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COMMENT AND CRITICISM

A happy holiday to you over the 4th—you and I should be free of all care. We only owe thirty-six billion dollars.

All of which reminds me: Tom Parker, Clarkston's Treasurer says that village taxes are now due and payable.

In an attempt to slow down traffic through town on busy days, Clarkston now operates the traffic lights. To park more cars in the business section lines have been painted on the pavement by Pat Flynn so that drivers will not take too much space in parking. Because fire apparatus should be readily accessible, a "No Parking" sign is painted on the pavement in front of the fire hall. And so that the traffic lights and heavy traffic can be seen before the tourist hits the business section the lower branches of trees on the highway have been removed. And just in case the driver does not appreciate our actions in his behalf—we have an efficient court, fully equipped to handle traffic cases.

Perhaps the only time you have been in the town hall is to step into a little booth and vote. However the building has been equipped with partitions, fancy grilles, windows, you do your writing at a common desk in the center of the hall and you do not vote. In other words your excuse for going into the building now is to transact business with the Clarkston State Bank. For the next three or four weeks, while the old bank is being remodeled, business is being transacted in the town hall.

This week the Bar Association of Oakland County mailed instructions to Notaries, real estate men and justices of the Peace, some of the rulings as to what constitutes the practice of law. It seems that in the past there has been some of the three classes who have believed that they were empowered to draw deeds, mortgages and even wills, when the very fact that they did such work proved on its face that they were ignorant of law. The lawyers will be accused of trying to get more business but this fact remains—If you were sick you would want a doctor—And if you want law work go to a lawyer. The large percentage of law suits originate on contracts, options, deeds and wills that have been drawn by other than members of the bar. Of course law suits have originated on papers drawn by lawyers but the layman will stand a better chance with a member of the bar.

Somehow this week represents a lull in action. We mean that two ways. There has been a lull in activities and there has been no action. Our regular news sources say that after they have returned from the holiday trips this week-end, they will have news for next week but that this week all they are doing is thinking of the forthcoming enjoyment.

Credit where credit is due—and although we said the council was trying to improve the roads, it seems that over 40 loads of gravel have been placed on the village streets and one party, who took issue with us last week, claims that the roads are better than they have ever been. Heigh ho! People do read the News.

And now to be serious, and with a thought of the event of the anniversary we celebrate Sunday let us all repeat together: "I pledge allegiance to the flag of the United States of America, and to the republic for which it stands; one nation, indivisible, with liberty and justice for all."

Clarkston Locals

Dickie Lowery of Kingston spent several days last week with his aunt, Mrs. Ronald Walter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Walter intend to spend the week-end at Otsego Lake with Mr. and Mrs. Leman Cambridge.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Davies and daughter, Ruth, have gone to West Aroschat, Cape Breton Island to spend a few weeks.

A Persimmon Tree Grows in Clarkston

Will Be in Bloom About Sunday

When you hear a person mention a persimmon tree you think of the warm southlands and you picture the colored folk with large baskets gathering in the luscious fruit. As you know the persimmon is an American plum-like fruit. The tree does not grow to any great immensity.

The tree that might be of interest to folks around here is one growing in A. B. Wompole's yard. Mr. Wompole planted it about eight years ago and like Al. Pearce, said "I hope, I hope, I hope". However for five winters the tree was carefully wrapped and each spring and summer it was watched just like a little child. At last one winter A. B. decided to leave it in the open and that winter just happened to be one of the coldest that this part of the country had seen in many, many years. The little tree faced the storms and the severe frosts just like a sturdy oak. And now this Egyptian persimmon tree is in bud and perhaps by Sunday it will be in bloom.

Many would like to see a persimmon tree in bloom. Visit the A. B. Wompoles and see this one.

GOOD PULLET CARE WILL GET RESULTS

Proper Feeding and Destruction of Pests Are Necessary

Good rations for young growing stock are far more important in June and July than to skimp on pullet feeding care in order to coax along some lazy hens that ought to be culled.

This is the advice of the poultry department at Michigan State College. Staff members report that each hen in the flock should be laying at least 10 eggs a month in order to pay the feed bill. Even with extra green feed on ranges, the lazy hens ought to be culled out. With high feed prices, the care of the growing pullets should receive attention, as these younger birds are the key to possible egg profits next fall and early winter.

Older birds that show yellow beaks, seem to be losing weight, or have gone broody should go to market or canned for use on the table next winter.

In spite of the inducement offered by high feed prices, good pullet care is considered essential. Proper feeding should be observed even if it is necessary to sell off some pullets in order to feed the rest adequately.

J. W. Moore, secretary of the Michigan Poultry Improvement association, draws attention to another success factor. That is the pest angle of lice and mites. Lice may be controlled by two applications of Black Leaf 40 applied to the perches with a ten day interval between treatments. Only a very thin strip should be painted on each perch, but every bird should roost on those perches that night. The second treatment is to kill off those lice not hatched at the time of the first treatment. Mites live on the birds at night. Painting perches and nests with wood preserver, carbolineum, crude creosote or equal parts crankcase oil and kerosene are recommended for mite treatment.

Churches

CLARKSTON METHODIST CHURCH
C. E. Edwards, Pastor
Sunday, July 4, 1937:
10:30 Worship and sermon.
11:30 Church School. Lewis Warden, superintendent.

CLARKSTON BAPTIST CHURCH
H. B. Stevens, Pastor
Sunday, July 4th:
Bible School at 11 o'clock.
Worship and preaching, 12 o'clock.
Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock.

SEYMOUR LAKE METHODIST CHURCH
9:00 Worship and sermon.
10:00 Sunday school. Mrs. Iva Miller, superintendent.

WATERFORD CHURCH
Sunday School at 10:15—Sept. H. B. Mehlberg in charge. Classes for all ages.
Church service at 11:15. The pulpit will be filled this Sunday and future plans will be announced.

Large Group Attends Tuesday's Swim Class

Instructions Will Start at 1:30 Every Tuesday Afternoon

On Tuesday afternoon quite a large group gathered at Deer Lake to receive swimming instructions from Miss Dorothea Lawrence who is sent out by the Oakland County Red Cross. Those present were divided into three groups, one group is made up of those who have no knowledge of swimming, then there are those who know a little about swimming, they will be known as the beginners and then another group will take the Junior lifesaving course.

A short lecture was given first and although the day was cool everyone was anxious to get into the water. Miss Lawrence was quite pleased with the progress made and will look forward to having a larger crowd next Tuesday.

The weather will most likely be warmer next week and everyone interested in swimming is asked to be at the Lake promptly at 1:30.

HOLLY THEATRE

Spencer Tracy demonstrates his phenomenal ability for the fourth successive venture in "They Gave Him a Gun", which opens at the Holly Theatre Sunday.

This is the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer adaptation of the best seller by William Joyce Cowen, former soldier, who expressed his hatred of war in the novel.

Directed by W. S. Van Dyke II, the film has Tracy, Gladys George and Franchot Tone in the principal roles. The supporting cast includes Edgar Dearing, Cliff Edwards, Mary Treen and others. The war scenes were filmed on the vast 500-acre tract where Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer made "The Good Earth".

The story deals with two men and a woman. Tracy is a circus barker who enlists in the regulars. Tone is a small-town clerk who finds himself in the army and up in the front lines. A gun gives him courage. Gladys George is a Red Cross nurse.

When Tracy is reported missing, she marries Tone, out of pity. Tracy escapes from an enemy prison camp and the trio meets again in civil life, with the war ended. Familiar now with the use of a gun, the weakling has become a gangster. Tracy tries to save him but fails. A police bullet gets in ahead of him.

As a story and a picture to reflect the evils of war and its aftermath, "They Gave Him a Gun" is a powerful medium. But it is more than that. It affords Tracy and his colleagues an opportunity for first rate artistry, which none of them has overlooked.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mann are vacationing in Bangor, Me.

Clarkston to Have A Baseball Team

Merchants Are Supporting the Team

What is a town without a baseball team? After thinking the matter over the merchants decided that we needed one and a local team called the Clarkston Merchants is the result.

Home games will be announced in these columns in advance and a full report of the game will be given in the following issue.

TELEPHONE TAXES BENEFIT SCHOOLS

Michigan's public school system benefited today (Wednesday, June 30) through the payment into the primary school fund by the Michigan Bell Telephone Company of one-half of the Company's state property tax bill of \$2,624,092.47. The remaining half, to be paid by November 1, also will go into the primary school fund. A check for \$1,312,046.24, for the first half, was handed to State Auditor General George T. Gundry at Lansing by Frank L. Hall, tax attorney for the Michigan Bell.

The Michigan Bell Company makes the largest payment into the primary school fund, from which tax money paid the state by this and other utility companies is returned each year to the 83 counties of the state in proportion to the school population of each, thus going directly into local school channels.

Payment of the Michigan Bell's total tax bill for 1936, to the State, Federal Government, and various municipalities, amounting in all to \$4,429,000, requires the net earnings from 174,000 telephones, or almost one-third of the average number the company had in service during the year. The tax amounts to \$7.91 for each telephone in service. The company's total tax bill is divided as follows: To the State of Michigan, property tax, \$2,624,000; other Michigan State taxes, \$107,000; to the Federal Government, \$1,666,000; to others, principally municipalities for taxes on property that is not at present devoted to the operation of the business, \$32,000.

Applying the average "tax per telephone", \$7.91, locally, would mean that approximately \$1,448 of the amount telephone users in Clarkston paid for telephone service last year is required by the Michigan Bell Company in meeting its tax bill. The company operated an average of 183 telephones here last year.

Under the Michigan law, telephone companies, and telegraph, express, railway, and car-loaning companies pay taxes to the state, in lieu of local taxes, on property and plant used and useful in conducting their businesses.

The William Watsons have moved into their new home on North Main St.

Everyone Is Generous On Hospital Tag Day

\$140.00 Is Collected in Clarkston and Vicinity

The people of Clarkston and vicinity were generous last Saturday, St. Joseph Mercy Hospital Clinic Tag Day. The workers were well received and those who were approached were more than willing to give what they could. Some of the workers spent most of the day on the Main Street stopping all those who were in town to shop and those who were passing through town. Mrs. Joseph Sesterfin, Mrs. William Gassick and Miss Nell Barry spent many hours on the street and they were well repaid for their untiring efforts. These three workers swelled the amount considerably.

Miss Barry, chairman for the district, and her committee wishes to thank the public for their cooperation. The many courtesies extended the workers were appreciated. The amount of \$140.00 was collected and the chairman is proud of her community.

Visit the Hospital sometime between now and next Tag Day and see for yourself what good your donation has done.

Regulations for Motor Boats on Inland Lakes

Persons owning or running motor boats on inland lakes should be familiar with the state law governing their operation. According to the State, the inland lakes are a part of their highway transportation system, hence their authority in governing the traffic thereon.

For the benefit of persons unfamiliar with the state law we publish herewith the substance of it.

All motor boats are required to have a muffler.

Motor boats must pass not closer than 150 feet to a fishing boat and 200 feet from bathers or slow down to a speed of 5 miles an hour.

All motor boats must be equipped with lights and a bell or a whistle.

Clarkston Locals

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. C. G. Waterbury attended the funeral service at White Chapel Memorial Park for Clayton Lockwood of Detroit. Mr. Lockwood was a member of the noted Polar Bears and so received full military honors. Mrs. Waterbury says it was one of the most impressive services she ever attended. Interment was made in the plot reserved for Polar Bear members.

Mrs. Anna Fleming is enjoying a visit with her niece, Mrs. Paul Snover in Pontiac.

SHORT TERM LOANS BENEFIT FARMERS

Many Are Taking Advantage of Local Credit Association

The Pontiac Production Credit Association increased its 1936 loan business 30.4 per cent over that of the previous year and gained 6.6 per cent in numbers, says Fred J. Beckman, of Clarkston, Secretary-Treasurer, who attended the two-day conference of directors from the southern half of Michigan held at Marshall, June 22 and 23.

The conference is an annual event in which directors from contiguous territory get together to compare notes and lay plans for the annual meetings of the stockholders to be held later. Good natured rivalry marked some periods of the session as directors noted phases of the work in which they excelled some of their neighboring associations.

Membership on May 31 of this year totaled 548 farmers who had obtained their short term funds for farm operations through this cooperative association. The largest volume of business during 1936 was \$173,000 and the average outstanding monthly volume was \$160,000, with the average loan \$643.00. The stated that an even greater increase had been made this year, the Association having made 289 loans totaling \$189,434 during the first five months.

As members pay up their loans in full they have the option of retaining their capital stock in the association (as every farmer who borrows becomes a stockholder) or turning in their stock for sale. Mr. Beckman said that as farmers have come to realize they can dispose of their stock if they wish to, but that the association is a permanent institution, more and more of them keep their stock even after paying up their loans, and that 31 per cent of the Pontiac members last year kept their stock.

Women have also become interested in the association in the past two years and at the annual meeting held last winter 47 wives of members attended with their husbands. Attendance of members at the annual meeting increased from 7 per cent the previous year to 16 per cent this year, he said.

Delinquent Tax Fee Goes Up Sept. 1st

In a statement issued today, Auditor General George T. Gundry requested the tax paying public to pay their installments under the Moore-Holbeck and Brown-Berka Acts at once in order to avoid the rush in August.

Mr. Gundry explained that under Act 28 of the Public Acts of 1937, tax-payers can make their payments before September 1st, with only 2% collection fee. After September 1st, 1% of 1% penalty will be added.

Mr. Gundry said that a great many more of the tax paying public will avail themselves of the moratorium plan for payment of taxes and consequently, fewer descriptions will be up for sale next May. Because of the huge number of delinquents it is expected that no fewer than 1,500,000 descriptions will fall before the hammer next May when county treasurers will hold the first tax sale held in the state since 1932.

Pension Age Limit Reduced Five Years

By lowering the age limit from 70 to 65 for those eligible for Old Age Pensions the recent Legislature opened the door to approximately 25,000 more pensioners, George T. Gundry, Auditor General, estimated today.

With 34,000 aged now on Michigan's pension rolls it is expected that when the increased appropriation is available, nearly 60,000 will be receiving monthly checks from Mr. Gundry's office.

An increase in personnel will be necessary to handle the additional volume of work, though Mr. Gundry assured pension recipients that they will continue to receive their checks promptly when due.

Coming Events

July 9th—Friday afternoon—the Junior Auxiliary of the American Legion will have a picnic at Williams Lake.

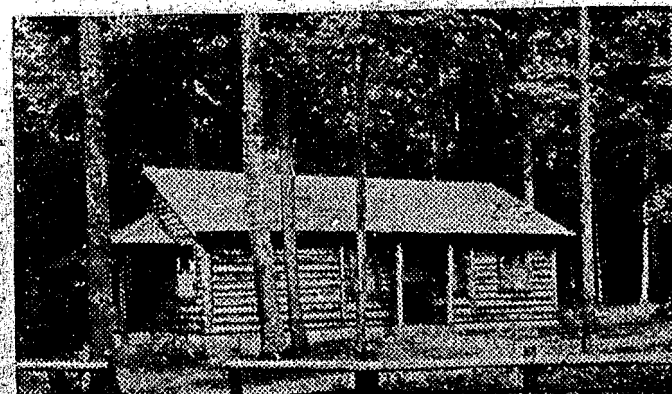
July 14th—Wednesday afternoon the Royal Neighbors will meet with Mrs. Bateman, Mrs. Leonard and Mrs. Bateman will be hostesses.

July 18th—Sunday—The American Legion Post and Ladies Auxiliary will hold a family picnic at the State Park at Ortonville.



Trailer Camp Ready for Tourists

Red Ridge Park, Consumers Power Company's free tourist camp on the Manistee River east of Brethren, will be officially opened to the public use July 2. It is reached from the Dr. W. E. Coates Memorial Highway running due east out of Brethren. Rustic architecture characterizes the caretaker's lodge and other buildings. Tourist supplies are available at the lodge. The camp is especially adapted for the accommodation of trailer tourists.



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BIG CELEBRATION AT OWOSSO JULY 4
Program Starts Saturday and Continues Over Monday
 A genuine honest-to-goodness 4th of July celebration with barrels of free lemonade is to be held in Owosso from July 3rd to 5th inclusive on the Field Circus grounds adjoining Bentley Tourist Park.
 Numerous and thrilling rides and shows together with concessions of various kinds will outline the midway. A fine display of fireworks will be held each evening at 11 o'clock.
 Before dusk each evening will be an unusual performance when Harvey Plumptre of Grand Rapids ascends upwards of 3,000 feet in an airplane piloted by Judy Shattuck of Owosso and jumps from the wing of the plane. He will drop several thousand feet using his bat wings to perform stunts in the air before pulling the rip cord on his parachute for the final drop to the ground. These drops will compare with those of Clem Sohn of Lansing who fell to his death in France a few weeks ago.
 Except for the absence of centennial features held a year ago this celebration will in many respects be as large and should attract thousands from many miles around. Owosso has the only major celebration over the 4th in a radius of 40 to 50 miles.
 A sports program for young and old will be held morning and afternoon on July 5th and will include an egg shuttle relay (in teams of 4) for boys 12 years or under, a slow bicycle race for boys 13 to 16 inclusive, 100 yard dash for boys 17 or over, potato race for girls 12 years or younger, 50 yard dash for girls 13 to 16 inclusive, nail pounding contest for girls 17 and older, rolling pin throwing contest for married women, greased pole climb open to all, and a tug of war between men picked from north of Owosso and south.
 Other features of interest to folks from city and country will be held the three days. The event will be held under acres of shade trees with acres of free parking space and tourist camp facilities. Owosso invites everybody to join in this celebration. It is sponsored by the Owosso Chamber of Commerce.

Time Nearly Up for Building Model Cars
 Extension of the closing date of its model car design competition to midnight of July 9 has been announced by William A. Fisher, president of the Fisher Body Craftsman's Guild.
 Officials believe that the project, that of constructing a miniature automobile embodying the participant's own ideas of motor car design, is simple enough so the extension of time will permit many of the late entrants to participate on an equal basis with boys who enrolled earlier.
 Judging of the models for state and regional honors will be conducted in nine cities throughout the country, Boston, New York, Washington, D. C., Atlanta, Dallas, Detroit, Omaha, San Francisco and Portland, Ore., by representatives of the General Motors styling section and local school and boys' activities leaders.
 Cash awards ranging from \$25 to \$100 will go to the 14 winners selected in each state and the District of Columbia. From this group, the 18 regional winners will be chosen, nine in the junior and nine in the senior division. These youths will attend the seventh Guild convention, to be held in Detroit, August 31 to September 3, inclusive, as guests of the General Motors-sponsored educational foundation.
 Winners of the two \$5,000 university scholarships offered as national awards in the model car design competition will be announced the opening night of the gathering at a banquet in the auditorium of the General Motors Building.

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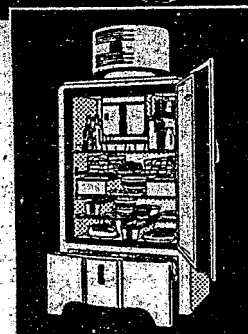
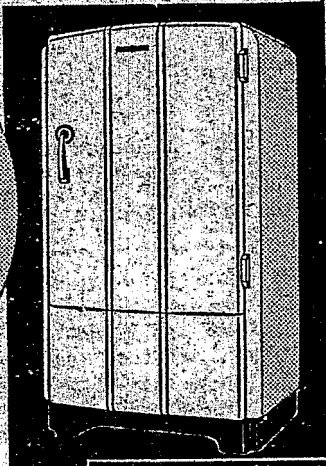


PLATE DEAD LINE WILL END MARCH 1

No Extension for Motorists in New State Law

Passage by the legislature of a bill to make March 1st the annual deadline of the purchase of automobile license plates and stickers, with neither the Secretary of State nor any other official authorized to extend this deadline, is believed by Leon D. Case, Secretary of State, to be a step in advance. The present law permits the Secretary of State to extend the final expiration date to March 1st.

In addition to Case's desire to call public attention to these two important changes in the motor vehicle law, the Secretary of State also points to the fee of 25 cents to be collected hereafter for the issuance of stickers or half-year permits. This fee will cover the extra cost of issuing half-year permits. The charging by the state of this small fee appears to be fair and proper, considering the accommodation represented by a half-year installment plan for the purchase of a set of plates.

The bookkeeping, special costs represented by the printing and handling of the some half million stickers annually is an item which no one should long expect the state to absorb. The collection of the 25 cent fee will bring in approximately \$125,000 annually, it is estimated.

LEGAL NOTICES

Marshall E. Smith, Attorney, Pontiac, Michigan.

MORTGAGE SALE
DEFAULT having been made for more than thirty days in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Floyd D. Hutchins and Edna Hutchins, formerly husband and wife and now divorced, to Jacob R. Rupp and Edith V. Rupp, his wife, as joint tenants with sole right to the survivor, dated the 16th day of July, A. D. 1931, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland and State of Michigan, on the 22nd day of July, A. D. 1931 in Liber 678 of Mortgages, on page 485-6, which mortgage was assigned on January 16, 1932, by Jacob R. Rupp and Edith V. Rupp, his wife, to George H. Harris and Kitty Harris, his wife, and recorded January 21, 1932, in Liber 701 of Assignments of Mortgages, on Page 36-7, Oakland County Register of Deeds office, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of One thousand Six hundred Twenty-four and 50/100 (\$1624.50) Dollars, and an attorney's fee of Thirty-five and 00/100 (\$35.00) dollars, as provided for in said mortgage, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Tuesday, the 7th day of September, A. D. 1937, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, the undersigned will, at the Saginaw Street entrance of the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, that being the place where the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with 6 per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, together with any taxes or insurance that may be paid by the mortgagor prior to such sale on the mortgaged premises, which premises are described as follows: Property situated in the Township of Springfield, Oakland County, Michigan, described as the east 1/2 of the southwest 1/4 and the east 1/2 of the West 1/2 of the southwest 1/4, Section 21 T 4 N R 8 E, containing one hundred twenty (120) acres of land more or less.

George H. Harris and Kitty Harris, his wife, assignees of mortgages.
Dated June 3, 1937.
Marshall E. Smith, Attorney for Assignees of mortgages.
416 Pontiac Bank Building, Pontiac, Michigan.

Inc. Sept. 3

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 12th day of June, A. D. 1937.

Present: Hon. James H. Lynch, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Lottie A. Butler, deceased.

David C. Miller, administrator, of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court.

It is Ordered, that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, that the 1st day of November, 1937, at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased. And for the examination and allowance of his final account, determination of the heirs of said deceased, assignment of the residue of said estate and the discharge of said administrator.

JAMES H. LYNCH, A True Copy. Judge of Probate.
Leah Koch (Martin), Deputy Register of Probate.

Marshall E. Smith, Attorney, 416 Pontiac Bank Bldg., Pontiac, Mich.

MORTGAGE SALE
DEFAULT having been made for more than thirty days in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Mrs. Mary Wiseman to William Dandison dated the 28th day of June, A. D. 1929, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland and State of Michigan, on the 19th day of July, A. D. 1929 in Liber 678 of Mortgages, on page 10, which mortgage was duly assigned by Forrest C. Dandison, Administrator of the Estate of William Dandison, deceased, by assignment dated August 12, 1932, to William Dandison, widow of William Dandison, deceased, and recorded October 15, 1932, in Liber 677 of Mortgages, Page 41-2 on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, taxes and insurance the

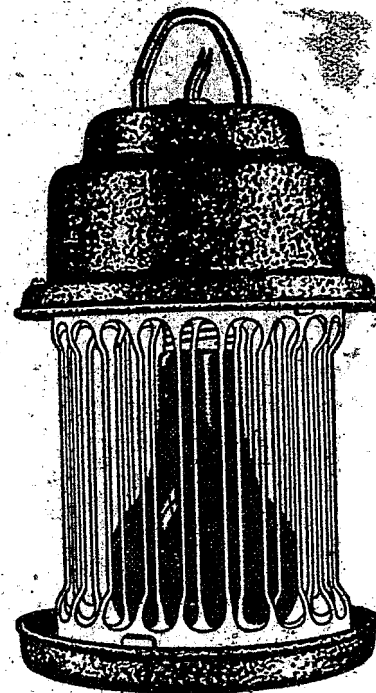
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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on Tuesday, the 20th day of July, A. D. 1937, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, the undersigned will, at the Saginaw Street entrance of the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, that being the place where

the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with 7 per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, together with any taxes or insurance that may be paid by the mortgagor prior to such sale on the mortgaged premises, which premises are described as follows: Property situated in the City of Pontiac, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, described as Commencing at the southeast corner of land owned by William Beal on the West line of Perry

Street, thence westerly about one hundred and seventy feet to land of Perkins, thence south forty-two feet along said Perkins land, thence easterly to West line of Perry Street, thence North on West line of Perry Street fifty-five feet to the place of beginning. Dated April 19, 1937.
Forrest C. Dandison, Administrator of the Estate of Eliza Dandison, deceased.
Assignee of Mortgages
Marshall E. Smith, Attorney for Assignee of Mortgages
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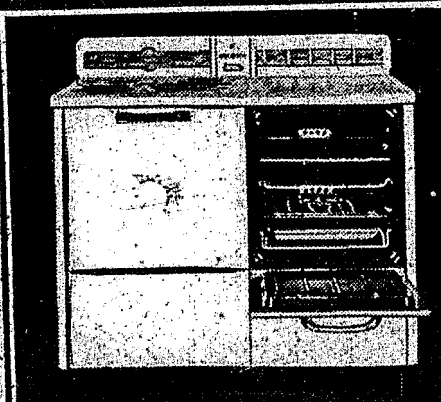
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Clarkston Locals

On Thursday night friends of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Walter gave them a pleasant surprise when they arrived at their home to have a cooperative dinner with them at about 6:30 and to help them celebrate their 35th wedding anniversary. The George

Kings, the A. B. Wompoles and the L. F. Walters spent a lovely evening together.

Mr. and Mrs. William Starring will enjoy the next few weeks visiting their sons in Detroit.

The L. J. Chamberlains are having a family gathering at their home on the 4th of July.

Miss Inez Cuthbert of Pontiac spent the week-end with Mrs. Elizabeth Rockwell.

Mrs. Alice Lyons of Detroit is expected to arrive this week to spend several weeks in Clarkston.

John Ronk, son of Mrs. Elizabeth Ronk, was brought home from Goodrich Hospital where he had been for two weeks following an operation.

On Thursday Mr. and Mrs. Durand Ogden went to Orion and had a picnic lunch with one of Mr. Ogden's former school teachers, Mrs. Marceau.

Mrs. Paul Kanold has returned to her home here from a Detroit Hospital. Friends will be glad to know that she is getting along quite nicely.

Mrs. John Maynard of Port Huron and Mrs. Pearl Ireland of Detroit called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Parker, on Tuesday.

Mrs. Harvey Petty who underwent a serious operation at the St. Joseph's Mercy Hospital was brought to her home this week.

Dr. C. J. Sutherland, Mrs. Anne Serace and Miss Ada Serace will spend the 4th of July in Oxford with Dr. Sutherland's brother and family the Frank Sutherlands.

Mrs. Minnie Ronk of Milwaukee is spending some time in Clarkston visiting with Mrs. Elizabeth Ronk and sons and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Ronk and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Ronk had as their guests for a couple of days last week her mother, Mrs. D. A. Stoddard and her sister, Mrs. E. A. Norris and son Richard of Detroit. Henry Ronk returned to Detroit with them and spent the week-end with his grandmother.

On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Wompole and daughter, Mazy went to Toledo and visited at the home of Mr. Wompole's brother. On Sunday they went on to Dansville, N. Y., and took his father, M. L. Wompole to his home there. On Monday they returned to Clarkston.

The covers carried by Amelia Earhart, now on the home stretch of a leisurely flight around the world, will be mailed from Oakland, Cal., and efforts are being made to have the cancellation mark the hour of her arrival.

For the Fifth World Jamboree of Boy Scouts in Holland, Green Bar Bill is sponsoring a cachet that will be of particular interest to Boy Scouts who are collectors. He gives the following directions:

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