

Michigan Mirror

Gov. Williams attacks on the state highway dept. and Comm. Zeigler have accused that gentleman to report that the governor is running for reelection and seeks to get control of the highway dept. The commissioner says the matter of a bridge at the Straits of Mackinac should be studied by experts. Three geology professors at the U. of M. say a bridge is not possible, that the state rock there would not support one.

The Mich. Dept. of Econ. Devel. announces that Mich. ranks second in population increase from April 1, 1940 to July, 1948. California is first. Michigan's present population is 6,208,000.

Wholesale prices have declined 7 percent during the past 12 months and are now around 10 percent under the postwar peak of Sept. 1948. Farm prices have declined 12.7 and food prices dropped 8.9 percent.

Among present problems is the size of tax crimes in Mich. Gov. Williams has appointed a commission to study the problem. Prospects are new demands for state aid.

Aud. Gen. Aten says the state collected and returned to the local governments \$3 for every \$1 collected the past year. Total of state aid payments was \$309,853,728 as compared to cost of state institutions, depts. and highway maintenance of \$102,925,073. Expenditures the past year were over 18 million dollars higher than revenues.

Gov. Williams says new taxes are needed but if inflation continues a deficit may again be averted and sales tax revenues held for another year. Republican legislators appear to be gambling on this and oppose all tax increases.

Building facilities at the state fair are wholly inadequate for present needs says Jas. Friel, gen. mgr. There has been no building there to speak of since 1921.

Former Gov. Kelly is said to be cool to the proposal that he run for governor in the primaries against Sen. Treas. Brice and Rep. of State Fred McManus.

CIRCUIT COURT NEWS

Harry Calder was given a verdict of \$2000 against Gale Rowse in an auto accident case.

All of last week was used in trying of the chancery suit of the Parke Davis Co. vs Herbert McBeth et al. Judge Ira Jayne of Detroit visiting judge was hearing it. Eight lawyers are employed by the plaintiff and different defendants. This involves purchase of more medicine by the Parke Davis Co. McBeth was at one time employed by them but later went into the same business and also bought surplus from other products to sell to Parke Davis. Parke Davis also agreed to pay a commission. The accumulated commissions now total \$24,000 and the company wants a court order designating whom they should pay it to. They claim the medicines were given too much salt so they would drink and some of the product from them was poor quality.

SAFE RESTORED

Two years ago Brandon White brought the safe in the postoffice building used by the defunct Pinckney State Bank and moved it into his factory building. His factory is now out of operation and last week Lawrence Baughan, new postmaster, brought the safe and restored it to its former place in the postoffice vault.

BASEBALL SCORES

The high school teams in this section played their baseball season last Friday. Pinckney is 2 weeks into the winter season. The games were: Howell, 24; Pinckney, 17; South Lyon, 26; Parma, 21; Farmington, 12; South Lyon, 21; Howell, 20; Parma, 20; Farmington, 20; Howell, 20; Parma, 20; Farmington, 20.

O. E. S. NOTICE

Regular meeting of Pinckney Chapter O. E. S. 145 Friday night, Dec. 9, 8:00 p.m.

Circuit Court News

DECEMBER COURT TERM

The December court term starts Dec. 12. As usual the term will be short until after Jan. 1.

The criminal cases are Douglas Haines, breaking and entering; Wm. English, murder; John Adams, Robert Groves Joseph Byers larceny; Wm. Bucholz, rape; Hazel Olecki, Antoinette Isawik Alice Knight, naturalization.

Divorce cases are: Wayne vs Josephine Hayden; Floyd vs Boulogne Felder; James vs Emily Stone; Kendrick vs Jessica Kimball; Myron vs Annette Elmes; Dora vs David Hanna; Milda vs John Schmidt; Mary vs James Wells; Louise vs John Barbaque; Oten vs Anna Nelson; Laverne vs Pamira Bernard; Adams vs Mary Bucinski; Janet vs Clarence Sharpe; Iva vs J. Vaughn Blanchard; Jack vs Donna Brown; Marie vs Gaylord Coleman; Dan vs Katherine Sirhan; Ida vs Simon Novick; Harriet vs Robert Taube; Helise vs David Isaccs.

Jury cases are: trespass on case; Ray Barclay vs Stanley Paeg; Robert Barclay vs Stanley Paeg; Marley Pierson vs Olin Mobby; Arina Pierson vs Olin Moody; Louise Kiensie vs Myrtle Schadel; Anna Becker vs Myrtle Schadel; Margaret King vs Rania Teepie; Horace Keeler vs Wm. Teepie; Elmer Clotier vs Hartland Land Twp; Meta Link vs Morris and Reva Revta; Anna Warner Adams vs Joe Howard; State Farm Ins. Co. vs Martin Manahaka and Harry Reeve; Harry Churches vs Duane Myne; Earl Chapel vs Walter Rybka; Attach. Leroy Davey; Lloyd Endsley vs Ralph Ottwell; Richard Crockett vs Carl Bollinger; Fidelity Casualty vs Fred Cummings.

Non-jury cases: Issue of Fact; Assumpsit - Citizens' Mutual Auto Insurance Co. vs Carl Bollinger; Robert Lampson vs Richard Glendening and George Lucas Sr.; Edna McBeth vs George Lucas Sr.; Robert D. Lampson vs Theodore Merchand and George R. Lucas Sr.; Robert D. Lampson vs George R. Lucas Sr.; Robert D. Lampson vs Lawrence Sowers and George Lucas Sr.; Robert D. Lampson vs George Lucas Sr. and Raymond Slanker; Robert D. Lampson vs George Lucas and Clayton Gray; Robert Lampson vs George Lucas Sr. and Robert Grover; Otis Verbeek vs Panhandle Eastern Pipeline Co. et al.; Robert Lampson vs George Lucas Sr. and Glenn D. Lucas; Lucas Sr. and Glenn D. Lucas; Garnishment - First National Bank of Plymouth vs Edgar Combs et al.; James G. McHenry vs Wilma Mae Hendrix; John Skorski vs Les Ritter et al.

Chancery cases: Bill to foreclose - Walter Priebe vs Angela Steinhilber; Injunctions - Ferris O. Ritter et ux vs. Floyd Felder et al.; James Gould et al. vs. Hazel Murray et al.; Elizabeth Kimball vs Kendrick Kimball and Jessica Kimball; Bush Cusman and Good Will Realty Co., Edward Higby vs Marion Burg vs Albert Burg; Account - Edward Marelick et al. Quiet title - Rosary Casozo vs Clair Sullivan et al. and Byron Geer et al. Bill to cancel deed - James F. Gleason vs Mabel Sulkowski; Cronk Bill to set aside deed - Joseph Brown vs. Ild Allbright and Harold Allbright; Dissolution of partnership and accounting - Joseph Brown vs. Ild Allbright; Joseph Brown vs. Ild Allbright; Account - John Decker vs Harry E. Timp; Bill to partition lands - Marion Burg vs Albert Burg; Account and order to show counting and order to show cause - Harold Morton and Thelma Morton vs Harold McManus and Beatrice McManus.

ANOTHER BUS PUT ON

The second school bus went in to service here Monday morning with Earl Baughan as driver. It is the same as the one bought in Sept. and is on a Ford chassis. It has 40 seats and 40 pupils from Pinckney and Silver Lake and the South district.

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Games Dec. 7: St. Mary's vs. East's; St. Mary's vs. McCoy's; St. Mary's vs. V. F. W.; St. Mary's vs. Tamm's; St. Mary's vs. Sherry's; St. Mary's vs. Kern's; St. Mary's vs. De-De-De.

Obituaries

FLETCHER TRACY

Fletcher Tracy, 57, died at an Ann Arbor hospital Sunday of pneumonia after a few days illness. He was born in Frankfort, Ky. but had lived in Michigan for some years. Formerly employed by the Brown-McClaren Co. of Hamburg of late years he had worked for the King-Seeley Co. in Ann Arbor. His home was in Lakeland at 4670 M-36 East.

Surviving are his wife, a son Ralph in Detroit, and two daughters: Mrs. Mildred DeWick of Ann Arbor, and Mrs. Leo Blades of Whitmore Lake. Also a grand son, Don Coyle who lived with him almost since birth.

The funeral was held at the Swarthout Funeral home, Tues. afternoon. Rev. Wellwood of Brighton officiating. Burial in Howell cemetery.

The deceased was a member of Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. Pinckney.

NOTICE

The Livingston County Health Council will hold its December meeting in the Howell High School, Tues. Dec. 13 at 8 p. m.

Dr. Carl Buck of the U. of Mich. School of Public Health will speak to us. Dr. Buck has had many years experience as field director for the American Public Health Ass'n and will be able to give us valuable assistance in establishing a Public Health Unit in Livingston county.

CONSERVATION NOTES

A record 800-plus applicants for civil service jobs as conservation officers will take the examination at several Mich. cities next Jan. 7.

Applicants must be high school graduates, weight not less than 140 lbs stand 5 ft. 8 in. and be not less than 23 years old and not more than 40.

21,000 persons will hunt antlerless deer Dec. 1-10 in 4 counties in Western Michigan.

State parks at Orionville, Highland and Muskegon are now open for skiing. The newest and largest ski jump is in the Porcupine Mts.

Mich. 1948 sand and gravel production of \$14,000,000 placed 12 second in the nation. Oakland, Livingston, Macomb and Kent counties produced most of it.

Ground water levels declined for 3rd straight month to .93 of a ft. 1,690,000 fishing licenses will go out to 3,700 dealers in the state.

MADE FRONT PAGE

Rev. Kaufman, pastor of the Vernon Cong'l church got all kinds of front page publicity last week and made the front pages. Some time ago he wrote an article for a Communist magazine published in New York City. It is listed by the FBI as a subversive publication. In it the Rev. Kaufman denounced overzealous organizations and legions which are forcing this county into war with Russia. The American Legion took this as a personal affront and demanded an apology with a threat to picket his church Sunday. The Rev. Kaufman said he intended no affront to the legion and would explain in his sermon Sunday. This he did saying that he was not returning to the Amer. Legion but such organizations as the silver shirts etc., who seek to stir up class hatred, no pickets were at his church Sunday.

Commander said his organization was satisfied with the apology. The church board which planned to ask the minister to resign now say they will not do so.

Rev. Kaufman gets \$12 a week as pastor of the church. He drives over from Southfield where he has been school superintendent for 4 years.

Monday Rev. Kaufman was suspended as instructor in the Southfield school.

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CHURCH NEWS

St. Mary's Catholic Church

Pinckney, Michigan
REV. FR. ALBERT J. SCHMITT
Sunday Masses - 8:00 and 10:00
Nocturnal Devotions Fridays at 7:30 p. m.
Confessions Sat. 7:30 to 8:00 p. m.
Sundays - before 8:00 mass
Fridays after Novena Devotion

COMMUNITY CHURCH

Congregational
Rev. D. D. Brady, Minister
Chap. Prayers - Wed. nights
Jequiel and Clair Church
Mrs. Marjorie Campbell
Tues. Eve. 8:00 Bible Study at the parsonage.

CALVARY MENNONITE CHURCH

Rev. Wm. Deacy, Pastor
Morning Worship 10:00
Sunday School 11:00
Children's Hour 11:45
Young People's Meeting 7:30
Evening Worship 8:15
Supt. Wm. Darrow
Ass't Supt. Wm. Shurey
Cottage Prayer Meetings - Wed. 8:00 P. M.
Thursday, Dec. 8th 2:00 Ladies Aid Christmas Meeting at the parsonage. Mrs. Darrow will assist Mrs. Brady.

Sunday 10:00 Universal Bible Sunday Service. Bring your Bible. Sermon: "The Bible Plan of Salvation".
11:30 Sunday School. Subject: 7:00 Pilgrim Fellowship led by "Personal Religion".
Joan Griffith; Christmas Under the Stars.

Tues. 7:00 Senior Choir will practice and again Thurs. at 7:00 Auxiliary Meeting at the Earl Gallop home at 8:00 Tuesday.

Special December dates: Christmas Cantata presented by the Choir on Sunday evening the 18th. Cub Scout Pack Christmas program 20th. Pilgrim Fellowship Caroling and party 21st. The Sunday School Christmas Program. Thurs. 22nd. The Thirty-five-Seventy young adults club Caroling party 23rd.

The Cong'l Church will put on a Christmas Cantata on the night of Dec. 18th, direct by Mrs. M. Campbell. Cost will be given later.

JURY LIST FOR DECEMBER

Putnam - Iva Darrow, Lomez Murphry.
Hamburg - Ellen McAfee, Jane Ann Bennett.
Unadilla - Harry Cooper, Pearl Marshall.
Handy - Clarence Sharoe, Julia Smith.
Hartland - Robert Foldenauer, Mrs. H. Armstrong.
Howell - Mildred Brayton, Josephine Fosket.
Isoco - Albert Windeman, Leon Longacker.
Marion - Frank Farmer, Orville Porter.
Tyrone - Patrick O'Connell.
Brighton City - Angeline Weeks, Otto Kourt.
Brighton Twp. - Victor Clore.
Cohociach - Katherine Pratt.
Conway - Inez Wise.
Deerfield - Homer Richardson.
Genoa - Robert Herbst.
Green Oak - Jessie Brown.

MASONS ELECT OFFICERS

Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. elected the following officers Tuesday night:
W. M. - George Gardner
S. W. - Marwin Campbell
L. W. - Winston Baughan
Treas. - W. C. Miller
Sec'y - P. W. Carlett
S. D. - Clare Miller
J. D. - Lawrence Baughan
Chaplain - Ona Campbell
Marshall - Ross Head
Stewards - Ralph Pond, Robert Noel, Howard Thayer, Brandon White, Melson Miller, Alozo VanStambrook.
Tyler - J. H. Hooker.

Installation is Dec. 17 and public installing officer is Rex Sack at P. M. of Tyrion Lodge. Det. rot; Marshall, V. S. Richards, th. deputy grand master; Billan Sec. Percy Ellis, P. M. Chaplain. Otin Robinson, P. M.

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SCHOOL NEWS

PICKS ALL STAR TEAM

The Brighton Argus has picked a League O' Lakes All Star football team. It gives Brighton, South Lyon 2 and Pinckney and Manchester each one. Joe Hilly is the sole Pinckney pick and the miniature All-American. The selections are: Ends, Stark Manchester; Owens, Brighton; Tackles, Pincelot, South Lyon; Anderson Brighton; Guards, Tomo, Dexter, Dildine, Brighton; Center, O'Doherty, Brighton; Backs, Jeffreys, Pinckney, Carney Brighton; Prichard, Dexter, Smith South Lyon.

The second team honors 2 Pinckneyites, Richard Schneider at tackle and Jerry Heath. This speaks highly of Heath as he only played 3 games, quitting school then. The other selections are: Bishop, South Lyon and Lenz, Manchester, ends; Rusing Brighton, tackle; Bennett, Dexter and Lee, South Lyon, guards; Hassche, Dexter, center; Wisser Brighton, Gregory, Dexter, Snyder, Brighton backs.

By putting 5 Brighton players on the first team, 5 more on the second and giving the 11th honorable mention, the Brighton team is taken care of nicely.

A COUNTY HEALTH UNIT

About 12 years ago the editor with Dr. Ray Duffy were invited by Norman Reason, then supervisor to accompany him to a county health unit meeting to be held at the Mich. State University. The meeting was preceded by a chicken dinner. At this meeting were most of the supervisors, the mayors, council officials and a number of the doctors of the county. The host was Dr. George Leslie, superintendent of the San. and the speaker was the head of the state board of health, Henry Itell. At that time the man of the county health unit supervisors was Dr. Ray Duffy. The next meeting was held at Pinckney and a committee was appointed to investigate the cost of such a unit. The committee reported in favor of it but the board as a body turned down the proposition on account of the cost.

Several attempts have since been made to get such a unit established in this county but failed. At a session last spring an attempt was again made. The biggest argument against it was the experience of Shawano county who established such a unit tried it a year & stopped because they claimed it cost too much. They offered to give their county their equipment at cost. As we understand it, the unit is designed only to stop the spread of disease and does not prescribe or perform operations.

The board of supervisors appointed Melior Connor, County supervisor to make a survey of the cost of a unit and he has reported that the initial cost would be \$21,000. This would include a health officer, public health nurse, a sanitarian, clerk hire, travel expense. In addition there would be office space required and equipment.

At a meeting at Howell last week a county health unit was proposed. Rev. Donald Brady, Pinckney vice pres. and Mrs. Robert Crouse Hartland as Sec.

MICH. BELL PENSIONS

The Mich. Bell Tel. Co. has raised pensions to those retiring at the age of 65 to \$100 a month, for those retiring before to \$75. Before they were \$50 a month plus social security. This revision was confined to minimum pensions. Many receive more, the average at 65 years being \$135. An employee retiring after 20 years gets 1 percent of his annual pay the past 10 years plus social Security. Women may retire at 55 and men at 60. Compulsory age is 65 years.

WHERE IS IT LEGAL TO SPANK A WEE

It can't be done in Pittsburgh but a judge in British Columbia actually sentenced a wife to be spanked! Got the facts on wife-spanking from Abilene to Kenia, as told in one of many intriguing articles in The American Weekly, celebrated magazine of reality, published with this Sunday's (Dec. 14) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.

Current Comment

Extending the deer hunting season to southern Michigan has brought new problems. For one thing it has resulted in a promiscuous kill of deer. Uncooperative hunters are doing for the mere thrill of killing something and not for the sake of the ground. We have been told that a number of deer have been found in the area near Pinckney. In the north it is a common occurrence but there the coyotes and other varmints quickly dispose of the carcasses. It is too bad all this good meat goes to waste. The conservation department evidently did not figure on any wide spread game law violations in this area and took no steps to prevent them.

The coal-mining situation has again brought John L. Lewis to the fore and the controlled press are again pillorying him and announcing him as the Judas of all time and lower than the lowest reptile in the dust but at the same time crediting him with more power than any individual in the creation except Christ. The papers tender their readers a disservice in not explaining just how this was brought about. Back some 40 or 50 years ago the coal miners were the most underprivileged and exploited class in the United States. Their wages were low, they lived in mine co-houses and had to trade in mining co-stores. The result was they never got out of debt to the mining companies and lived in a state of virtual slavery. The miners were composed mostly of European immigrants, few of whom could speak English or read and write. Their first savior was John Mitchell and his battles with George Bahr, head of mine owners in which he was aided by the late President Roosevelt are history. Battles were numerous and there was always suspicion they were an organized conspiracy, especially when there was a surplus of coal. Mitchell made some progress but John L. Lewis made much more and wielded greater power. What gains the miners have made are due to him and for this reason they follow his lead implicitly. Maybe he is a spot and exploits the miners but he steadfast refusal of the mining operators to grant the miners demands over a long period of years made the rise of John L. Lewis possible. The late Rev. Earl Bergquist, pastor of the local Cong'l church had a parsonage at Lancaster, Pa. for a number of years and we learned much of conditions there from him.

In Detroit life is getting to be one crusade after another. The Detroit Free Press recently conducted one to close up Skid Row and the Detroit News not to be outdone is spearheading one to curb sex deviates. As in the case of the Free Press drive, this is featured by front page articles. The trouble with these crusades is that they are sporadic and do not last. One to be effective should continue for 365 days a year. Take the crusade against gambling and the numbers racket in Detroit a few years back conducted by Judge Ferguson which elevated him to a seat in the senate. He is of police dept. and even a mayor were caught in his net and convicted. However, the hue and cry has died down and such gambling undoubtedly again flourish there at the present time.

The unfortunate occurrence in Detroit last week in which it is charged that a taxi driver injured in an auto accident was allowed to die through negligence will continue to occur until the people get sufficiently liberal to provide adequate hospital facilities. The injured driver was taken to receiving hospital but as no room was available he was quizzed first and in the corridor and allowed to lie there for number of hours. His injuries were diagnosed as slight and he was ordered taken home. Instead he was removed to another hospital where he died. A rib having punctured a lung. Other facts brought out in the material, such as the fact that the doctor who treated him was not licensed to practice in Mich., the main fact is that facilities for handling such accident cases are not available in Detroit. It is out the receiving hospital and into the state hospital.

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Pinckney Civic Improvement Ass'n.

THE NEXT MEETING IS

Dec. 12th

AT PINCKNEY HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM
8:00 P. M.

AT WHICH TIME THE WINNERS OF THE ESSAY CONTEST WILL BE AWARDED THEIR PRIZES

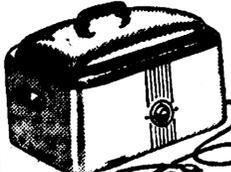
THERE WILL BE SPEAKERS AND AND A GOOD PROGRAM THE PUBLIC IS INVITED

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These glass-and-chromium-plated coffee makers are just wonderful cups of coffee, brewed easily, quickly, right at the table. Moderately priced from \$4.95 to \$12.50.

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DETROIT EDISON

EDISON EDISON
Your Electric Service



Mr. James Miller and family were guests of the W. C. Miller home.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Shirley were Sunday dinner guests of the Willie McHenry family.

Mr. Henry Shelton and two children of the W. C. Miller home were guests of the W. C. Miller home.

Last Friday night 24 women and employees of the Pinckney San gave a party at the home of Mrs. J. C. Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Miller were guests of the W. C. Miller home.

Mr. James Miller is a patient in a Michigan hospital.

Howell Theater Howell, Michigan

Thursday, Friday, December 8-9
Dorothy Lamour, Dan Duryea
Sterling Holloway
in
"MANHANDLED"

Comedy Novelty Cartoon

Saturday, December 10
Barbara Hale, Bobby Driscoll
in
"THE WINDOW"

Also
Charles Starrett, Smiley Burnette
in
"PHANTOM VALLEY"

Comedy Novelty Cartoon

Sunday, Monday, December 11, 12
Matinee Sunday 2:15 P. M., continuous
Kathryn Grayson, Jose Iturbi and
Ethel Barrymore
in
"THAT MIDNIGHT KISS"

Comedy Novelty News

Tues. Wed. Thur, Dec. 13, 14, 15
Bing Crosby, Barry Fitzgerald
Ann Blyth, Hume Cronyn
in
"TOP O' THE MORNING"

Comedy Novelty Cartoon

Dexter Theatre DEXTER, MICHIGAN

Thursday, Friday, Dec. 8, 9
Fred MacMurray and Maureen
O'Hara in
"FATHER WAS A FULLBACK"

Friday, Saturday, Dec. 10
Cartoon Ted Flo Rite Orchestra

Saturday, December 10
Double Feature
Louise Howard, Janet Blair
in
"THE BLACK ARROW"

Also
Gene Autrey, Smiley Burnette
in
"CAROLINA MOON"

Color Cartoon Novelty Musical

Sunday, Monday, December 11, 12
Loretta Young, Celeste Holm
in
"COME TO THE STABLE"

Cartoon Travel Talk Novelty

Tuesday, Wednesday, December 13, 14
Tyrene Power, Gene Tierney
Glenn Ford
in
"THE DOCTOR AND THE GIRL"

Cartoon Novelty

AVON THEATRE
Stockbridge, Michigan

Friday, Saturday, December 9, 10
A Fast Moving Melodrama
"MANHANDLED"

with
Dorothy Lamour, Dan Duryea
Cartoon Musical Occasion

Sunday, Tuesday, December 11, 12
"RETURN OF OCTOBER"

Color by Technicolor
A Good Comedy
with
Glenn Ford, Terry Moore
Cartoon News Sunday

Cartoon Comedy, Musical, News

NEIGHBORING

The building of the new Wash-
tenaw county courthouse is still
blocked by a deadlock by the
board of supervisors over the site.
The board is split half wanting the
present location and half a site
near the county infirmary.

The Fowlerville Rotary Club en-
tertained the 22 man football
squad at a banquet at their meet-
ing last week.

Jay W. Reed, 68, a retired
South Lyon farmer, died Nov. 27.
Clarence Embury shot a 10 pt.
buck on his farm in Unadilla last
week.

Councilman Wm. Bealer, his
wife and Gladys King all of Bri-
ghton were hurt in an auto acci-
dent last Tuesday morning on U. S.
16 a mile west of Howell.

Paul Baldwin, Howell druggist
and his wife were taken to Spar-
row hospital, last week following
an auto accident at U. S. 16 and
Okemos Rd.

In the examination of the 3 sus-
pects held for robbery of the Hot-
el Graham, Brighton, Edward
Boyd, the clerk who was beaten
up by the robbers was unable to
identify James Craig, a suspect
and he was released but later ar-
rested as a parole violator. The
examination of the other sus-
pects, James Paulin and Alred
Monnett was put over to Dec. 12.

The Brighton branch of the Det-
roit Gasket Co. served a turkey
dinner Nov. 23 to its employees.

The 1850 auto license plates
are on sale. They are silver with
black letters.

Milan is to have a new \$200,
000 postoffice building to be start-
ed at once. One is also planned
for Northville.

The Dexter Savings Bank paid
out last week \$13,000 in Christ-
mas Saving Club checks.

In the Dexter school reorganiza-
tion program 7 districts have
signed petitions in favor while 5
have signed against it.

25 Years Ago

The Ford garage here operated
by Day Bird was burglarized last
Friday night and \$150 taken.

Mrs. Kathryn Bullis, 70, died
at her home here Nov. 28. She
was Kathryn McGraw, daughter
of Peter and Margaret McGraw.
She was three times married, R.
Mitchell being her first husband,
McCure Hinchey her second and
Wm Bullis her third. She leaves
8 children. The funeral was Sun.

The store at Parkers Corner
was robbed Mon. of \$150 worth
of goods.

Born to Vern Powers and wife
(Mable Sigler) of Detroit Dec. 2 a
son.

David Bennett, 87, a former re-
sident of Pinckney, died at Lan-
sing Saturday.

LEGAL NOTICE Lease Forfeiture
To John S. Gillette, 200 W. Musk-
egon Ave., Muskegon, Mich; and
A. E. Kanitz, 1581 Jiroch St., Mus-
kegon, Michigan.

We the undersigned owners of
the following described land sit-
uated in the Township of Bri-
ghton, Livingston County, Mich. to-
wit:

Outlot A of Brighton Country
Club Subdivision according to
the plat thereof recorded in Liber
3 of Plans, page 1, in the office of
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ston County, Michigan.

upon which a lease dated the
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was given to John S. Gillette and
A. E. Kanitz lessees, do hereby
notify you that the terms of said
lease have been broken by the
owners thereof that we hereby
elect to declare and do declare
the said lease forfeited and void,
and that unless you do within
thirty days from this date notify
the register of deeds of said
county as provided by law, that
said lease has been forfeited, we
will file with said register of
deeds an affidavit of forfeiture as
provided by law; and we hereby
demand that you execute or
have executed a proper surrender
of said lease and that you put
the same on record in the office
of the register of deeds in said
county within thirty days from
this date.

Dated: December 2, 1949.
Thomas Lath
Clair M. Lath

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1949-1950

- Dec. 16 Manchester - away
- Dec. 20 South Lyon - home
- Jan. 6 Dexter - home
- Jan. 10 Cass Lake - home
- Jan. 13 Northwood - away 2
- Jan. 20 Brighton - home
- Jan. 24 Stockbridge - away 2
- Jan. 27 South Lyon - away
- Feb. 3 Manchester - home
- Feb. 10 Dexter - away 2
- Feb. 14 Cass Lake - away
- Feb. 17 Northwood - home 2
- Feb. 24 Brighton - home

The No. 3 game this season
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- THORNDYKE MURGLETHORPE, a college grad BILL JEFFREY
- MRS. GEORGE CLARKSTON, a social climber ISABEL BRADY
- NADINE CLARKSTON, Peter's sweetheart JUNE INUS
- PEGGY CLARKSTON, Bill's sweetheart MARY ANN MAZER
- MALVINA POTTS, Muggie's god des PATTY REBMAN
- JOHN BOLLIVER, a wealthy banker BILL INQUIST
- DUPONT DABBY, poet of Elwood college LAVERNE CLARK
- BILL BRADSHAW, Peter's Pal RICHARD SCHNEIDER

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C. J. Clinton was home from Veteran's hospital, Dearborn Sun. Gerald Clinton and wife were also there.

The Herbert Palmer family spent Sunday at the Ben Palmer home in Detroit.

Mrs. Blanch Clark called on Mrs. Jean Meyer and family in Ann Arbor last Wed.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Culver Deerfield and Wm. Gallup and family of Detroit were Saturday visitors at the Murray Kennedy home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Read left last Wednesday for Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, for the winter.

Miss Lucy Jeffreys fell at the Wm. McMacken home last week and was quite badly bruised.

Capt. Tom Young who has been in Japan with the army is expected home by Christmas.

Pvt. Beryl Lewis who is in the army in Okinawa will be home about Jan. 1.

Merlin Darrow family in Ham. M. E. Darrow called on the burg Sunday night.

Murray Kennedy is working for the King-Seeley Co. of Ann Arbor.

Mr. Meabon sr is visiting daughter Mrs. Eva Teuton in Ann Arbor and Mrs. Meabon is in Ann Arbor with her daughter, Mrs. Teuton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vedder at the King-Seeley plant at Sci. and Gerald Darrow are working. Jerry Clark has stopped school at Detroit the school having been closed.

Mrs. Mary Eichman entertained her cribbage club Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Wash of Detroit called at the William Shehan home Sunday.

The Guy Blair family of Fowlerville were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dillingham.

The Lloyd Hendee family were Sunday guests of the Cy Rupert family in Howell.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roberts of Detroit spent Sunday with S. H. Carr and wife.

The Clyde Fenner family have gone to Coldwater & Bob Parks and wife have moved into their house on Unadilla St.

Mrs. Hilda Cole of Gregory spent Thursday at the Albert Dinkal home.

Mrs. Emma Vollmer and son John returned home from Albuquerque, New Mexico last Wed.

Mrs. Sadie Read and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Read visited Ross Read at St. Joe hospital Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. R. Duffy, Nellie Gardner and Sharon Griffith called on Dr. Roy Duffy at University hospital Ann Arbor, Sunday.

Herman Strobel, retired Howell merchant died there Sunday.

Mrs. Clara Conrad Stebbins, widow of Charles Stebbins, former proprietor of the Stebbins hotel, Dexter, died Sunday.

Mrs. Mark Nash with Alice Gerhart, Louis Gearhart and Mrs. Joe Gearhart attended the funeral of a nephew in Flint last week.

Sunday guests at the Louis Coyle home were Rev. J. V. Coyle, Jackson, Alex Coyle of Whitmore Lake, Thomas Coyle and Thomas Sharp of Howell and Mrs. Dessi Orr of Whitmore Lake.

Theodore Olderman and wife of Detroit called at the J.H. Hooker home one day last week.

Mrs. Sweeney of Byron is now assisting in the care of Mrs. S. H. Carr.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Swarthout were in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mrs. Clare McMacken and Denise Ledwidge were in Ann Arbor Thursday.

The Harold Porter family of Grand Rapids spent part of last at their cottage at Portage Lake.

Kevin Ledwidge is working as maintenance man in a Detroit factory.

The Davajado Club of Portage Lake met at Ben Hoggie home in Ann Arbor Thursday.

George Meabon jr. and wife called at the Wm. Marshall home in Stockbridge Sunday.

The John Carver family visited his parents in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Rose Hendee was a Sunday dinner guest at the Lynn Hendee home.

Leon Meabon and wife had on Sunday guests the Dale Miller family of Pinque.

Andrew Meabitt and wife were Wed. guests of the Gordon Hester family at Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Christensen of Ann Arbor were Sunday callers at the L. I. Swarthout home.

The Gerald Boser family of Brighton were Sunday visitors at the Louis Shehan home.

Mrs. Corneilia Bowen, daughter, Florence, of Howell called at the Andrew Meabitt home Friday.

The Edna Meyer and Wm. Lamb families of Ann Arbor were week and guests at the W. H. Meyer home.

Mrs. Lydia Kopus and two daughters were Sunday visitors at the Tom Ware home.

Mrs. Alberta Dabel and Mrs. Elmer Doughton were in Ann Arbor Sunday.

Mrs. Fred Ward of Clio's Corners was in Detroit Thursday.

Ross Read underwent an operation for sinus trouble at St. Joe hospital, Ann Arbor Friday.

Mrs. Anna Meyer of Clio was in Ann Arbor Sunday.

The Lynn Meabon family of Grand Rapids spent Sunday in Pinque.

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