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COMMENT AND CRITICISM

Two financiers were discussing the sale of the old school house site. As you know this parcel of land, situate on North Main St., in the Village of Clarkston, County of Oakland and State of Michigan, has a frontage of 165 feet and extends eastwards something over six hundred feet to Parke Lake. The one suggested that the frontage would make two lots better than 80 feet wide and say the lots extended 200 feet in depth. This would leave a part of the lot 165 by 400 feet, without any frontage. Then they decided they would buy a lot on the South side of Robertson Court and make it a street by which one could enter this large area. If the proper lot could be purchased it would allow the lot to be cut into two lots 165 by 200. In other words four lots that would probably bring twice the amount of the present bid. But my pal only had 65 cents while my bank roll totaled 23 cents so we decided maybe the board better take the best offer they could get.

Many in Vicinity Enjoy Tobogganing

Richard and Donald Tee Are Hosts

A week ago last Wednesday Richard and Donald Tee entertained a group of their friends at a Toboggan Party and Weenie Roast at their home on M 15.

The weather was ideal and the hill was just perfect for sliding and everyone had a fine time. After tobogganing the group enjoyed a weenie roast and you may be sure they were all ready for the warm food and everyone ate heartily.

The guests included: Arlene McCann, Charlotte Sue Miller, Marion Chamberlain, King McIntyre, Howard Boyne, Mary Buck, Clifford Bennett, Milton Fiske, Chester Adams, Richard Craven and Sally Herron and Jack Graham of Detroit.

Royal Neighbors Met Wednesday

Mrs. Percy Craven Was Hostess

On Wednesday the Royal Neighbors met at the home of Mrs. Percy Craven with about twenty present. A lovely pot-luck dinner was served at noon and the afternoon was devoted to the regular business meeting and the installation of the new officers.

Mrs. Percy Craven acted as installing officer, and Mrs. Frank Leonard was the ceremonial marshal. Gifts were presented to the officers of last year.

The group decided to organize a get-together sewing-club. All members are invited to join. This club will be entertained at the home of Mrs. William Kyle on January 26. The next regular meeting of the Royal Neighbors will be at the home of Mrs. Fred Kennedy on February 9th.

Clarkston Locals

Mr. and Mrs. George Slayton had as their dinner guests on Thursday evening Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linabury of Pontiac.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Emery Clark a 5 1/2 lb. daughter, Maureen Janice, on Sunday, Jan., 9th at the Mary E. Green Maternity home.

Mr. and Mrs. William Baldwin spent Sunday in Holly with Mrs. Baldwin's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kent of Detroit spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Belitz.

Mrs. Durand Ogden spent a few days this week with relatives and friends in Detroit.

Mrs. L. I. Coon spent Wednesday in Detroit and she expects to attend a party there on Friday afternoon.

The Progressive Class of the Clarkston M. E. Sunday School met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orlo Willoughby on Wednesday evening. There was a small attendance on account of the stormy weather. However plans were started for a bake sale to be held soon and a pot-luck supper to be held in February. Members are asked to watch for the dates.

Plan to Dine Next Wednesday

Dinner Will Be Served at Clarkston M. E. Church

The Ladies' Aid of the Clarkston M. E. Church will serve dinner at the Church next Wednesday evening starting at six o'clock. The committee in charge had a meeting on Tuesday afternoon and planned the menu, as follows: roast beef, mashed potatoes, brown gravy, escalloped corn, molded salad, rolls, cherry pie and coffee.

In February the Aid is planning a Valentine Tea and experience social at the Church on the 9th. There will be no charge but those who care to, whether they are members of the society or not, may donate a dollar. Experiences will be related during the afternoon and a good program is being arranged. All members and their friends are invited to attend and take part.

The Aid is supplying the church with new dishes and replenishing the kitchen. This act will be greatly appreciated by the organizations in the church and Sunday School as serving dinners will not be such a heavy task.

Sadness Visits Guy Allen Home

Services for Mrs. Effie Hagemester Were Held on Tuesday Afternoon

Sadness visited the home of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Allen on Sunday morning when her mother, Mrs. Effie Hagemester, who was visiting with them, passed away.

The body was removed to the home in Leonard on Sunday and funeral services were held on Tuesday.

Mrs. Hagemester was born at Lakeville, February 28, 1866. She had lived near Leonard almost her entire life and was a member of the Leonard M. P. Church and the Leonard Women's Club.

She is survived by three children, Mrs. Guy Allen of Clarkston, Mrs. Bessie Howard of Thomas and Harry Curtis of Leonard and two sisters, Mrs. Hattie Rogers of Detroit and Mrs. Nettie Montross of Leonard.

Churches

CLARKSTON METHODIST CHURCH

C. E. Edwards, Pastor
Sunday, Jan. 16, 1938:
10:30, Worship and sermon. Subject: "Unity in Diversity".
11:30 Church school. Lewis Warden, superintendent.

There will be no meeting of the Epworth League this evening as most of our young folk are attending the Mid-winter League Institute at Flint. Reports of the Institute will be made next Sunday eve.

Wednesday, the Aid will serve dinner in the Church parlors beginning at 6:00. The public is invited to attend. Mrs. Fred Stewart's Division will be in charge and a fine menu has been planned.

The committee appointed to purchase new dishes and silver for the Aid have completed their task, and a complete service for 150 persons, together with other needed kitchen equipment, has been secured. It is planned to remodel the tables in the near future making possible a more pleasing and convenient arrangement of the dining room.

CLARKSTON BAPTIST CHURCH

10:00 a. m. Church service. There will be a visiting pastor.
11:30 Sunday School.

SEYMOUR LAKE METHODIST CHURCH

10:00 Sunday school session in the Community house. There will be no preaching service until March.

The Aid will meet and serve dinner regularly on the second Wednesday of each month. Miss Ellen Beardsley is the President.

WATERFORD CHURCH

Sunday School at 10:15—superintendent, H. B. Mehlberg.
Church Service at 11:15. Rev. S. M. McFalls will bring the message.

The Pilgrim Progress slides will be shown on Sunday evening, Jan. 23rd. Rev. McFalls will have charge of the meeting.

Meeting to Sell School Adjourned

Sealed Bids Will Be Asked for to Consider Fair Price

The school meeting which was called Tuesday to consider the proposed bid for the old school was adjourned after it was decided to secure sealed bids to see if the offer could be increased by anyone else.

Mr. Irish had offered \$2,800 for the property as it stands. While it was the opinion of some that the bid was too low it was hard to deny that the property was costing the tax payers money for insurance and that the property was not producing any taxes.

This reporter was much impressed by one statement by Mr. Irish, around which a long editorial could be written. Namely: "We have had hard times for seven or eight years. It is about time to consider such times normal and start out from here."

Stockholders Hold Annual Meeting

Directors Hold Meeting and Re-elect Officers

The Annual meeting of the Clarkston State Bank, was held Tuesday at which time the old directors were re-elected and the annual report to stockholders was read showing a good increase in assets and earnings.

Afterwards the directors elected officers, resulting in the re-election and appointments of the present officers.

During the year the banking quarters had been enlarged to care for the ever increasing business. A prosperous bank makes a strong bank, the best asset a community can have.

Clarkston Locals

Mrs. E. Cone of Pontiac spent Wednesday in Clarkston visiting friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Davies and Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Walter and son, Manley, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. James VanEvery in Detroit.

Mrs. Guy Walter will spend an interesting few weeks in Pontiac serving on the Jury. She started her duties on Monday.

Although traffic usually moves slower in winter time yet accidents do occur. Among those injured in a car accident last Saturday night at Dixie Highway and Telegraph Road and were released after receiving first aid treatment were Karen Schem of Clarkston, Harley Feree of Drayton Plains and Nathan Coleman of Dixie Highway, Drayton Plains.

Even those who migrate to Florida when the cold blasts reach Clarkston get a taste of some cold weather. Word was received here from the Dave Miller party saying they reached Braden Castle on Thursday of last week and the day the card was written it was raining and hailing there. However one good thing about the south is that the cold spells never last more than a few hours.

Drayton Hatchery Work Continues Through Winter

Work which will benefit both the public and the fish at several of the state's hatcheries is now underway and will be continued through the winter.

At the Paris hatchery, a stopping off place for hundreds of tourists and other visitors every summer, a new heating plant is being installed and buildings are being remodeled and repaired. One old structure which has served as the food room and workshop is being eliminated. New facilities for the public also are being provided.

At the Drayton Plains hatchery, a pond system is under construction and work is being continued through the winter in the hope of completing the project by the spring season.

Buildings at the Thompson hatchery in Schoolcraft county are being repaired and the pond system is being extended. Similar work is being done at the hatcheries at Marquette and Grayling and at the Eckerman and Fox river trout rearing stations, while a wall-eyed pike hatchery is being built on Lake Gogebic.

BASKETBALL GAMES TONIGHT

CLARKSTON VS. WALLED LAKE HERE

C. H. S. GYM 7:30

Clarkston P. T. A. To Meet Wednesday

Dr. W. Quinlan to Be the Guest Speaker

Mothers and fathers of Clarkston, did you include in your New Year's resolutions one that said "I will attend the P. T. A. meetings and show that I have an interest in the place where my children are receiving a good grounding for the future."? It is not too late. Next Wednesday evening at 7:30 the Clarkston P. T. A. will hold the first meeting for this year and the new officers need the support of every parent and teacher. Make an effort to be present.

The guest speaker will be Dr. W. Quinlan who will speak on "Dental Hygiene". This dental project is being sponsored by the Children's Fund of Michigan and Dr. Quinlan is working throughout Oakland County.

The P. T. A. president, James Bennett has appointed the following committees: Program, chairman Robert Waters, Mrs. Kenneth Hempstead; Mrs. Mallory Stickney, Mrs. James Hubbard, Mrs. Howard Huttenlocher, Mrs. Louis Durand, Mrs. Orlo Willoughby and Ralph Thayer; Finance Committee, chairman Mrs. William Shotka, Mrs. Robert Waters, Miss Alice Wade, Mrs. Ronald Walter, Mrs. William Vliet, Miss Betty Elzinga, Ronald Walter and Orlo Willoughby; Refreshment committee, chairman, Mrs. Warren Strait, Mrs. Earl Terry, Mrs. Ben Comstock, Mrs. Bert Denham, Mrs. Arthur Beardsley, Mrs. Elizabeth Ronk, Mrs. John Shaughnessy, Mrs. Emily Beardslee, Mrs. Louis Borst, Mrs. Fred Kennedy and Mrs. Joseph Skinner.

Jo Ann Shotka Is Five Years Old

The Event Was Celebrated January 7th

On Friday afternoon from 3:30 until 6:00 Mrs. William Shotka honored her little daughter, JoAnn, on her fifth birthday by entertaining a number of her little friends.

Shortly after the guests arrived the movie-man in the person of little Jimmy Fuller arrived with his movie machine and for more than an hour the children enjoyed the Mickey Mouse and Katz pictures. Of course Jimmy was one of the guests and he was not only pleased but was quite proud to operate his movie machine for the rest of the group.

At five o'clock a birthday dinner was served at a table over which was a beautiful rainbow. At one end of the rainbow was Little Bo-peep and at the other was Little Boy Blue. At the end of the rainbow were table gifts for each child. Pretty colored streamers ran from the rainbow to the place-cards. The children were quite excited when they saw the attractive table and were thrilled when they spied the individual birthday cakes, with candles for each to blow out.

Jo Ann was a very happy child and she received many pretty gifts. The guests included Doris Boyne, Ruth Davies, Jimmy Fuller, Helen Dean, Marion Skinner, Eddie Olson, Bobby Olson, Carolyn Waterbury, Marie Bennett, Tommy Bullen and Neil Shotka.

Past Matron's Club Holds Regular Meeting

Mrs. L. I. Coon Is Hostess

The Past Matron's Club met at the home of Mrs. L. I. Coon on Wednesday evening. Considering the terrible weather there was a fairly good attendance.

A short business meeting was held and then the group had a good time playing Keno. Mrs. Percy Craven seemed to be the lucky player.

At the close of the evening dainty refreshments were served.

General sewing and dressmaking. Alterations; quality work at reasonable prices. Mrs. Ralph Thayer, 6572 Church street, Clarkston.

Mrs. John Wager Passed Away Tuesday

Funeral Will Be Held at Remus on Friday Afternoon

Word was received here that Mrs. John Wager of Remus, Mich., formerly of Waterford passed away at Ann Arbor on Tuesday. Mrs. Wager was well known in and around Clarkston.

She is survived by her husband, two sons and one daughter of Remus, a daughter, Mrs. Ernest Chappell, of Ypsilanti and two sisters, Mrs. Rena Thompson of Highland and Mrs. Wirt Bradley of Brighton.

Funeral services will be held at Remus on Friday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Beardslee, very close friends of the Wagers, went to Remus on Thursday to be with the family and attend the funeral.

John H. Elliott Dies in Alberta

Word was received here by George Elliott of the death of his father, John H. Elliott, 89 years old, at his home in Irma, Alberta on Jan. 8th. Last winter Mr. George Elliott went to Alberta and spent sometime with his father and was there for his eighty-ninth birthday on March 1st. Other survivors are his wife, another son, Richard Elliott of Royal Oak and three daughters, Mary Elliott of Irma, Mrs. A. R. Pennock of Edmonds, Washington and Mrs. F. G. Mapley of Pontiac.

Coming Events

Jan. 14th—Friday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock Mr. Paul Krone, specialist in Floriculture, Michigan State College, will speak at the Board of Commerce in Pontiac on the subject "Planning your Flower Garden". This is the first of a series of three lectures which he will give in the County on this subject. Lectures are open to anyone interested in growing flowers.

Jan., 14th—Friday night at 7:00 o'clock the members of Campbell Richmond-Post No. 63 of the American Legion will meet at the Legion Hall and enjoy an oyster supper and social hour.

Jan., 14th—Friday evening—the Drayton Plains Men's Club will sponsor a dance in the Drayton School auditorium. You are invited. A good time is promised.

Jan. 14th—Friday evening there will be a Penny Supper served at the Waterford Church. The Dixie Ann Circle will have charge. A very fine meal is promised. Everybody is invited to attend.

Jan. 15th—Saturday—the Ladies' Aid of the Drayton Plains United Presbyterian Church will sponsor a Sale of Baked Goods at the Keego Hardware Store on the Dixie in Drayton. The sale will start at 9:00 a. m.

Jan., 18th—The Clarkston Literary Club will meet with Mrs. Lucy King and Mrs. Archie McIntyre.

Jan., 18th—Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 the republican Women's Federation of Oakland County will meet at the Board of Commerce in Pontiac. State Senator Miller Dunckel of Three Rivers will be the speaker. There will also be a musical program. Men are invited.

Jan., 18th—Tuesday evening the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion will hold the regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Lyman Girst in Waterford. All members are urged to be present.

Jan., 19th—Wednesday evening—the Ladies' Aid of the Clarkston M. E. Church will serve a dinner at the church starting at 6:00 o'clock. Mrs. Fred Stewart's division is in charge.

Jan., 19th—Wednesday evening—the Clarkston P. T. A. will meet at the school for the first meeting of the year. The members are urged to attend. A fine program is being planned.

Jan., 25th—Tuesday evening at 7:30 the Clarkston Choral Club will meet at the school. This is the first meeting for this season and the members are asked to note the change in nights for this meeting only. Every member is urged to attend. The new music will be ready. Anyone interested in singing is asked to be present.

A REVIEW OF 1937

(continued from last week)

July 1—Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Walter celebrated their thirty-fifth wedding anniversary.

July 2—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Ballek of Drayton Plains a 6-lb. boy, Byron George.

July 4—John Dawson of Detroit was drawn in Cemetery Lake.

The entire cabinet of the Clarkston Epworth League left to attend the Institute in Albion.

July 5—The Miller twins, Inez Mae and Byron, celebrated their twelfth birthday.

The 7th Walter reunion was held at Cranberry Lake.

July 7—Miss Hilda Barnett was honored at a linen shower at the home of Mrs. Edward Sugar.

The Clarkston State Bank was made a member of the Federal Reserve System.

July 8—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Collins a 10 lb. daughter, Carol Ann.

July 9—Mr. and Mrs. George D. King celebrated their thirtieth wedding anniversary.

The Junior Auxiliary of the American Legion enjoyed a Splash Party at Williams Lake.

July 12—The annual school meetings were held in Drayton Plains, Waterford and Clarkston.

July 16—The marriage of Miss Arlene Anthony of Pontiac and Allison Holcomb of Clarkston took place in Pontiac.

July 19—Eugene and Robert Hubbard were hosts to the Oak Hill 4H Club at a Weenie Roast.

July 20—Mrs. Frederick Thomas was honored at a personal shower by Miss Elaine Marshall.

Elmer Collins was elected Commander of the Campbell Richmond Post No. 63 of the American Legion.

July 24—Miss Dorothy E. Krenz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Krenz of Detroit became the bride of Norman J. Ellis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Glen N. Ellis of Springfield.

August 1—The Byron Beardslee family held the second annual reunion at the Beardslee cottage at Big Fish Lake.

August 2—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Gillette Warden, a 6 1/2 lb. son, Leon Clark.

August 3—Clarence K. Phillips passed away in the Pontiac General Hospital.

Billy Kanold, son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Kanold celebrated his fifth birthday.

August 4—Mrs. Carl MacArthur (Gladys Gundry) was honored by Mrs. Edward Larson at a bath-room and apron shower.

August 7—The Waterford School Reunion was held at the schoolhouse. Miss Margaret Louise Grant of Detroit became the bride of LeRoy LaMountain, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. J. LaMountain of Clarkston.

August 10—Mrs. Louella DeWar passed away in the hospital at Lansing.

August 13—The Clarkston Station School held its annual reunion.

August 14—The 15th annual Freeman Reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Nelsey.

August 18—The annual Seymour Lake homecoming was held at the Community House.

August 20—Mr. and Mrs. Harry Miller of Seymour Lake celebrated their 25th wedding anniversary.

August 21—The 42nd annual reunion of the Asa Loren Kelley family was held at Ed. Halstead's farm at Oak Hill.

August 22—The Gulick family held its first reunion at the Ortonville State Park.

August 25—The Clarkston State Bank moved into enlarged quarters.

August 28—The Mehlberg reunion was held at the Herman Hibner home near Clarkston.

The Oak Hill school held a reunion at the schoolhouse.

August 29—The Johnson family held its 22nd annual reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Coon.

September 4—The Jones reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Jones.

September 7—All schools opened for enrollment.

Changes are made in Village Council. T. L. Parker and Irving Ronk resign. Mrs. William Baldwin and Howard Huttenlocher are appointed.

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Waterford

Twin sisters, Mrs. Emeline Hurd and Mrs. Elizabeth Britton of Hatfield Drive celebrated their birthdays on January 8th. 74 candles graced each birthday cake. Their home was

kept busy Saturday with friends and relatives calling to extend best wishes. Mrs. Hurd and Mrs. Britton are active members of the Waterford Ladies' Auxiliary, the Willing Workers Circle and the Waterford Community Church. They have a very wide circle of friends which was evidenced by the many pretty gifts they each received.

The Waterford Bible Class held its January meeting on Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Meyers with Miss Ethel VanSyckle assisting. There were twenty-one present. The meeting was conducted by the president, Rev. Howard Jewell. Group singing was enjoyed and then prayer was offered by Henry Mehlberg. The Roll Call was answered with verses expressing "Comfort". The treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of \$28.50. At the February meeting the Roll Call will be answered with a Bible verse on "Honor". The place of meeting will be announced later. The president will prepare a list of questions to be answered by the class at the February meeting. The lesson from the first chapter of 2nd Corinthians was led by H. B. Mehlberg. Games arranged by Mrs. A. Wyckoff and Mrs. James Saylor were then enjoyed. Refreshments were served at the close of the evening.

The January meeting of the Ladies' Auxiliary was held in the church parlors on Thursday of last week. There were 24 present. The hostesses were Mrs. Isabella Dryden, Mrs. Otto Duquid and Mrs. Lovell Spalding. The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. P. L. McLaughlin. The meeting opened with a song led by Mrs. Charles Roehm. Mrs. E. D. Spooner led in prayer. The Roll Call was responded to with suggestions for improvement of the Auxiliary for the year. The membership contest closed with Mrs. Emeline Hurd's group standing first; Mrs. Arthur Babb's 2nd; Mrs. John Meyer's 3rd; and Mrs. Isabella Dryden's 4th. Plans were completed for the Penny Supper on Jan. 14th. The Dixie Ann circle will serve. The circle voted to finish decorating the church parlor. The men will do the work this month. The committee for the February meeting will be Mrs. A. W. Emery, Mrs. John Gillespie and

Mrs. William Hunt. A new member, Mrs. E. Farris, was added to the Roll.

At the Sunday morning session of the Waterford Sunday School the annual business meeting was held and election of officers took place. The Sunday School finished the year with a balance of over \$80.00 and the Christmas fund showed a balance of \$6.25. The nominating committee, Joseph Helman, Mrs. Lyman Girst and Mrs. Ainsworth Wyckoff, submitted their report and the following officers were elected: president, H. B. Mehlberg; vice presidents, Donald Williams and Mrs. John Miller; secretaries, Miss Eleanor Mehlberg and Miss June Harris; treasurer, Miss Anita Harris; pianist, Miss Mary Louise Buck; flower committee, Mrs. Henri Buck and Mrs. H. B. Mehlberg.

Mrs. Walter Kuhn is seriously ill at the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Spooner were Sunday guests of Mrs. William Stevens and family of Watkins Lake.

Rev. Howard Jewell and mother, Mrs. Eli Lennex, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jewell of Auburn Heights.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Miller of Pontiac spent Sunday with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Miller.

The Willing Workers Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Lovell Spalding on Friday evening with Mrs. Pratt as hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Spooner left on Wednesday morning for Florida where they will stay for the remainder of the winter. They went by way of South Bend, Ind., where they intended to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Dalton. They expect to spend most of their time in Eustis and St. Petersburg.

Mrs. Henri Buck, president of the Dixie Ann Circle has appointed the committees for the Penny Supper on Friday evening, Jan. 14th as follows: Menu, Mrs. Buck, chairman, Mrs. Wm. Hunt, Mrs. James Saylor, and Mrs. A. D. Smith; Dining-room, Mrs. H. B. Mehlberg, Mrs. Bessie Owen,

Mrs. John Gillespie, Mrs. John Meyers and Mrs. Arthur Babbs; Dining-room helpers, Misses Katherine and Barbara Roehm; Ice-cream, Miss Elaine Dorman; desserts, Misses Eleanor Mehlberg and June Harris.

Waterford School News

First Grade:
 We have three narcissus bulbs in our room. We planted them in a pretty bowl with water and stones. They are growing fast and each has several green leaves.

Our January border is going to be of puppy dogs sliding down hill and making snow balls. We are going to dress them in very brightly colored snow suits.

Second Grade:
 Mrs. Sutphen visited the Second Grade Monday afternoon.

The following children have been ill: Frances Dailey, Joe Sutton.

Third Grade:
 The Third Grade have made calendars for January on which they record the weather each day.

Some very interesting stories about "A Visit to the Farm" were read in language class.

Fifth Grade:
 The Fifth Grade Geography Class are studying the western states.

Special reports have been given on national parks and The Grand Canyon.

High School Grades:
 The High School Grades are planning a skating party for Friday night at Lake Orion.

Both the girls' second team and the boys' team played against the teams of Drayton Tuesday night. The results: Girls from 2nd Team Waterford won with score 4-2. 1st team Boys lost with score 29-10.

Phyllis Babcock has left for Miami, Florida to spend the winter.

Drayton Plains

On Tuesday evening a very interesting P. T. A. meeting was held at the school. It was Men's Night and the men certainly excelled themselves

by presenting a fine program. Kirby Milleur was in charge of the meeting. The main feature of the evening was the presentation of family hobbies by the Men's Club with Glenn Nykirk as chairman. Some very fine wood carving and a valuable stamp collection were on display. Herbert Watson, scout executive of the Clinton Valley District gave a short talk on hobbies in relation to the home. A male quartet from Pontiac presented several vocal numbers.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Chamberlain a daughter on Friday, January 7th.

The Women's Missionary Society met on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Oliver Seibert. Mrs. Blanche Smith was the leader.

The ice on Silver Lake was perfect

last Friday night as far as the Sea Scouts were concerned. They enjoyed a skating party and then as a fine climax to a lovely evening they were served refreshments at the home of L. C. Sutton.

Work at the Drayton Plains Fish Hatchery is being carried on during the winter and about 75% of the project is completed. In addition to the rearing ponds are a new hatchery and residence for the superintendent now completed. The hatchery is a wooden two-story building. Inside, among other things, is an aquarium to show all species of Michigan fish. This will be ready for public visitation in about a month.


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The Hilltopper

Keego Harbor Ekes Out Victory Over Clarkston

A highly touted and experienced Keego team, with a string of overwhelming victories to its credit, was only able to win over the local lads by a four-point margin in a closely matched contest whose final score was unpredictable until the very end of the game. The game was played on Friday, January 7, at Keego before an enthusiastic crowd that included a large group from Clarkston. At times it looked as though it would result in a Clarkston victory for each of the boys played a good game, all of the regulars scored, and all were in there fighting. The first half ended with Clarkston leading 11-10.

Box Score

	FG	FT	PF	TP
McIntyre, F.	2	0	1	4
Yost, F.	1	2	1	3
Clark, C.	1	1	2	3
Adams, C.	0	0	0	0
Boys, G.	1	0	1	2
Tee, G.	0	0	0	0
Addis, G.	1	0	1	2

Second Team Game

The second team held its own during the first half which ended with a score of 7-10 in favor of Keego. In the last half the boys fell behind, getting only an additional 4 points to 28 for Keego, the latter winning the game by the score of 38 to 11.

Safety Patrol

A newly organized safety patrol began its duties this week. Boys from the fifth through the eighth grades volunteered their services for the patrol. The group will direct school children across the streets in the interest of safety but they will not interfere with traffic in anyway. Richard Baird has been honored by being selected as captain of the patrol. Lieutenants who will aid him are Stanley Perrin, La Verne Hoyt and Edward Ross.

The success of the safety patrol depends on the cooperation which the older students and the adults give to the boys who have volunteered their services in this work. It is hoped that they will set the best possible example for the younger children.

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB

The Photography club voted to extend its membership to any one in the high school who wishes to join. The group is learning to develop their own negatives and to print their own pictures from the negatives. At the present the members are working on pictures to enter in a snapshot contest which ends this week.

If any student is interested in joining this club, Bettieann Comstock, Charles Perry or Chester Adams will be glad to tell you all about the club and its regulations.

INTERCLASS BASKETBALL

The Senior girls have been most successful in their games. Since we last went to press they have won two victories over the Juniors, one by a score of 18-7 and the other by a score of 23-8. They overwhelmed the Sophomores by a score of 23-0. A great part of their success is due to two girls who have had Varsity experience—Violet Coy and Marie Alander. Several other members of the team have considerable experience and these facts coupled with a fighting spirit have gained them victories. It has been interesting to note that in more of the games the underclassmen have been handicapped by a lack of good forwards. Arlene McCann, a Junior with more experience than most of the girls, has shown up well in play.

The Junior boys were out to take the Senior boys in their game last week but they failed to carry out their best intentions and came out on the very small end of the 18-3 score. As in the case of the Senior girls, the experience of the Senior boys gives them a decided advantage. Walker and Lawson are decided assets to the Seniors. No field goal has been scored against the Senior boys as yet.

FROM THE CLASSROOMS

As the semester end nears all the classes are completing their work in preparation for exams. Reviews will begin soon in many classes. The schedule for exams has been changed this year. The examination schedule will go into effect at noon on Wednesday, January 26 and will continue through Friday. Each class will last one hour and a half or double the time of the usual class period.

Mrs. Walter

The English Literature class has been studying some interesting material on the development of the novel. Along with other prose of the period they have read the Earl of Chesterfield's letter to his son in which he set forth "A Correct View of Women". This letter aroused an interesting discussion.

A study of the Protestant Revolt in Medieval Times has enabled many of the Sophomores to learn the differences in beliefs of the various church sects.

GRADE NEWS

Mrs. Beardslee's Room
During the month of January, our boys and girls are studying about the frozen North, the land of the Eskimos, and also the land of the South Pole, the home of the penguins. Our Art work is correlated with this study and we have made snowflakes, winter landscapes, snowmen and penguins from free-hand paper cuttings.

As an outgrowth of our study of the Polar Regions, we are making soap carvings of polar bears and an Eskimo village in our sand-table.

We are learning a number of pretty songs about snow, skating and the New Year.

Miss Elzinga's Room

The Sixth grade have completed their study of the Romans and the Roman Empire and are now starting the study of the Barbarians of Central and Western Europe.

We have finished the study of Australia and New Zealand, thus completing our unit on the British Empire. We are planning to review in preparation for semester tests.

The students colored outline maps of Australia.

The students are doing pencil sketches in art class. They plan to make a complete book of their drawings.

Those pupils who have received all gold stars on their Health Chart are: Wilbur Adams, Alvin Beardslee, Josephine McKlesky, Donald Miller, Marilyn Molter and Billy Radovey.

Miss Wade's Room

Last week we had a toy and doll day. The children brought their favorite toys and dolls.

How we enjoy our new Primers! Nancy, Billy, and Happy, their dogs, are the new friends that we have met already.

In our aquarium there are snails and two new goldfish. We call the fish "Gold" and "Goldie".

Our puppet theater is a new experience for us. We have decorated the stage and made the characters for our first play, "We Three Billy Goats Gruff." Later we will stage an original play.

Our room is decorated with many winter scenes. We have a large chalk drawing of Bunny Rabbit learning to walk on his new snowshoes. He isn't progressing very rapidly however, for the surprised expression on his face is the result of a tumble in the snow. Brown Bear, his playmate, is sliding down hill on the new red sled that Santa brought him.

On the front board is a black and white border depicting the many winter sports for children. These are original free hand drawings.

Of course, we have many fat snowmen about the room.

FEATURES

Arlene's tobogganing party caused many an upperclassman to limp around school on Monday.

In keeping with the renewed surge of school spirit an extra large crowd of Clarkstonites accompanied the team to the Keego game.

Simile: As rare as a vacant Friday night on the school calendar.

Just as a suggestion: let's sing our new school song more often.

Last Friday afternoon an assembly was held to announce our new school paper the "Clarkstonian". This is intended to supplement, not take the place of, "The Hilltopper".

A few of the girls can stand their ground and not budge an inch while playing in those Basketball games during the noon period. Susie Lowrie and the Sommers girls are outstanding in this respect.

We hear rumors of an all school party to be sponsored by the Seniors. Swell idea!!

Several of the faculty members enjoyed an illustrated lecture on the Oberammergau Passion Play by Anton Lang Jr. on Monday night. The lecture was given at the Royal Oak Senior High School Auditorium as a part of the Oakland County Teachers' Institute.

Looking ahead on the school calendar we find that a school operetta will be presented on March 11 and that the Junior play will come on April 1.

LEGAL NOTICES

Ronald A. Walter, Attorney, 115 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 Registrar 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, 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 proceeding 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 given that by 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 Saginaw 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 4 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, 115 Peoples State Bldg., Pontiac, Michigan.

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, 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 herein be taken as confessed by said defendant. 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 the 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 D. ALLEN, County Clerk.
By: FRANCES BROWN, Deputy.

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
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Clarkston Locals

Mrs. Dorothy Parnall and family will spend the winter with her father, Mrs. Clark Miller, and little daughter Sally Joan expect to return home from Goodrich hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Jones and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Solley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendal Crosby spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Mann.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brogman spent Sunday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Allen Secord.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett went to Caro on Sunday to attend the funeral of an aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Hooker and Stanley Bliss of Milan were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Slayton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Starring have returned to their home on Orion Road after spending a few weeks in Detroit with their son and his family.

Little Bobby Pritchard, who has been spending the last month with his grandparents in the Methodist parsonage, will return to his home in Detroit this week.

Several of our Clarkston families are planning to hitch up old Dobbin to the sleigh—or should we say Trailer—and journey to the south land this coming week.

Mrs. Z. M. Ramsey planned on leaving this week for a warmer climate. Like many Clarkston folk she expects to enjoy the southern sunshine.

Miss Harriett Laidlaw of Detroit spent the week-end with her uncle, Homer Lowrie and family. Donna Lowrie also enjoyed the week-end at her home here.

Mrs. John DeLind entertained on Saturday afternoon honoring Mrs. Charles Robinson and Mrs. Hawley Skarritt was hostess to a number of her friends honoring Mrs. Jack Chisholm.

E. J. Miller is now at his home on Holcomb Street after spending the last several weeks at the Elizabeth Rockwell Hospital. Mr. Miller is recovering nicely and hopes to be back to health long before the robins return.

On Tuesday Mrs. G. D. King entertained a group of friends at an afternoon tea and bridge party. Two tables were in play during the afternoon with the honors going to Miss Viola Alger and Mrs. C. G. Waterbury.

Mrs. James Alfred Hubbard entertained the members of her mother's bridge club at her home on Tuesday. A lovely luncheon was served at one o'clock and during the afternoon many interesting bridge games were played. The awards went to Mrs. L. F. Walter and Mrs. Milan Vliet.

Mrs. A. B. Wompole left for her parent's home in California on Sunday. She expected to arrive there on Tuesday morning. She had received word that her father was ill. Just before going to press word was received from Mrs. Wompole saying she arrived there O. K. and her father's condition was improved.

What might be called a "Best Wishes" party is being planned by a Clarkston group who intends to have a pot-luck dinner at the Lee M. Clark home on Holcomb Street. If the weather is favorable skating might be the pastime for the most daring of the crowd. However a fine evening is

being planned to enable the friends of Mr. Clark to wish him well on his new business venture.

A REVIEW OF 1937

(Continued from page one)
September 11—B. A. Whipple, father of Edw. D. Whipple of Clarkston, passed away in the University Hospital in Ann Arbor.

September 12—Mr. and Mrs. William Belitz celebrated their 37th wedding anniversary.

September 14—Mrs. Flora Netting, a sister of Butler and Fred Holcomb of Clarkston, passed away at her home in Detroit.

Mrs. Sarah Linabury of Clarkston passed away in the St. Joseph Mercy Hospital in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Irving Ronk and family moved to Lansing.

September 18—Mr. and Mrs. Percy King of Waterford celebrated their 36th wedding anniversary.

The P. W. Flynn and the Jack Chisholms were injured in an automobile accident on Livernois Ave., in Detroit.

September 20—The Clarkston Choral Club had its first meeting for the season at the H. W. Huttenlocher home. Orlo Willoughby, the new director, was introduced.

September 21—Mrs. Lyman Girst of Waterford was elected President of the Ladies' Auxiliary of the American Legion.

September 23—Mr. and Mrs. Birdsell Corless (Helen Cheeseman) of Valdosta, Ga., announced the birth of a son, William Wayne.

September 27—Mrs. Harriett Petty passed away at her home on Orion Road.

The Clarkston Choral Club held its first rehearsal for the season.

September 29—The Clarkston P. T. A. cleared about fifty dollars at a Penny Supper served in the school auditorium.

October 1—Born to Mr. and Mrs. David Cell of Detroit a son, John Robert.

October 3—Walter Weston of Clarkston was killed in an automobile

LEGAL NOTICES

Advertisement for bids for purchase of real estate, hereinafter described, owned by School District No. 3 Fractional, Independence and Springfield Township, Oakland County, Michigan.

Public notice is hereby given by the Board of Education of School District No. 3 Fractional, Independence and Springfield Townships, Oakland County, Michigan, that sealed proposals will be received by said Board of Education on or before the 25th day of January, 1938, at the hour of Eight O'clock, P. M., for the purpose of buying property designated as the "Old School House Property", which property is located in the Village of Clarkston, Oakland County, Michigan, and further described as: Commencing at the Southwest corner of land owned by James R. Vliet on the West half of the Southeast quarter of Section 20, in Town 4 North, Range 9 East, thence South 10 Rods, from thence East to Park Lake, from thence in a North-easterly direction along the water's edge of said lake to a point directly East of the starting point, from thence West to the place of beginning.

All proposals shall be opened on the 25th day of January 1938, at the hour of Eight O'clock, P. M., at a public meeting of the qualified voters of said school district to be held in the Clarkston Public School Building, Clarkston, Michigan.

Each proposal shall be limited to residential and hospitalization purposes only and shall so be stated and each proposal shall be accompanied by a certified check for an amount equal to two (2) percent of the total amount bid which check shall be made payable to the order of the Board of Education of School District No. 3 Fractional, Independence and Springfield Townships.

Each proposal shall be enclosed in a sealed envelope indorsed "Proposal for purchase of Old School Property" and shall be addressed to the Board of Education, District No. 3 Fractional, Clarkston, Michigan.

Said Board of Education hereby reserves to themselves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals received for the purchase of the above described property as they may deem best for the interest of said School District.

By direction of the Board of Education, School District No. 3 Fractional, Independence and Springfield Townships, Oakland County, Michigan.

J. P. HUBBARD,
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accident on Woodward Ave., at Opdyke Road.

October 6—Mrs. Ada Lowery celebrated her 84th birthday.

October 8—The local American Legion Post and Ladies' Auxiliary installed their new officers.

October 10—Mrs. Ann Scraze celebrated her 82nd birthday.
Mrs. Jennie McCann, 85 years old, passed away in the Booth Hospital in Romeo.

October 11—Reta Jean, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Seibert of Drayton Plains celebrated her 4th birthday.

October 13—Funeral services were held in Detroit for Alfred Carran, a former Clarkston resident and business man.

October 15—Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Terry a 9 1/4 lb. son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Shotka a 7 1/2 lb. girl, Coralee Mary.

October 18—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Kerton a daughter, Carolyn Sue.

October 23—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pool of Waterford a 10 lb. son, David Earl.

October 24—Miss Elizabeth Belitz, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Belitz became the bride of Albert Kent Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kent of Detroit.

October 25—The Clarkston Literary Club visited the Oxford Club.

November 1—Mrs. Frank Petty was elected Worthy Matron of the local O. E. S. Chapter.

November 2—Mr. and Mrs. Lee M. Clark honored her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur O. Hadley, on their 56th wedding anniversary.

Mrs. Josephine Beardley of Dixie Highway passed away in the Goodrich Hospital after a five days illness.

The Clarkston Literary Club held Festival Night at the M. E. Church.

November 9—Will VanZandt was elected Master of Independence Grange.

November 10—The local O. E. S. Chapter installed their new officers at a public installation ceremony.
(Continued next week).

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our dear mother, Mrs. Fannie Dunston, who passed away one year ago, January 13.

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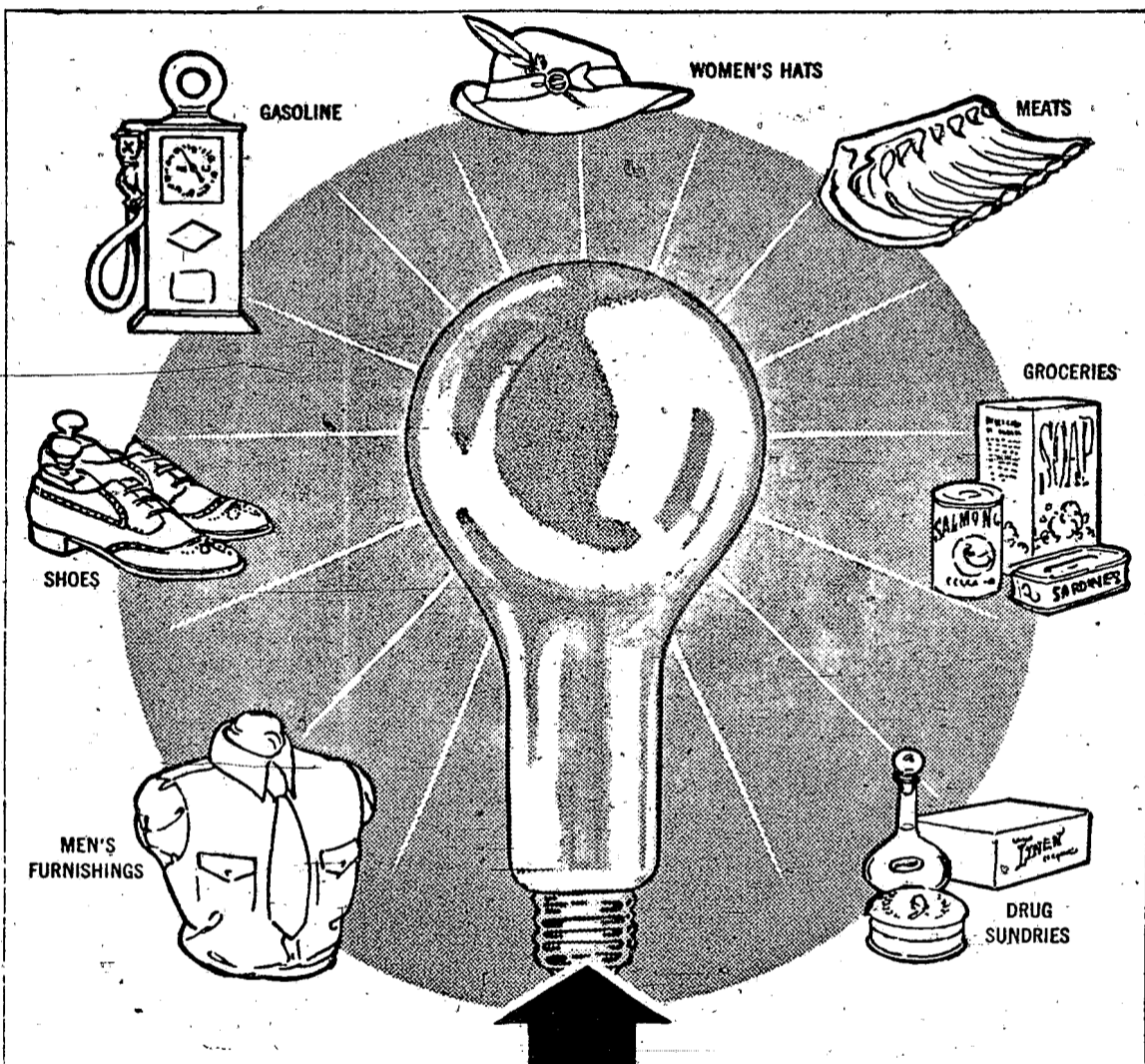
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