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Waterford

The Christmas program given at the Waterford Church on Wednesday evening of last week at 8:00 o'clock was enjoyed by about 500 people.
The program was in charge of the teachers of the Day School.

Waterford School will reopen on Monday, January 3.
Mr. and Mrs. William Hunt and son were guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Edward O'Roark of Clarkston on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Van Atta of Detroit were Christmas night guests of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Spooner.

Rev. S. W. McFalls spent Christmas with his mother in London, Ontario. He expects to resume his duties here on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Spooner and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mehlberg and family were Monday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Valentine of Detroit.

Mrs. Will Chase and Mrs. James Saylor and their sister, Miss Alma Barber of Birmingham and their brother, Earl Barber, of Drayton Plains were called to Cheboygan on Sunday on account of the death of their uncle. They returned to their homes on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henri Buek and family were Sunday guests of Rev. and Mrs. H. A. Huey of Ann Arbor. The occasion was Rev. Huey's birthday and everyone had a happy time.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Waterford Church will hold its January meeting next Thursday.

The Roll Call will be answered with suggestions or ideas on plans to better the organization for the coming year.

After an extremely busy summer and a severe case of the flu I felt the need of a vacation in the South.

The roads were clean and traffic was light for the entire trip down to Columbus, Georgia, which made driving a pleasure.

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my life as I saw in Southern Kentucky, Tennessee, Georgia, Alabama and North Carolina. In fact, it is all I saw until I returned to central Kentucky. The scenery was grand though.

The houses of the south were not constructed for cold weather. Even the finer houses were built up on brick posts and filled in with lattice work which gave the wind a clear sweep underneath the houses.

The attitude of the people was one of helpfulness toward each other. It was not one of suspicion such as we find in the north.

One strange custom in the south which I never dreamed existed was—the negroes still carry huge loads on their heads without balancing with their hands.

Eight miles from Columbus, Ga., I found the largest military training school in the world, even larger than West Point.

Forty-five miles west of Columbus, Ga., in Alabama I visited the largest Negro college in the world—Tuskegee Institute which was founded by Booker T. Washington.

In spite of the kind overtures of my southern friends in urging me to stay with them for Christmas with the promise of turkey, cranberries, and all that goes with it, I had to break away and wend my way back to the frozen north with all its grief including the industrial slump.

Donald Wall is spending his Christmas vacation in Northern Michigan.

John Huffman spent the holidays with Mrs. Edward Dubey and family.

A. E. Barnhart was a Clarkston caller Tuesday.

Mrs. Pool spent Christmas with her daughter Mrs. Hanggee.

Mrs. Eilan Cool called on Joseph Hanggee Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Auclair spent the week end in Flint.

Henry and Oliver Auclair left for Alpena Christmas evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Schoenhals of Seelye Drive spent Christmas Day in Detroit.

The Ladies' Aid will meet Wednesday, January 5, at the home of Mrs. Earl Springer, 4078 Louella Drive.

The Mothers Chorus is having a potluck supper at Mrs. Earl Springer's home on Thursday evening.

Warren Hanggee and family spent Christmas afternoon with his father and aunts of Airport Road.

Paul Shaughnessy is spending a few days with his uncle, Joseph Hanggee.

Lucille, Sanford and David Hanggee spent Sunday afternoon with their father.

Mr. and Mrs. Elsa Heifner spent Christmas with her brother, George Workman.

Mrs. Earl Springer spent Christmas with relatives in Riverside, Ontario.

Rev. Harold Warren of Romeo was visiting his father E. B. Warren, the barber, one-day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Swan spent Christmas Eve with Mr. and Mrs. Herb Swan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Wall of Farmer Avenue entertained their parents from Midland on Christmas.

The Drayton Men's Club will give the 4th of a series of dancing parties in the school auditorium on Friday evening, January 14th. Prizes will

be given and refreshments will be served.

Miss Patricia DeLap of Maceday Lake is now employed in the auditing department at Sears Roebuck Co.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McDonogh and children, Patricia and Billie, spent Thursday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Dubey.

Mrs. Emma Burger and son Gairford were visiting with friends and relatives at Grand Ledge, Michigan, on Christmas.

Mrs. Bertha Orgaram and brother Theodore Auclair of Detroit were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Auclair.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Schoenhals of Seelye Drive spent Sunday in Brown City at the home of his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Godfrey and Miss Donna Ryefield spent Christmas with Mr. Godfrey's parents in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman O'Brien and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gorthy and Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Auclair of Pontiac were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Auclair Christmas day.

The regular meeting of the Drayton Plains Men's Club will be held Monday evening, January 3, in the school auditorium at 8:00. Every member is urged to be present.

Edward Dubey Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward E. Dubey of Drayton Plains, is spending a few days with Patricia and Billie McDonogh of Northlawn Avenue, Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Ribe and Miss Hazel St. Clair were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Roebke on Tuesday evening.

The Michigan Bell Telephone Co. is busy working at the Drayton Plains branch and cables are being laid underground through the town.

You are invited to be at the Drayton Plains School on Monday evening, Jan. 3, at 8:00 o'clock when a fine program of old time music and comedy will be presented.

The Social Security Board reports that a ruling has been made that deductions for Social Security Old-Age Insurance on salaries of more than \$3,000.00 a year should be paid during the first part of the year rather than spread evenly over twelve months.

Investigation of old-age assistance cases reveals a constant shifting of responsibility by children who are able to care for their parents, to the state through old-age assistance benefits.

State Welfare Director Bryant has asserted that too many are applying for old-age assistance in spite of the fact that they are able to derive sufficient income from other sources.

Millions of Americans have, in the last few years, acquired what they think is a vested right to an income from the Government and it is going to be like pulling teeth to get some of them off the lists regardless of whether they actually need the money.

It is unfortunate that the habit of calling old-age assistance "old-age pensions" has become so firmly fixed. This incorrect usage leads people to believe that every person over sixty-five is entitled to it as a matter of fact irrespective of need.

In several states "pensions" have become little less than a racket.

Michigan's variety of climate has put accent to a study of the best varieties of corn adapted to different sections of the state.

In completion recently of the third year in which corn breeding has been put to test in Monroe, Otsego, Saginaw and Wexford counties, there is definite proof that corn production, either for grain or for silage, can be more scientific and more profitable.

Variety tests prove the point.

Warning that seed salesmen may be more productive of words than the seed they sell is corn is issued by A. R. Marston, corn breeding specialist at Michigan State College.

"Hybrids have their place in Michigan agriculture," Marston asserts. "Yet it still is more profitable in production and less costly for seed to use the old-standby commercial varieties than to use the new hybrids if they are not adapted and cannot be recommended."

County agricultural agents can help farmers in selecting this adapted corn for seed.

In the 1937 tests some new hybrids find their place at the top. For farmers seeking best yielding kinds of seed that is available the selection narrows down because some new hybrids are not ready for distribution.

Some seed of this is available through the Michigan Crop Improvement association.

For southern Michigan the Michigan hybrid 561 stands out with Nebraska 252 for both grain and silage yield. Another strain in 1937 trials showing promise in southwestern Michigan for grain is Wisconsin hybrid 606.

In the Otsego area Minnesota hybrid 402 was outstanding for grain but two Wisconsin hybrids yielded more for silage.

In Saginaw county Michigan hybrid 1218 stood at the top with the three year average of 70 bushels of grain and 10 1/2 tons of silage. For ensilage the Michigan hybrid 561 produced in 1937 trials, 14 1/2 tons of silage in corn borer infested fields.

In Wexford county Minnesota hybrids 401 and 402 topped the grain yields. No. 401 was best for silage yield but seemed to be a little later in maturing grain.

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Sunday-Monday January 2-3 Jack Benny, Ida Lupino, Martha Raye in "Artists and Models" with Yacht Club Boys Selected Short Subjects

Tues.-Wed.-Thurs. January 4-5-6 3-BIG DAYS-3 Gary Cooper, George Raft, Frances Dee in "Souls at Sea" Comedy, Cartoon

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POTATO GROWERS FAVOR DIVERSION

Oakland County Farmers Respond to Proposition

In Oakland County, applications have been received from potato growers for diverting from market of 1375 bushels of potatoes, grading not less than U. S. No. 2, according to Mr. Robert McCrory, of the County Agricultural Conservation Committee. These potatoes are to be used for livestock feed only, and the grower will receive 25c per cwt. for the

amount of potatoes he is authorized to dispose of. The purpose of this diversion is to bring the present supply of potatoes more in line with the consumption needs and thereby tend toward the maintaining of prices to growers at a more satisfactory level. The U. S. No. 2 potatoes being diverted are described as being not less than 1 1/2 inches in diameter and free from serious defects. The diverting of these potatoes from the market should not only adjust supply to consumption but will also improve the quality of potatoes going on the market. Better quality in Michigan potatoes has long been

the desire of leading potato growers of the State in order that their potatoes would command quality prices on markets. Potatoes are valuable as livestock feed but, according to feeding tests, require the use of protein supplements. Potatoes can be used for part of the ration of swine, cattle, sheep or horses. According to Henry & Morrison about 420 pounds of potatoes cooked have the feeding value of 100 pounds of corn or barley as swine feed, and potatoes may furnish half the dry matter in the ration for fattening cattle and sheep, and one-fourth for horses. The potato diversion program is a part of the program of the Agricultural Adjustment Administration, Division of Marketing Agreements, to improve market prices of potatoes to growers.

or higher. This, says E. L. Anthony, dean of agriculture, is the reason farmers in the state are relatively prosperous. Some of the special crops to which more than usual attention will be paid in the winter short course for farm families include: honey, maple syrup, turkeys, cider, ice cream, sugar beets, Christmas trees, hot-house tomatoes, hunting and fishing, timber, alfalfa seed and beans. For the more usual crops the week's program will offer some of the new practices which Michigan farmers can use. These will include phases in the state's production of such crops as corn, oats, potatoes, clover, dairy, hogs and beef cattle. Three out of state speakers have been obtained for those who plan to attend this program of the No. 1 Farmers' Week of the nation. Tuesday, Feb. 1, Dusty Miller of Wilmington, Ohio, will offer his rural humor in depicting phases of livestock production. Wednesday, Feb. 2, audiences will hear Herbert W. Mumford, dean of agriculture at the University of Illinois at Urbana. He will discuss "Good Farming Still Pays Best." Thursday the main speaker will be Dr. H. A. Morgan, Knoxville, Tenn., who will discuss long time conservation through experiences he has gained with the Tennessee Valley Authority.

Golden Wedding at Davisburg



MR. AND MRS. LEWIS McDONALD

On Friday evening, December 21, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis McDonald of Davisburg, assisted by a large gathering of their neighbors and relatives, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary.

On December 23, 1887, armed with one of the then new marriage licenses (it being No. 117 issued by Wayne County) Mr. Lewis McDonald and Miss Nellie Maynard sought out the officiating clergyman, who spoke the words making them husband and wife.

The groom in that event was born of a pioneer family in Independence Township near Clarkston whose father was a soldier in the Union army in the Civil War and was killed at the battle of Shiloh a short time before young McDonald's birth. Being cast on his own resources of gaining a livelihood at a very early age, he heeded the call so irresistible to the young men of his day and went forth seeking employment in the lumber woods of northern Michigan where he followed that vocation for several years; later he entered the employ of W. B. Ewing of Wrentham, an extensive manufacturer of lumber and ship timber, and remained in this position for over twenty years. It was during this employment that he came to Davisburg to supervise the hauling and shipping of white oak timber for Mr. Ewing and when the supply of timber was exhausted he decided that Davisburg was a pretty good place to settle down in for a permanent residence and resigned his position with Mr. Ewing in Dec. 1899. He followed agricultural pursuits for several years, and shortly after the Oakland County Road Commission came into being, he entered their employ where he has remained, being at the present

time one of their oldest employes in length of service. The bride, Miss Nellie Maynard, was born in Livonia Township, Wayne County, July 4, 1866, her ancestors being pioneer settlers in that community.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald have been active in social and fraternal circles since coming to Davisburg, Mr. McDonald being affiliated with the local Masonic Lodge and Mrs. McDonald has been an active member in the local Eastern Star Chapter.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald are the parents of eight children, Jennie, Anna, Bessie, Florence, Evelyn, Forest, Harriet and Lewis Jr., all of whom grew to maturity, but Jennie, Bessie and Harriet are now deceased; there are also eleven grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald were the recipients of many beautiful and useful gifts in token of the esteem in which they are held by their neighbors and friends, prominent among which was a beautiful electric coffee, roast and deep frying set presented by the Davisburg employes of the Oakland County Road Commission.

After partaking of a bounteous repast, of which it is estimated one hundred fifty partook, the party dispersed at a late hour, wishing Mr. and Mrs. McDonald a wealth of health, happiness and prosperity for many years to come.

Guests from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Johnson and family, of Dearborn, Mr. and Mrs. Everetts, of Plymouth, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chaffee, Mrs. Stood, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Bennett and Mrs. Hardy of Pontiac, Forest McDonald and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hutton, Paul Mosko and Mrs. Evelyn Morris, of Detroit.

FARMERS' WEEK AT STATE COLLEGE

Some Headliners Who Will Be Heard at East Lansing

Specialties in Michigan agriculture constitute the theme of the 23rd annual Farmers' Week program at Michigan State College.

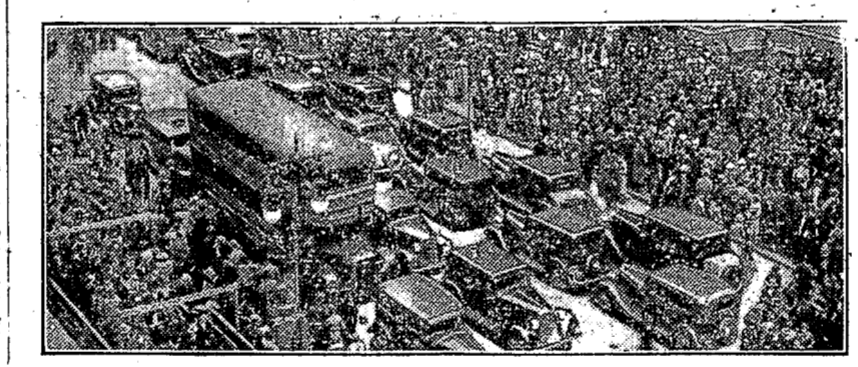
In 17 of the principal agricultural phases of the nation's agriculture, Michigan producers are able to rate the state's production in 10th place

World's Busiest Street?



JUST LOOK at that traffic roaring by! Yes, sir, that's New York's famous Fifth Avenue, looking toward 42nd Street. And the lady in the stylish white shirtwaist and the snappy little straw skimmer had better be careful when she gets to the corner because you know how those horseless carriage drivers swing around the turns. With the national automobile show approaching, Consumers Information dug out this picture, taken in 1907, to show what a difference 30 years can make. The picture below shows Fifth Avenue as it is today. Advertising which created the demand, and research which perfected the product,

are credited with changing the picture from that of 1907, when only a few thousand cars were on the country's roads, to that of today, with almost 30,000,000. The few small manufacturers of 30 years ago advertised to sell their primitive cars, which cost around \$3,000 for a "medium-priced" model. They created a bigger demand than they could fill, and so big factories, increased employment, an constantly better automobiles resulted. And today we can buy an infinitely superior car for about one-fifth of the price while half a million men are directly employed in the industry, compared to few thousand at the time this picture was taken.



LEGAL NOTICES

John L. Estes, Attorney, Clarkston, Mich. No. D 6259 STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland. In Chancery. Dorothy M. Grover, Plaintiff vs. Verne W. Grover, Defendant. Order of Publication and Appearance. At a session of said Court held at the Court House in the City of Pontiac in said County on the 6th day of December, 1937. Present, Hon. George B. Hartwick Circuit Judge.

It is satisfactorily appearing to this Court from affidavit on file herein that it cannot be ascertained in what state or country the defendant, Verne W. Grover, resides, on motion of John L. Estes, attorney for the plaintiff, and that in default thereof that the bill of complaint of the plaintiff filed hereat be taken as confessed by said defendant.

It is Further Ordered that in the event a copy of this order shall not be served upon the defendant personally or by registered mail as provided by the laws of this state, then that within forty days from the date hereof this order be published in said Clarkston News, a newspaper, printed, published and circulating in said County of Oakland, and that such publication be continued once in each week for six weeks in succession.

GEORGE B. HARTWICK, Circuit Judge. A True Copy. LYNN E. ALLEN, County Clerk. By: FRANCES BROWN, Deputy. Inc. Feb. 11

PELTON & McGEE, Attorneys, Peoples State Bank Building, Pontiac.

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE Defaults having been made (and such defaults having continued for more than thirty days) in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Ransom T. Vliet and Marie A. Vliet, his wife, and Christian A. Drengberg, a single man, to Pontiac Commercial & Savings Bank, of Pontiac, Michigan, a Corporation organized under the general banking laws of the State of Michigan, dated the 23rd day of May, 1931, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland on the 25th day of May, 1931, in Liber 671 of Mortgages, on page 421-4, of which bank Hugh A. McPherson was appointed Receiver by the Circuit Court for the County of Oakland, State of Michigan, in Chancery on July 28, 1931, and said mortgage having elected under the terms of said mortgage to declare the entire principal and accrued interest thereon due, which election it does hereby exercise, pursuant to which there is claimed to be due and unpaid on the said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of Two Thousand Eight Hundred Fifteen Dollars (\$2,815.00) and no suit or proceeding at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage and pursuant to the Statutes of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on Saturday, January 8th, 1938, at ten o'clock in the forenoon Eastern Standard Time at the Eastern Standard Time at the Eastern Standard Time at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, County of Oakland, Michigan (that being the place of holding Circuit Court in said County) said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale at public auction to the highest bidder of the premises described in said mortgage or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid, and any sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned at or before said sale for taxes and/or insurance on said premises, and all other sums paid by the undersigned, with interest thereon, pursuant to law and as the terms of said mortgage, and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including an attorney's fee, which premises are described as follows:

That certain place or parcel of land situated in the Township of Independence, County of Oakland, State of Michigan, more particularly described as: The North half (1/2) of the Northwest quarter (1/4) of Section Fifteen (15), Township 4 North, Range 9 East, Michigan. Dated: October 13, 1937. HUGH A. McPHERSON, Receiver of The Pontiac Commercial and Savings Bank of Pontiac, Michigan, a Michigan Banking Corporation, Mortgages. PELTON & McGEE, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Peoples State Bank Bldg., Pontiac, Michigan. Inc. Jan. 7

Ronald A. Walter, Attorney, 1115 Peoples State Bldg., Pontiac, Mich.

MORTGAGE SALE Default having been made for more than thirty days in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by George B. Walter and Matilda Walter, his wife, to Louis F. Walter, dated the first day of February, A. D. 1932, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland and State of Michigan, on the 31st day of March, A. D. 1932, in Liber 679 of Mortgages, on pages 109 to 112, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, the sum of Five Hundred and Three and 48/100 Dollars and an attorney's fee as provided for in said mortgage and by statute, 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 Monday, the 31st day of January, A. D. 1938, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon Eastern Standard Time, the undersigned will, at the Sacriaw Street entrance to the Oakland County Court House in the City of Pontiac (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 due as aforesaid on the said mortgage with interest and all legal costs together with said attorney's fees, to-wit: Property situated in the Township of Independence, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, described as: An undivided one-seventh interest in and to the following described property: The south-west quarter of the north-east quarter of Section 17, Township 1 North, Range 9 East, Michigan. Dated at Clarkston this 2nd of November, A. D. 1937. LOUIS F. WALTER, Mortgagee.

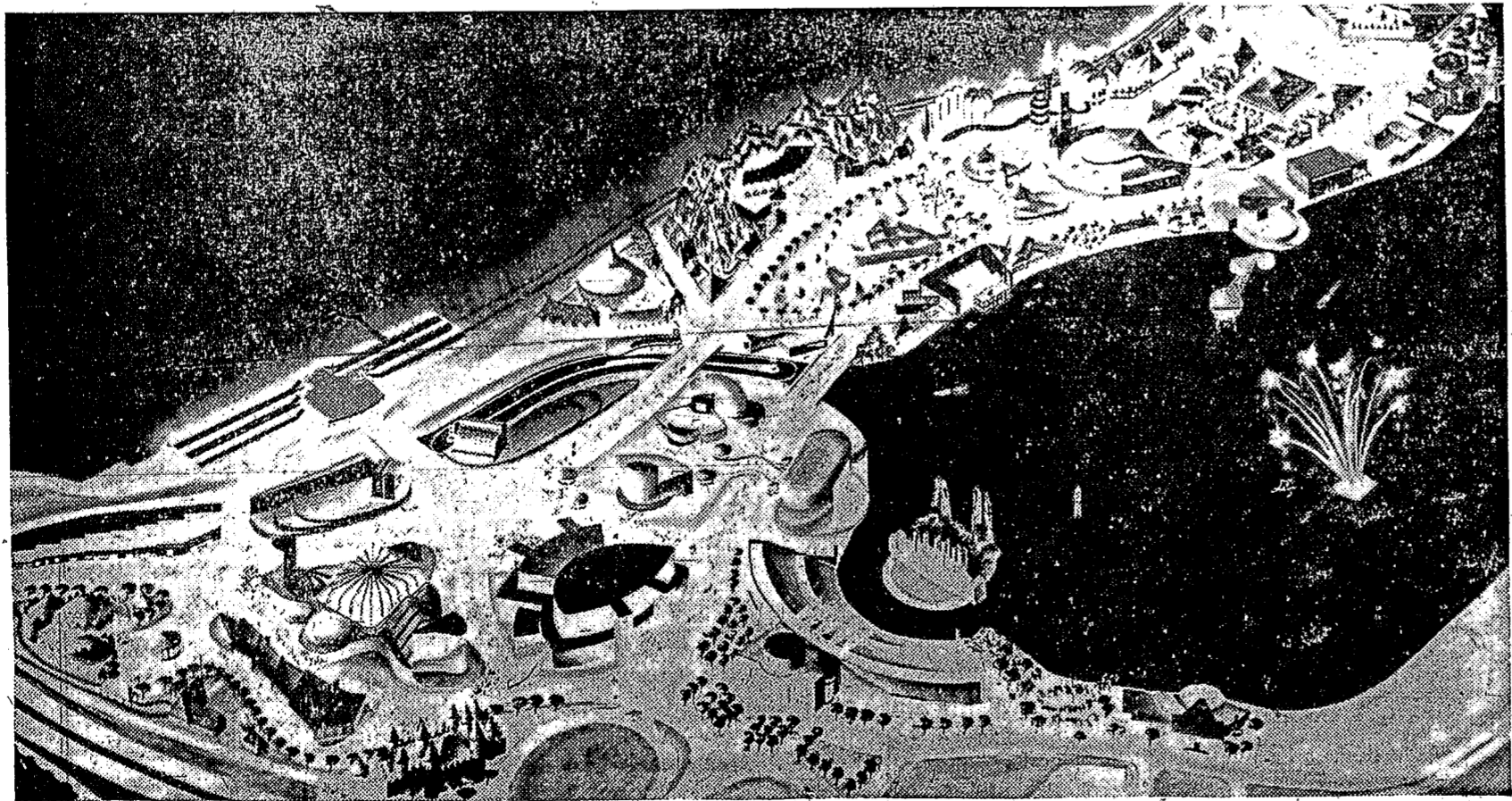
Ronald A. Walter, Atty. for Mortgagee, 1115 Peoples State Bldg., Pontiac, Michigan. Inc. Jan. 28

CLARK J. ADAMS, Attorney, Pontiac Bank Bldg., Pontiac, Mich.

To whom it may concern: Please to Take Notice that on Monday the 31st day of January, 1938, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon, at the office of the Judge of Probate at the Court House in the City of Pontiac, County of Oakland, Michigan, I will make application to the Honorable Judge of Probate in and for said County, to change my name from Norman Tew Freshwater to Norman John Sinclair.

Signed Norman Tew Freshwater A True Copy Leah Koch (Martin) Deputy Register of Probate Pontiac, Michigan, Dec. 13th, 1937 CLARK J. ADAMS, Attorney, Pontiac Bank Bldg., Pontiac, Mich.

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NEW YORK—The largest amusement park in the world, with every conceivable safe and respectable entertainment device and show, will be a part of the New York World's Fair exposition. The 280-acre amusement

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stewart spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stevens of Sashabaw.

Miss Inez Cuthbert of White Lake spent Christmas with Mrs. Elizabeth Rockwell.

Guests at the Durand Ogden home for Christmas were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brigham of Ortonville.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Stamp spent Christmas in Detroit and Ferndale.

Mrs. Anna Fleming enjoyed Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James R. Maybee.

Miss Florence Fiske of Ypsilanti spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Fiske.

Mr. and Mrs. Hawley Skarritt spent Christmas with her parents in Gladwin.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Percival of Andersonville a 9 1/4 lb. son on Wednesday, December 29th at the Mary Green Hospital in Clarkston.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Walter spent Christmas with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Leforge of Ypsilanti. Mrs. Walter remained for a few days and returned to Clarkston on Tuesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller entertained the members of their family at dinner on Christmas. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Miller Jr. and family of Ypsilanti and Miss Margaret Miller of Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Markle had as their guests for Christmas Mrs. Markle's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Houtrow and family of Detroit, also her father, Frank Heath, of North Branch.

Mrs. A. Davies and son, Gerald and daughters, Evelyn and Nancy spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. George Davies and family in Detroit. Stanley Davies returned with them to spend the week in Clarkston.

Mrs. Floyd Andrews spent the first part of the week in Detroit with her mother who is very ill. She spent Tuesday at her home here and expected to return to Detroit on Wednesday as her mother's condition had not improved.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Miller, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Barrows and daughter, Ann, Mrs. Anna Fleming and Mrs. John King will leave early Sunday morning for Braden Castle, Fla., where they will stay for the rest of the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. George Nelsey enjoyed a Christmas dinner last Friday at the home of Mrs. Lunette Fuller in Oxford. On Christmas Day the Nelses were hosts to Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Granger and family of Goodrich. Miss Gertrude Granger who is a student at the Blackburn College in Carlinville, Ill., was among the guests. She is spending her two weeks vacation with her parents in Goodrich. Joyce Granger remained at the Nelsey home for the week.

Callers at the George Nelsey home on Sunday were Clarence Freeman of Mt. Pleasant and his grandson, Clarence Freeman who is attending school in Big Rapids and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wells of Hale, Mich. Many here will be interested in knowing that Miss Ruth Wells' marriage took place on Thursday of last week, and she is making her home in Port Huron. Miss Wells formerly lived in this vicinity and attended the Clarkston school.

Feed Winter Birds Is Appeal of State

That the effort required to arrange a winter feeding station for birds will be more than repaid by the enjoyment they will afford is pointed out by H. D. Ruhl of the department of conservation in urging sportsmen and householders to feed birds wintering in Michigan.

Cooperating with women's organizations and groups of bird lovers in the state, representatives of the department have marked increasing interest in methods of winter bird feeding. "More groups and individuals are finding a source of pleasure in seeing that birds are fed," says Mr. Ruhl. The Advertiser family endorses this movement and knows that it means pleasure, because for years we have had a large feed box on our back porch that is well patronized both summer and winter.

HOLLY THEATRE

Sparkling from start to finish with a merrily romantic story, a group of spectacular dances and captivating Gershwin tunes, Fred Astaire's and Burns and Allen's new starring vehicle, "A Damsel in Distress", opens at the Holly Theatre Friday as a strong contender for top popularity honors of the year.

The story is based on one of P. G. Wodehouse's best-known humorous tales of English life, with Astaire in the role of an American dancer who seeks to rescue a titled British girl from her impending marriage with a man she detests.

Much of the tangle evolves from the conflicting loyalties of the servants, of whom a stately butler and a romantic young page-boy are the most active, while Astaire's press agents endeavor to free him from the affair and get him off to Paris to fill a dancing engagement. And the result is a continuous panic for the audience.

Burns and Allen, as the busy publicists, are at their hilarious best, and Miss Fontaine is both lovely and convincing as the distressed damsel.

The catchy Gershwin songs, Astaire's several spectacular dancing routines, and the picturesque settings, including a huge reproduction of a Tudor castle, are big features of the production.

The long-heralded "Souls at Sea", about which we have been hearing for these many months will arrive at the Holly Theatre Jan. 4, 5 and 6.

"Souls at Sea" is the motion picture treatment of the famous trial of "Nuggin" Taylor, sea captain of the "40's" who assumed command of the brig "William Brown" when that ship caught fire in mid-Atlantic shortly after her master died. Taylor is played by Gary Cooper, who hardly performed as well in any of his long string of credible adventure stories—possibly because he was re-enacting a story from history's pages for the first time.

The "William Brown" was equipped with only two life boats and Taylor realized that he could never bring the entire ship's company to safety in the frail craft. He ordered a trial to determine who should be permitted to go aboard the life boats and who should be ordered—at pistol point—to remain aboard and go to the bottom with the ill-fated vessel. He included himself among the survivors not because he wanted to save his life, he later told an admiralty court, but because he knew he was the only man who could bring the life boats safely through to land.

There followed a trial which is now epic among sea trials. Taylor was accused of manslaughter on the high seas not only by most of the survivors, but what hurt most, by his sweetheart, played by beautiful Frances Dee.

Service to Farmers Is Being Offered

Through the cooperation of the county agricultural agent, K. D. Bailey, and the Michigan State College, farmers in this area will be given an

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opportunity to avail themselves of an important service at a moderate cost. A program for the control of bots and other parasites attacking horses has been arranged. On Friday evening, Jan. 7, at the town hall in Holly, Dr. B. J. Killham, extension specialist on animal diseases at M. S. C., will be here to give a talk. He will explain the plan which he hopes farmers will follow to rid their horses of parasitical pests and which if followed can be made effective at a cost considerably less than would be the case if individuals alone sought relief for their animals. It is an excellent chance for farmers to have their horses come out in the spring in good condition for work instead of being run down and enfeebled by the attack of parasites.

MICHIGAN POETS ARE PUBLICISED

Several Are Honored and Others May Get Recognition

Forty Michigan poets are included in "American Women Poets 1937," the anthology just issued by Henry Harrison, New York poetry publisher. This book, edited by Margery Mansfield, secretary of the Poetry Society of America, and illustrated by Charles Bowman, contains almost 4000 poems by 1628 living poets, hailing from every state in the union.

Detroit is represented by fifteen poets; and other nearby cities are represented by Ana Kelley and Edith Maddy Rittenour, of Flint; Gwendolyn Niles, of Howell; Edith Spaulding, of Eaton Rapids, and Elizabeth Whitney, of Carsonville.

More than 30,000 poems by 8,000 women were submitted for consideration.

On the heels of "American Women Poets 1937", the publisher announces the preparation of "The North American Book of Verse", to be edited by fifty-one poets, with Clifford Allen as editor for Michigan. Mr. Allen is one of the founders of the recently

organized Poetry Society of Michigan, of which he is president. His verse has appeared in numerous magazines and anthologies, among them "Michigan Poets," the contemporary anthology published last year by Mr. Harrison.

All Michigan poets are urged to submit not more than seven poems, published or unpublished, though no poem must have appeared in any other anthology, directly to Mr. Allen, 17593 Hull Avenue, Detroit. A self-addressed, stamped envelope should accompany mss.

The publisher hopes that Michigan will likewise make a favorable showing in three other anthologies he is sponsoring. They are: "Music Unheard", "Eros" and "Sonnets". The first, edited by Margery Mansfield, Monterey, Mass., will contain only hitherto unpublished verse, and prizes of \$100, \$75, \$50 and \$25 will be awarded to the authors of the four best poems, the judges being Henry Goddard Leach, editor of "Forum", Thomas Del Vecchio, editor of "Contemporary American Men Poets", and author of "Singing Flesh", and Mr. Harrison.

"Eros" is being edited by Lucia Trent; it will consist solely of contemporary love poems. "Sonnets," self-explanatory, is being edited by her husband, Ralph Cheyney. Their joint address is 55 Olive Street, Sierra Madre, Calif. All poets are urged to submit not more than seven poems, published or unpublished, for either book.



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	% Looking	% Stopping		% Looking at Display	% Looking at Display
Shoe Store	30.4	12.8	Drug Store	10.0	47.0
Women's Specialty Shop	31.0	12.3	Men's Hats	16.0	30.0
Department Store	53.7	16.2	Women's Specialty Shop	19.9	24.9
Men's Furnishings	33.2	12.4	Men's Ties	30.1	40.2
Hardware Store	39.6	8.7	Department Store	18.8	30.7
Women's Dress Shop	27.5	9.6	Hardware Store	6.8	8.9

Improved lighting attracts more customers

HERE is an interesting table of figures. It is interesting because it applies to YOU. It shows how typical stores—both large and small—have used better lighting to attract more customers and increase sales. What these stores have done, YOU can do.

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