

News Items of Boys in Service

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

Tech. Sergt. Hannie VanBlaircum, 11th Infantry Regiment U. S. A., has been awarded the "Silver Star" for gallantry in action on March 23, 1945 near Neirestein, Germany. During the fighting, to secure a bridgehead across the Rhine River. Sergt. VanBlaircum, an acting platoon leader, assumed command of his platoon when the platoon leader became a casualty. While attempting to contact forward element of his company, his platoon engaged in a fire fight with a large number of the enemy who had infiltrated to his platoon position. Sergt. VanBlaircum accounted for seven enemy killed before being seriously wounded himself, but refusing evacuation, he continued to lead his men in successfully routing the enemy, and then reorganized his platoon and contacted the remainder of his company. He entered military service from Pinckney, Michigan.

Signed-Albert E. Brown, Major General U. S. Army, Commanding. Ernest Nickel of Detroit, husband of the former Grace Hiney, has been discharged from the U.S. navy and is staying at the Frank Hiney farm, south of town.

Gayle Hendee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hendee, who has seen extensive service with the army in France and Germany, has been discharged and arrived home Friday.

Sergt. Bob Kourt is home on furlough from Camp Grant, Ill.

Edsel Meyer called up his wife from San Francisco, California Friday. His ship, the William Biddle, docked there but only for 8 days.

Robert Singer has received a discharge from the U.S. navy and arrived home from Florida Friday.

Sergt. Gerald Clir of the 1st Marine Corp, has received a discharge at San Angelo, Texas, and arrived home Wednesday. He and his wife the former Maxine Soule, are at C. J. Clinton home.

Miss Dorothy Meabon is home from Riverside, California until Jan. 20. **Garth Myer** USN is now employed on a drydock on Manus, Admiralty Islands.

Joe Lavey is home from O'Reilly General Hospital, Springfield, Mo. on a furlough.

Burdith Clawson, discharged from the navy, is working in Lansing. He was married last May to a girl from North Lyon.

Paul Young landed in New York Sunday on the Europa and is expected to home this week.

Gleam Hall of the merchant marine is now at Manila, Philippines.

Great Lakes, Ill., Dec. 15 Dear Santa-Please send us leave papers Christmas. Thanks. Jack, Bud and Hollis.

It is doubtful if we make it Paul but the navy is OK.

Jack Heines

MRS. CHARLOTTE FARRELL

Mrs. Charlotte Farrell, 70, was found dead last Wednesday night by her son, Casper, who lived with her in the house of Mrs. Margaret Jones at Gregory. She was formerly Miss Charlotte Hemmingway and was married to Thomas Farrell who died many years ago. Surviving are a son, Casper, and a daughter, Mrs. Fay Crawford of Okemos. A son Wayne, was killed in Germany in World War II and a daughter, Mae, died recently in Virginia. The funeral was Monday at the Milner Funeral Home, Stockbridge with burial at Gregory.

MRS. MARY ROBINSON

Mrs. Mary Robinson, 57, died at Howell Saturday. For many years she was employed at the Mich. State Penitentiary. Surviving are a son, Richard Price of Howell and a daughter, Mrs. Marie McKara of Alberta, Canada and a brother, Edward Clawson, Pinckney. The funeral was at the Swarthout Funeral Home here here, Monday officiating. Burial was in the Pinckney cemetery.

CIRCUIT COURT NEWS

Judge Collins came back to Howell last Wednesday and held a one day session. The court cases of John Barber and George Davine and Paul Russell Barber were put over to January 15th when the defendant has to be taken against Paul Davine.

The following divorce was granted: Edward from Edward Hilday. Edward from Edna Hilday. Edna from Arthur Wada. James from Josephine Brown. Anne from John J. Brown.

The following quit title decrees were entered: Mrs. Hilday vs. John Barber, Arthur Wada vs. Josephine Brown, Carl O'Connell vs. John Barber.

Lighted Athletic Field Project

With Nearly \$1300 Collected the Success of the Project Seems To Be Assured

With the campaign to raise \$3000 for the Veteran's Memorial Field at Pinckney only about a week old, nearly half of the amount has been raised, none of the solicitors have as yet completed their rounds and some have not yet sent in any reports preferring to wait until they are finished. The old grads, former residents, insurance companies and corporations have not been reported yet. The collections reported Tuesday were as follows:

Business Men	\$686.00
Putnam	80.00
Village	224.00
Howell	85.00
Unadilla	20.00
Marion	11.00
School	93.70
Total	\$1,174.60

The following donations are reported from the business men:

Lee Lavey	\$100.00
Thos. Read Sons	100.00
Karl McCulley	100.00
P. H. Swarthout & Son	100.00
Murray Kennedy	50.00
Charles Clark	85.00
W. H. Meyer	25.00
R. W. Curlett	25.00
Harry Murphy	25.00
Wylie Frozen Lockers	25.00
Roy Clark	25.00
John Elisele	25.00
Wm. Brash	10.00
Frances Shehan	25.00
A. M. Rochs	5.00
H. M. Rochs	4.00
Marion Jarvis	2.00
Total	\$686.00

The Howell contributions were:

Citizens Mutual Ins. Co.	\$25.00
Herb Sneed	15.00
Glenn Reurmann	10.00
Henry Winkelhouse	10.00
Fred Teeple	10.00
Russell D. Smith	5.00
Livingston Motor Sales	10.00

CELEBRATE 60th ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Swarthout celebrated their 60th wedding anniversary Dec. 16 with all their children, grandchildren and great grandchildren present except a grandson now in the U. S. navy. Their children are Fred and Lester of Detroit, Ward of Jackson and Mrs. Sadie Moran and Mrs. Fannie Bradley of Flint. Mr. and Mrs. Swarthout were married December 17, 1885 by Rev. Crookson of the Marion Center church at the home of the bride's parents, and Mrs. Harvey Harrington of North Putnam. They were attended by Ralph Bennett and Miss Emma Voorhees, deceased. The Swarthouts lived on the Swarthout farm in East Putnam which his grandfather, Ralph Swarthout took up from the government until 1914 when they moved to Pinckney which has since been their home. Mr. Swarthout was one of the organizers of Livingston County Telephone Co. and later worked for the Mich. Bell Co. and Detroit Edison Co. until his retirement a few years ago. They wish to thank their friends, neighbors and relatives for the many cards and gifts received.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Ellis announce the engagement of their daughter, Dorothy to Byron D. Wilson of Gladale Dr. son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilson of Dexter.

Miss Ellis is the junior past-master of the Pinckney chapter, Order of Eastern Star and a member of Lambda Chi Omega, business girls society.

Both Miss Ellis and Mr. Wilson are employed by the Detroit Edison Co. in Ann Arbor. Ann Arbor News.

ANNOUNCE ENGAGEMENT

The engagement of Miss Edna May Hanz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hanz of Maricopa township to Allan D. Hanz, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hanz of Chubb's Corners is announced. The wedding ceremony was announced last Thursday evening, December 13. As yet, there are no definite wedding plans.

Miss Ann Hanz was a Ladies' chapter member.

Wedding Banquet and Reception to be given at the home of the bride's parents at Ludlow Tuesday night. The first team 14 to 21 and second team 14 to 21.

Dear Santa-Please get a Mustang in my stocking. Don't spill it. Thank U.

More Than Just a Trimming



Masonic Installation

Livingston Lodge Installs Officers at Public Installation Saturday Night

Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. installed their newly elected officers Saturday night at a public installation. The following past masters installed: Installing officer, Clifford Miller; Foreman, Percy Ellis; Secretary, Ross Read; Chaplain, Ona Campbell; W. C. Miller; J. W. Jack Hannett; Treas., W. C. Miller; Sec., P. W. Curlett; S. D., Clyde Fisher; J. D., Joe Lovell; Stewards, Winston Baughn, Oscar Beck, Merwin Campbell, George Gardner; Chaplain, Ollie Wilson; Marshall, Lloyd Hendee; Tyler, J. H. Hooker.

The following appointments were announced: Entertainment-P. W. Curlett; Clifford Miller, Wesley Reader, Oscar Beck, George Gardner, Robert Ackley, Howard Thayer. Jurisprudence-Fred Read, ch., L. J. Henry, H. C. Vedder, Percy Ellis; Merwin Campbell. Welfare-W. C. Miller, ch., Ona Campbell, John Martin, Ross Read, George Thompson. Resolutions-J. H. Hooker, ch., W. A. Ketcham, Roy Dillingham. Examination-John Martin, ch., Ona Campbell, Jack Hannett.

Refreshment-Jack Hannett, ch., Winston Baughn, Jack Reason, Omer Cory, Clare Swarthout, Oscar Beck, Robert Ackley, Ira Nay, Wilmont Plummer, Merwin Campbell, L. J. Henry, Clifford Miller, Ona Campbell, George Gardner, Gerald Reason, Ray Coons, Clayton Bekkering, Specials, William Brash, Clifford Haines.

The Masonic Building Ass'n. met following this. A committee was appointed to get estimates on extending the drug store building back 20 feet. A resolution to reduce the board of trustees from 8 to five members carried. This will be arrived at by electing no trustees this year and only one next year. The board members are Joe Griffith, chairman; Percy Ellis, secretary; trustees-Hazel Parker, Roy Dillingham, Florence Baughn, Eloyse Campbell.

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

These will be Christmas exercises on the village square at 8:00 p. m. Christmas eve. A large tree has been erected on the square which will be lighted. There will be a Santa Claus and gifts will be distributed to the children. Christmas carols will be sung. The public is invited.

CHRISTMAS SEAL SALE

Each year at the Christmas season everyone is asked to do their part in the fight against tuberculosis by buying the penny seal.

The sixth and seventh grades had charge of conducting the sale in the Pinckney school this year. They did a fine job by selling their quota of 1000 stamps and 200 cups.

NEWS of the CHURCHES

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Rev. Francis Murphy, pastor. Masses at 7:45 and 11:00 a. m. Catechism 7:45 Sunday and 10:00 a. m. Saturday. Novena Friday 12:20 noon and 8:00 p. m. Preparation for Holy Communion each Saturday 8 to 9 p. m. and Sunday 7:00 to 7:30 a. m. Monday, Dec. 24, is Christmas eve. It is a fast and abstinence day. Visitation of the sick will assist with preparations for sacraments from 8 to 9 p. m. and 7 to 9 p. m. Xmas eve, Dec. 24. Services at midnight mass and 7:45 and 11. Same as Sunday schedule. Adoration of the infant Jesus in the Christmas crib at 11:45. Midnight mass for the special intention 7:45 for the dead. 11 for the service men who gave their lives and thanksgiving for all the returned service men and their parents in gratitude to God for gift of victory and protection of home and country.

We thank all those who helped by cash or donations of canned food for the war torn areas of Europe and the far east.

Among the intentions this week are Sun., late Lena Donkers, Mon., late John Fohey family, Tues., late Mrs. Catherine Coyne, Wed. late C. H. Kennedy, Thurs., the late Mrs. M. Mertz, Fri., late Veronica Fohey, Sat. intention of living.

COMMUNITY CONCERT

Rev. Alfred Alford, Minister. Mrs. Florence Baughn, Organist and Chord Director. G. M. Thompson, S. S. Supt. Morning Worship 10:30. Sunday School 11:30. Choir practice Wed. evening. Young People's Meeting at 6:30. Joy to the world the Lord has come. Let earth rejoice in King. We cordially invite you to our Christmas service Sunday, morning at 10:30. Special music by the choir. Returned service men and their families invited.

Sunday school at 11:30. Christmas program Saturday at 7:30 p. m. A cantata entitled "Chorus in the Night" will be given at 8:00 p. m. Tuesday evening. There will be offering for their work. Everyone invited. Make plans to attend the Watch-Night Service on New Years eve. Choir practice this week at the church on Thursday night.

GOSPEL MISSION

Pastor S. S. Supt. Eva Benday. Marvin Shiver. Morning Worship 10:30. Sunday School 10:45. Young People's Meeting 7:30. Evening Worship 8:00. Prayer Service, Wed. 8:00.

John McDonald and family are at Detroit for the holidays. Their daughter, Lois, underwent an appendicitis operation at St. Joe hospital, Detroit, Monday.

Michigan Mirror State News

News and Happenings of the State Tereley Told from Lansing

Michigan is celebrating its first post-war Christmas amid a turmoil of new and perplexing problems.

Into every city, town and hamlet men are returning from war service. The movement is reaching high tide proportions with close to one million men released from military duty in December alone throughout the nation.

College campuses again are teeming with men, much to the delight of coed students who have gone to classes now for several years in a veritable "no-man's" land.

As part of the long awaited re-conversion on the home front, the appearance of the new veteran signals interesting developments.

The housing and classroom plight of state educational institutions is reemphasized as veterans flock to school only to find no housing facilities available and classrooms badly over-crowded.

This emergency has prompted Gov. Kelly to announce that the building needs of the University of Michigan, Michigan State College, Michigan College of Mines, and the teacher-colleges may be included in his call for a 1946 special session of the state legislature.

A survey has shown that other states have been more generous with funds for state universities than Michigan. Universities in Illinois, Ohio, Minnesota and Wisconsin received an average of \$13,000,000 each during the past 20 years, compared with \$8,465,000 allotted to the University of Michigan.

This building plight at Michigan State College has been similar. While MSC has the same number of classrooms and laboratories that the college had in 1929, student enrollment has grown from 2,812 to 5,534 and a peak of 9,000 is forecast for next fall due to returning veterans.

Since 1929 MSC has not received a building by legislative appropriation.

What to do with the state's \$51,000,000 reserve fund for veterans is another problem at Michigan.

Divided equally among the state's servicemen the fund would evaporate promptly and little benefit would ensue. The feeling is growing among legislators that it would be prudent to wait until the 1947 regular session before attempting any commitment of the entire fund.

Experience after World War I is that veteran problems do not become acute until some years after the war. The federal government allots a unemployment benefit of \$20 dollars a week up to a full year—something that did not exist back in 1929.

A clev to the attitude of the veterans may be deduced from a declaration at Lansing by Joseph W. Stack, national commander of the Veterans of Foreign Wars that the organization favored compulsory military arbitration of industrial disputes and priority to veterans for housing materials. The VFW has 55,000 members in Michigan.

A permanent management for the Michigan State Fair, removing the manager and employees from political control is recommended by the Barrett, ex-vice pres., of the Detroit Detroit Board of Commerce. J. Lee convention and Tourist Bureau point out that the manager of the Canadian National Exposition at Toronto has served 25 years and that the last exposition attracted 2,000,000 visitors.

Since the legislature has reorganized, creating a long-term commission and making the director its permanent head, the Detroit proposal seems to be in line with legislative thinking. All state fair managers in recent years have favored substantial aid from the legislature.

Drunk motorists in Detroit caused 1,479 accidents during the first 11 months of 1945; 10,000 nonclaiming drunk drivers so to call have now been placed in bars and taverns. Kalamazoo's motor industry plans an increased employment of 35 percent. Construction in the next 8 years exceeds \$2,000,000. The St. Lawrence waterway benefit to Michigan is had by over-rated according to Louis Baer, chairman of U. of M. Dept. of naval architecture and marine engineering. "Ships would have to be constructed at such shallow drafts that their design permit." A 27 foot deep channel is proposed. The Dow Chemical Co. is spending \$200,000 to eliminate pollution at St. Joe. Henry Hilday.

CURKE COMMENT

All have heard the story on the late President Coolidge. Returning from church one Sunday, his wife asked what the preachers subject was. The president answered "Sin." She asked "What did he say about it?" The president replied "Oh he was against it." This seems to sum up the position of the American Medical Society. They are against sickness. A national health program such as sponsored by President Truman has been building up for years. Hospital costs are prohibitive except for the well to do. Of course there is a way out. That is to go as a charity patient and let the taxpayers pay the bill. Many refuse to do this. The record of the Michigan Medical Society is the one bright spot in the entire nation. They sponsored a Health Insurance program and put it over in spite of the opposition of the American Medical Society who turned thumbs down on it along with the other states. This opposition opened the flood gates for national health program. Parcel post never would have come into existence if the express companies had expanded efficiently to handle the business and failure to keep on with the times sounded the knell of electric railroads.

The chances of the state fair being removed from Detroit are getting remote. Lt. Gov. Vernon Brown has now come out in opposition to it. He says it would require a very large appropriation from the legislature and doubts that a largely located fair would enjoy the large patronage the present fair now enjoys from Detroit and suburbs. We don't blame the cities who have offered inducements to get the fair moved to their back yards. They saw a chance to get a plum with the state paying cost. Still it would not be a bad idea to stress the agriculture and livestock exhibits more than they have been in the past.

In World War I Lawrence of Arabia went through perils, gloire and missed death numerous times while winning the Arabs over to Great Britain, only to be killed after the war had ended in a motorcycle accident. Gen. George Patton, the hero of the invasion of Europe drove the Nazis back so fast his own superiors could not keep track of him. He led the advance in person in a battered old jeep and never asked his men to go anywhere where he did not go himself. Apparently he bore a charmed life. Now with the war over and peace declared he has been crippled for life in an auto accident. Many times we were reminded during the war that the yearly death toll from auto accidents was many times the losses in warfare. Peace has its perils as well as war.

Detroit is all worked up over a religious issue. Mary Catherine Sullivan, principal of the Brady school for 24 years has written a book of 68 pages for the purpose of teaching morality to children. The book was endorsed by Protestant, Catholic and Jewish clergymen. Now another group has arisen to protest against it. It is on the grounds it teaches sectarian religion. Its leader is Rev. Merrill Bates of the Grosse Pointe Unitarian church. They object to seven sentences in the book. The principal one is its reference to Halloween as the eve of All-Saints day. Only certain religions recognize this day they claim. The other objections are far fetched. They evidently believe it is possible to get enough moral instruction on Sunday to last the other six days.

Years ago when ye editor was a small boy in Dexter a campaign was put on shortly after the Spanish war when patriotism ran high and a granite monument 20 feet high was erected in memory of the war heroes. Now that monument has never been of any benefit to Dexter except to adorn the park. Strangers passing through might give it a glance but to residents it is part of the landscape. How much better it would have been if a lighted athletic field such as Pinckney is to have had been the goal. This would have benefited the entire community not only the school pupils but also the working people who are unable to see athletic games in the day time.

COURTY AGENT

S. B. Thomas county agent, died at 5:20 p. m. at East Lansing Monday from coronary thrombosis. The funeral is Thursday at the Schoolcraft Street funeral home.

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DOW CHEMICAL CO.

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Sylvan Theatre

CHELSEA, MICH.

Fri., Sat., Dec. 21, 22

THE HORN BLOWS AT MIDNIGHT

A Comedy Starring JACK BENNY, ALEX SA, DOLORES MORAN, GUY KIBBE

Cartoon Latest News Sun., Mon., Dec. 23, 24

THEN THERE WERE NONE

A Mystery with BARRY FITZGERALD, WALTER HUSTON, LOUIS HAYWARD and ROLAND YOUNG

Cartoon News Sportrel Sun. Shows 3:00, 5:30, 7:00, 9:00

Tues., Wed., Thurs., Dec. 25, 26, 27

RHAPSODY IN BLUE

with ROBERT ALDA, JOAN LESLIE, ALEXIS SMITH, OSCAR LEVANT, HAZEL SCOTT and PAUL JOLSON

Due to length of picture please note the time schedule Shows 7:00 and 9:20

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Howell Theatre

Wed., Thurs., Fri., Dec. 19, 20, 21 EDWARD G. ROBINSON, and MARGARET O'BRIEN

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Novelty News

Sat., Dec. 22

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Selected Shorts Cartoon

Sun., Mon., Dec. 23, 24

Mat. Sun. 2:00 p. m. Continuous

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JOAN DAVIS, JACK BAILEY

GEORGE WHITE'S SCANDALS OF 1945

Novelty Cartoon News

Tues., Wed., Dec. 25, 26

A Howl of a Time with ABBOTT & COSTELLO

IN HOLLYWOOD

Selected Shorts News

Continuous Matinee Christmas Day

THE AVON THEATRE

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Fri., Sat., Dec. 21, 22

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ALAN LADD with GAIL RUSSELL

Cartoon "Be Patient-Patient"

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Sat., Dec. 22, 3 p. m.

FREE KIDDIES SHOW

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NEIGHBORING NOTES

Richard Roche of Howell who has been in Europe with the army landed in New York last week.

WAVE Laura Meyer of Cleveland visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Meyers of Unadilla twp. last week.

The Charles Burden home at Gregory has been sold to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cole.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Arnold and Grand Mrs. Roscoe Arnold of Gregory have gone to Florida.

Exeterville high school lost their last basket ball game to Okemus 26-29. Stockbridge to Dunsville 19-29, and Howell to MIF 30-38.

Earl Grubb was reflected head of the county Triple A for the 10th time last week. The committeemen are Roy Ellsworth, Howell, Charles Bennett, Hamburg and Merrill Buckley, Gregory.

Wm. Lelah Peirec, 52, former Howell business woman, died at the Sparrow hospital, Lansing, last week. Funeral and burial were at Howell Tuesday.

Olen Behnke, director of the County Social Welfare Board has resigned and Cecil Bohm has succeeded him.

Judge Willis Lyons who underwent an operation at Sparrow hospital, Lansing, has returned to Howell.

Joe Allen, son of Mrs. Eva Docking Allen of Howell, was inducted in the army last week.

Brighton high school football team held their banquet at the Masonic home on Friday night. Ernie McCoy of the U. of M. was the speaker.

Mildred Beckwith of Brighton was the state winner in the 4-H Clothing project.

John A. Harman, county clerk, lost his left hand badly crushed last Friday night. He was going to the State Fair to see Dr. LeBeau when he was killed on the road in the semi-truck grounds and went in the ditch. His left hand was caught in the door which came open and crushed. No bones are said to be broken but he has a very sore hand. He was first aid at the Sanitarium hospital.

Joseph W. Frazer of the Kaiser-Frazer Motor Co., Willow Run has purchased the Lewis farm on the Hudson River Drive near Dexter.

The Oldenburg American Legion post at Milford is building a community center on its own site.

The 21st annual Farm Week at Michigan State College has been cancelled due to the housing shortage.

Notes of 25 Years Ago

Ms. Elizabeth McIntee, 95, passed away Dec. 12. The funeral was held at St. Mary's church with burial here.

The new village fire engine arrived Wednesday and Fire Chief Meyer gave a demonstration in the village business district.

A. M. Roche, twp. treas., was collecting taxes.

Walter Reason has an auction advertised on the Frank Birnie farm for Dec. 22.

The Masons will hold their election of officers in the Ladies A. O. rooms over the drug store, Dec. 21.

William Gaffney of Howell underwent an operation at the Sanitarium Tuesday.

The following program will be put on at the Cong'l. church Dec. 24: Recit., Russell Read; Recit., Wayne Carr; Song, 3 Boys; Exercise, Sun-cit, Irving Richardson; Recit., Luc-beam; Class; Recit., Velna Hall; Recit., Kennedy; Exercise, 4 Boys; Recit., Bessie Swarthout; Cantata, The Word That Came True. Mrs. M. E. Darrow is director.

Hartland has adopted the consolidated school system and will erect a new school.

Blueprint For Better Babies

Scientific studies prove that expectant mothers who eat the correct food have healthier, happier babies, while deficient diets lead to weaklings with serious defects. A "Blueprint for Better Babies", with a sample menu for normal mothers-to-be, will be found in The American Weekly with this Sunday's (Dec. 23) issue of the Detroit Sunday Times.

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NOTES OF 47 YEARS AGO

S. K. Hause died at his home of town Monday. The funeral was held Wednesday, Rev. Jones officiating.

Dr. and Mrs. H. F. Sigler Mrs. F. L. Andrews and Charles Hous attended the dedication of the Macedonia Hall at Gregory Friday.

W. H. Harris has the contract to build new house for Will Docking.

John Teeple received a fine over last week sent him by his son, P. G. from Marquette.

The Hamburg cheese factory began operations Dec. 6th.

Hon. Woodbridge N. Ferris lectures at the KOTM hall Gregory Friday night.

Bird Gregory and Miss Hattie Hudson of Gregory were married at Ann Arbor last week.

The Cong'l. church will put on the play "Danger Signal" at the opera house Dec. 17.

Roy Harris received a new Portland cutter from his father for Xmas.

Dennis Shehan has sold his farm to John Nelson.

John Schenk of Chelsea has a stock of ladies coats at Barnard & Campbell's store this week.

Charles Bowman broke his leg Monday while felling a tree on his farm.

C. J. Bangs of Unadilla is very ill with cancer of the stomach.

Florence Palmer of Unadilla was married to Allie Holmes of Stockbridge Wednesday.

James Durkee, 51, died at his home near Anderson Dec. 7.

Peter Conaway received a gold watch Thursday in honor of his 46th birthday.

Cards are out announcing the marriage of Miss Weltha Green, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Green to Rev. Edward Vail, at the bride's home on Dec. 27.

Fred: Buys Bonds



U. S. Signal Corps Photo

PHILIPPINE SCOUT—When Capt. John B. Smith, Philippine scout, received his back pay and allowances after three years' internment in a Japanese prison camp, he bought War Bonds. The captain was wounded on Bataan and lost 55 pounds in weight during his imprisonment. At the present time he is making a War Bond tour, and buys War Bonds at each stop. "The civilian," he declared, "is taking a poke at Hirohito each time he buys a War Bond." Smith hails from Houston, Texas.

Farmers Have Less to Worry Them This Time

Washington, D. C.—Farm prices stand at 206 per cent of the 1914-1914 average—higher than the prices of 1918—and will drop again but not as sharply as in 1921 because the Government is required by law to maintain support prices of at least 90 per cent of parity for two full calendar years following the year in which the war ends. The Department of Agriculture has announced.

The announcement indicates the farmer will not be a victim of a drop in prices similar to that which followed the last war in 1921 when prices hit the low level of 115 per cent of the May, 1924, level which was 235 per cent of the 1914-1914 level. Thus the farmer will have more money than after the last war.

War Finance Committee officials said that in addition to the maintenance of the price level for two years, that non-farm families already have and are accumulating weekly savings through the Payroll Savings Plan of the War Finance Division of the Treasury. This, they claim is proof the non-farm family will be much better able to support itself than after the last war during the normal lull of reconversion. Buyers of farm products will have the money to buy, it was said, and farmers should avail themselves of the opportunity to acquire War Bonds during the Victory Loan so as to have the money with which to modernize and handle their farm mar et demands that will be backed with cash to pay sustaine during the two years after their reconversion.

The Payroll Saving Plan has sold \$18,000,000,000 in War Bonds to date, and that a great bulk of non-farmers will, if need be, enjoy the fruits of their savings in the reconversion period and have the cash with which to support themselves.

Secretary of Agriculture Clayton F. Kopp has said that "prosperity of the farm depends primarily on the maintenance of the price level."

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McPherson State Bank

SHOPPING HINTS

Thought is now turning to Christmas Shopping, but the stocks on the merchants shelves are still limited.

With this fact in view this bank has a few suggestions to make as a help in fulfilling the shopping list.

For the baby's Savings Account begun now can help provide for future needs and education. A shiny Home Savings Bank too, will cultivate the savings habit.

For brother or sister a piece of new currency in any denomination desired and enclosed in an attractive envelope makes an acceptable gift.

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McPherson State Bank

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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 29th day of November A. D., 1945.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Clara Mercer, Deceased

Hugh M. ... having filed in his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Ralph Glenn or some other suitable person

It is ordered that the 24th day of December A. D., 1945 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.

A true copy
Celestia Marshall, 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 21st day of November A. D., 1945.

In the Matter of the Estate of James Laughlin, Deceased.

Martin J. Lavan, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Martin J. Lavan or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 21st day of January A. D., 1946 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

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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 21st day of November A. D., 1945.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martin J. Lavan, Deceased.

Martin J. Lavan, having filed his petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration of said estate be granted to Martin J. Lavan or some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 21st day of January A. D., 1946 at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griffith were in Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. Ida Byers and Janet Feidler are visiting in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Clinton entertained their card club Sunday.

Joe Clark is home from Assumption College for the holidays.

Miss Helen Bland of Unadilla visited Mrs. Etta Bland Saturday.

Mrs. Clare Palmer and son, Herbert, were in Detroit Saturday.

Robert Carr is working in the Roosevelt sub-postoffice, Detroit.

Mrs. Eliza VanSickle is visiting her brother, John Sherwood, Wilf's.

The Misses Muriel Read and Janet Feidler were in Howell Saturday.

Gerald Dinkel of Lake Chemung spent Sunday at the Albert Dinkel home.

Mrs. Norma Gass of Detroit spent last week at the Lester McAfee home.

Don Heller of Ann Arbor spent Sunday at the George McComb jr. home.

Emmett Clark and family of Howell called at the Walter Clark home Sunday.

Lemuel Martin and wife of Ypsilanti spent Sunday at the John Martin home.

Mrs. Blanch Clark spent several days in Detroit last week with her husband.

Dr. McGregor and family of Brighton spent Sunday at the Wm. Mercer home.

Reg. Finchey was here from Mississippi last week. He bought a car which he drove back.

Mrs. Norma Merrill of Webster spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Nettie Vaughn.

Mr. and Mrs. James Shirley jr. of Jackson spent Sunday at the Don Swarthout home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Hoster of Ypsilanti spent last Tuesday at the Andrew Nesbitt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Mission of Howell were Sunday guests at the Charles Smith home.

Albion and Allan Dinkel entertained the Junior Farm at a panicky supper Thursday night.

Robert Myers of Dexter called at the Dispatch office Tuesday. He is building a new house there.

The Misses Francis and Virginia Lazlo are working for the Kaiser-Frazer Motor Co., Willow Run.

Miss Kay Haley of Alton is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bucher.

Joe Metz of Howell, brother-in-law of Lee Lavey returned home from St. Joe hospital, Ann Arbor Wednesday.

Don Swarthout was in Grand Rapids Saturday to bring Mrs. Campbell of Ann Arbor home in the ambulance.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Miller attended the joint installation of the three Ann Arbor Masonic lodges Friday night.

Beryl Lewis has tendered his resignation as attendant at the Dixie Oil Station and Earl Tucker is his successor.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester McAfee and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford VanHorn attended the Sonia Henie ice review at Detroit Friday.

Mrs. Rosemary Schosser and Muriel Read attended the swimming meet at the U. of M., Ann Arbor Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Shirley and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Shirley of Detroit were Sunday guests at the Albert Shirley home.

School was not held here Friday on account of a broken water pipe. It closed Tuesday night for 2 weeks vacation to reopen Jan. 2.

Mrs. S. T. Reid of Kalamazoo, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Reid and children of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Bucher Sunday.

Dr. James Nash and family have moved to Coldwater. He has purchased a house and 5 acres there and will start a pet hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. James Popp (June Lamb) have rented a house at Plymouth. Their car broke down there Saturday and they had to be towed home.

Mrs. Rachael Rose and children of South Lyon and Martin Ritter jr. and family of Whitmore Lake were Sunday guests at the W. J. Nash home.

Sunday guests at the Louis Coyle home were Robert Grainer jr. and family of Lansing, Miss Eva Melvin, Mrs. Rose Howard and Lucien McCluskey.

Week end guests at the Frank Abenden home were Jack Fairchild of Detroit, Kenneth Nelson of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Rex Nozle of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Swarthout and Donalson were in Jackson Saturday.

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STATE OF MICHIGAN The Circuit Court for the County of Livingston in Chancery John J. Weakley and Gregory J. Weakley, Plaintiffs, Vs. William Gannon, James Gannon, Thomas Kelly, Thomas Gannon, John S. Foley, Hugh McKeever and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns. Defendants.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Livingston in Chancery, at Howell, Michigan, on this 20th day of November, 1945.

It appearing from the sworn bill of complaint as filed in said cause, that the plaintiffs have not been able after diligent search and inquiry to ascertain whether the said defendants are alive or dead, or where they may reside if living, or if they have any personal representatives or heirs living or where they or any of them may reside or whether the title interest, claim, lien or possible right of those defendants have been assigned to any other person or persons or whether such title, interest, claim, lien, or possible right has been disposed of by will by the said defendants.

And it further appearing that the plaintiffs do not know and have been unable after diligent search and inquiry to ascertain the names of the persons who are included as defendants without being named.

Upon motion of Charles K. Van Winkle, one of the attorneys for plaintiffs, it is ordered that the above named defendants and their unknown heirs, devisees, legatees and assigns cause their appearance to be entered herein within three months from the date hereof, and that in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by said defendants and each and all of them.

It is further ordered that the plaintiffs cause this order to be published within forty days in the Pinckney Dispatch, a newspaper printed, published and circulating in said County once in each week for at least six successive weeks.

Glenn C. Yelland Circuit Court Commissioner Livingston County Michigan

A true copy John A. Hagman, clerk

The above entitled suit involves and is brought to quiet title to the following described lands, located in the Township of Hartland, County Livingston and State of Michigan, and more particularly described as follows, to-wit:

The southwest quarter (1/4) of the southwest fractional quarter (1/4) and the southeast quarter (1/4) of the southwest fractional quarter (1/4), excepting therefrom the company in the southeast corner thereof, all in Section Eighteen (18) in Town Three (3) North, Range (6) East Michigan.

Winkler & VanWinkle Attorneys for Plaintiffs Business Address, Howell, Michigan

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THE MICH. MIRROR Continued the Tittabawassee river, Midland. The Mich. United Conservation Clubs favor a \$200,000 state appropriation each year for stream control and antipollution. Non-productive nesting, due to bad weather and not over hunting is blamed by Jack Van Covering, outdoor writer of the Detroit Free Press, for the poor pheasant season this fall.
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Edward and Joyce Zuner of Detroit were week end guests at the Asher Wylie home.
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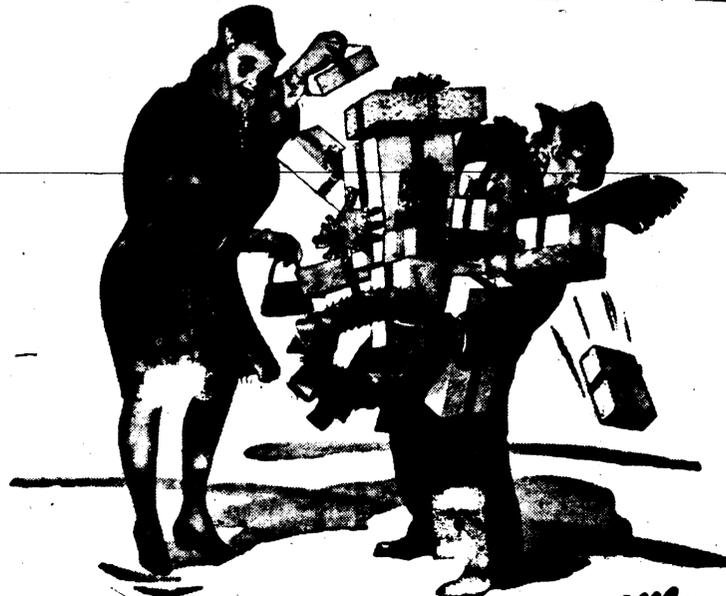
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