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COMMENT AND CRITICISM

There is an old song which finishes "and let the rest of the world go by." Because of space we must confine thoughts, this week, to the Township Election Monday and the rest of our thoughts go by. But we would feel that we were shirking our duty if we did not remind you that Monday is the day of the Township Election and that you owe it to yourself to vote—we care not how—BUT VOTE.

Junior Play Presented Tonight High School Orchestra Will Furnish Music

"Our Boarding House", the annual Junior play, will be presented tonight at 8:00 in the high school auditorium. The play is under the direction of Miss Virginia Le Forge. The high school orchestra directed by Frank Bach will provide music.

"Our Boarding House" is staged in the parlor of Cora Claypool's select boarding house. Cora has but one motto, and that is S. O. S.: Scrimp or Starve! She serves the best of everything—providing it is also the cheapest. Willie Slyde, a multimillionaire in disguise, takes refuge here from a kidnapping gang. One of the boarders, Noah Lott, with an inflated idea of his own abilities, tries to sneak his pal, Happy Huyler, in and out of his room to save him from a more uncomfortable resting place on a park bench. But Cora finds out and Noah, unable to pay his own bill, is ordered to leave immediately along with his pal. In order to save them both from the street, he conceives the brilliant (?) idea of pretending that Happy is a millionaire. It works, and since mail has come for Mr. William Slyde it is assumed that Happy is Mr. Slyde. The situations become more and more complicated as the plot develops. You'll laugh at this farcical mix-up. Don't miss "Our Boarding House".

The Ladies' Aid Met Wednesday

The Ladies' Aid of the Clarkston Methodist church met at the church on Wednesday afternoon.

The regular business meeting was held and a dinner in charge of Mrs. Rose Teggerdine's division will be served on Wednesday, April 15th at the church. A mother and daughter banquet is also being planned to be given the second week in May. Further details will be announced later.

Part of the afternoon was spent cutting out aprons.

The Aid is looking forward to having a large crowd at the dinner on the evening of April 15th.

Coming Events

April 4th—Saturday afternoon, the ladies of the Baptist church will sponsor a Baked Goods sale at the Clarkston Dry Goods store, commencing at 2:00 o'clock.

April 3rd—Friday night will be Farmers' night at the Clarkston opera house. There will be dancing and cards. The ladies will serve refreshments. Everybody is invited.

April 7th—Tuesday evening—W. S. Barrows and A. E. Butters will collect the waste paper and old magazines for the Progressive class of the Methodist Sunday school. Have your bundles ready.

April 8th—Wednesday evening the Progressive class of the Methodist Sunday school will have their regular co-operative dinner and business meeting at the church at 6:30.

Notice of Annual Spring Election of INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP, Oakland County, Mich.

To the qualified electors of the Township of Independence, County of Oakland, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given that Independence Township SPRING ELECTION will be held in the Town Hall, in said township

Monday, April 6, 1936

for the purpose of electing the following township officers:

One Supervisor, One Township Clerk, One Township Treasurer, One Highway Commissioner, One Justice of Peace (full term), One Member of Board of Review, Four Constables.

Polls of said election will open at seven a. m. and will close at seven p. m. and will close from 12 a. m. to 1 p. m. for lunch, eastern standard time.

Dated March 23rd, 1936.

WARD W. DUNSTON, Township Clerk.

Miss Anita Harris Is Hostess to Jr. Lit. Club

Mrs. Howard Huttenlocher Is the Speaker of the Evening

On Tuesday evening the Junior Literary Club met at the home of Miss Anita Harris in Waterford.

Roll call was answered by each one reciting a verse from the Bible.

After the business meeting Miss Mary Buck played some very beautiful piano numbers, one of which was "To the Rising Sun".

Mrs. Howard Huttenlocher gave an interesting and instructive talk on "Poetry and the Housewife". Her main object was to give each member a key to the better literature of today. Mrs. Huttenlocher presented the subject in a very lovely manner. A lengthy discussion followed to the meeting adjourned to meet April 14th with Mrs. Guy Scott.

Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess at ten o'clock.

Child Study Club Met Tuesday, March 26th

Mrs. Gerald Bird Is Hostess

The Clarkston Child Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Gerald Bird on Thursday evening, March 26th.

Twelve members joined in Club prayer and then answered roll call by giving, "My Pet Recipe".

Plans were completed for "Husbands' Night" to be held on April 2nd at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ash on North Main Street. A co-operative chicken dinner will be served at 6:30. The program will include pep songs; music by Betty Ash; talks and a guest speaker, A. G. Leonard, assistant prosecutor of Oakland County. The committee in charge is, Mrs. Joseph Skinner, chairman, Mrs. Irving Ronk, and Mrs. Hamilton Newman.

Election of officers took place, with the following results: president, Mrs. Edward Fuller; vice president, Mrs. Hamilton Newman; recording secretary, Mrs. William Shotka; and corresponding secretary, Mrs. Joseph Skinner. Mrs. Fred Kennedy was appointed Club reporter for the next year. The duties of these officers will start in October. The new program committee headed by Mrs. Joseph Skinner is already working on the program for the next year.

It was reported that ten members of the Clarkston Child Study Club were guests of the Holly Club.

After a splendid business meeting several interesting papers were given, one on "Kagawa", the great Chinese missionary; one by Mrs. Gerald Bird on "Making of a good sport", and one on "Jealousy Among Children" by Mrs. Walter Ash. Rev. F. J. Burnett of Holly gave a talk on "Modern Mothers" and Rev. C. J. Sutton of Drayton Plains spoke on "Moral Training of Children". Mrs. Sutton was a guest. Rev. Sutton stressed the following points—1. There are few trained or educated criminals. 2. In Jackson prison, 90% of the inmates never reached the sixth grade. 3. The criminal problem is the home problem. 4. Youth problem is the parents' problem. 5. The crime condition of to-day is in part because of the missing of religious training.

Lovely refreshments of sherbet, cake and coffee were served.

Those in attendance were—Mrs. Edward Fuller, Mrs. Fred Kennedy, Mrs. Walter Ash, Mrs. Joel Beckman, Mrs. Joseph Skinner, Mrs. Gerald Bird, Mrs. James Bennett, Mrs. Hamilton Newman, Mrs. Edward Porritt and Mrs. William Shotka.

It was decided to hold the next meeting at the home of Mrs. Jack Nicholson on Thursday, April 9th. The roll call will be answered with an Easter poem or suggestion. Mrs. Fred Kennedy will give a paper on "Don't Preach" and Mrs. James Bennett a paper on "Busy Child Gets Well Fast".

Past Matrons' Club Met Wednesday Eve.

Mrs. Margaret Rockwell Is Hostess

The Past Matrons' club met with Mrs. Margaret Rockwell on Wednesday night.

There were nine members present. Election of officers took place with the following results: president, Mrs. Blanche Walter; vice president, Mrs. Margaret Rockwell; secretary, Mrs. Rose Teggerdine; treasurer, Mrs. Pearl Cole.

The next meeting will be held the first Wednesday in May with Mrs. Rose Teggerdine.

After the business meeting an unusual and exciting card game was enjoyed.

Dainty refreshments were served.

Notice

Notice is hereby given of an annual meeting of the Lake View Cemetery Association at 8:00 P. M. Wednesday evening, April 8th, 1936, at the Township Hall, Clarkston, for the purpose of electing members of the Board of Directors and such other business that may properly come before said Association.

Geo. H. Nelsley, President.

Bulletin

James Urch was found dead in the basement of his home about eleven thirty a. m. Thursday. Further particulars next week.

Guy Allens Honored On 25th Anniversary

Last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Guy Allen were surprised when a number of relatives arrived at their home to help them celebrate their 25th wedding anniversary.

A lovely co-operative dinner was served at noon and a delightful visit was had in the afternoon.

The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hagemister, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Curtis and family and Ray Hamilton, all of Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. Monte Hoard and son M. J. and Richard Snover of Oxford, Mrs. Harvey Porritt of Seymour Lake and Herbert and Curtis Allen of Clarkston.

\$9.50 Collected in Independence Twp.

Mrs. F. E. Davies who had charge of the Red Cross Flood Relief Fund in Independence Township reports that \$9.50 was the amount taken from the contribution box which was left in the G. A. Walter Store and O'Dell's Drug Store for a few days.

OBITUARY

William J. Brandt
William J. Brandt, age 67 years, passed away at his home near the Oak Hill schoolhouse, on Friday, March the 27th, after an illness of ten days.

Mr. Brandt was born in Groveland Township on Aug. 8th, 1868. On Dec. 14th, 1904, he married Ida Ball at Vassar, Mich., and they have lived in Oak Hill since that time.

The survivors are, his wife, Mrs. W. J. Brandt, two sons, Freeman and Ralph of Clarkston and one daughter Mrs. Roy Toles, also of Clarkston.

Funeral services were held at the home at 2:30 on Monday afternoon with Rev. Grover Johnson of Flint officiating. Burial was in Ortonville cemetery.

Mrs. Elmira Babcock
Mrs. Elmira Babcock passed away on Wednesday, March 25th at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Fred Vliet in Brandon Township.

Mrs. Babcock was born near Seymour Lake on Dec. 15th, 1857, and lived her entire life in Oakland County.

She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Fred Vliet and one son Dewitt Babcock of Pontiac.

Funeral services were held at the Ogden Funeral home on Friday, March 27th, at 2:00 p. m. with Rev. H. B. Stevens officiating. Burial was in Oak Hill cemetery in Pontiac.

Churches

CLARKSTON METHODIST CHURCH
C. E. Edwards, Pastor
Sunday, April 5, 1936:
10:30 Worship and sermon.
Dr. Townsend of Davison will preach.
11:30 Sunday school. E. A. Butters, superintendent.
6:30 Epworth League hour.
Dr. Atkins of Flint will have charge of the service on Easter Sunday.

CLARKSTON BAPTIST CHURCH
H. B. Stevens, Pastor
Sunday, April 5:
Sunday School, 11 o'clock, Superintendent, G. W. Van Horn.
Worship and preaching service at 12 o'clock. Sermon, "The Next Step".
"The Glory or the Tragedy of Meeting Christ" will be illustrated by pictures that make both the glory and the tragedy very real. This will be our evening service at 7:45. Note the change of time.
Young People's meeting at 6:45.
Services every night next week except Saturday, when we follow Christ step by step through Holy Week. No preaching at the week night services, but the four-fold Gospel record will be illustrated by the world famous paintings of the French artist, James J. Tissot. You are urged to come and bring the whole family.

SEYMOUR LAKE METHODIST CHURCH
C. E. Edwards, Pastor
10:00 Sunday school. Mrs. Iva Miller, superintendent.

WATERFORD BAPTIST CHURCH
Howard Jewel, Pastor
The sermon subject for the Sunday morning service of the Community Church of Waterford will be preliminary to the Easter message. The pastor will speak on "The Divinity of Christ". Church will convene at 11:15 a. m. Sunday school at 10:15 a. m. Special music will be provided. A special announcement of vital interest to the entire community will be made at the 11:15 hour. All interested persons are urged to attend.

THE JUNIOR CLASS of CLARKSTON HIGH SCHOOL presents

"Our Boarding House"

A Farcical Mix-up in Three Acts

by WILBUR BRAUN

at High School Auditorium—Friday, April 3—8:00

CAST

Cora Claypool, who runs a select boarding house.....June Dunston
Ella March, maid of all work.....Winifred Miller
Maybelle Gilfoyle, who is worried about her subconscious.....Reta Halsey
Phoebe Sweet, young and charming.....Angie Marcora
Noah Lott, who thinks he does.....Edward Ash
Happy Huyler, his gloomy pal.....Lester Spencer
William Slyde, a millionaire in retreat.....Porrest Irish
Sadie Slyde, his lipping wife.....Shirley Douglas
Bill Slyde, who has a grand idea.....Earl Beardslee
Iona Slyde, his impulsive wife.....Genevieve Beardslee

Stage Manager—Wilson Denton
Directed by—Virginia G. LeForge

Synopsis of Scenes
The entire action takes place in the parlor of Cora Claypool's select boarding-house in a large eastern city.

Time: The Present
Act I—Late afternoon of a day in early summer.
Act II—One hour later.
Act III—Scene I: Ten minutes later.
Scene II: The following noon.

Music by High School Orchestra—Frank Bach, Director
Produced by special arrangement with Samuel French

HILLTOPPER

STAFF

Managing Editors.....Clare Rasmuson and Herb. Molter
Athletic Editor.....Max Souby
Assistant.....Eugene Vliet
News Editor.....Jo Caswell
Assistant.....Angeline Marcora
Social Editor.....Betty Chamberlain
Assistant.....Charles Perry

ATHLETIC BANQUET
The Athletic Banquet was held on Friday night, March 27.

About ninety people were present to partake of the fine supper which was prepared and served by Miss Walton and the cooking class of the High School. It was held in the High School Auditorium. The new dishes were used for the first time and the tables were decorated with blue and white with a blue letter of C. H. S. on the tables. A football was used as the centerpiece of each table. Athletic equipment was also placed around the gym.

Duane Hursfall was toastmaster and speeches were given by Clare Rasmusson, on the past football season; Phyllis Boynes, on the girls basketball, and Bill Parker, an account of the boys basketball for this season.

Mr. Winn then presented the basketball, won in the District Tournament, to Bartlett Mann, who was captain of the team. The ball is now in the trophy case in the lower hall.

Mr. David L. Holmes of Wayne University gave a short talk on the usefulness of athletics also relating some of his experiences for the past thirty years. He then showed a motion picture of the Olympic Games, telling who won each event and pointing out some of the outstanding contestants. The banquet closed by a few words from the toastmaster. Everyone went home very much wiser.

PERSONALITIES
FRESHMAN:
Name: Nicholas Howard Boynes
Birthdate: December 8, 1920
Birthplace: Lincolnshire, England
Hobby: Sports
Favorite study: Biology
Ambition: Athletics
Idol character of today: Mickey Cochrane.

SOPHOMORE:
Name: Florence Ruth Olson
Birthdate: August 18
Birthplace: Winnipeg, Canada
Favorite study: English
Ambition: To go back to Canada
Sport: Hiking
Hobby: Collecting compacts
Idol character of today: Amelia Earhart

JUNIOR:
Name: Laura Jean Theresa Robinson
Birthplace: Flint, Michigan
Favorite study: English Literature
Favorite sport: Swimming
Ambition: Professional diving
Hobby: Picture collecting
Idol character of today: Mary Horger

SENIOR:
Name: Duane Milan Hursfall
Birthplace: Grand Ledge, Michigan
Birthdate: January 21, 1918
Favorite study: Public speaking
Ambition: Working up to an executive
Favorite sport: Football
Hobby: Collecting souvenirs
Idol character of today: George Welch, President of Mich. Bell Telephone Co.

TRACK
Mr. Bauer is planning on holding an inter-class meet for the track men as their first meet, to see what they can do. The following events will be included in the program:
100 yard dash
220
440
880
1 mile
Running Broad Jump
Running High Jump
Shot Put

The Class having the highest total of points will be the champs. There will be three scoring positions, first counting 5 points, second counting 3 points and third counting 1 point. If possible, a trophy will be presented to the winning class.

Dual meets have been planned with Walled Lake, Milford and Keego Harbor. The team may go to the Regional meet at Ypsi, and the State meet at Lansing, depending on how they get into shape.

MRS. ROCKWELL'S ROOM
All children are enjoying being able to get out and play on these beautiful spring days. Girls are busy jumping rope, and boys playing marbles.

Children who won credits in our second grade spelldown, Friday, Mar. 27, were Jack Nicholson, Harold Nicholson, Gordon Hemingway, Jack Taylor, James Rowland and Joyce Lawson.

Children who won credits in our third grade spelldown were John Ronk, Alberta Dillenbeck, Billy Howland, Jackie Tee, Helen Denton and Rebekka Weichart.

Our third grade have some new supplementary readers—The Work Play Books by Gates and Huber. We will certainly enjoy them.

We are glad to welcome Ralph Jones and Donald Perrin back to school after a six weeks absence.

MRS. HUTTON'S ROOM
The kindergarten children are very proud of themselves. They have started to read in a real honest-to-goodness book. To say they like it is putting it mild. They more than enjoy it. For some reason it makes a little body feel very grown up to actually begin reading. The modern readers and books for children are so attractive, we can easily understand what a thrill it is in their young lives to own such a book.

It is "Bird Week" in our room. We have on display all of Michigan's most common birds. It is worth anyone's time to take a stroll through our room. Before our study is ended, we hope the kiddies will be able to identify at least 20 of our Michigan Birds.

Clarkston Literary Club Met Tuesday Afternoon

Mrs. Lucy King and Mrs. A. L. McIntyre Were Hostesses

The Clarkston Literary Club met at the home of Mrs. Lucy King and Mrs. A. L. McIntyre, on Tuesday afternoon, with nineteen members and five guests present.

Mrs. Gross, the County Federation president, gave a talk on the meeting of the Federation being held on Friday at the Birmingham Community House. A short talk was given by Mrs. George Kimball Jr. of Pontiac.

After a short business meeting the following papers were given:

Roll Call—an item of interest concerning an American poet.
Bryant—"The poet of nature"—by M. S. Roy Baleslee.
Lowell—"The cultured poet"—Mrs. A. L. McIntyre.
Longfellow—"The happy poet"—M. S. Charles Bryant.
Whittier—"The kind poet"—Mrs. Ray Clark.
Holmes—"The jolly poet"—Mrs. Forest Jones.
Whitman—"The good gray poet"—Miss Ada Scrae.
Field—"The child's poet"—Mrs. Lee Clark.
A song—"Little Boy Blue"—Mrs. Lee Clark.
Riley—"Poet of the country village"—Mrs. E. Butters.
Markman—"The fraternal poet"—M. S. Ed. Miller.
Guest—"The poet of the home"—Mrs. C. E. Edwards.
Tea was served at the close of the meeting.

Scholastic Honors Go to Phyllis Boynes

Betty Walter and Basil Tucker Tie for Second Place

Phyllis Boynes is certainly an honor student having received the highest scholastic honors for the senior class. Phyllis has received all A's but two which were B's. Her record is equal to the best made in the past eleven years. Up to this time Betty Huntly stood highest but now Phyllis has equalled her record.

Betty Walter and Basil Tucker tied for second place. These two students have received identical marks, having the same number of A's, B's and C's. Both have taken the same number of subjects. This is the first time this has occurred in the last 11 years and perhaps if the older records were searched it would be found that this is the first time identical standings have ever been received.

Waterford Twp. Gives \$29.26 for Flood Relief

Mrs. Carl N. Dailey who was in charge of the Red Cross Flood Relief Fund in Waterford Township reports \$29.26 as the amount contributed. Besides the \$10.75 collected from the business men in Waterford and Drayton Plains and the \$10.00 from the Drayton Plains Men's Club she received from the contribution boxes in Jacobson's store \$3.79; in Drayton's A & P store \$2.41; in Barnard's store \$7 cents and in The Old Mill Tavern 44 cents and \$1.00 was sent to her by mail.

Mrs. Dailey wishes to thank everyone for their generosity.

HIS LAST WEEK

Illustrated by World Famous Paintings of the French Artist JAMES J. TISSOT

Every Night except Saturday at 7:45

From Palm Sunday, till Easter

Palm Sunday—The Glory or the Tragedy of Meeting Christ.
Monday—Days of Triumph and Authority.
Tuesday—The Day of Controversy.
Wednesday—The Day of Fellowship.
Thursday—The Arrest and Trial.
Friday—The Crucifixion.
Easter Sunday—Resurrection and Ascension.

Tissot spent the latter part of his life in Palestine, studying the life, costumes and customs of the people that he might portray more accurately the life of our Savior. His portrayal of the events of our Lord's last week are the most realistic and the most complete in detail that the world has ever seen. Unless you have seen Tissot's portrayal of the Crucifixion, you have much to learn of what it was and what it meant.

A Soul Stirring Vision of the Christ of Calvary

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 DRAYTON PLAINS

Waterford

The Ladies' Auxiliary held its annual meeting on Thursday at the church parlors. A one o'clock cooperative luncheon was enjoyed. The following ladies were hostesses, Mrs. Charles Roehm, Mrs. James Saylor and Mrs. Carl Terry. The business meeting was led by the vice-president, Mrs. P. L. McLaughlin. The nominating committee presented its report for the approval of the members. Mrs. Ainsworth Wyckoff was chairman of the committee. Those assisting her were Mrs. Bessie Owen, Mrs. John Miller and Mrs. James Saylor. Plans for the April Penny Supper were discussed further and committees were named to take care of the event. A complete account of this meeting will be in next week's paper.

The Annual Parent Teacher's Banquet was held on Thursday at the school. The dining room was attractively decorated in the spring colors. Bright pots of primroses

graced the table and at each plate was an attractive basket designed by Mrs. Clayton Purdy of Waterford who was chairman of the dining room. These baskets were filled with small Easter eggs. A delicious dinner was served by the following committee, Mrs. Earl Schwahn, chairman; Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Leonard Eakle, Mrs. Russell Maybee, Mrs. Mepham, and Mrs. Stites. The 9th and 10th grade girls waited on the tables.

The program opened with Community Singing led by Mrs. Rowley, president of the PTA, with Mrs. Howard Burt at the piano. Invocation was given by Rev. Howard Jewell. Mrs. George Carter, program chairman, introduced the toastmaster, Floyd Wilson. Mr. Purdy gave three selections on harmonica and banjo. Toasts to the teachers, the parents and the pupils were given by Mrs. Mayme Baker, Mrs. Carl Dailey and Miss Marian Emery. The

main speaker of the evening was Dr. William H. Marbach of Pontiac who gave a splendid talk "To the Parents". Music was furnished by the orchestra led by Howard Burt. The program was planned by Mrs. George Carter, and her committee, Mrs. Howard Mortimore, Floyd Wilson, Kenneth McVittie, Howard Burt, Mrs. Mayme Baker, Rev. Howard Jewell and Russell Maybee. This banquet is held annually in March.

On Monday, the Waterford pupils who won in the Declamation contest held recently in Waterford will go to Holly to compete in the district contest. Good luck, may Waterford be a winner.

Parents who have children belonging to the Sunday School class of Mrs. Mehlberg are urged to attend on Sunday and hear what is in store for them this coming quarter. Incidentally the parents are urged to attend as the class has a new teacher, Mr. Freeman who lives near Drayton Plains, and we want to encourage him and help by our attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Calhoun and son John of Flint were in town Sunday.

The Girls' and Boys' Basketball teams of Waterford enjoyed a party at the home of Florence Sarsen on Friday evening. Mr. Galbraith and Mr. and Mrs. Burt also attended. Games were played, and at the close of the evening refreshments were served by the hostess.

Miss Anita Harris was in Detroit on Sunday visiting friends. Miss Sarah Combs and her mother Mrs. William Combs spent Sunday at their former home near Fenton. Mr. and Mrs. George Whitfield of Williams Lake Road have returned to their home here after spending several weeks in Florida. While there they enjoyed a motor trip with Mrs. Burgess and her daughter.

Students from the State College at Lansing who are enjoying their spring vacation at their homes are Lawrence Harrup, August Jacober, Ferris King and Einor Kropp of Williams Lake.

Miss Anita Harris entertained the members of the Junior Literary Circle at her home on Tuesday evening.

VOTE
ELECTION Apr. 6, 1936

REPUBLICAN
CANDIDATES
Waterford Tp.

Supervisor—Henry B. Mehlberg
 Clerk—Charles Allen
 Treasurer—Howard DeLap
 Justice of the Peace, full term—Nelson Wiley
 Highway Comm.—Lyman Girst
 Highway Overseer — Martin Donahue
 Board Review—Percy C. King
 Constables — John Denman, Dave Turnbull, Edward Ledger, William Denmark

We pledge an efficient economical administration.

Your support appreciated at
ELECTION APRIL 6, 1936

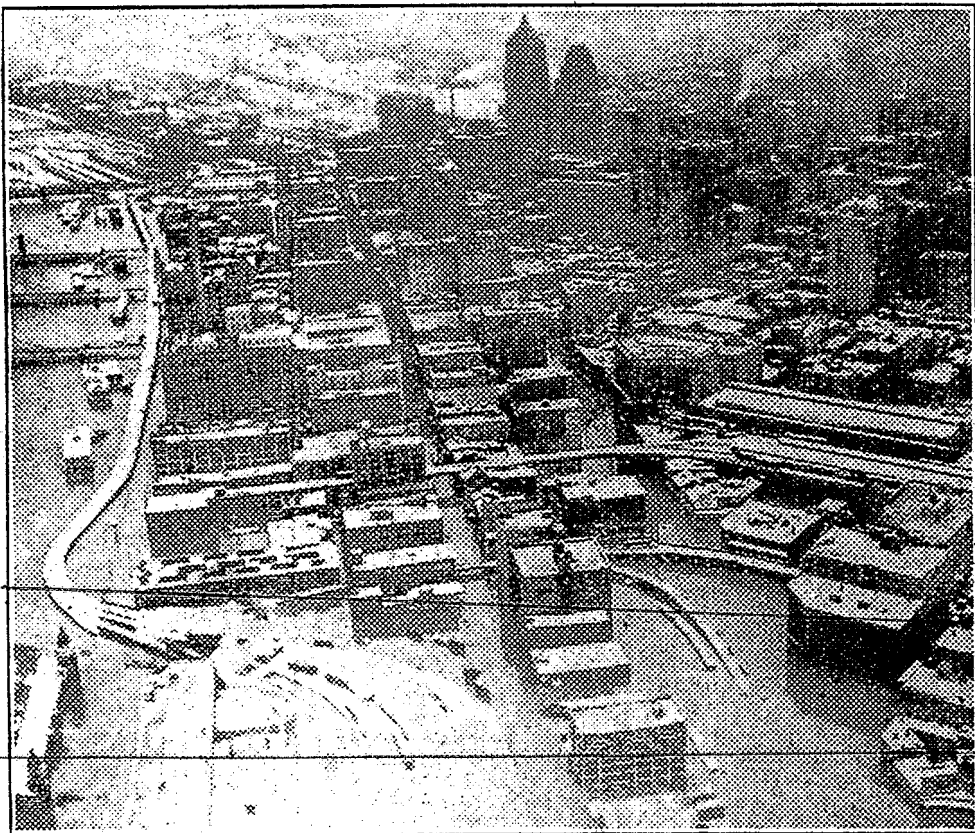


HENRY B. MEHLBERG

REPUBLICAN
 Candidate for
SUPERVISOR
 Waterford Township

Able Qualified
 18 years Business Experience

I will appreciate your support at the election, Monday, April 6, 1936.



Airview of Downtown Pittsburgh at Height of Flood—International News Photo, Courtesy Detroit Times

Reinforcements from Michigan

Flood waters rage . . . dams break . . . water stands ten feet deep in the business section of a great city.

Local telephone circuits are flooded and temporarily damaged. The Bell System mobilizes. From neighboring companies — including Michigan—come squads of trained and tested telephone men. The Bell expeditionary forces land—and in a short time they are able to echo that famed message of the Marines: "The situation is well in hand."

Only one thing made this possible. That is the fact that Bell System practices and equipment are standard the country over. Consequently, when the Bell System mobilizes in an emergency, it is not necessary for reinforcements from other companies to ask: "What kind of equipment is it?" They merely say: "Where is it?" and go quietly and efficiently to work on familiar ground. This is true in

Pittsburgh today where the Michigan Bell Telephone Company is contributing part of the emergency force. It was true in Michigan—in 1922 and 1929—when reinforcements from other Bell System companies came here to aid in the work of restoring communications temporarily destroyed by the sleet storms of those years. Without a nation-wide force of systematically trained men, without standard equipment in every associated company, some of the things which Bell men have accomplished swiftly as part of their routine duties would have caused confusion and endless delay.

Whenever you lift a Bell Telephone receiver, tremendous resources in men, organization and equipment are at your command. And there are times when it is impossible to measure the value of telephone service except in terms of life and death.



MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE CO.

INTERESTING

Since January 1st this bank has made the following investments:

Bonds purchased	\$22,946.25
Ordinary loans	14,277.03
Industrial loans	17,466.80
Mortgage loans	7,148.00

CLARKSTON STATE BANK

Election Monday, April 6th

Democratic Candidates
 Waterford Township

ALFRED GALE	Supervisor
CARLOS G. RICHARDSON	Clerk
ROBERT J. KERR	Treasurer
A. A. SEETERLIN	Highway Commissioner
ORVILLE DEWEY	Overseer of Highways
WILLIAM B. VAN ZANDT	Justice of the Peace
FRED E. WATKINS	Board of Review
CHARLES MELLICK, GEORGE MANN, MELVIN McCUMBER,	Constables
DALE SCAFE	Constables

Keep the Township Debt Free and the Tax Rate Low

Financial Statement

The following statement, an itemized account of which may be found posted in the Independence Township Hall on Election Day, April sixth, 1936, will show the interested voter the exact condition of the Township finances at the present time.

In 1934, when this present Township Board took office, it was under the handicap of debts inherited from the previous administration. Among other things were Poor Bills running back as far as 1932. To take care of these and other items, (notably an item of \$513.95 for balance of salary of former Supervisor C. K. Phillins, and \$450.00 for Township Treasurer's back salary), it was necessary to borrow \$1,000.00.

Inasmuch as no money has been raised in the past two years for either the Road Repair Fund, or the Highway Improvement Fund, it has been necessary to depend on the return of delinquent taxes from the County Treasurer to take care of these. At the present time the County Treasurer is six months in arrears on the delinquent taxes, which accounts for there being no money in either of these funds.

Road Repair Fund, as of Apr. 1, 1935, overdrawn	\$196.04	
Same as of April 1, 1936	00.00	
Highway Improvement Fund Apr. 1, 1935	\$898.01	
Same April 1, 1936	00.00	
All Township Roads have now been taken over by Oakland County, excepting possibly a mile and a half of highway.		
Poor Fund, April 1, 1935	\$2,130.69	
Same, April 1, 1936		\$1,599.80
General Fund, April 1, 1935	1,708.28	
Same Apr. 1, 1936		1,442.49
Money on hand in closed bank		3,178.47
Total assets		\$6,220.76

All this was accomplished through the present Township Board, acting in harmony for the best interests of the Voters and Taxpayers whom they represent.

The Board at this time consists of:

William Belitz	Supervisor
L. J. Chamberlain	Justice
T. L. Parker	Justice
Ward W. Dunston	Clerk

Respectfully Submitted,
WARD W. DUNSTON,
 Township Clerk.

**We recommend the Re-Election of
Ward W. Dunston for Clerk**

BECAUSE

- He is a life long resident of this Township.
- He is a graduate of the Clarkston High School.
- He is a graduate of Michigan State College.
- He is Industrious.
- He is Capable.
- He has made a good clerk.
- He is Deserving.
- He is an American born citizen.

Let's put a good man back in office

This ad paid for by friends

**Re-elect
JOHN A. MORLEY
Justice of the Peace**

Independence Township for the FIRST TIME in many years has a Justice who RENDERS SERVICE.

He is capable and qualified, having had several years experience with law practice, having been connected with a prominent law firm in Detroit.

Since his appointment in July 1931 he has handled 347 cases (violations of traffic laws and minor criminal cases and civil suits). NOT ONE OF THESE CASES HAS BEEN APPEALED TO THE CIRCUIT COURT.

We believe THIS RECORD DESERVES THE ATTENTION OF THE VOTERS OF Independence Township and merits their support.

YOUR VOTE WILL BE APPRECIATED APRIL 6th next. THIS ADV. PAID FOR BY FRIENDS.

TO THE VOTERS OF INDEPENDENCE TOWNSHIP:

In writing to you voters, I realize I can't call on you all personally as the office does not pay enough to warrant paying out any sum of money to be elected to the office. I would like the support of you voters again this year.

I have run the office in a business like way and invite the inspection of my books at any time.

I understand my opponent says: "I already have a job so do not need this Clerk's position." Well so did he have a job at the same company but he quit. I am still staying on because I must do so to meet the expenses necessary to keep my farm and for no other reason. So summing up, I would like the office for another year; I need it as badly as my opponent does, I assure you.

I will appreciate your support next Monday, April 6th at the polls.

**WARD W. DUNSTON,
Present Township Clerk.**

CLARKSTON NEWS ADS BRING RESULTS

The Democratic Party

Again offers to the Voters of Independence Township a group of capable candidates who have proven their ability by their past record.

Re-elect these experienced officeholders.

ELECTION MONDAY, APRIL 6

Waterford

Mr. and Mrs. George Slayton spent the weekend at Yale visiting the latter's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Porter Harris.

Mr. and Mrs. James Saylor and son Jack spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Chase of Cheboygan. Mrs. Saylor and Mrs. Chase are sisters. Mr. Chase is recovering from a recent operation. The Saylor's returned home on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy King of Williams Lake Road had as their guests Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Campbell and daughter Jean and son Robert, Miss Margaret King and Dennis King.

Guy Disbrow spent Sunday with old friends at Davison, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. Ainsworth Wyckoff and sons Billy and Lynn left on Saturday to spend the weekend with the former's parents at Sheridan. Mr. Wyckoff's father is in ill health.

Mrs. Charles Mehlerberg of near Fenton returned on Sunday with Miss Sarah Combs and her mother, Mrs. William Combs, to spend the week with her son Henry Mehlerberg and family.

The Senior class of Waterford School held a business meeting Wednesday morning to determine what the graduation procedure would be. The superintendent, Mr. Burt, was present at the meeting.

A grass fire one day last week on the Charles Hall place might have been serious had it not been for aid from persons nearby whose assistance was gratefully accepted. Even with help it was some time before the fire was completely under control.

Waterford School

First Grade:
Lila Bakke has returned to school after quite a long illness.

Mrs. Emery visited our room Monday. We welcome other parents.

Second Grade:
Phyllis Fullerton has entered the second grade from the Longfellow School in Pontiac.

Miss Hildreth Clark visited the second grade room Monday.

Evelyn Sanford brought us a bouquet of pussy willows.

Third Grade:
The children in the third grade are practicing for their parts in our operetta.

We have already planned our Easter party which is to be a surprise to most of the children.

David Butler, Donna Jencks, Henrietta Watson, Buddy Kratt and Kenneth Root have been absent due to illness.

Fourth and Fifth Grades:
We have started a new Health contest for this month.

Elizabeth Vliet and Leeta Wilson won in our contest for last month by giving the most health rules.

The fifth grade has been studying the North Central States. From this, we have gathered many pictures of the flood along the Ohio River.

Drayton Plains

Mrs. Jessie B. Stephens and Mrs. Rose Weeks, of Pontiac, spent Sunday with their brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drake, on Sashabaw Road.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Lewis and family of Louella St. returned on Friday from Johnson City, Tennessee.

Mrs. O. V. Olesen and son Victor of Detroit spent Friday with Mrs. George Kern of Riverside Drive.

Two cottage prayer meetings were held last Monday evening, one with Mr. and Mrs. I. Lewis on Luella St. and the other with Mrs. Mamie O'Boyle and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Solomon on Seeley St.

The annual Congregational meeting will be held in the church next Tuesday evening, April 7th.

Next Sabbath will be our Easter ingathering. All desiring to unite with the church either by letter or by profession of faith, please get in touch with Rev. C. J. Sutton.

About sixty sat down to a delicious 7 o'clock supper in the dining room of the church last Friday night. It was the first Congregational supper

preparing for the Easter services which were to follow this week with Rev. S. G. Weir preaching Wednesday, Thursday and tonight. The theme tonight will be "The Three Gardens." Everyone is invited to hear this wonderful speaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Drake spent Monday in Detroit and purchased a new Dodge sedan.

William Brown Sr. is recovering from a recent illness which has confined him to his home for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wright and family of Cass City spent Sunday with Mrs. Wright's sister, Mrs. Frank Jones, and family, of Sherwood Dr.

The Ladies' Missionary Society will hold its regular meeting with Mrs. Walter Aderholdt on Dixie Highway next Thursday afternoon, April 9th.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Simpson have returned to their home on South Drive after spending the past two months with their daughter and family in Detroit.

Mrs. Anna Gesch has recovered from an attack of bronchitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dancy and son Donald spent the week-end with Mr. Dancy's parents at Port Huron, Mich.

Mrs. Bert Holmes received word of the death of her father, George Buell, of Hartland, on Wednesday, March 25th. Mr. Buell had been sick for a long time, suffering with cancer.

Billie Phelps is confined to his home on Dixie Highway with measles.

Mrs. Louis Thrasher spent Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. George Coleman, at Novi.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Lines and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Collier of Detroit spent Sunday with Mrs. Anna Gesch and Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Jones on Dixie Highway.

George Holmes has returned to his home in Galesburg, Indiana, after spending a few days with his parents and attending the funeral of his grandfather, George Buell of Hartland.

Margie Thrasher celebrated her eighth birthday on Thursday, March 26, by entertaining several little friends at a party. Games were played, followed by refreshments.

Last Wednesday the Home Demonstration Club met in the church basement for an all-day meeting. Mrs. Emil Koop demonstrated the making of a quick lemon custard and graham pudding with mauve sauce. This was served to the members along with the dinner. After the dinner was over a short recreation period was held by the recreation leader, Mrs. Eugene Becker. The business meeting was called to order. Roll call, secretary's and treasurer's reports were read and accepted. Discussions on Achievement Day were held and the lesson on constipation was finished.

The youngest child of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle on Farmer Ave. is ill with scarlet fever.

Mrs. J. B. Simpson is confined to her home with rheumatism.

Mr. and Mrs. William Looman and daughter Almira spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Myron VanSickle and daughter Gladys.

The Townsend Old Age Revolving Pension Club held its regular monthly meeting in the school auditorium last Tuesday evening. After the regular business meeting several reels of moving pictures were shown. The next meeting of the club will be on April 7th.

The Men's Club will hold their regular meeting in the school auditorium next Monday night, April 6th, with a pot luck supper at 7 o'clock. All men are requested to be on hand for a good supper and a good program.

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Strong who died at her home in Detroit last Saturday were held at the First Baptist Church in Pontiac last Tuesday afternoon with Rev. Traver officiating, and burial was made in the family lot in the Drayton Plains cemetery. Mrs. Strong was an old resident of Drayton. Her parents were Frank Maumee and Mrs. Lottie Chamberlain Maumee.

LEGAL NOTICES

MARSHALL E. SMITH,
Attorney for Plaintiff
Business Address: Pontiac Bank Bg.,
Pontiac, Michigan
Chancery Sale

In pursuance and by virtue of a decree of the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, in Chancery, made and entered on the 16th day of March, A. D. 1936, in a certain cause therein pending, wherein Marshall E. Smith, Administrator de bonis pon of the Estate of Charles Stanley, is complainant and William F. Leonard and Isabelle Leonard, his wife, are defendants, Notice is hereby given, that I shall sell at public auction to the highest bidder, at the Saginaw Street entrance to the Court House in the City of Pontiac (that being the place of holding the Circuit Court for said county), on Monday the Eleventh day of May, A. D. 1936, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, the following described property, viz: all certain piece or parcel of land situate in the Township of Pontiac, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, described, as follows:

South 14 1/2 feet of Lot 6 Churchill Heights, being a subdivision of part of the Southeast 1/4 of Section 26 and part of the Northeast 1/4 of Section 35 Town 3 North Range 10 East, according to the Plat thereof as recorded in Liber 43, Page 4 of Plats, Oakland County Records.

Dated March 23rd, 1936.

EARL L. PHILLIPS,
Circuit Court Commissioner,
Oakland County, Michigan.
Mar. 27, Apr. 3, 10, 17, 24, May 1, 8

CLARKSTON NEWS ADS BRING RESULTS

Floyd Andrews

Republican Candidate for
Supervisor
of Independence Township
Election Monday, April 6, 1936
Your support will be appreciated.

Will appreciate your support and vote for
Clerk of Independence Township on Election
day April 6th.

JAMES G. BENNETT

Thanks

Your support for the Republican Candidates
of Independence Township will be
appreciated

Supervisor	Floyd Andrews
Clerk	James G. Bennett
Treasurer	Carrie Walter
Highway Commissioner	Roy Gundry
Justice of Peace, full term	Harold J. Doebler
Member Board of Review	Joseph P. Hubbard

ELECTION APRIL 6, 1936

VOTE FOR

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Clarkston Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hammond of Detroit visited relatives here on Sunday.

Mrs. Cora Skarritt is spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Skarritt in Detroit.

Everyone will be glad to know that Rev. C. E. Edwards is home from the hospital and is resting comfortably.

Mr. and Mrs. John Schneider and son Francis of near Marine City spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Will Pierce.

The Judd Skarritts moved from the McFarland subdivision to a house on Buffalo st. last Saturday.

Mrs. Lavina Barrows is visiting with relatives in Davison.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Winn spent Tuesday in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Kitchen re-

turned from Miami on Wednesday of last week. One day Mr. Kitchen drove in the pouring rain and through flooded areas in Kentucky. In many places the water was over the road and up to the hubs of the car.

Miss Ruth Reid is spending the week in Tecumseh.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Huttenlocher visited with his parents in Munnith on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Dunston spent Sunday in Blissfield.

Last Friday night a grass fire, which caused much concern, was started just north of town. On account of the strong wind the fire swept along quite close to the farm buildings and the house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Amman. By the time the Masonic Lodge meeting had adjourned at about 11:00 the flames could be seen for quite a distance and the members suspected that the fire might be serious so they rushed to the scene and helped get the fire under control. Mr. and Mrs. Amman greatly appreciated their thoughtfulness.

Adele Gardner, of Clarkston, attended the rushing dinner given by Delta Zeta sorority at the University of Michigan, Tuesday evening, March 17.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Vliet of Bellevue were guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Harris on Tuesday.

Miss Wilma Doebler of Clarkston and her aunt Miss Agnes Roe of Pontiac attended the D. A. R. state convention at the Hotel Statler in Detroit last Thursday and Friday. They enjoyed the banquet on Thursday night, at which time they heard General Amos Fries of Washington, D. C., speak.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller Jr. of Ypsilanti were guests at the home of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Miller, on Sunday. His mother, Mrs. Miller returned to Ypsilanti with them to spend the week.

Miss Jeanette Miller, who is attending the Cleary Business College in Ypsilanti, is vacationing at her home here.

Mrs. Durand Ogden and Mrs. F. E. Davies spent Wednesday in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett went to Caro last Sunday and attended the funeral of his uncle, W. G. Bennett.

Word was received from the A. B. Wompoles that they are enjoying some sight-seeing in Yosemite National Park. When the card was written they were admiring the Yosemite Falls and Mazy was getting a thrill out of throwing snowballs.

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

Fred P. Holcomb, administrator, having filed in said Court a petition praying for license to sell at private sale the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 27th day of April A. D. 1936, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted;

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 Clarkston News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

DAN A. McGAFFEY, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Leah Koch, Deputy Register of Probate. Fred P. Holcomb, Clarkston, Mich. Apr. 3, 10, 17, 24

It is Ordered, that the 18th day of April, A. D. 1936, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Clarkston News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

DAN A. McGAFFEY, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Leah Koch, Deputy Register of Probate. March 20, 27, April 3, 10

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STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the City of Pontiac, in said county, on the 17th day of March, A. D. 1936.

Present: Hon. Dan A. McGaffey, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Lucy A. Clark, Deceased.

John L. Estes having filed in said court a petition praying that said court adjudge and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized,

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The annual Christian Endeavor meeting will be held Thursday, April 9th at the church house. There will be a pot luck supper served at 7:00 o'clock. Election of officers will take place at this meeting.

At the regular C. E. meeting on Sunday night April 6th at 8 o'clock. Miss Clara Sommers, president, will be the leader.

WHITE LAKE

On Sunday evening the Christian Endeavor of White Lake will meet at the manse at 8:00 o'clock.

Seymour Lake

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Mansfield of Sunn Beach, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Christian of Clarkston and Mr. and Mrs. O. Reilly and sons of Rochester have moved to the Bushman Farms in this neighborhood and the Workmans have moved to the Round Lake subdivision.

The Ladies' Aid dinner with Mrs. Clark Miller and Miss Ellen Beardslee as hostesses will be served at the Community house on Wednesday, April 8th.

At a meeting of Independence, Brandon and Groveland townships in Ortonville on Tuesday, Marvin Porritt was elected director of the three townships for the new soil and crop project under the direction of K. D. Bailey.

Sunday closed an interesting winter and spring contest in the Seymour Lake Sunday School with a total attendance of eighty scholars and teachers. Velma McIntyre was the winning leader and Olive Taylor the losing leader.

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Oakland.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac in said County, on the 1st day of April A. D. 1936.

Present: Hon. Dan A. McGaffey, Judge of Probate.

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