator Cream Separator Milk Pails Double set work harness, nearly new Set three-horse whiffle trees Set two-horse whiffle trees Forks McCormick feed grinder Milk Strainers And many other articles too numerous to mention.</p>
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TERMS - CASH

Lyle Bennett, Prop.

HAROLD GATES, AUCTIONEER PHONE HOWELL 872-M LYNN HENDEE, CLERK

Mrs. Mary Lamb was in Mason Tuesday.
A card received from Julius Achenbrenner says he is basking in the sunshine at Camp Roberts, California, but that he expects to be transferred soon.
Mesdames Mauk, Baughn, Doolittle, Howe, Aberdeen, and King attended the Home Extension meeting Saturday at the Pardon home on the Northwest Territorial Road.
Arthur Goode and wife (Virginia Hoisel), who have been in California and Arkansas the past year, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Winston Baughn and father, M. J. Hoisel.
Mr. and Mrs. Carter Brown and son and the former's father, Charles W. Brown, left for Fairhope, Alabama, Tuesday to spend three months. Thomas Ware, of this place, went there several weeks ago.
Pinckney Chapter O.E.S. No. 145 held a school of instruction last Friday evening. It was conducted by the grand organist, Bernice Lane, of Lansing.
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Sprout attended a dinner Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Soule, of Howell, celebrating the 4th birthday of Sherrill Soule.

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require 1,000 pounds additional hay and 500 pounds more of cereal grain. See Bony!

Lay off of \$15,000 automobile workers and the financial burden of providing unemployment compensation were responsible for the second special session of the state legislature at Lansing this week.

Michigan's law permits maximum compensation of \$289 per jobless worker, \$16 for 18 weeks.

President Roosevelt has proposed that Congress supplement payments to allow a total of \$624 at the rate of \$24 for 26 weeks. Since automobile plants are being converted by the government to war needs, the White House feels that the government should share the extra burden of unemployment compensation, ordinarily shouldered by the employer. Election ear factors are seen in the election of the state administrative board (bi-partisan in control) to send Governor Van Wagoner and Secretary of State Harry F. Kelly to Washington for a bi-partisan recommendation.

Kelly comes from Detroit, hub of the motor industry.

Van Wagoner's political strength has been in metropolitan centers rather than upstate, as the election polls show.

Michigan employers have been paying the highest rate of tax in the nation, 3 per cent as against 2 per cent maximum paid by practically all other states, according to the Manufacturers' Association.

That accounts, in part, for our \$140,000,000 reserve fund.

Ten states pay more than Michigan in maximum unemployment payments; only three states pay more than Michigan in minimum payments.

Federalizing of the employment security system, as suggested in Washington, is seen as a threat to employer-earned experience rating by which a lower levy is possible through stabilized work.

Administrators of many of the state unemployment compensation laws are opposing federalization. The Southern Governor's Conference went on record (1) that the complete administration of state employment services be restored to the respective states as soon as the present emergency has passed, and (2) that nothing in the present emergency would justify the federal government in taking over the administration of unemployment compensation.

Governor Van Wagoner admitted the other day that he was the "on" governor" who apparently was not opposed to federalized control.

Governor p...)-xix- Old-fashioned vacations, as contrasted to modern gypsy outings, may become the 1942 vogue in Michigan.

Chief reason: Tire rationing. That's the forecast from the East Michigan Tourist Association which concludes that people are going to stay "put" for vacation duration, preferring a cottage or hotel to days of restless motor travel.

Our advisor, Frank Davis, adds: "We have already seen evidence of doubling up in automobiles and an increased amount of bus and railroad travel."

George A. Osborn, editor of the Sault Ste. Marie Evening News, offers several reasons why Michigan should have a fair tourist season in 1942:

(1) A survey of automobiles using the Straits ferry last summer disclosed a majority of cars were less than one year old. Tires should be in good condition.

(2) British have found that vacations were more necessary than before due to increased pressure of war work at long hours.

Less gasoline tax revenue is anticipated, however, by Highway Commissioner G. Donald Kennedy. In 1941 the gasoline levy produced \$82,000,000.

Effect of tax cut: Road construction will be limited to defense needs.

Michigan's state government owns and maintains a fleet of 737 auto-staff members of the state liquor commission used 11 cars recently to go to Detroit for a routine hearing. Governor Van Wagoner proposed a pooling of state-owned cars under which one car might do the transportation work of three or four.

"It's inefficient to wear out rubber carrying fewer persons than the car will hold," he said. The same rule of economy should apply to civilians, the governor added.

"War Time", inaugurated last Monday (Feb. 9), received the official blessings of the state administrative board last week. Reason: Detroit power companies estimated additional daylight would save between 2 and 3 per cent of their annual

Classified

Want Ads

FOR SALE: Team of 10-year-old horses, weight 1400 each. Lee Lavey

FOR SALE: Several hogs, weight over 200 lbs. each. Philip Sprout, Phone 19F11

PICKLE GROWERS! I have contracts and seeds for Madison Co. this year. C. F. Hewlett, Watkins Dealer Pinckney, Michigan.

FOR SALE: Good Breeding Geese. Clifford Vanhorn.

FOR SALE: Several used Schultz and International milk coolers, traded in on larger size Esco Niagara Coolers. General Farm Appliances Co. Chelsea, Michigan.

WANTED: Lake front cottage. Must be good beach, preferably Portage Lake. \$1200 to \$1500, cash. K. W. Rathbun, Northville

FOR SALE: Plymouth coach, low mileage and in excellent condition. Like new. 1937 Chevrolet coach in very good condition. Frank Bowers

FOR SALE: Wrigglers for fishing, 75c per hundred. Friday Haines

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FOR RENT: West half of house at 355 East Main St. Inquire of Jay Lucas of Dexter or Mrs. Mary Fitzsimmons, Pinckney.

FOR SALE: 80 sheep and lambs, also Poland China Boar for service. John Spears

FOR SALE: Kitchen Range and Kitchen Cabinet. George Meabon Jr.

FOR SALE: Two and four wheel trailers. John Dinkel

FOR SALE: Yellow dent corn, hand husked. Philip Sprout, Phone 19F11

power production. Ben Koenig, coordinator of the Grand Traverse county defense council, returned to Traverse City from a week end trip "down state" fully determined to rush preparedness plans for enemy air raids.

"Perhaps it would not be policy to mention the location of the area I visited", he related, "but air raid instructions in all prominent places indicated that they fully expected to be bombed. These air raid warnings were significant enough, but when I saw 175 hospital beds all made up and reserved for air raid casualties I realized how serious the danger actually is."

Michigan food distributors, retailers and wholesalers, were recently recognized officially by the Michigan Council of Defense through appointment by Governor Van Wagoner of the Michigan Food Council as a sub-committee to the council's consumer committee.

Willis Keasey, Michigan Retail Grocers association, is president of the state food group while W. F. Doyle of the Michigan Chain Stores bureau is vice-president. Among the members are Leo V. Card, commissioner of agriculture, and W. G. Armstrong, master of the state Grange.

If consumer groups start crying "profiteering" at grocers, the council will be expected to provide the answers — right in committee conferences.

Welton Chamberlain called on relatives in Chelsea Sunday. Miss Margaret Aschenbrenner, of Dexter, was home over Sunday.

Miss Joyce Isham is staying with Mrs. Winifred Graves for a few weeks.

Mrs. William Surdam is home from the Michigan State Sanitarium because of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morris attended a party Saturday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grove of North Lake.

Sunday guests of Mrs. James Roche were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Ross of Jackson, and George Roche, of Fowlerville.

FOUND: Black spaniel pup. Owner can have by proving property. Earl Baughan

FOR SALE: Having sold my farm, I am offering the following articles for sale: Three complete beds, one White Enamel Oil Range, like new, Period Design Dark Oak Dining Table, six chairs to match, Kitchen Cabinet, Low Boy Radio and many other articles at my farm, two miles east of Pinckney on M-36. Mrs. Charles McGregor

FOUND: One Hog. Owner can have by proving property and paying for keep. Gerald Reason

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FOR SALE: One new, 100 egg oil incubator, \$8; one used 250 egg oil incubator, \$8; one used Dufold, \$5; two used row boats, each \$10; one used three-burner oil stove with oven, \$3. Inquire of Mark Swarthout, Portage Lake.

FOR SALE: Eight room house, 2 1/2 acres of land at Anderson corners. Edmund A. Perry

FOR RENT: House at 1013 Dexter Road, Pinckney for the winter.

WANTED: Farms of any size, with or without stock and tools. Cash Phone 617 Howell or write or call buyers waiting for desirable farms, at my office, 112 State Street, opposite the Court House west. L. HAROLD CRANDELL Howell, Michigan

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Mr. and Mrs. Ben White were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank White and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Kellenberger and son were Sunday visitors of Ray Kellenberger and family.

Miss Loretta Roche, of Lansing, spent the week end with her grandmother, Mrs. James Roche.

Miss Roberta Shirley, with a party of friends from Howell, attended the snow carnival at Ionia Sunday.

Mesdames Herbert Palmer and Edwin Hulce entertained the Chelsea bridge club last Thursday night at the Palmer home.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Soule and daughter, Sherrill, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Sprout last Sunday.

Messrs Fred and Harry Evers Ben White were Friday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Petch and family, of near Fowlerville.

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To the "At Home Army" falls the duty of providing the materials the food, the clothing necessary to keep up a continuous flow of supply. Without that supply no man can fire a shot.

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CASH SPECIALS		
Flour Gold Medal	24 1/2 Lb. Bag	\$1.17
Lard Armours	1 Lb. Pkg.	15
Peanut Butter	2 Lb. Jar	29c
Pure BUCK WHEAT Flour	5 Lb. Bag	25c
Coffee MAXWELL HOUSE	2 Lb. Can	65c
Chcerioats	2 Pkgs.	15c
Tuna Fish	Chicken of Sea Can	20c
Lux, Lifebuoy Soap	4 bars	23c
Pineapple	Sliced or Crushed No. 2 Can	21c
Hominy	No. 3 Cans	29c
Spaghetti	2 Lb.	15c
Peas-Carrots	Mixed No. 2 Can	10c

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