

Pinckney Dispatch

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News Items of Boys in Service

News and Items Concerning Our Boys Who Are Serving in the Armed

Phillip Gentile who has been attending the U.S. Naval school at Western State college, Kalamazoo, for the past 16 months has graduated, and is home until March 12. Then he goes to Notre Dame university, Indiana, for 3 months after which time he will be graduated as a naval ensign, rank equivalent to a second Lt. in the army.

While no complete draft figures are available as to the 132 sent to Detroit last Wednesday for physical examination of those from here James Singer, Robert Taach and Kenneth Wylie passed, John Burg got limited service and Robert Aschenbrenner (Butch) and Raymond Bennett were rejected.

There will be another call on March 14 next.

James Reid, Pinckney high school senior enlisted in the navy last week and expects a call in about three weeks. Grant Gooley Jr. went down to enlist last week but his examination was not completed.

PFC Donn Widmayer who went overseas recently has arrived safely somewhere in India.

Pfc. Walter Graves is at Newport Va., and not in Charlestown, S.C. as we previously reported.

Captain James Lamb who recently went overseas is now in Hawaii.

Pvt. Wm. Darrow who is home on furlough has received a 10-day extension of his furlough.

A letter from Sgt. Beryl Amburgey from Germany says he got the Dispatch pretty regular until he went into Germany and now no mail comes through. Things there are not so hot now except for rain and mud. It is not so cold there. He enclosed a copy of the Windmill, an army publication and underscored an account of a company which was on duty nine successive days. Thanks the ladies for the Xmas gift. Wants Joe Layev's address. Says they have some fine looking dames in Germany but the G. I.'s are forbidden to fraternize with them and are subject to a \$65 fine if they do. Has not heard from Bill Kuhn in a long time. The last letter he got from him was written in Australia.

Pfc. Ellsworth Kirtland and wife (Eloise Gardner) of Murock, Calif. are home on 15 days leave.

A letter received from PFC Emmett Clark who was wounded in Germany says he is recovering nicely in a French hospital.

A letter received from Sgt. Leo Bettes describes an Xmas party given by the G. I.'s for the French children complete with Santas Claus and all. These children had not had any candy in two years or much else either. The G. I.'s saved up their candy to give to them.

SOLDIER LETTER

Belgium, February 12, 1945
Dear Paul and all: I just received the January copy of your paper. I have received two others copies and sure was glad to get them for it kind of lets me know about the good old high school games. I see that the basketball team will be playing Stockbridge tomorrow night. I sure would give all I own to be back there but I guess we will have to finish this game over here first. I sure am thankful that took up sports there in Pinckney for my foot ball sure has helped me a lot. I have heard from Max and Bill quite a few times and they both agree that they would have to put up a heck of a fight to beat that team we had in our senior year there at good old Pinckney. What do you think?

Well, things are going pretty good for us right at present but we sure had an awful time around Xmas and New Years. It sure was a blue time for us over here. We have been in some hot place but so far I have got through without a scratch and am sure I will get the rest of the way OK. I have been over here for 16 months now and it sure seems like a lifetime to me but so life goes in war time, I guess.

We sure had enough snow over here lately but I guess it can't compare with what you have been getting back there. At present it is quite warm and we are getting a lot of rain which makes it muddy but we can take it. It was much worse last fall.

Well, I can't think of any more to write this time. They censor our mail real hard right at present so there isn't much we can write at present.

Thanks again for the paper and I would like to hear from some of you back there.

As Ever,
Levi Ludtke

Sergt. Care (Speed) Gilmore of Gregory was killed in France Feb. 15. He graduated from Pinckney high school in 1929.

Goldie Markos Is Married

Pinckney Girl Is Married to Service Man in Riverside, California

Miss Goldie Markos, daughter of Martin Markos of Pinckney was married to Sergt. Lionel Parkin of March Field Calif. The groom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parkin of Grosse Pointe, Mich. The double ring ceremony was read by in the presence of friends of the couple.

The bride given in marriage by Mr. William Wesson wore a white lace and net gown with fingertip veil and carried an arm bouquet centered with two gardenias. Miss Katherine Nichols, maid of honor, wore pale blue and carried a bouquet of pink sweet peas. Corporal Bernard Siddle, friend of the groom acted as best man. Three year old Pereslet was the train bearer.

When the newly-weds left on a short trip the bride wore a black two piece dress with black and white accessories. After Feb. 7 the couple will be at the home of friends at 4477 Lemon St., Riverside, Calif.

The bride graduated from Pinckney high school and has been employed in the telephone dept. at Willow Run. The groom is stationed at March Field, Calif.

Out of town guests included Mrs. Elizabeth Spears Martin, Mrs. Ada Doss, Mrs. Dan Pereslet, all of Los Angeles. Congratulations!

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mrs. Naomi Murphy announces the engagement of her daughter, Mary Jane Gallagher to Howard E. Seefield, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julius Seefield of Ann Arbor. The wedding will take place in late July.

Miss Gallagher graduated from Pinckney high school in 1943 and is working for an insurance company in Ann Arbor. Mr. Seefield recently received an honorable discharge from the service and is employed by the King-Sealey Co. of Ann Arbor.

DIES IN CRASH

John Lonskev, former president of the Central Spaulding Co. of Ann Arbor was killed in an auto crash Sunday when his car hit a truck load of steel. Mrs. Albert Rapp of Ann Arbor and Mrs. Hazel Dudley of Ypsilanti who were with him were injured. Lonskev recently sold out to the King, Sealey Co. of Ann Arbor. About a year ago he purchased the Slayton garage here to start a factory but changed his mind and sold it to the Rogers Motors Co. of Detroit.

MRS. HATTIE VANWINKLE

Mrs. Hattie VanWinkle, 82, died at her home in Howell last week. She was formerly Hattie Tubbs and came to Michigan as a young child, being brought up in the family of the late William Placeway. He lived in the brick house now occupied by L. Steffe. She attended school in Pinckney and Ann Arbor and was married to William P. Van Winkle in 1884. They started housekeeping in the house on Main St. now owned by C. J. Clinton. Their eldest children were born here. Her husband had graduated from the law dept. of the University of Michigan and was elected circuit court commissioner and later prosecuting attorney in this county and the family moved to Howell. Five children were born to them. Madge Sinnerall of Morris, Ill., Don W. of Howell, Charles died in 1933. Helen who died in infancy and Harriet Snaddon of Detroit.

The deceased was prominent in church and social life having membership in the Howell Women's Club, D.A.R., King's Daughters and acting as chairman for the County Red Cross for many years. Mr. VanWinkle died in 1920 following an auto accident. The funeral was held from the home Tuesday with Rev. Noble officiating. Burial was at Howell.

GEORGE FRANCISCO

George Francisco, 77, died at his home in Dexter Thursday after a long illness. For over 40 years he was identified with the Dexter Savings Bank, first as teller, then cashier and for over 20 years as president. Surviving are his wife Nellie, and a sister, Dolly. The funeral was held at the German Funeral Home Sun. Rev. Hainsworth officiating. Burial was in Dexter.

50 years or more ago the deceased was known better for his athletic ability than his financial knowledge. Then he was the star pitcher for the Dexter Non-Parents a base ball team which went through the season undefeated and capped off their record by defeating the Jackson State League team of professional players The Roche boys. Mike and Billy, have played against him many times and so did the McClear brothers of Gregory.

OUR DEMOCRACY — by Mat

STUMBLING-BLOCKS AND STEPPING-STONES

"Each is given a bag of tools,
A shapeless mass, a book of rules,
And each must make ere life is flown,
A stumbling-block or stepping-stone."
—R.L. SHARPE



CARELESSLY STREWN STUMBLING-BLOCKS OF WASTE AND EXTRAVAGANCE — LAZINESS IN THINKING AND DOING — CAN MAKE OUR ROAD TO PEACE AND POST-WAR SECURITY SLOWER — MORE DIFFICULT.

LET'S PAVE THE WAY WITH WELL-WROUGHT INDIVIDUAL STEPPING-STONES OF THRIFT — WAR BONDS, LIFE INSURANCE, SAVINGS ACCOUNTS — OF ALL-OUT ENERGY IN OUR WORK — OF ALERT THINKING ON THE PROBLEMS THAT LIE AHEAD —

EACH WELL-MADE, WELL-LAID STONE HELPS SMOOTH OUR PATH TO VICTORY AND A SECURE FUTURE BEYOND.

Ended Season Here Friday

Pinckney Team Ends Season by Winning 2 Out of 3 from Brighton

The Pinckney high school ball team has drawn Brooklyn in the state tournament at Michigan Center and in sets that team there at 9:00 Central Standard time on Friday night or 10:00 p. m. Eastern War time. This is the same team they lost to last year.

Pinckney closed her season in a blaze of glory Friday night, winning two out of three from Brighton. The reserve team which has a record of 12 wins and 11 losses was way off for and dropped to opener to Brighton 30 to 13. The girls team came across with a tight victory 14 to 12. The game was a seesaw affair until the last quarter when Pinckney came from behind. Mary Gentile, a freshman, sank three baskets in this period to win the game for Pinckney. Jean Craft and Muriel Reat each got 4 points for Pinckney. Norma Jean McClees, center for Pinckney last year was in the Brighton lineup this time.

The game between the two varsity teams was another nip and tuck affair and practically even throughout. Pinckney led 8 to 9 at the half. In the second half the scoring became freer. Within 10 minutes to go Pinckney led 25 to 26. Brighton was given two foul shots, enough to win the game but missed both. Garth Meyer got another field goal following this to give Pinckney the game 28 to 25. This ends the season for the team except for the tournament. The first team has won 5 and lost 9, the girls won three and lost five and the reserves won 12 and lost two.

NOTICE

The 1945 Red Cross War Fund will start Thurs. March 1st and voluntary workers will be calling on every person in Putnam Township within the next few days.

Remember that the War Fund is the activity that makes all Red Cross services possible.

Under Congressional Charter, the American Red Cross is the official medium of communication between the people of the United States of America and their army and navy.

The amount of money raised last year amounted to over \$600. It is hoped to even better that that figure this year.

P. H. Swarthout, Putnam Chairman

INCOME TAX RETURNS

I will make out Income Tax Returns at the Merwin Campbell home, 265 Unadilla Street, Pinckney Friday and Saturday of each week beginning February 2nd until March 15th.

Mrs. J. M. McClucas

ST. MARYS CHURCH

Rev. J. Francis Murphy
St. Mary Church, Sunday March 4th the 2nd Sunday of Lent and the Feast of St. Casimir and St. Lucius. Lenten Devotions followed by Mass 8:40 and 10:40. It is communion Sunday for the women of the parish at the Altar society.

Novena devotions and Lenten devotion at 12:35 noon and 8:00 p. m. followed by preparation for holy communion. This is the 6th week of the 39th Novena.

The Month of March, is dedicated under the patronage of St. Joseph Patron of all home.

Friday March 2nd is the First Friday of the month with the usual devotions.

Intentions in the Holy Mass this week are, Sunday for the 2nd anniversary of the death of Arthur McCleer, and his devoted son, Pfc. Merlin, and the 11 o'clock mass was made by the Rev. Fr. Edgerly who assisted with the Sunday Devotions and Holy Mass, for the late Lawrence McCleer, Mon. was for Pvt. Bernard Ingersoll, Tuesday for the living, Wed. for the late Edward Tobin, Thursday for Mrs. B. Chovich, Friday, is the first Friday and is for the boys in service and the late Pfc. Killewald who was killed in action. March 3 for the living with the intention of Helen Sone, March 4 at 9 p. m. for the anniversary high mass for the late James Gibney.

COMMUNITY CONGREG. CHURCH
Rev. Alfred Allard, Minister.
Mrs. Florence Baughn, Organist and Choir Director.

C. M. Thompson, S. S. Supr.
Morning Worship 10:30
Sunday School 11:30
Choir practice Wed. evening.

Special Lenten services are being held each Wednesday evening at 7:30. The Pastor will bring the message this week.

The church appreciates the new collection envelope containers, which were made and installed by William Ketham.

A special collection for war victims will be received at the morning service next Sunday March 1.

The Sunshine class led by Mrs. Hazel Poulson, and the Wiping Workers, led by Herman Widmayer joined for a party at the church Tuesday evening. A pot luck supper was followed by games.

Owing to a crowded calendar, February "Church Nite" was cancelled.

GOZDOL MESSAGE
Monsieur

Franz Becherer Pastor
Martin Shiner Supt.
Sunday School 10:00
Young People's Meeting 7:30
Worship and Children's Study 11:30
Gottage Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:30

Michigan Mirror

State News

State News Gathered from All Over the State of Michigan

As we intimated in this column 2 weeks ago (state needs are due to get the right of way in 1945, Gov. Harry Kelly has taken thumbs down on the plea of large cities for a slice of the states anticipated 1945 surplus from the state sales tax, estimated to be between \$20,000,000 to \$25,000,000.

The governor's zeal for a post-war program which would meet the growing needs of the state of Michigan has become almost a passion with him. Kelly knows what Michigan's new veterans will be up against in a progress report which was distributed among state representatives and senators of the state simultaneously with his message rejecting a division of the sales tax for municipalities, Kelly paced the needs of war veterans first on the states postwar list.

Other state needs, as recognized by this printed report, were adult education, youth guidance, health, mental hospitals, planning for public work construction, conservation and tourist resort. Each one of the particular programs has become to the governor a personal dream. In his mind they outweighed by far the needs of municipalities. The result was a courageous and possibly adverse political decision by Governor Kelly: State needs must have the right of way.

Economic factors in the governor's decision include the following:

1. War-time inflation threatens to increase the cost of running the state government by \$27,000,000 to \$30,000,000 for the coming year, starting July 1. Hence the state must economize now if it is to avert a deficit.

2. The post war program of the State of Michigan totaling \$50,000,000 by estimates made one year ago. Twelve months later, due to inflated war costs, state planners declare that those projects will require \$90,000,000 instead of \$50,000,000. Every dollar of other surplus or 90 million must come out of the anticipated surplus of the state sales tax or out of a bond issue with its long-time additional expense of interest payments.

3. The state's present \$50,000,000 post-war reserve fund has been tapped for veterans' needs and unforeseen contingencies. Among the latter might be the actual bread and butter needs of the unemployed, such as occurred during Governor Murphy's administration leading to a treasury deficit. If certainly a lot of folks in large cities would be recipients of state aid.

Gov. Kelly's solution of the financial problem of the municipalities, consists of the following:

1. Issue \$50,000,000 in state bonds to be liquidated from the proceeds of a 4 percent state gasoline tax (one third higher than it is today). Proceeds would be apportioned among governments 40 percent to the state for trunk line highways, 35 percent to county and township for primary roads and 25 percent to city and village for streets.

2. Increase the state's mark on packaged liquor from 46 to 56 percent. (The retail per bottle cost in

BENEFIT DANCE

Pinckney Chapter No. 147 OES will sponsor a Benefit Dance for the 14th Hibbard War Fund Project on Saturday, March 3, at 9:00 p. m. at the Pinckney High School. The Grand Chapter of Michigan has requested that all local chapters immediately sponsor a social function, the proceeds of which will be contributed toward this fund.

The Ida Hibbard War Fund Project was established in November 1943 for the purpose of restoring life-like plastic hands, wrists, forearms, ears and other facial parts free of charge to veterans of World War I. Their work is done by George Edwards and his staff of workers.

Michigan Sculptors who have attracted world wide attention because of their ability in this field of work, which is becoming of increasing importance each day.

The cost of these individual operations is priced up to about \$300. To this date over \$10,000 has been spent in the restoration of these appendages to wounded veterans, both boys and girls.

The Pinlan Orchestra will furnish the music and free refreshments. Admission charge is 60 and 35 cents.

Members of the Order have these tickets on hand or will be happy to obtain them for you, or the admission fee may be paid at the door on the evening of the dance.

Enjoy a social evening among your friends and at the same time help to defray the expenses of our returning wounded veterans and give them a new outlook on life.

Dorothy Ellis, Worthy Matron

CURRENT COMMENT

Here are some interesting figures. Wayne county, Michigan leads the entire nation in war contracts with a cumulative total of \$12,218,781.00. Los Angeles, California is second with \$10, 489,872,000 and Cook county, Chicago 3rd. In Michigan Oakland county is second, Genesee third, Washtenaw fourth and Ingham fifth.

All this should augur well for the period following the war. The workers in these factories have received substantial wages a considerable amount of which have been invested in war bonds. During the change bank to peace time production, following the war's end, this should act as a substantial cushion to prevent any great want during the time of unemployment.

The weekly papers of Michigan have had little to say about former Senator Chester Howell, the Chesaning editor, who has confessed and turned states evidence, in order to avoid the penalty, that for a bribe he helped railroad a bill through the legislature preventing dentists from practicing in Michigan papers. The Michigan Press News Letter has also been very quiet on this matter. Senator Howell is a past president of the Michigan Press Association and in failing to get this bill passed he, in fact double crossed his brother members of the association of which he has always been a prominent member. As Judge Carr's bill of justice continues to grind out more and more indictments, the average person is wondering just where the lightning will strike Judge Carr, by the way is a graduate of Pinckney high school.

During the conference following World War I the late President Wilson was severely criticized because he did not appoint any leading Republican to the peace treaty commission. Now when President Roosevelt appoints two leading Republicans in the persons of Senator Vandenberg of Michigan and former Senator Stassen of Idaho to please them. We are beginning to believe the only thing he could do to please them would be to do. The principal criticism of the name of Senator Stassen is that it is a kick in the shins toward Gov Tom Dewey, titular leader of the Republican party. This is a lot of buzz Gov Dewey was nominated last year on the strength of the belief that he could carry New York, Pennsylvania, Illinois and other populous states. The November results proved the fallacy of this and his hope of renomination is probably as that of Hoover Landon or Willkie following their earlier defeat.

Gov. Kelly seems to have left the people of Michigan stranded high and dry by his refusal to divert any of the sales tax to local communities. Last year he announced a tax study commission to draw a tax plan for relief of the cities and rural communities. The plan they offered was to cut the state sales tax to 2 1/2 cents and then divert the half cent to the cities and counties about \$15,000,000.

The state of Michigan now has a surplus on hand of about \$100,000,000. However the governor says nothing doing, that all the surplus is needed and all of this year's 3 cent sales tax is needed for veteran rehabilitation etc after the war. Instead he suggests a new tax levy by raising the tax on intangibles, beer, liquor, cigarette and increasing the gasoline tax one cent for highway construction.

This gasoline tax would raise \$50,000,000. The unanswered question is why the governor recommending a new \$50,000,000 tax program which the suggested tax on intangibles, beer, liquor and cigarettes would bring when all the outstate communities are asking for a cent of the present sales tax or \$15,000,000.

According to Gov. Kelly an amendment will be on the April ballot to change the 15 mill property tax. At the present a two third majority is necessary to increase it. The amendment would change this to a simple majority. This tax limit was enacted to curb the property tax at a time when highway construction was scarce and about everything else came from the property tax. These enterprises are now financed by other taxes and this two thirds majority to raise the 15 mill limit has proved a burden to many governmental units.

KINGS DAUGHTERS
The Pinckney Kings Daughters will meet at the home of Mrs. Clara Palmer Thursday at 2:00 p. m.

NEW OFFICE HOURS
Dr. Ray Duff announces the following office hours:
Sunday 11 a. m. to 2 p. m.
Wednesday 2 p. m. to 4 p. m. 7 to 8 p. m.
Saturday 7 to 8 in the evening.

an Theatre

CHELSEA, MICH.

Sat., Mar. 3

THE MERRY MONAHANS

Comedy Starring
DONALD O'CONNOR, PEGGY RYAN
and ANN BLYTH

Cartoon News

Sun., Mon., Tues., Mar. 4, 5, 6

Musical in Technicolor

"TONIGHT AND EVERY NIGHT"

Starring
RITA HAYWORTH, LEE BOWMAN,
JANET BLAIR, MARK PLATT

Cartoon Sportrel

Sun. Shows 3:00, 5:00, 7:00, 9:00

Wed., Thur., March 7, 8

"DAYS OF GLORY"

A Drama Starring
GREGORY PECK, TAMARA TOU-
MANOVA, ALAN REED, MARIA
PALMER

Plus

"SWING IN THE SADDLE"

with
JANE FRAZEE, RED RIVER DAVE,
GUINN WILLIAMS

Coming—"Can't Help Singing"

"Gaslight" "Wilson"

Howell Theatre

Wed., Thur., Fri., Feb. 28, Mar. 1-2

"GUEST IN THE HOUSE"

with

Novelty Cartoon News

Sat., One Day Only March 3

"SHE'S A SWEETHEART"

with

JANE DARWELL, LARRY PARKS

Plus

PRIDE OF THE PLAINS

with

BOB LIVINGSTON, SMILEY BURN-
ETTE

Special Cartoon Matinee for Kiddies

SATURDAY

Sun., Mon., Tues., March 4, 5, 6

"CAN'T HELP SINGING"

with

DEANNA DURBIN, ROBERT PAGE

Novelty Cartoon News

Wed., Thur., Fri., Mar. 7, 8, 9

"3 IS A FAMILY"

with
MARJORIE REYNOLDS, CHARLES
RUGGLES

Selected Shorts News

Coming: "Faces in the Fog"

"Riders of the Santa Fe"

THE AVON THEATER

Fri., Sat., Mar. 2, 3

NATIONAL BARN DANCE

Double feature
of Radio Fame with Lulu Belle and
Scotty and Hoosier Hot Shots Plus

"ATTACK"

This is one of this War's Great Films
The story of the Invasion of New
Britain Island

Sun., Tues., Mar. 4, 6

HAIL THE CONQUERING HERO

Starring
EDDIE BRACKEN & ELLA RAINS
Cartoon "It's Nifty to Be Fifty"

News

Coming—"Song of Nevada" "Bathing Beauty"

"Till We Meet Again" "WILSON" 1 Day Only March 26

RED CROSS DRIVE

The 1945 Red Cross War fund campaign in Livingston county will start tomorrow and continue until March 31. The county quota is \$16,100. Last year more than \$20,000 was raised in this county.

Ralph J. Karney, County War Fund Chairman, urges all workers to "Get an early start." He also asks that as many people who can make their donations early, so that War Fund workers can get their jobs done as early as possible.

Mr. Karney reports that during the 1944 Red Cross Volunteers donated more than 5 million dollars worth of time, based on a 50 cent hour estimate.

Quota for this township is as follows: Putnam \$685, P. H. Swarthout, chairman; Unadilla \$660, How-
land, chairman; Unadilla \$660; Cliff and Vanhook.

Mr. and Mrs. John Martin were guests Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Martin of Ipsand.

NEIGHBORING NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Conklin of Howell celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday. He was born in Dexter and she was Nancy Fausett of Deerfield.

Fred Cronenwett has purchased the Howell roller skating rink of Sherman Haller.

Sergeant John Crofoot of Fowlerville, Pvt. Paul Kirby and Lt. Lawrence Ziska of Howell are the latest Livingston county war casualties.

Lt. Robert Pettys of Howell has been awarded the Silver Star for bravery in Germany.

Miss Roberta Hare of Fowlerville has enlisted in the WAC's and been sent to Des Moines, Iowa. Will Siddall, retired Fowlerville business man died last week in Daytona, Florida.

Mrs. Pat Dillon and daughter, Polly, of Howell are visiting relatives in New York City.

Charlotte high school won the basketball championship in the league of which Howell is a member with 10 straight victories. Howell finished 3rd with 6 wins and 3 losses.

Robert Munsell and Herold Ludtke of the U. S. Navy, were home at Gregory on leave last week.

Fire destroyed the garage on the Fred Marshall farm in Unadilla last week with a number of farm tools including a tractor.

Hartland high school sprung another surprise last week when they defeated Brighton 24 to 17. Brighton was without their 6 foot center, Wilkinson, who has joined the army.

Eugene Lueker is valedictorian of the Brighton high school senior class and Joan Pinney, salutatorian.

The 170 acre tract and building at Patterson Lake known as the University of Michigan Fresh Air Camp has been deeded to University of Michigan by the Virginia Ives Assoc. Col. Edwin S. George has also deeded the university a 100 acre tract lying between the fresh air camp and the 1300 acre wild life sanctuary operated by the university.

By a vote of 8 to 5 the Ann Arbor City Council voted to retain Eastern War Time for the duration of the war.

Dexter has collected \$125 for the infantile paralysis fund.

The following marriage licenses were issued last week: Stanley Merrill, 30, Howell, Ila Lapp, 29, Howell; Wilbur Lee, 20, Stockbridge, Donna Jean Pickell, 18, Gregory.

NOTES OF 25 YEARS AGO

Mrs. Edith Jones, 24, wife of John Jones, died at Pontian Thursday. She leaves her husband and four children, the youngest 3 days old. The Joneses formerly lived on the C. V. Van-Winkle farm.

Mrs. Cora Daller, mother of Burt Daller, died in Detroit Feb. 20.

Horace Fick, Leo Lavey and Fred Lake are drawn for jury duty.

Howell will vote soon on whether to allow motion picture theatres to operate on Sunday.

Charles Moran is working on the new school building at Howell.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O'Conner (Ellen Fitzsimmons) of Howell, on Feb. 21, a daughter, George (John) who has been very low with pneumonia at the James Doyle home is improving.

Burt Daller is seriously ill with pneumonia. Other victims are Mrs. A. M. Roche and Louis Monks.

CATCHES BIG FISH

Last Friday's Ann Arbor News carried a picture of Ronald Swarthout, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Swarthout of Portage Lake holding a 37 and one half inch pickerel which he speared through the ice at Portage Lake.

NOTES OF 47 YEARS AGO

The little son of N. Pacey is ill with pneumonia.

Mrs. Gilbert Brown is ill at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Orla Jackson.

Dr. Sigler & Sigler assisted by Dr. Darling of Ann Arbor operated upon Mrs. Charles Woodworth of Gregory last week.

St. Mary's church will give a St. Patrick's Day banquet at the opera house on March 16. The program is as follows:

Address of Welcome..... Rev. Crane
Song..... M. R. Bardeen, Detroit
Remarks..... Rev. Wallace
"The Irish"..... Geo. Greening, Det.
Song..... Rev. L. P. Goldrick
"The Ladies"..... Louis E. Howlett
Song..... Nellie Gardner
Ireland of the Past..... Dennis Shields
Harp of Tara..... Mae Moran
Song..... M. P. Bardeen
American Citizen..... G. W. Teeple
This Day..... Dennis Hayes, Adrian
Michigan..... Rev. Carl Jones
Ireland's Future..... W. P. Fitzpatrick

The senior class will take their play "Among the B'breakers" to Dexter on March 17.

F. L. Andrews is working at Dansville for the Knights of the Loyal Guard organizing a lodge.

A large crowd attended the meeting of the electric railroad boosters at the opera house Thursday night. Dr. Shank of Lansing and Frank Reason of Anderson spoke. Putnam is asked to raise \$7,000.

The Putnam-Hamburg Farmers club met at the Joe Placeway home Saturday. Nettie Hall, Maude Oily, Grace Nash, Iva Placeway and Mrs. George Brown were on the program.

The following had perfect attendance records for the Pinckney school last month: Primary-Norma Vaughn, Lloyd Grimes, Mary Lynch; Intermediate-Erwin Monks, Elery Durfee, Cecil Sigler, Beth Kennedy, Florence Andrews, Cora Bullis, Floris Moran, Morley Vaughn, Ethel Durfee, Eva Grimes, Gram-Arthur Swarthout, Cas Culhane, Fred Campbell, Mae Reason, Neil Tiplady, George Webb, Eva Smith, Hazel Vaughn, Lucy Swarthout; High School-Cora Wilson, Nellie Gardner, Roger Carr, Bill Monks, Lela Monks, Kate Webb, John Tiplady, Eshel Read, Kate Clark, Dede Hinchey, Archie Durfee, John Dinkel, Ross Read.

Mike Foley is moving to Durand.

Mike Ruen and Max Brady are in Dansville taking orders for enlarged pictures.

Unadilla township has given the new electric railroad a franchise to run through the township.

Belle Birnie has gone to Chelsea to dressmaking trade.

The funeral of Mrs. George Sprout was held at Mason Sunday.

CONSERVATION NOTES

Legislative approval of a \$27,000 deficiency appropriation to cover bounty payments will be sought. The \$40,000 appropriation for 1944 was exhausted in 7 months.

Robins have been seen despite deep snows in the Keenaw peninsula last month.

Snows totalling 115 inches have been registered at Calumet this winter.

Cash sales from Michigan's 13 state forests were 2 1/2 times as great in 1944 as in preceding years. 690 cutting permits were issued.

The conservation commission has moved to protect a flourishing beaver colony at Wanousta, just northwest of Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben White attended the funeral of Charles Hail in Howell last Thursday.

VILLAGE ELECTION

Notice is hereby given to the qualified electors of the Village of Pinckney, State of Michigan, that the next regular VILLAGE ELECTION will be held at the Town Hall within said Village on

MONDAY, MARCH 12th 1945

At which election the following Village officers are to be elected, viz. Village President
Village Clerk
Village Treasurer

Three Trustees for Two Year Term
Three Trustees for One Year Term
(To Fill Vacancy)

Assessor
Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls

Sec. 1409, Compiled Laws of 1929

"On the day of elections the polls shall be opened at 7:00 o'clock in the morning, or as soon thereafter as may be, and shall be kept open until 8:00 p. m. if the evening at which hour they shall be finally closed. The inspector shall cause proclamation to be made upon opening the polls, and shall also cause proclamation to be made of closing of the polls, 1 hour 30 minutes, and 15 minutes respectively before the closing time thereof."

The polls of said election will open at 7 o'clock a. m. or as soon thereafter as may be, and will remain open until 8 o'clock p. m., Eastern Standard Time, on said day of election.

Nellie E. Gardner, clerk of said village
Dated February 20th, 1945

GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY ISSUE

Many farmers of this community in the next few days will receive a copy of the Golden Anniversary issue of "The Furrow", National Farm publication, published by John Moline, Ill.

Marking 50 years, continuous publication, devoted to the interest and advancement of agriculture, "The Furrow" has been read by farmers for many years. Lee Lavey, local John Deere dealer said.

Articles in this special anniversary issue bring to the reader discussions on progress and advancement made in agriculture during the past half century. Modernization of farm implements through the years, leading to present-day power farming, and development of farm practices and methods relative to soil culture, planting and harvesting crops are featured.

Also appearing in the farm publication are several articles, which are reminiscent of farm and living conditions of the "Gay Nineties."

"The Furrow", published six times a year, is mailed free to local farmers with the compliments of the local John Deere dealer. Many educational farm articles written by authorities in the farming industry, are published in each issue.

SCANDAL COLUMN By Heck

Lately all roads seem to lead to Howell and last Friday night they led to the Midget Sandwich Shop. After the basketball game three carloads of students made the pilgrimage in search of something to eat. Even the Navy was well represented. Two boys were very grateful that the Midget stays open all night.

This cigarette shortage is getting pretty bad when even the Printing Office is mistaken for a tobacco store. Monday night a group of boys tried to buy cigarettes there. We wonder if that was really the attraction or was it something that the boys could see on the inside.

The Juniors have got the parts for their play picked out. The play picked out is "Express Yourself" and is a comedy George Koch, and Gus Ledwidge head an all star cast.

If you had walked into school Tuesday afternoon you would have seen a group of students on K. P. This was merely the Seniors peeling potatoes to get ready for the banquet tonight.

One of the senior boys brings his girl to the dances in a milk truck built for two.

The basketball teams played their last game Friday and it was quite different from the other games. Besides the first team winning and the second team losing, the girls added to the confusion by also winning. The tournament starts on Friday with Pinckney playing Brooklyn. The team can't win and stand out easy ill and sickness.

There is ice on the pond again and this time it is not covered up with snow so the pond is a very busy place for a few days. The local hockey team is getting a little practise and if the ice and the players hold out there might be a return game with Hamburg in the near future.

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LENTEN LUNCHEON ... Our Home Service Department suggests this meatless recipe for Lent:

Baked Luncheon Sandwiches

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| 1 cup grated carrots | 2 cups flour |
| 1 cup cooked peas | 3 tsp. baking powder |
| 1/2 cup chopped celery | 1/2 tsp. salt |
| 1/2 cup medium white sauce | 1/2 tsp. dry mustard |
| 1 tsp. grated onion | 1/4 cup shortening |
| Salt and pepper | 1/4 cup milk |

Combine carrots, peas and celery; mix with white sauce. Add onion and season with salt and pepper. Shift together flour, baking powder, salt and mustard; cut in shortening. Gradually add milk, mixing to form a soft dough. Roll out dough 1/4-inch thick on lightly floured board; cut in three-inch squares. Spread vegetable mixture between each two squares. Place on baking sheet and bake in hot oven, 425° F., about 20 minutes. Serve hot. (Serves six.)



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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Earl Baughn and son, Neil were in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkel were in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ackley were in Ann Arbor Sunday night.

Mrs. Howard Cree spent the week end with Mr. Cree at Marecus.

Mrs. Lulu Lamb spent from Wednesday to Friday last week in Perry.

Joe Gearhart and family of Marion spent Sunday at the Mark Nash home.

Mrs. Bernice Wylie of Howell spent Sunday at the A. L. Nisbett home.

Mrs. Fanny Kavanaugh of Jackson and Mrs. Josephine Watts of Cleveland, Ohio, called on friends here Friday.

Mrs. Virginia Carver and Mrs. Mary Baughn and son were in Jackson Friday.

Sheriff Irving Kennedy and wife of Howell called at Edward Spears home Sunday.

Miss Jean Clark entertained Miss Marian Shirley of Chelsea over the week end.

Mrs. Laura Hester of Ypsilanti was a week end guest at the A. L. Nisbett home.

Miss Dorothy Parker of Mich. State College, Lansing, spent the week end at her home here.

Hollis Wylie and family visited at the Albert Abrahams home in Howell one day last week.

Mrs. Helen McGregor and children of Brighton spent Saturday at the Wm. Mercer home.

Miss Alice Gearhart of Howell is spending a week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Nash.

Mrs. Russell Gibson who underwent an operation has returned to her home in Pottsville.

The Misses Nellie Gardner and Fanny Monks were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Nisbett.

Edgar Clapp, Detroit business man, who formerly owned the James Henry farm on M-36 East died in Detroit Saturday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Hollo-way (Ardith Wright) at McPherson hospital, Howell, Sunday a 4 lb. 6 oz. son.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clark and two youngest children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dan Driver at Dexter.

Mrs. Ilene Kuhn Rohlf and Mrs. Laverie Harbour of Gregory have returned home from Arizona and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kew and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Milliron of Detroit were Sunday callers at the Albert Dinkel home.

Sunday guests at the M. J. Reason home were Mrs. John Rane of Whitmore Lake and Mrs. Virginia Hersey and son of Detroit.

Mrs. Norma Gervex and Miss Katherine Headley of Detroit were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Emma Volmer and son John.

Mrs. Clare Palmer and daughter Patricia, and Mrs. Clare McMacken called on Mrs. Mary Jane Tach in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Gene Shehan and family of Ann Arbor and Gerald Bauer and family of Brighton were Sunday guests at the Louis Shehan home.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Hattie Decker were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott and son, Mrs. Emma Elliott and Miss Marjorie Hurd of Ypsilanti.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Henry were Miss Dorothy Ellis and Mrs. Thomas Ware, daughter, Lois and son, John Paul.

Russell Livermore of Dexter called at the W. C. Miller home Sunday.

Mrs. Clare Miller and daughter were in Ann Arbor Friday.

Mrs. John McDonald of Detroit spent the week end at the Clifford VanHorn home and Sunday at the George Kenny home in Webster.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coyle, Mark Melvin, Miss Eva Melvin, Mrs. Rose Howell and Mrs. Ella Stapish attended the ordination of Rev. Charles Smith at St. Mary's church, Lansing Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Darrow and Rev. and Mrs. Allard were Thursday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Nash.

Mrs. Wayne Carr and children of West Plains Mo., spent a couple days at the R. J. Carr home last week. Wayne who is a postoffice inspector is being transferred back to Michigan.

Ray Coon who has been working the James Roche farm, owned by Green Bros. of Detroit will move back on his own farm April 1. Two of the Green Bros. of Wisconsin will work the farm.

Among those who attended the first mass and reception for Rev. Charles Smith at St. Joseph's church, Howell Sunday were Rev. Francis Murphy, Mrs. Louis Shehan and son Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Loring Doyle, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coyle, Miss Eva Melvin, Mrs. Rose Howell, Mark Melvin, Mrs. Ella Stapish and Mrs. Ella Claire Dixon.



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The pharmacist took the customer aside where they could talk quietly and inconspicuously. In a friendly manner he talked to him about these diseases. He explained their dangers quite frankly. He told him the truth—there are no drugs which will cure venereal diseases that are safe for self medication. But he also explained that medical science has developed modern drugs which in the hands of a doctor materially reduce the time required to treat the diseases.

The pharmacist sold that customer—sold him on going to a physician for effective treatment that would rehabilitate his health his family life and his usefulness to society. With those few minutes of advice the pharmacist sold that man back his life.

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James Shirey jr. of Jackson was in town Saturday.

Miss Janet Merrill of Lansing spent Wednesday night and Thursday with us, Nettie Vaughn.

Miss Muriel Read spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Rosemary Schosser, in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stackable of Detroit called at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Ledwidge Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Clark were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nichols of Howell Saturday night.

Mrs. Wegener entertained Sat. several little friends in honor of her daughter, Joyce's 7th birthday.

Miss Alice Gearhart of Howell spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Mark Nash and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson entertained Sunday for dinner Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Poulson, Mrs. John Chambers and son, Clifford.

Pfc. Howard Siegel of Chubb's Corners is home from the army on a furlough before going across.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkel attended the funeral of a cousin, Mrs. Reulah Mitte, at Flint Thursday.

Mrs. Hattie Rae Mains and Mrs. Glen Smith of Dearborn spent Saturday with Mrs. Hattie Decker.

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STOP AUTO LAW AFFECTS ALL Automobile Owners

Michigan's semi-compulsory automobile insurance law enacted in 1943 but in litigation until now in force according to Sec. of State Herman H. Dignam. Under the law, every driver involved in an accident involving death or injury, must make a written report within 10 days to the Secretary of State. If the owner carries liability insurance the matter ends there. If he doesn't he must either settle all personal injury claims within 30 days, deposit \$10,000 in cash with the Secretary of State or furnish a bond in such amount as the Secretary of State may prescribe. Failure to comply can result in suspension of the driver's license until he has paid all outstanding accident claims and has shown financial ability, either by proper insurance of cash bond, to pay for any future accidents in which he might be involved. The law does not apply where only property damage is done.



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FIRST MASS SERVICES

First Mass services for the Rev. Charles Smith were celebrated Sat.

Many of his relatives and friends were numbered among the hundreds who attended the 11 o'clock Mass Sunday at Howell, where he offered his first Solemn High Mass. Father Smith was ordained Saturday, the Feast of St. Matthew, the apostle, at the Cathedral of St. Mary's, Lansing, Mich.

The Newly Ordained was assisted at Decatur, Mich., the Rev. Father Cook, formerly of Howell, now located at Decatur, Mich., the Rev. Father Wade, assistant at Howell Church, as Sub Deacon. The Rev. J. Francis Murphy as arch priest, the Rev. Fr. Fedawa, formerly of Howell, now located at Owosso, Mich., who delivered the sermon. Six Theologian students of the Diocese of Lansing, acted as acolytes, Thierfer Bearer and Master of Ceremonies travelled from the St. Mary's Seminary, Cinn. O. for the Solemn Festal Occasion. Twenty sem-

inarians of the Sacred Heart Seminary Detroit, sang the Gregorian High Mass and chanted the Liturgical Responses. Following the church services, a banquet was served to the family, clergy, relatives, choir guests of the Rev. Father Smith in the Parish Hall, under the direction of the Altar Society.

Mrs. Mary Kennedy and daughters and Mrs. Ona Campbell and daughter were in Howell Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ona Campbell and daughter Leona and Rita Kennedy were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Brigham of Grass Lake were Sunday guests at the John Martin home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meabon jr. and family called at the Wm. Marshall home in Stockbridge Sunday.

The infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Emory Plummer born Sunday, was buried in the Pinckney cemetery, Tues. The funeral was held at the Swarthout Funeral Home, Rev. Alard officiating.

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THE MICHIGAN MIRROR

these four states (Illinois, New York, Indiana and Wisconsin) is \$4.54. In Michigan it is \$3.87, or 67 cents below the four state's average." Kelly said the state of Pennsylvania had added a war-time tax of 10 percent on liquor, netting \$11,000,000 of additional revenue. Even with a higher markup in Michigan, consumers would still pay less than the consumer in Pennsylvania he said.

3. Increase the state beer tax from \$1.25 to \$1.50 per barrel.
4. Impose a state tax on the sale and distribution of cigarettes. 21 states now tax this commodity, including Illinois, Massachusetts, New York and Ohio. Kelly estimates this would raise \$8,000,000 in Michigan.

It is the governor's belief that a war time levy on such luxuries as beer, liquor and cigarettes would net about \$16,000,000 of which the cities would realize about \$11,400,000 by means of an apportionment to governments made according to population.

He also suggests repeal of the 15 mill tax limitation which the people placed on themselves, repeal of which will be voted upon in April.

The governor also approved revision of the state intangible tax—a difficult job

Prospects that the legislature will accept the new additional taxes on all citizens are not any too bright. The principal argument is that the time to increase taxes is in flush times when money is plentiful to create a reserve for slack times. However the experience of the past teaches up that taxes once raised hardly ever come down as new social needs continually develop, each sponsored by a pressure group. There is always another social problem to be solved by state money.

The legislature must make the decision. It is not easy.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

In the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston in Chancery

Wilfred E. Brown and Viola C. Brown, His wife, Plaintiffs,

vs. Timothy H. Munger, Roco Lupo and Mary Lupo, his wife and L. H. Spiner and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, Defendants

At a session of said court held in the Court House in the City of Howell in said county on the 20th day of February, 1945.

Present: Hon. Joseph H. Collins, Circuit Judge.

On reading and filing the Bill of Complaint in said cause and the affidavit of Stanley Berriman, Attorney for Plaintiffs, attached thereto, from which it satisfactorily appears to the court that the defendants above named, and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns are proper and necessary parties defendant in the above entitled cause, and

It further appearing that after diligent search and inquiry it cannot be ascertained, and it is not known whether or not said defendants are living or dead, or where any of them may reside if living, and, if dead, whether they have personal representatives or heirs living or where they or some of them may reside and further that the present whereabouts of said defendants are unknown, and that the names of the persons who are included therein without being named but who are embraced therein under the title of unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cannot be ascertained after diligent search and inquiry.

On Motion of Stanley Berriman, attorney for plaintiffs, it is ordered that said defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns, cause their appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, and in default thereof that said Bill of Complaint be taken as confessed by the said defendants, their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns. (It is further ordered that within forty days plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be published in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said County, such publication to be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession.)

Joseph H. Collins, Circuit Judge
Countersigned:
John A. Hagman,
Clerk of Circuit Court

Take notice that this suit, in which the foregoing order was duly made, involves and is brought to quiet title to the following described piece or parcel of land situate and being in the Township of Marion, Livingston County of Michigan, described as follows to-wit:

All that part of the North One Half of the North Half of the Southeast Quarter of Section 26 Town 2, North Range 4 East Michigan, lying Westerly of center line of highway.

Stanley Berriman,
Attorney for Plaintiffs
Business Address:
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STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Livingston

At a session of said Court held in the City of Howell in said County on the 19th day of February A. D. 1945
Present: Hon. Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary McCuskey, Deceased.

It appearing to the Court that the time for the 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 30th day of April A. D., 1945, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustments 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.

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 in the City of Howell in said County on the 23rd day of February A. D. 1945.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Charles Burden, Deceased.

Harlow E. Munsell having filed in said Court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is Order, That the 19th day of March, A. D., 1945 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.

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ANSWER TO EUROPE'S HUNGER

CATTLE GLAND SURGERY
Dr. Serge Veronoff, famous rejuvenation expert, in an interview in the American Weekly with this Sunday's (March 4) issue of the Detroit Sunday Times, explains a scientifically treated scheme to breed giant size cattle, hogs and sheep which would mature in months and replenish European lives stock depleted by the Nazis. Get Sunday's Detroit Times.

Mrs. Isabel Kiehl of Ann Arbor spent Wednesday at the Harold Galbraith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Julius Aschenbrenner jr. of Dexter called at the Aschenbrenner home here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman White and Mr. and Mrs. Ben White were Sunday guests at the Basil White home in Howell, honoring his birthday.

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