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School News

THIRD AND FOURTH NEWS

The music class sang "Happy Birthday" to Joan Clark last Thursday when she was nine years old.

Our room has a fine display of Lincoln and Washington pictures on our bulletin board.

We had a Valentine party Friday afternoon starting at 2:30. The box was so full that it took us one hour to pass them all out. Jack Clark had a contest and gave out bubble gum and candy to the winners. Everyone had a chance and won a prize. Mrs. Lavey visited us and left candy hearts. Mrs. Campbell gave each one of us a good time.

Mr. Hart, 4-H Club Leader of the Country brought our girls a sewing machine. They are busy practicing ever time they can get a chance.

THE 4-H VALENTINES PARTY

Busy sewers 4-H Club, leader Mary Ann Campbell, sponsored a Valentine Party for all the 4-H sewing club of Pinckney school on Thursday, Feb. 12 from 4 to 8 p.m.

Leaders, Mrs. Seckell, Mrs. Phillips, Mrs. Eberts, Elsie DeWolf, Mary Ann Campbell and Mrs. Campbell were all present.

They played games and had a pot-luck supper. Mrs. Seckell's baked beans were in great demand as also Dorothy Lavey's cake.

After refreshments were served Mr. Seckell showed the member's some moving pictures he had taken when he made his trip to Florida. The party finally broke up with everyone calling for still more pictures but having to go home because of lateness. The club wants also to thank the leaders for their help and Mr. Seckell for his fine pictures.

SECOND AND THIRD GRADE

Sally Utley and Jean Clark are ill.

Our valentine party was very much enjoyed by those who were present but we were very sorry the buses were unable to get here and many of our people were absent.

Karen Bollen is acting as our hostess this week. John Burg Jr. visited his dentist Monday afternoon and had two teeth filled.

The music class has memorized most of their festival songs. Earla Jean Tuthill and Flora Mae Mallory returned to school Monday following a weeks absence due to illness.

Mary Jo Carr attended the Valentine party at the Plainfield school last Friday.

SEVENTH AND EIGHTH GRADES

We had a special examination in Arithmetic on Tuesday. We hope we will get good marks.

We had lots of fun at our valentine party last Friday. We are sorry that some people missed the party because of the icy roads. Shirley Wegener, Joyce Clark, Lucille Beachy, Pat Hadden, and Lorna Shirley planned the games. One part of the entertainment was a spelling contest for each grade. Jim Allard was the seventh grade champion and Lorraine Tomasiak & Carole Fuhrman tied in the eighth grade contest. We want to thank Mrs. Morris for furnishing pop and Mrs. Lavey for helping with the candy. These people brought delicious cakes: Paula Curlett, Joyce Clark, Leonard Barret, Shirley Wegener, and Lucille Beachy. Thank You!

Mary Jean Kirschke had a birthday Feb. 16th and Ruth Kirschke had a birthday Feb. 17th. Happy birthday to two fine girls.

The people who are working on "Obedience" this week are: Floyd Alfred, George B., Thelma, Jack. Those working on "Diligence" are Judy, Jimmy Porter, Paul, Bill C.

Those who are doing helpful "Extra Credit" work are: Bernardine Burns, Shirley Wegener, Joan Fisher, Judy Aschenbrenner, Jane Nash, Lorna Shirley, Marilyn Coosa, Bob VanBlaircum, Barbara VanSlambrook, Claire Campbell.

YOUNGLOVE P.T.A. MEETING

The Younglove P.T.A. will meet at the school Friday night, Feb. 20, Mr. Hart 4-H leader will talk and show pictures. Public invited.

PINCKNEY P. T. A MEETING

The Pinckney P.T.A. met at the school Monday night. Dr. John Beesley of Lansing was unable to come and Dr. Roy Duffy talked. His subject was "Immunitization". February Hart 4-H Leader will talk and show much enjoyed.

NOTICE

The North Hamburg Extension Group met Tuesday, Feb. 10th, 1948 at the home of Mrs. Julia Stocker. The Ladies were making beautiful rag rugs.

Our next meeting will be Tuesday March 2-1948 at the Pettysville school.

Rev. Beachey

After being out 35 minutes a jury in justice court at Brighton acquitted Rev. Ezra Beachey of Pinckney in the famous Hamburg school hogging case. The trial was held in the city hall there before Justice Eric Singer. The cause of the trial was the pudding of Richard Schaner 13 year old son of Frank Schaner by Rev. Beachey at the Hamburg school last Sept. 25th.

Rev. Ezra Beachey came here 6 years ago to be pastor of the Mennonite church. This church pays no salary and Rev. Beachey before going to Hamburg last fall taught in the Smith school in Dexter township and the Hicks school in Putnam. The Hamburg school hired him last fall and told him to enforce discipline.

The Schaner boy although a good student was inclined to mischief and was not disposed to observe school rules. On Sept. 25th, he and Dale Bennett, son of Chas. Bennett, school bd. treas. were caught throwing chalk. Rev. Beachey had them lean over his desk in front of the school and paddled them across their hind quarters with a paddle. This was a piece of crate about 15 in. long, 2 wide and 1/4 inch thick. Chas. Bennett testified there was no bruise on his son after the punishment. Schaner, however, took his boy to the prosecutor's office in Howell and from there to Justice Cornmenewett's office where these gentlemen examined the boy and found no marks or bruises except a red mark on his buttocks. Prosecutor Erwin issued a warrant for Rev. Beachey which was dismissed Oct. 6 by Justice Cornmenewett for lack of evidence and the fact that Schaner did not post security or costs.

Then Schaner took other legal advice and posting security for costs of \$100 got a warrant from Justice Singer of Brighton. He then with counsel visited the att. gen. office in Lansing and that office disqualified prosecutor for lack of action and having expressed an opinion and named Elbrun Parsons of their office to prosecute the case.

At a Hamburg school meeting held following the flogging the bd. by a 3 to 2 vote gave Rev. Beachey a vote of confidence. Lester Sharpe Ora Mohl and Richard Hollenbeck voted yes and Charles Bennett and Ivan Waterbury voted no. Waterbury resigned the next day and Walter DeWolfe was appointed to his place.

The trial started Friday in the city hall at Brighton. Deputy Gehring drew the jury. Kenneth Chapman of the D. & C. Store was foreman. Other members were Chas. Uber, K. Murray, John Renner, Don Armstrong and Deane Sellman.

Friday the prosecutor called, Schaner, his wife and daughter, June as witnesses. They testified Richard came home covered with bruises and welts which were visible for 2 weeks afterward. The school bd. testified Lester Sharpe, sec. of the bd. did not see the marks on the boy. Chas. Bennett did not see any bruises or welts but a red mark on one buttock. This was the next day. The other bd. members did not see the welts either. These were the prosecution witnesses.

The defence attorney put the other teachers on the stand Friday and School Com. McCallum. Sat. Miss Ida Colliver, teacher at Hamburg last year testified that she had had considerable trouble with Richard. Parsons stressed the fact that boy got good marks and that she

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O.E.S. VALENTINE PARTY

About 150 people attended the Valentine Party given by the Pinckney O. E. S. for the Masons, at the Masonic temple Saturday night. The hall was decorated with hearts and Valentine tokens and the program took place in the lodge room.

Mrs. Winifred Aberdeen, worthy matron, welcomed the guests and welcomed the guests and then called on a few for remarks. Among them were Rev. McLucas, Clyde Fisher, Frank Aberdeen, Rex Noggle, John Carver, Percy Ellis and ye editor.

The O.E.S. Harmony Group of 10 sang a number of selections with Mrs. Aberdeen at the piano.

The four Pinckney Songsters, Dick and Chris Campbell, Jackie Clark and Billie Miller rendered a number of songs and got numerous encores. Mrs. Merwin Campbell accompanied them.

A cast of ladies then put on a farce entitled the "Nth Degree" in grotesque costumes and were assisted by a huge stuffed goat and a ghost chamber.

Refreshments were then served and the balance of the evening was spent at cards and dancing with O. Postson and Madames Aberdeen & Campbell furnishing the music. Percy called for squares and circles.

The party was well put on and thoroughly enjoyed.

OUR DEMOCRACY—by Mat



IN THE MORE THAN 160 YEARS THAT HAVE ELAPSED SINCE WASHINGTON STATED THIS GOAL FOR THE NEW NATION, AMERICA HAS PROVED TO THE WORLD THAT FREE PEOPLE CAN SUCCESSFULLY GOVERN THEMSELVES—WHEN THEY ARE PREPARED TO ACCEPT THE RESPONSIBILITIES OF SELF-GOVERNMENT—
BUILDING YEAR AFTER YEAR, GENERATION BY GENERATION, AN INCREASINGLY PRODUCTIVE AND PROGRESSIVE REPUBLIC.

Golden Wedding

Mr. and Mrs. William Shehan celebrated their golden wedding anniversary Saturday at the home of their son, Dr. Harlow Shehan of Jackson. Mr. Shehan was the son of Thomas Shehan an Mr. Shehan, was Kate, daughter of Kerry Roche, both well known farmers of this section. Before her marriage Mrs. Shehan was a school teacher.

They were married at St. Mary's church, Pinckney on Feb. 14, 1898 by Rev. Fr. Commerford. Their attendants were Mary Roche & Tommie Shehan, sister of the bride and cousin of the groom both are now dead.

For some years they lived in Pinckney where Mr. Shehan was a partner of the late George W. Reason—in the hardware business. He with his brother, Jay, then bought a hardware store at Danville where they lived 10 yrs. Then they returned to Pinckney and have since lived on the Kerry Roche farm.

Three sons were born to this marriage. Hollis who died at the age of 17. Roche who died a year or more ago and Dr. Harlow Shehan. There are several grandchildren.

The 50th anniversary mass was celebrated at the church in Jackson at 9:30. being said by Rev. Fr. Harris, McQuillan, Dougherty and McCormick.

A breakfast was served to 35 immediate friends and relatives at the Hotes Hays, Jackson. Returning to the Harlow Shehan home open house was held from 1 to 6 p. m. Guests were present from Detroit, Ann Arbor, Howell, Lansing and Pinckney and vicinity.

At the mass they were attended by Dr. Harlow Shehan and Mrs. Madeline Shehan, widow of Roche Shehan of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Shehan are valued citizens of this community and the Dispatch in behalf of their many many friends wishes them many more anniversaries.

NOTE OF APPRECIATION

We would like to express our appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Robert White, for letting us use the basement of their shop for Recreation purposes. We are very grateful to you for helping us get started in something that we've tried so many times and have failed. We Teen-Agers will do everything that is possible to keep this club up to its standard qualifications. We again "Thank You"

The Teen-Agers of Pinckney

HERBERT SCHNEEMALS

Herbert Schneemals, a former resident of this section and at Lakeland, Fla., Monday his wife, the former Nellie Lark of Pinckney, died several years ago. Surviving are a son, Max, of Dallas, Texas and a daughter, Mrs. Wm. Giddes of Chelsea. Funeral at Chelsea.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH

Rev. Francis Murphy, pastor Novena Friday 12:20 noon and 2:00 p. m.

Preparation for Holy Communion each Saturday 8 to 9 p. m. and on Sunday 7 to 7:30 a. m. Masses at 8:00 a. m. and 11:00 a. m.

Sun. Feb. 22, 2nd Sunday of Lent Com. Sun. for Boy's Junior Holy Name. Wed, Fri, Sat, fast and abstinence days

Prayers are requested for the sick among whom are Mrs. Lucia Dreyer who is ill at her daughter's home in New Hudson, and recent departed among whom are John Kennedy of Ann Arbor, formerly of South Lyon. Among the intentions are Sun. special intentions; Mon., for faithful departed; Tues., intention of living; Wed., High mass for dead, req. by friends; Fri. special intention of living; Fri. Special Intention, the living; Sat. low mass, intention of living

Follow the Lenten devotions each Sunday at 8 p. m. over station W.W.J. The Theme for week is "Understanding and Love"

COM. CON'L CHURCH

Rev. Alfred Allard, pastor Morning Worship 10:30 Sunday School 11:30 Choir Practice Wed. Night Organist and Choir Director

Mrs. Merwin Campbell S. S. Supt. Herman Vedder Lenten meeting each Wed eve at 8 p. m. Church Night Feb. 23 7 p. m. Pot-luck supper

GOSPEL MISSION

Rev. Ezra Beachey, pastor Morning Worship 10:30 Sunday School 11:00 Supt. Wm. Ledig Young People's Meeting 7:30

The Hillsdale school has been having a battle over a Coca Cola vending machine placed in the school there. By inserting a nickel a bottle of coke comes out. profit for housing them. At Hillsdale the school gets a small profit for housing them. At Hillsdale Dr. George Mosench of the county bd. of health condemned the use of vending machines in schools and said many students spent their money in such machines instead of buying lunches. However by a vote of the student body the machine was retained.

VILLAGE TICKET

As no caucus was held Tuesday the following hold over: President Edward Parker Clerk Mildred Ackley Treas. Helen Reynolds Trustees, 2 yrs. Roy Clark, Clara Palmer, C. J. Clinton. Trustee, 1 yr. Martin Lavey Assessor Stanley Dinkel

Circuit Court News

The March term of court convenes Mar. 1, with 52 cases, most of them old ones. There are 7 criminal 15 issue of fact, 14 chancery and 20 divorce

The criminal cases are Bruce Mc Loud & Donald Essenberg with unlawfully driving away a car; Robert Geesner, David Foster, robbery; George Hayes and Clayton Scofield drunkness.

Issue of fact (jury) are assumist Leland and Samuel Campbell vs Grace Knapp; Bruce Coleman vs Tony Lipka; Trespass on case Orain Norwood vs Fred Server, Robert Aiken vs Arthur and Olga Sargeant, Ernestine Aiken vs Arthur and Olga Sargeant, Mady Kessler vs Mrs. Wilmont Maurer; Apprais James Reader vs Clayton Brewer, Emmett Gaffney vs Joseph Hammerkirk.

Issue of fact (non jury) Armstrong Cork Co. vs George Spagnola Huler Beef vs Basil Bacalia, Purdy & Woodruff vs Wm. Davis, McPherson State Bank vs Chester and Laura Walker, McPherson State Bank vs Ernest and Sarah Howe, Replevin Purchase Corp. vs Wm. Ambrein

Chancery Injunction: city of Howell vs Fred Server, Paul Diethelm vs Wm. Baytes, Herbert Porter vs Margaret Rheinhardt, John Decker vs Ed Combs, Kenneth Parson vs Wm. Blair, George Bryant vs Eton Samuel; Spec. Per., Wm. Keibel vs Woodland Lake Co.

Foreclosure Aaron Schlotthauer vs John Pomeroy Accounting—Leonard Prell vs Floyd Feidler, Cancellation M. J. McPherson Est. vs Duck Lake Oil Co., Quiet Title—Eric Hilbard vs Rachel McNair, George Bradner vs Phillip Smith, Albert Abraham vs Arpswell Lamb, Green Gillispie vs InCREASE Kenyon.

Divorce Jack vs Betty McCabe Orville vs Bertha Watters, Arlo vs Charles Welton, Clare vs Leda Booth, Gloria vs Ernest Wettler, Margaret vs Jay Elwell, Charles vs Norcen McMullen, Dale vs Erna Hendy, Paul vs Georgia Urban, Anna vs Charles Pearson, Helen vs George Sinoson, Mary vs Russell Silverthorn Juanita vs Louis Body, Lowell vs Mrs. Beatrice Horning, Margaret vs Ralph Harter, Warren vs Augusta Reighart, Myrtle vs Dirk Drost, Ethel vs Wm. Maichi

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JURY LIST

Putnam...Bert Wylie, Leo Lavey, Hamburg...Royal Baker, Urkadia...Arthur Blanchard, Beatrice Lamborn.

Iso...R. Peterson, Azel Stowe Oceola...Pauline Salmon Marion...Bert Green, Loraine Fisk

Tyrons...Jas. Murphy, Edna Melborg Brighton...Lizette Strick, Mrs. G Garwood Brighton Twp...Elmer Boice, Jean J. Richardson.

Cochosth...K. Steinake, Maude Morgan. Conwady...Myrtle Hevdiok Deerfield...Martin Strickland Richards...Ed Stralowski, Tillie Leary.

Green Oak...Geo. Droego Handy...Blanche Coleman. Howell...Isabelle Rigney. Howell Twp...Glen Hasper.

SCHOOL THEFTS SOLVED

The state police entered the picture at the Pinckney school last week Wed. and cleared up the constant thieving that has been taking place there since school started last Sept. These thefts included money left the boys clothes in the locker room while they were practicing on the football and basketball teams and small articles. The money thefts varied from small change up to \$24 lost by one boy. The small articles taken included boys coats, scarfs, gloves, boots and galoshes, and athletic shoes. Monday a boy under suspicion was found rumaging in another boys locker. The state police after some questioning got a confession from him and going to a nearby lake recovered a portion of the stolen articles, including a coat belonging to Joe Jeffreys, numerous pairs of gloves galoshes etc. None of the money stolen was recovered. The articles recovered made a big bundle.

The boy who moved here last summer with his parents is still in school, no action being taken except to put him on good behavior. Several years ago when \$300 in magazine money was stolen the boy responsible was expelled.

TEEN-AGERS OFFICERS

President Robert Ambury Vice President Brandon White Asst. Vice President Virginia Shirley Secretary Susan Campbell Treas. Robert Danow Asst. Treas. LeVerna Clark

Current Comment

The stock market and prices are still still going down faster than in any period since 1888. The financial experts have all analyzed the situation with different results. The Wall Street Journal, the bible of Wall St. has this to say, "One reason is the expansion of food production throughout the world. Another is trade revival between countries. "Undoubtedly the loss of European markets was the principal cause of the fall of prices as it was after World I. There was always plenty of food in this country but by storing large amounts in elevators and cold storage houses and large shipments to Europe an artificial scarcity was created. Prices went up and up but still the hoarders were not satisfied. Then the word came the government would buy no more grain and the crash came. Another reason was the bickering and senseless argument and spilling of straws over the Marshall aid for Europe plan. As we understand it this loan of many billions was not to be given to Europe to be spent there but so they could buy food and machinery of this country. Like taking money out of one pocket and putting it in another. However, too many congressmen had to get their name in the congressional record with speeches and the loan is not yet approved and apparently Europe is raising enough food to sustain themselves now.

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Mr and Mrs Robert Seefeld entertained Sundry in honor of the baptism of their children Sun. afternoon by Rev. Allard. Those present were Mr and Mrs Howard Seefeld, Mrs. Julius Seefeld, and Mr. and Mrs. John Johnson, Ann Arbor and Mrs. John Lawrence Baughn was also baptised

Neison Treatse and family of Ann Arbor spent Sun. at the home of Mrs. John Bell. Mrs. Bell came home with them after 5 weeks in Ann Arbor. She returned to Ann Arbor with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baughn and Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kennedy attended the funeral of Gilbert Madden in Dexter Thursday.

Johnny Dinkel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Dinkel fell and hurt his arm last week. Doctor's examination showed no broken bones.

Neighboring News

The Leslie Methodist church dedicated a new electric pipe organ Sun. Bishop Wade delivered the address.

The Washtenaw county bd. of supervisors shelved the plans to build a new court house on account of high costs but voted to build on the present site.

Ralph Witz, 69, a groom at the Saddle Riding Club Ann Arbor was found frozen to death in a truck. He had evidently crawled under it to sleep.

Owosso had a \$200,000 fire last week in which four buildings, including the Sears Roebuck store were destroyed.

Miss Emma Wright of Stockbridge for 40 years was found dead last go who taught music in this section Tuesday. She once had a large class in Pinckney.

Dick Howlett has bought the Nellie Parks house in Stockbridge.

Atul Ram Smith of Howell has returned home from University hospital, Ann Arbor where he was operated upon.

Lynn Hendee was named director for Putnam township of the Michigan Livestock Exchange at their meeting in Lansing recently.

The Howell Cannon Co. is asking an appropriation of \$250,000 for a new armory.

The Misses Leona and Louise Myers of Howell gave a bridal shower last week for Miss Dollie Franklin.

Alfred Pfau, wife and daughter, Mary Ellen, are enroute to Calif.

Herman Ludtke of Brighton was issued a summons for having a cable less than 15ft. high across Grand River from his wrecked to pull out a car. Two other cars struck it.

The City of Ann Arbor collected over \$1000 in the March of Dimes Campaign, \$250 more than last year. The theatres collected \$6000.

Argus Inc. Ann Arbor, has leased the old Hoover Ball factory at Chelsea and will make camera parts there.

Notes of 47 Years Ago

Supt. Stephen Durfee of the Pinckney school is Rep. candidate for school comm. A position he previously held.

Mrs. Dell Carr and sons, Roger & Francis, attended the 50th wedding anniversary of M. D. Carr and wife at Belleville last week.

The Swiss Bellingers failed to fill their engagement at the opera house last Fri. night.

James Heffernan who died last week was born in Tipperary, Ireland, coming here in 1840. His daughter, Mrs. James Doyle whose joint funeral was held with his, was only 35 years old.

Married at St. Mary's church Wed. James Harris and Miss Alma Shehan by Rev. Commerford.

Myrtle VanBlaircum is ill with pneumonia.

Evangelist Baldwin closed his meetings at Chubb's Corners Mon.

Will Roche and Chas. Hoff attended the play at Parkers Corners last week.

Mrs. Gus Wegener and children have returned to their home in Banfield.

The Anderson Farmer's Club have elected the following officers: Pres., R G Webb; Ist. Vice, N D Wilson; 2nd Vice, Albert Frost; Rec. Sec., Agnes Greiner; Treas., Mike Roche; Cor. Sec., Nellie Gardner.

The Gregory Dramatic Club will put on the play "Golden Gulch" at Unadilla Feb. 21.

W. S. Livermore has sold his Unadilla store and stock to A. C. Watson.

Married at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Lewis Feb. 12, their daughter, Fossie to John Chambers. They were attended by Wm. Pennington and Nellie Fish. Rev. Rice officiated.

Miss Minnie Monks entertained 40 friends at her home Mon. night. Tim Hayes furnished music.

A bill has been introduced at Lansing to tax bachelors \$30 a year. A proposed rural route runs from Dexter to North Lake.

Notes of 25 Years Ago

Arthur Vedder, 50, died in Detroit Feb. 7. He lived in the Pinckney section for 10 years and was active in the M. E. church. Surviving are his wife and 4 children.

The worst storm since 1918 hit here Tues. night. All roads were blocked and traffic was at a standstill.

LaVerne Howard and Rose Melvin were married Feb. 12 at St. Mary's church by Rev. Crove.

A shower was held Thursday for Miss Rose Melvin at the home of her mother's.

Rudolph Lazlo and Fred Henningsway have auctioned the property of the Wobelo Girls met with Pauline Reason Feb. 3. Fern and Lucile Tupper were guests. The next meeting is with Minnie Reason.

E. Day Bird and W H Meyer have exchanged garages.

There was no school Wed. on account of the storm.

Miss Laura Hudson and Christopher Fitzsimmons were married in Jackson last Saturday.

Willard White has gone to Calif. for two weeks with Archie Fowler of Howell.

Mrs. Earl Baughn and Mr. and Mrs. John Carter were in Lansing Saturday.

AVON THEATER

Stockbridge, Mich.
Fri., Sat., Feb. 20, 21
A story of a boy and a horse with
"MY BROTHER TALKS TO HORSES"
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Conservation Notes

The 1947 deer season may break all records. So far the licenses total 2,665 more than the entire year of 1946. Small game licenses are 23 percent lower than 1946 and archers licenses are 82 percent higher.

The constant snow this winter is expected to increase the winter kill of fish.

Bounties were paid on 401 foxes last week bringing the total to 12,928, coating \$64,230 in bounty money.

The state sold 874 coyote pelts at \$2 cents each at the recent sale. Bobcats brought \$1.01, raccoons \$2.10, Mink \$22, otter \$20.10, muskrats \$2.10, bear \$5.18.

745,486 hunters have not yet sent out their game kill cards. 467,964 are small game hunters and 277,522 deer hunters.

Michigan furnished more hunting than any state in the union, with more than a million hunters, 1,049,839. Penn. was second, then New York, Ohio, Minn., Colo., Wash. Wis.

During the 10 years of bounties of predatory animals the coyote and bobcat kill has increased and the wolf kill decreased. The coyote kill average is 2,908 per year. bobcat \$20 and wolf \$1.

Mrs. Louis Clinton writes her 2 daughter Jeanne and Evelyn, are now working in Detroit for the Gen. Motors and Nat. Biscuit Co., respectively.

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CHELSEA, MICH.
Sat., Feb. 22, 21

"UNKNOWN MAISIE"
A Comedy with
ANN SOTHERN, BARRY NELSON and MARK DANIELS

Cartoon
Sun., Mon., Tues., Feb. 22, 23, 24
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HOWELL, MICH.
Thurs., Fri., Feb. 19, 20
GEORGE STEWART, JANE WYMAN

"MAGIC TOWN"
COMEDY NEWS
Sat., Feb. 21
RORY CALHOUN, PAUL KELLY

"ADVENTURE ISLAND"
ALLAN LANE & RED RYDER

MARSHALL OF CRIPPLE CREEK
Cartoon
Sun., Mon., Feb. 22, 23

Mat. Sun., 2 p. m., Continuous
TYRONE POWERS, JOAN BLONDELL

"NIGHTMARE ALLEY"
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Tues., Wed., Feb. 24-25
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Cartoon

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Among those who attended the golden wedding anniversary of the William Shehan's at Jackson Sat. were Arthur Shehan, wife and son, Rollie, Louis Shehan, wife and son, Francis, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lavey, & Merlin, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Coye, Mrs. Eleanor Ledwidge, Mrs. Mary, Teeple, Albin Pfau and wife, Lyle Redinger and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Hendee, Mrs. Rose Hendee, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dillingham, Mr. and Mrs. Asher Wylie, Mr. and Mrs. Boyer and Mrs. Goldie Bowman, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burns, Lorenzo Murphy.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Carr and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lee left Sun. by auto for Gulfport, Miss., for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Read plan to go to Grand Rapids this week. Lemuel Martin and wife of Ypsilanti were in town Sat. His mother Mrs. Beulah Martin, went home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Ona Campbell and Leona, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Read attended the showing of the Mackinac Island picture "This Time for Keeps" at Howell.

Mrs. Vivian Parmelee and daughter, and Mrs. Midred Trost of Dearborn spent Sun. with the Andrew Campbell family.

The Vincent Shields family of Ann Arbor were Sun. guests of the Leo Lavey family.

Mrs. Gladys Clinton went to Detroit with the Ralph Clinton family. They have rented a house there and will move there from Howell Mar. 1.

Miss Lenore Myers of Howell and Herb Jr. of Mich State were Sun. guests at the Herb Palmer home.

Maynard Clark who has been in Japan with the army was scheduled to land in California Monday.

Miss Denise Ledwidge is home from St. Joe hospital, Ann Arbor on 2 weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McMacken, daughter, Jean and son, Dick, of Howell called on Mrs. Clare McMacken Sunday.

Stanley Dinkel was in Jackson on business Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Seefeld (Betty Baughn) have sold their home at Portage Lake to Lawrence Baughn and leave for Fla. next week to live.

Mr. McClucas, his wife and daughter, Norma Jean, and Dr. Clark and wife of Brighton attended the O. E. S. party Saturday night.

Last Thurs. night during the fog Sonny Valentine drove through the guard rail north of the Linstead farm on the winding hill. The car was wrecked but Sonny escaped injury.

Steve Lazlo's car and the Pinckney Fabricating truck collided in front of Roy Clark's store Wednesday night. The car was damaged some.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Wilson of Ann Arbor spent the week end with Percy Ellis.

The Pinckney teachers and school board held a party at the school Sat. night. Cards were played and other games.

Roy Teeple and wife were Sat. night guests of Mrs. Villa Richards and Blanche Martin.

A letter from the war dept states Gus Ledwidge Staff Sergt. is on his way home from Los Negros for discharge.

Paul Young of Gregory has gone to Ohio to work in a drug store at Elyria.

Mrs. Mame Shehan returned home last week after 6 weeks spent in Dexter with her niece, Elizabeth Steptos.

Mrs. C. McFadden and son will leave Fla. Feb. 23 for Lakeland, stopping in Wash. D.C. and New York City.

Dr. Cecil Hendee and family and Miss Blanche Scribner of Lansing, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Rose Hendee.

Mrs. Dossa Nash, Mrs. James Nash and daughter, Kay have gone to Ft. Myers, Fla. to visit Miss Lorena Black. Jimmie Nash is staying with the Lynn Hendee.

Mrs. Walter Schmidt of New York City is visiting John Carpenter and family.

The bicycle to be given away Feb. 5 by the Detroit Maccaebes it is announced will not be awarded until March 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. L. Kennelle of Rush L. saw the Sonia Henie Revue in Detroit Tuesday.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Basydo were Al Spencer and wife of Lake Orion and Harold Hills and wife of Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Erston Clark of Unadilla called on Robert Pike and wife Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Jane Tasch is home from St. Joe hospital, Ann Arbor.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. VanSickle were Vern Robertson and wife of Plymouth, Gus Rieerman and wife of Howell and Roy Keppel and wife of Portage Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dinkel entertained Sunday in honor of the birthday of the twins, Alberta and Allen. Those present were Gerald Dinkel and family, Clayton Mason and family, Mrs. Wm. Mercer and Mrs. Allison.

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ing in a country that protects our individual liberties. We hope they are a town that is free to choose our church, to set our minds, or enjoy a glass of beer with friends.

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Joe Marsh

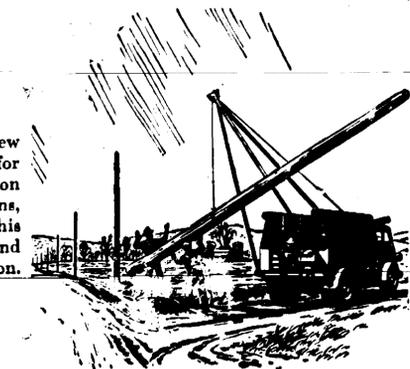
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Rural Tele-news



NUMBER PLEASE: Two dozen different kinds of Michigan Bell operators provide telephone service in Michigan—local, long distance, information and others. Latest is the mobile service operator who handles calls to and from motor vehicles.

BIGGER SPAN . . . LOWER COST: New high-strength steel wire now is being used for many rural lines instead of galvanized iron wire. The new wire, under certain conditions, lets us span our poles up to 350 feet apart. This means fewer poles and less hardware and reduces the cost of rural-line construction.



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The Hollis Wylie family were Sun. guests of the Paul Ramadell family in Stockbridge.

The Hollis Holloway family spent Sunday at the Dale Miller home. Mrs. Wm. Mercer was in Lansing part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spittler spent the week end in Belleville.

Miss Alberta Dinkel and Levi Lud attended the J-Hop at Mich. State college Sat. night. Sammy Kay's Orchestra played.

Phillip Sprout was in Leslie on business Saturday.

John Kennedy, 80, a former Ann Arbor railroad clerk who lived in South Lyon 35 years died at Ann Arbor Thur. He was born in Unadilla and was the father of Don Kennedy state highway com. He is a cousin of Mrs. C. H. Kennedy, Pinckney.

Mrs. Phyllis Soule and children of Howell spent Sunday at the Phillip Sprout home.

Steve Geryet and family of Detroit called on Mrs. Emma Volmer Sunday.

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Meabon were Gerald Clinton and wife, Detroit, Andy Singer and wife and Clifford Haines and wife.

Ambrose Kennedy and family of Howell and Irvin Kennedy and wife were Sat. dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Kennedy.



Mrs. Lucian Doyle and Mrs. Irvin Kennedy visited Mrs. Elean Doyle in Ann Arbor Sunday. Mrs. and Mrs. Rex Noggle of Ann Arbor were Sat. guests of the Frank Anderson home.

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Council Proceedings

Village Council, Regular Meeting Feb. 10, 1948
 Called to order by Pres. Parker followed by roll call of officers. Present: Palmer, Kennedy, Swarthout, Lavey and Clinton.
 Absent: Clark
 Minutes of last meeting read and approved.

Motion by Clinton, supported by Swarthout that Kennedy and Parker investigate and purchase new permanent heating equipment for fire hall. Motion Carried.

Motion by Clinton supported by Kennedy to pay Treas. \$100 a yr. straight salary. Motion Carried.

Motion by Palmer supported by Swarthout to allow following bills:
 Helen Reynolds...Postage \$5.50
 Helen Reynolds...Salary 100.00
 Farmers Feed & Supply...Coal 6.83
 Mildred Ackley...Postage 2.44
 Parkers Motor Sales...gas and anti freeze for fire truck 4.23
 Detroit Edison...St. Lighting 105.93
 Detroit Edison...Fire Siren .90
 Detroit Edison...Fire Dept. 2.88

Following Fireman for fire calls on Jan. 6 (Umsteads), Jan. 19, Campbells, Feb. 2 (Peggy's) Feb. 10, (Silver Lake)
 Stanley Dinkel (Jan. 6 and Feb. 10) 8.00
 Bill Baughn (Jan. 6, Jan. 19 and Feb. 10) 12.00
 Don Swarthout (Jan. 6 and Feb. 2) 8.00
 Norn Miller (Jan. 6, Feb. 2, Feb. 10) 12.00
 Mervyn Lavey (Jan. 19, Feb. 2, Feb. 10) 12.00
 Bill Darrow (Jan. 19, Feb. 2) 8.00
 Clare Miller (Jan. 19, Feb. 2, Feb. 10) 12.00
 Howard Read (Jan. 19, Feb. 2) 8.00
 Gerald Vedder (Feb. 2) 4.00
 Leity Reason (Feb. 10) 4.00
 Kevin Ledwidge (Feb. 10) 4.00
 Clare Swarthout, labor, material for fire siren 27.11

Motion carried
 Motion by Clinton supported by Lavey to adjourn Motion carried.
 Mildred Ackley, Clerk

Mrs. Villa Richards is visiting at the Roy Teeple home, Brighton.
 Tech. 5th Grade Don Burns, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Burns with the 8th army in Osaka, Japan the past year, is on his way home for discharge.

Miss Mollie Stahley, teacher of Religious Education in the public schools of Wooster, Ohio, was guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. Earl N. Stanley, East Main St.

Mr. and Mrs. Ketchum and family Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Kethum and son Ronald. Mr. and Mrs. Herb Ketchum and Patsy Heins of Mason were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gage Meabon Sr.

Loren Mabon of Grand Rapids spent the week end with his son Don Barbara Nash spent last Thurs. and Friday with Jun Gearhart in Howell

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REV. BEACHEY ACQUITTED
 had marked up no demerit marks against him on his report card after the first 6 weeks. The report card was introduced as evidence.
 Clifford Westerman, a school mate of Richard testified that Richard was able to drive a tractor the next day and also climbed trees and otherwise showed no ill effects. Other school boys also testified along similar lines. Ye editor was on the stand briefly as a character witness for Beachey. Justice Cronnenwett of Howell who issued the first warrant offered his court docket in evidence and said when he examined the boy the next day he found no welts or bruises. Rev. Beachey was the last witness and was on the stand for an hour or so.
 Charles VanWinkle in his charge to the jury asked a verdict of acquitted as he claimed no damage had been proved. He quoted the law prove a teacher has the right to inflict corporal punishment if done wisely and with out damage.
 Mr. Parsons in his summing up held the paddle used which he classed as a dangerous missile capable of inflicting injury. He stressed the evidence of the Schaner family as proving excessive punishment and said Justice Cronnenwett's testimony as to lack of injury was only to justify his lack of action in the case. Mr. Parsons grew quite heated at times and clashed with VanWinkle when the latter objected to his remarks on the action of Prosecutor Erwin.
 After the jury retired they got said paddle and each leaned over a desk and had another juror use it on him.
 At the trial Friday VanWinkle asked Frank Schaner if he had ever been convicted of a crime. At. Parsons objected to the question and Justice Singer sustained the objection.
 After the verdict Ora Mohl, pres. of the Hamburg school. slapped his hands which caused Schaner to push him around and call him two-face.
 According to Mr. Parsons this ends the action against Rev. Beachey. The Detroit Times and News, Associated Press and Ann Arbor News had reporters there who took pictures.
 Parsons also charged that the stories appearing in the press were inspired by teachers organizations desirous of Beachey's acquittal. Charles VanWinkle handled the defense nicely for Rev. Beachey.

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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 16th day of February A. D., 1948, Present, Hon. Willis L. Lyons, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary L. Fick, 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 just all claims and demands against to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office, said deceased by and before said Court:

and to serve a copy thereof upon Lynn W. Hendee at Pinckney, Mich. the administratrix of said estate at said Probate Office on or before the 26th day of April A. D., 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims 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
Celesta Parshall, Reg. of Probate

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It is Ordered, That all of the creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said Court at said Probate Office and to serve a copy thereof upon Charles K. VanWinkle, Howell, Mich. Administrator W.W.A. of said estate on or before the 26th day of April A. D. 1948, 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.

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