

Michigan Mirror Gets Census Job

The plan to build a bridge across the Straits of Mackinac again being agitated. The big question is, "who would pay for it?" Everybody or nobody.

This project was started back when Murray VonWagoner was in charge of the highway dept. A bridge authority was named and the causeway to be bridged was completed in 1941 at a cost of one million dollars. Then World War II started and it was abandoned. Now Stewart Woodfill, pres. of the Mackinac Island Grand Hotel has revived it and asked Gov. Williams to include it in his call for the 1950 special session. Woodfill estimates the bridge can be built for 50 million. One half of this amount would come from the federal treasury. The question is would it come out of the states allocation for highway construction or be appropriated outright. Woodfill committee has gotten out literature stating that the Detroit to Saugatuck via Mackinac has been designated an interstate highway and thus the federal government pays 50 percent of construction. The bridge would be constructed in lieu of highway.

The remainder of the cost would be raised by charging motor vehicles toll.

The committee estimated a million vehicles a year would use the bridge. The bonds carrying 4 percent interest. The first years interest would be a million dollars and the anticipated revenue \$1,900,000. Maintenance would cost \$300,000. So around \$600,000 would be available the first year to retire bonds. Thus the \$25,000,000 federal funds and a same amount in bonds would pay for the bridge.

Building it by federal and state aid lacks local responsibility and possess the lure of being a gift, but someone has to pay for it. The big argument is that if we don't take the money someone else will get it. That is the story in a nutshell.

CONSERVATION NOTES

Checks totaling \$409,171 have been mailed by the conservation dept. in payment of the 10c an acre tax to township and district school for state lands in their area. Luce county received the largest \$29,061 and Genesee the smallest \$4,000. Lenawee was the second lowest with \$2c.

One million legal sized trout were released in Michigan last year with the final Dec. planting. 159 barrel a day oil well has been brought in in Butman twp., Gladwin county.

Questionnaires sent in by antlerless deer hunters show a small kill. Of the 24,198 people issued permits, 1,192 returned questionnaires, showing 2,266 deer bagged. The deadline for mailing in small game and deer kill cards is Feb. 15.

Lack of ice has stymied the spearing. It ends Feb. 28th. The 1949 state of hunting and fishing licenses exceeded the total of 1948 and all dealers have not yet reported. Fishing licenses totaled 797,004.173.000 trout stamps sold. 565,000 to small game hunters and 320,000 deer licenses. Bow and arrow hunt licenses were \$4,708,936.

Conservation law violators in November were 1,110 which was 83 less than Oct. They paid \$24,106 in fines.

A female fox squirrel was shot at Higgins Lake this year that had been tagged in 1943.

Over 500 arctic snowy owls have been seen in Mich. Driven here by scarcity of food in the arctic. They come about every 5 years. In 1945, 1500 were reported of which 900 were shot.

CRIBBAGE TOURNAMENT

The Pinckney cribbage tournament will start at the fire hall on Monday, January 23, 1950 at 8:00 P. M. All cribbage players invited. The winners go to Ann Arbor.

YES, YOUR TAXES CAN BE CUT!

By slashing luxury taxes on jewels and perfumes, Canada has given its people more money to spend. Learn what taxes Canada has reduced and how we can cut ours, too. Read "Your Taxes Can Be Cut!" in The American Weekly, great magazine with this Sunday's (Jan. 22) issue Detroit Sunday Times.

District Supervisor Wayne Krumhaver and Assistant District Supervisor Murray Kennedy of the United States Bureau of the Census have returned to their office after attending an Administration Training School at the Earlum Hotel, Detroit, Mich. Census headquarters in Pre-Census of the United States.

Mr. Kennedy states that preparation for the 17th Decennial preliminary work on the 1950 Census to be taken in April will begin immediately. This includes organization of the district office conducting publicity, interviewing applicants for jobs and later, training of office clerks, field crew leaders and enumerators.

The administrative clerk of the local office will start his training in Detroit January 23 at the Census Area headquarters in Detroit, Michigan.

The territory included in the census district which Mr. Krumhaver and Mr. Kennedy supervise, includes Ingham and Livingston counties. Enumeration districts are being established for each of these counties and for sections of the larger communities in each county. Approximately 135 enumerators will be employed to take the 1950 census in this district.

COMMUNICATION

We received a letter from Florence Tupper stating she was leaving Sunday for a 3 weeks stay in Fla. The Glenn Van Beurans of Byron left right after New Years and are in Fla. now. She states that her brother, Glenn, who went to Calif. last year after many years residence in S. Johns has with his son, Stuart, purchased the weekly paper, The Cutter Cross, Courier, at Cross. This is a rich farming country and fruit belt. Cold weather has hit the fruit hard and a friend of Glenn's recently had 4000 boxes of oranges frozen. The water pipes freeze nearly every night. Of course, the pipes were laid on top of the ground as cold weather is unusual there.

COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Council Meeting Jan. 10, 1950. Called to order by Pres. Dinkler, followed by Roll Call of officers. Present: Shirley, C. Clark, R. Clark, Read, Swarthout, Eisele. Absent: None.

Minutes of last meeting approved. Motion by R. Clark supported by Read to allow following bills: Detroit Edison, St. Lights, Hall and Siren \$116.50; Lovey Hdwe. Misc. Sup. 9.4. Motion to adjourn. Mildred Ackley, Clerk.

COUNTY HEALTH UNIT

Next Monday night, Jan. 23rd Dr. Don McGeeff, County Health President of Brighton, will talk at the Putnam Town Hall at 8:00 p. m. on the County Health Unit. All are invited.

P. T. A. MEETING

The Pinckney Parent Teacher Ass'n met at the school Monday night. As there were not enough present to hold a meet the speaker of the evening, Mrs. Lulah Tasch, Chairman of the Children Reading and Library Service of the Michigan P. T. A., gave her talk on "The Value of a Library in Pinckney" to the five who were present.

FRIENDSHIP NIGHT

"Friendship Night" will be Friday, January 20, 1950 at 8:00 in Fowlerville. All members of O. E. S. Chapter 145 are urged to attend. Anyone desiring transportation may call 133 or 151F13. Sec'y

BOWLING NEWS

Results of Jan. 11 were as follows: Read's 45, Tip Top 41; St. Mary's 39, V. F. W. 37; Kennedy's 35, Van's 35; Feb. 25; Cory 33; Hockey's 32; Shirey's 27; Tavern 24. Die Set 21.

Games for Jan. 18 are Van's vs Tip Top; Read's vs Shirey's; Kennedy's vs Cory's; Feb. vs V. F. W.; St. Mary's vs Hockey's; Lie Set vs Tavern.

V. F. W. NOTES

Gene Mann, 74, a Veteran of the Spanish American and World War I, is perhaps the oldest V. F. W. Post Commander in the Organizations.

The Pinckney V.F.W. will play a donkey basket ball game at the school some time in Feb.

OUR DEMOCRACY—by Met

COMMUNITY SUPPER

PLATES HEAPED HIGH WITH THE MOUTH-WATERING SPECIALTIES OF THE BEST COOKS IN TOWN... A HAPPY CROWD IS WELL FED... FUNDS ARE RAISED FOR A WORTHY OBJECTIVE. THUS, WITH EACH WOMAN DOING HER SHARE, A JOB TOO BIG FOR ANY ONE PERSON TO CARRY OUT ALONE IS SUCCESSFULLY ACCOMPLISHED THROUGH FRIENDLY COOPERATION.



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Masonic Lodge News

FELLOWCRAFT TEAM

At a meeting held at the Masonic temple Thursday night the Fellowcraft team organized for the ensuing year. The officers were reelected: Pres. Olin Robinson; Sec. Jack Hannott; Treas. Ona Campbell. They showed a balance in the treasury. Some new team equipment will be ordered.

The work on repairing the kitchen and dining room damaged by the recent fire is expected to be completed by Feb. 1 next. The Ann Arbor Construction Co. had the roof last week, part of which had to be rebuilt. The kitchen has been enlarged and when completed and the new equipment installed will be entirely modern.

The date for the annual banquet and quest night has been set for Sat. night, Feb. 11. At this event each Mason is permitted to bring a non-Mason guest. An interesting program will be put on.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Dolly Baughn entertained Sunday in honor of her son Jim's birthday. The Earl Baughn family, the Win Baughn family, the Lawrence Baughn family, the John Carver family of Pinckney and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Franklin of Howell.

Mrs. Alta Meyer and Mrs. Mae Dailer attended a White Shrine ceremonial last week at Ionic Masonic temple.

Easel Meyer who is attending Mich. State Normal talked on Socialized Medicine over station WHRV Sat. night. He is a public speech student and stood first in his class of 80.

The Harold Day family and the James Day family of Detroit and Grace Noble of Pleasant Ridge were Sun. guests of Mr. and Mrs. John McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerry Eichmayer were in Detroit Sat. night. Their daughter, Karen stayed with Mrs. Irvin Kennedy.

Mrs. and Mrs. Gerald Vedder leave this week for Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Ken Davis are visiting in Syracuse, N. Y.

Ezra Plummer, former resident now of Ann Arbor left this week for Oklahoma to visit his son, Douglas at Oklahoma City.

P. I. Tom Lerner is now in Ft. Benning, Ga.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hickey of Jackson stopped at the Dispatch office Tuesday enroute to the U. of M. wild life sanctuary.

CHURCH NEWS

St. Mary's Catholic Church, Pinckney, Michigan. REV. FR. ALBERT J. SCHMITT

Novena Masses 8:00 and 10:00. Novena Wed. 7:30 p. m. Confessions 7:30 to 9:00 p.m. Sundays before 1:00 mass. Prayers after Novena Devotion.

COMMUNITY CHURCH

WEDNESDAY EVENING 8:00 CHURCH. Organist and Choir Director Mrs. Merwin Campbell.

Thurs. 8:00 Church. Evng. Sunday Jan. 15 10:30 Church will lead.

Thursday, 7:30 Prayer Meeting and Preparation for Lenten. Visitation at the parsonage. Sunday, Jan. 22; 10:30 Church Service. Sermon: "Blessed at the Persecuted."

11:30 Sunday School. Topic: The First Christian Martyr. 4:30 Pilgrim Fellowship officer meeting at the Parsonage.

7:00 Pilgrim Fellowship meeting. Leader, Kathryn Henry.

8:00 Meeting of the Men's Social Group. Discussion leader, John Burg on "Dads and Lads and the Church." Plans will be made for the Father and Son Banquet which takes place Feb. 21st. Members of the Church and their friends are invited.

Tues. 24th: 8:00 Prudential committee meeting at the Parsonage. Wed. 400 Junior Choir Practice. 7:30 Senior Choir Practice.

CALVARY MENNONITE CHURCH

Rev. Ezra Beachy, Pastor. Morning worship 10:00. Sunday School 11:00. Children's Hour 11:45. Young Peoples Meeting 7:30. Evening Worship 8:15. Supt. Hecose Darrow. Asst Supt. Marvin Shure. Cottage Prayer Meetings Wed. 8:00 P. M.

INCOME TAXES MADE OUT

I will make out income tax forms at my home from now on. MRS. J. M. MCLUCAS. 406 E. Grand River, Phone 3731. Brighton, Michigan.

Robert Horine of Detroit was a guest at the Lloyd Hendee home last Wed.

SCHOOL NEWS

Current Comment

Pinckney took a tight game from Hartland on Friday night. Joe Jelle vs led the Pinckney attack with 15 points. Coyle and Enquist each got 3. Packer and Matison each 2. The game was close all the way. Hartland led 7 to 5 at the quarter and the score was tied at the half at 13. All Jeffreys scored 5 points the last quarter to provide Pinckney a winning margin. Pinckney was high man for Hartland with 11 points.

The game between the two varsity teams was also close. Hartland leading 12 to 8 at the half. Pinckney tied it up in the 3rd quarter but lost ground the final quarter when they only scored 5 points.

Jack Jeffreys was high man for Pinckney with 7. Allie Matison got 6. J. Mroka 2, Barrett Matison and Hammell each one.

The Pinckney girls team outdressed themselves and ran up 24 points which is probably more than they got all last season. However, the Hartland girls scored 24. Virginia Staley was high with 7. Campbell got 4, Marilyn Clark 7 and Maser 2. Nancy Johnson of Hartland was high with 11.

Pinckney Girls: Shirley M. M. Clark, Campbell, Bobon, Burns, Substitutions: Pinckney, Clark, Fisher, Maser, Schmeider, Ksenke.

Hartland Girls: Lanehart, Hequist, Cooper, Harkinson, Substitutions: Pinckney, Mroka, Fisher, Maser, Schmeider, Ksenke.

Pinckney Res. Jeffreys, Mroka, Mroka, Waise, Barrett, Substitutions: Pinckney, Hammell, G. W. E. Clark.

Hartland Res. House, Torguet, Dnal, Bidwe, Lyon, Substitutions: Enquist, Schmeider, Jeffreys.

BASKET BALL SCORES

Dexter knocked Brighton out of the place in the League of Lakes by beating them 36 to 24. Pinckney beat South Lyon 36 to 21. Other scores were: Milan 16, Chelsea 30; University 29; Dundee 29; Flat Rock 45; Lincoln 26; St. Augustine 26; St. Thomas 23; Holt 64; Fowlerville 50; Sibley 46; Williamston 34; Everett 48; Howell 28; Flint Mandeville 33; Linden 24; Ann Arbor 42; Jackson 41; Ypsilanti 31; Reedford Union 40.

TELEPHONE ALMANAC

The Mich. Bell Telephone Co. announced today that the 1950 edition of the perennially popular Telephone Almanac is now available to the public, without charge at all of its business offices.

The name of this year's almanac is the romantic and interesting account of man's efforts to communicate with his fellow man. Words and pictures trace his progress in this endeavor from the day when he used drums, horn and cannon, up to his present day use of radio, relay, teletyp and a telephone in his automobile.

In addition to the traditional astronomical observations and other useful information, the new edition contains the usual baby or brain-teasing word picture puzzle.

SPOTS THE DOGS

Grover Colby of Dexter was called at the Dispatch office Monday to inquire after a valuable deer he had lost. In the course of our conversation he condemned the deer herd which is increasing rapidly in this section. He likes to hunt fox and coon but says that the deer scent is so much stronger that when it hounds strike it they leave the scent to follow it. Apparently there is nothing that can be done about it. Not enough deer were killed in this section last year to reduce the herd much.

Fred Hannah of Mich. State College made a speech at Pinckney last week in which he rapped subsidization of star athletes. He said that as long as there is a great public demand for college football star players are going to be continued to be offered opportunities to attend colleges. He would remedy this by putting the awarding of scholarships in the hands of the faculty. Now he claims the coaches and alumni control such awards. We don't know as we follow him. Some college presidents are honest athletes. At the U. of Chic the athletic program was entirely wrecked by a hostile program. The movements offered by colleges to star athletes are usually political. The jobs are usually political. We know one athletic whose job was to pick up papers and sacks on the campus. So many athletes were doing the same that the seldom had to work over one day a week. We don't think there will be much change in the college program in the million dollar systems the colleges build. They require winning teams and the athletic crop is limited.

After two years litigation Congressmen Blackney from this district has been officially elected as representative. He was in 1948 by 794 majority. His opponent Geo. Stevens of Flint checked off a unit. This has been a changing fire since. The house of representatives which has a record of all records turn it down the present committee by 31 to 21. Blackney. One Democrat swung his vote to Blackney giving him a majority. Blackney has represented this district since he took Seymour in 1932 except for 1936 when he lost to Andrew Trowe of Flint in the Democratic landslide.

As a means of getting more revenue with which to finance city affairs Mayor O'Dwyer of New York City would legalize gambling on sport events and tax such events. Government have long considered the possibility of taxing gambling. A start has been made in Mich. and some other states where betting on horse racing has been legalized, and the state tax on the amount of money bet. Mayor O'Dwyer would extend this to boxing, wrestling, and all athletic events. The athletic situation is muddled in Michigan. For instance, boxing is legal, it is allowed to operate if conducted by churches or other organizations in the name of charity but if a private individual operates one it is illegal. Some even advocate that the U. S. put on a gigantic lottery each year similar to the Irish English sweep stakes. Although illegal thousands of Americans buy tickets on them each year.

The Formosa situation appears to have passed its peak and will disappear from the front pages. The Republicans get plenty of headlines on their demand for intervention but now claim they did not wish to send any American boys there to be killed. Our attention was only to send American ships and planes there. The Communies who have no navy. Attack by them on Formosa in the near future is not likely. An episode took place last week which produced a cross current. Chinese Nationalists who are blockading the port of Shanghai held by the Communists fired on and serious damage on an American boat, the Yiyang Cloud which was trying to run the blockade. It was sunk by British gunboats stationed in these trouble waters. If the boat had been damaged by Communists there would have been complications.

Waterford Township, Oakland county broke ground for a \$150,000 new school on Crescent Lake last week.

Arthur W. Stace, 74, editor of the Ann Arbor News died in Fla. last week. The funeral was in Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mrs. Helen Graves Boucher and son Marcus have returned home to San Francisco, after spending the holidays with relatives in Michigan.

Jerry Heath and Tom Good have entered the Golden Gloves contest at Jackson.

Pinckney Civic Improvement Ass'n.

1 Year Old this Month

Accomplishments

VILLAGE SIGNS AT LIMITS
 TOOLS FOR 4-H HANDICRAFT
 DANCES AND CARD PARTIES
 CARNIVAL
 DELEGATES TO THE COUNTY
 HEALTH MEETING

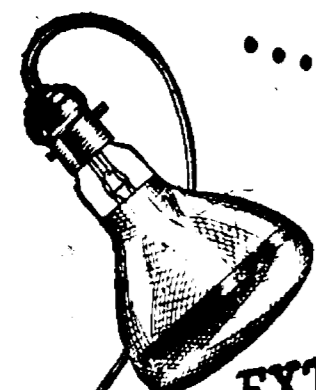
NEW STREET SIGNS
 ESSAY CONTEST
 DELEGATES TO NEW BUSINESS
 MEETINGS
 DELEGATES TO RURAL COM
 MUNITY FORUM

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Livingston Motor Sales

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Herb Palmer and family of Mrs. Kate Battle of Howell call
 first spent the week end with ed on Mrs. Emma Dinkel last
 Me parents here. Thurs.
 The Leo Bettes family of Rush Dale Meabon returned to the
 Lake spent this week end at the naval station at Virginia Beach,
 Va. Tuesday.

NEIGHBORING

The University of Michigan in-
 spectors have condemned the
 Brighton school for not providing
 space and not teaching a agricul-
 ture, shop, or home economics. The
 13 districts schools which send
 pupils to Brighton have been in-
 vited to a reorganization meeting
 at Brighton. Reorganization was
 started there over a year ago
 but has been stymied because
 one of the districts included in it
 failed to get a majority of its vot-
 ers to sign the petition in favor
 of reorganization. This made it
 necessary to start all over again.

Petitions for Thomas Leith for
 the Republican nomination for
 governor are now in circulation.

The South Lyon school bus
 was hit by a car on Pontiac Trail
 near New Hudson last week. The
 driver Mr. Durrance and 2 pupils
 Dorothy Harris and Vera Stev-
 enson were hurt. Also the driver
 of the car Clarence Erickson

Work has started on the field
 house at the South Lyon lighted
 athletic field. It is 41x34 cement
 block constructed.

The Washtenaw county board
 of supervisors by a 21 to 14 vote
 decided to build their new court
 house on the site of the present
 one. In a previous vote they split
 14 to 14 on the present site and
 the one on Washtenaw Ave.
 near the country farm.

The Chelsea city council have
 purchased a new police car.

The funeral of Mrs Pearl Wat-
 ers of Plainfield was held at her
 home last week.

Mrs. John Colocque of Pinckney
 won the Crosley electric refrig-
 erator given away in the essay
 contest sponsored by Haller
 hardware, Howell.

Louis Super-rearing mgr. of the
 Mich Bell district was given a
 farewell dinner by the employ-
 ees at the House of Dougherty
 last week.

The first girl in the McPherson
 family in 70 years was born in
 Howell last week to Mr. and Mrs.
 McPherson IV.

Everett C. Poland, Everett Cam-
 eron and Ronald Cameron, all
 of Deerfield are in jail charged
 with stealing a pair of shoes
 from the Ludmor Shoe Store
 Howell.

The President's Ball is at the
 Howell Army Jan. 28th. Robe
 Wishev is chairman

The pie baking contests are
 being held in the different school
 this week. The final event is a
 Howell Jan. 28.

The Livingston County Exten-
 sion Service has 689 members.
 The Rev. John Ross Wellwood
 pastor of the Brighton and Ham-
 burg Episcopal church will be or-
 dained Jan. 28.

A marriage license was issued
 at Howell last week to Herbert
 Wissosik, 25, Milford and Zena
 Sniderbush, 29, Milford.

Howell Theater

Howell, Michigan
 Friday, Saturday, January 20, 21
 Gene Autrey

"RIDERS OF THE WHISTLING
 PINES"
 Aerial
 Janis Paige, Bruce Bennett

"THE HOUSE ACROSS THE
 STREET"
 Drama
 Sunday, Monday, January 22-23

Matinee Sunday at 2:15 P M continuous
 June Stevens, Mark Stevens

"OH, YOU BEAUTIFUL DOLL"
 In Technicolor
 Singing
 S.Z. Sakall, Charlotte Greenwood

Monday, Wednesday, January 24, 25
 Ingrid Bergman, Joseph Cotten
 Michael Wilding

"UNDER CAPRICORN"
 Drama

Dexter Theatre

DEXTER, MICHIGAN
 Double Feature

Friday, Saturday, January 20, 21
 Double feature

Robert Stirling, Gloria Grahame,
 Claude Jarman jr.

"ROUGHSHOD"
 Raymond Walburn, Wm. Tracy

"HENRY, THE RAINMAKER"
 Comedy
 Monday, January 22-23
 Sunday Shows 3 p. m. cont.

Abbott and Costello
 in
 "AFRICAN SCREAMS"

Frank Buck, Clyde Beatty
 Extra. All readings '49
 Tom & Jerry Cartoon Cat and Mermaids
 Tues, wed, Thurs, Jan 24, 25-26

Mid Week Special
 "HOME OF THE BRAVE"
 A Picture That is Different

Jeff Cory, Scott Brady, Steve
 Brody and Douglas Berk
 Extra. Name Movie Memories
 Coming: Sun. Mon. Jan. 29, 30
 The 4-H Picture

"THE GREEN PROMISE"
 Latest News

Wm. Dilloway of Howell who
 suffered a stroke is now able to
 get about and has resumed his
 egg business.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Meabon jr.
 visited her mother, Mrs. Wm.
 Marshall last week who is a pa-
 tient in Rowe hospital, Stock-
 bridge.

550 people turned out last week
 to the donkey basket ball game.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert
 Stoffer of Gregory Jan. 6 a girl.

SYLVAN THEATER

Chelsea
 Friday, Saturday, Jan 20, 21

"ROPE OF SAND"

Burt Lancaster, Paul Henreid,
 Claude Rains, Peter Lorre
 Sunday, Monday and Tues Jan 22-23-24
 Sunday Shows 3.5.7.8

"WHITE HEAT"
 A Crime Story
 James Cagney, Virginia Mayo,
 Edmund O'Brien,
 Margaret Wycherly

Wed and Thurs Jan 25 26

"UNDERCOVER MAN"
 A Drama
 with
 Glenn Ford, Nina Foch,
 James Whitmore

Cartoon
 Popular Science

COMING
 Once More My Darling, Chicago
 Deadline, Task Force

AVON THEATER

Stockbridge, Michigan

Friday, Saturday, January 20, 21

Double Feature

"THE MUTINEERS"
 A Story of the Sea

with
 Jon Hall, Adele Jergens

Plus
 "BLAZING ACROSS THE PECOS"

Charles Starrett, Smiley Burnette
 A Durango Kid Picture

Sunday, Tuesday, January 22, 24

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Rural Tele-news

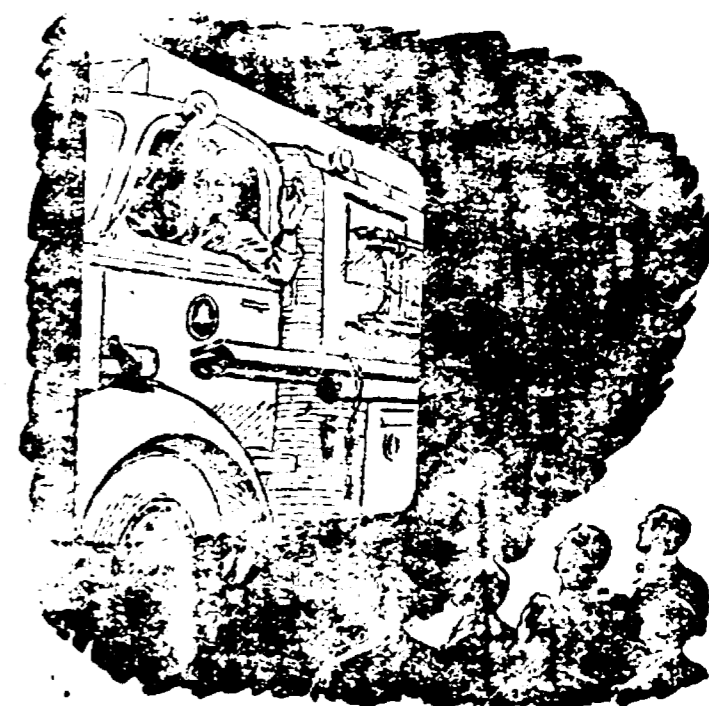


BEARING FRUIT

Michigan Bell's rural construction program con-
 tinues to produce more telephone service for
 Michigan farmers and their families. There are
 now 73,600 more telephones in the rural areas
 we serve than before the war. This required
 setting 76,000 poles and stringing 37,000 miles of
 wire. Since V-J Day we've spent \$15,000,000 on
 rural telephone construction.

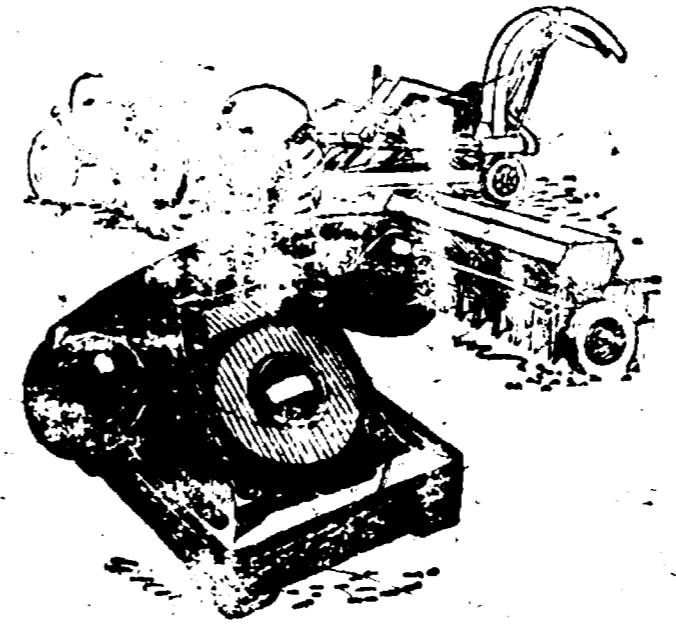
LET'S TAKE IN A FREE MOVIE

Michigan Bell maintains a library of inter-
 esting and entertaining films which are
 provided without cost to clubs, Granges,
 Farm Bureau groups, schools, church gath-
 erings, and meetings of all kinds. These
 films show many phases of the telephone
 business. To obtain a free catalog listing
 many interesting telephone movies, or to
 borrow a movie, simply call your Tele-
 phone Business Office.



THE FARMER AND THE TELEPHONE

If you made a list of the equipment that helps
 the Michigan farmer work his farm efficiently,
 more profitably, you'd undoubtedly include the
 telephone. For the telephone is one of the world's
 greatest time-savers . . . and time is money on
 the farm. The telephone is important for ordering
 supplies from town, getting the latest market
 prices, selling, or simply talking over mutual
 problems with friends and neighbors. It's easy
 to see how a telephone on the farm is worth a
 lot more than it costs.



MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY

25 Years Ago

Rev. John Crowe, pastor of St.
 Mary's church, has been trans-
 ferred to Howell. Rev. Fr. McQuill-
 en, assistant pastor at Ypsilanti,
 comes to Pinckney.

Two former Pinckney residents
 were brought here for burial last
 week, John Hayes who was kill-
 ed in an auto accident in Jack-
 son. The other Edward Kennedy
 who died in the Kalamazoo state
 hospital. Both funerals were at
 St. Mary's church.

Miss Lucile Tupper of Pinckney
 and George Brooks of Brooklyn
 were married at Ann Arbor Dec.
 29.

Fire destroyed the house on
 the Dr. Huntington farm in Mar-
 ton Monday.

Mrs. Zach Carr died at the
 home of her son, Judge Leland
 Carr of Lansing last week.

The Haisel and Kingsley chil-
 dren of Chubb's Corners have
 whooping cough.

Ruth Harger is working in the
 Brighton postoffice.

O. H. Kennedy, Ambrose Mur-
 phy and Lorenzo Murphy attend-
 ed the Mich.-Ill. basket ball
 game at Ann Arbor Monday
 night.

Pawlville's fine new school
 building has been completed at
 a cost of \$130,000

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Naylor, Mr.
 and Mrs. Vern Smith and Blanch
 Naylor of Exton Rapids spent
 Wed with Andrew Nesbitt and
 wife.

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George Crane leaves this week for Ft. Meyers, Fla., to visit his wife.

Ralph Hall and wife and James Hall and wife attended the hockey game in Detroit Sat. night.

Mrs. Helen McGregor of Brighton called on Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mercer Sat.

The Lloyd Hendee family are staying at the Lynn Hendee home while the latter are in Jackson, Miss.

Mrs. Stanley Dinkel entertained week end with Mrs. Grace Bennett in Lansing.

The Younglove school took in \$15.50 at their bake sale at Howell Sat. This will be used to send the pupils to the Shrine Circus in Detroit.

Miss Barbara Haines was a dinner guest Sunday at the Ray Burns home.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Curlett entertained Sunday in honor of Capt. Tom Young and family the following: Dr. J. E. Curlett and wife and daughter, Mary, and Nelson Davidson of Roseville, John Yee and family of St. Clair Shores, Alfred Zaasma and family of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Stella of Roseville. The Youngs left Tuesday by auto for Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.

Mrs. Stanley Dinkel entertained Mrs. Emma Dinkel and Mrs. Edith Peck Sunday at dinner in honor of her daughter, Christine's 2nd birthday.

Capt. and Mrs. Tom Young were entertained at dinner Saturday at the Jack Young home at Gregory. Other guests were Dominick Conklin and wife, Pontiac, Volbert Kaiser and wife and Bill Kuhn and Miss Himm.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ross Reed leave today for a 3 months stay at Miami Florida.

Mrs. Emma Vollmer spent last week with her daughter Mrs. Clara Kennedy and family in Detroit.

Robert Amburgey did not enlist in the air corp as stated last week. He did not pass the examination.

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George Meabon who returned from the home of his daughter Mrs. Eva Tenton of Rochester, has gone to Jackson to stay with his daughter Mrs. Pearl Waters.

Mrs. Cora Webb and Gene Mann attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Sober in Detroit Wednesday.

One of the large windows in Roy Clark's store was blown in by the wind last Fri.

SEAL OF MICHIGAN

the Probate Office in the City of Howell

At a session of said Court held in the City of Howell in said County on the 11th day of January A. D. 1950

Present: Hon. R. Smith, Judge of Probate

In the Matter of the Estate of Lewis Moore, Deceased.

Agnes Galbraith administrator, having filed in said court her final adm. account and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the said estate

It is Ordered, That the 6th day of Feb. A. D. 1950 at ten o'clock in the forenoon be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order 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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R. Smith, Judge of Probate
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Personals

The Ona Campbell family were in Ann Arbor Sat. Sunday they took Leona back to Mich. State.

Howard Read and family spent Sat. nite at the Geo. Wild home in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Read spent Sunday evening at the Herbert Gilette home in Howell.

Harold Porter of Grand Rapids called at the Frank Aberdeen home last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dillingham left last week for Sanford, Fla. for the winter.

Mrs. Josie VanHorn of Howell is visiting at the Clifford VanHorn home.

Alice Gearhart of Howell and Rosalie Nash of Mich State spent the week end at the Mark Nash home.

The Cady school Travel Club gave a square dance at the Pinckney school last Friday night. A nice time was had by all.

The Murray Kennedy family spent Sat. at the Stanley Culven home in Deerfield.

Mrs. H. Pitner of Columbus, Ohio and Donald Sober of Northville called on their aunt, Mrs. Cora Webb Friday.

Miss Ruth Kennedy of Ypsilanti spent Sunday at the Charles Clark home.

Mrs. Phillip Sprout spent the week end with the Chas Soule family in Howell.

47 Years Ago

Will Brogan is learning the barber trade in Will Moran's shop.

George Green is serving on grand jury in Detroit.

John McIntyre has returned to North Dakota to manage an elevator.

Darwin Carr, 79, died at his home in Marion Monday.

J. H. Hodgeman died in Howell of pneumonia Thurs. He formerly owned the Alex McIntyre farm.

Otis Pond of Iosco has small pox. Born to Frank Haines and wife of Anderson Sat. a daughter.

Sleighting is good now and the boys are having a big time cat ching on bobs.

Livingston Lodge No. 76 F. & A. M. entertained the members of the Brighton Masonic Lodge here Tuesday evening.

Rev. George Myrna of LaHarpe, Ill. will preach at the Cong'l. church here Sunday.

Married Jan. 12 at the John Gilbert home, North Lake, Joseph Brown of Webster and Jessie Birnie of Unadilla.

Owing to the illness of Prof. Sprout the school board has hired George Wood of the Ypsilanti Normal to teach.

The Livingston County Mutual Telephone Co. has elected the following officers: Pres., Fran. Backus; Vice Pres. George Adam Sec. and Mgr. Norman Wilson; Treas. A. J. Patten; Directors: H. C. Read, C. L. Sigler, R. C. Smith, J. B. Fuller, D. O. Smith.

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Dr. C. E. Evans, Ohio Agronomist, points out that the heavy use of plant food gives greater returns on wheat than on any of the common field crops.

