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Waterford

The first meeting of the Waterford P. T. A. for this season will be held at the School on Sept. 22nd. This will be a reception for the teachers. This will be a grand opportunity for the people of the district to get acquainted and to welcome the two new teachers, Miss Margaret Pelican 1st grade teacher and Harold Dean, teacher of social and physical science and coach. The plans for the reception are in charge of Mrs. Russell Maybee who is the program chairman and Mrs.

Louis Dorman the social chairman. All parents and those interested in the school and the welfare of the children are invited to attend. Get acquainted with the teachers and meet your neighbors. A good time is assured.

The Dixie Ann Circle of the Ladies' Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. George Sutphen on Thursday of last week. The meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. Henry Mehlberg. Plans were made and committees were appointed for the Penny Supper on Sept. 23rd. Serving will start at 6:00 o'clock. The committees are as follows: menu, Mrs. Wm. Chase, chairman, Mrs. Henri Buck, Mrs. James Saylor, Mrs. Ida Beattie, Mrs. Louis Dorman, and Mrs. Mehlberg; Dining-room, Mrs. John Gillespie, chairman, Mrs. John Miller, Mrs. George Attwater, Mrs. Bessie Owen, Mrs. James Stites, Mrs. Arthur Babbs, and Mrs. George Sutphen; cashiers, Mrs. Charles Roehm and Mrs. Leonard Eakle; desserts, Miss Eleanor Mehlberg. The Circle planned a Candy Sale at the school on Wednesday noon. School lunches were discussed and arrangements will be made to serve lunches at least twice a month. The Circle is selling Christmas Cards, Birthday cards and dish cloths. Orders will be appreciated. The October meeting will be at the home of Mrs. John Miller. The summer contest between the Willing Workers Circle and the Dixie Ann Circle will be closed at the October meeting. The hostess served light refreshments at the close of the afternoon.

The Waterford Bible Class held its September meeting at the Church on Tuesday evening. Mrs. Henry Mehlberg and Mrs. Howard Burt were hostesses. There were twenty present. The meeting was opened by the president, Rev. Howard Jewell. Group songs were enjoyed with Mrs. Howard Burt at the piano. Prayer was offered by Mrs. John Miller. The following homecoming committees were

named for the coming year: program chairman, Rev. Howard Jewell; music, Howard Burt; Publicity, Mrs. Mehlberg; menu, Mrs. Henri-Buck; Flowers, Henry Mehlberg; arrangement of place, Donald Williams. The homecoming date will be set at the October meeting. The class decided to assume the expense of the restoration of the linoleum in the Church auditorium. Arrangements for class parties for the next three months will be in charge of Mrs. Emeline Hurd, Mrs. Henry Mehlberg and Mrs. John Miller. The social committee for the next three months will be: Howard Burt and James Sutton. The treasurer reported a balance for the year of \$52.10. Election of officers took place with the following results: president, Rev. Howard Jewell; vice president, Mrs. James Sutton; secretary, Mrs. Henri Buck; treasurer, Otto Duguid; pianist, Mrs. Howard Burt. The October meeting will be held in the Church parlors with Mrs. Otto Duguid and Mrs. P. L. McLaughlin as hostesses. After the lesson discussion led by Henry Mehlberg the class enjoyed games supervised by Mrs. Joseph Helman and Mrs. James Sutton. The hostesses served lovely refreshments at a table graced with colorful dahlias. Beautiful dahlias were also used in profusion about the room.

The Waterford Softball League completed its first season last Monday evening when the "Butchers" defeated the "Juniors" in the final game of the play-off series. The game brought about a reversal of form in that the "Juniors" defeated the "Butchers" in their last meeting of the regular season with the first place position at stake. The winners of Monday evening's game went through the play-off series without the loss of a game, winning from the Juniors, Wildcats, Pick & Shovel, and Juniors again in order.

The League was organized the last of May, the first game being played on the 31st. Five teams, the "Juniors", "Butchers", "Wildcats", "Pick & Shovel", and "Anchors" played through the regular season of five rounds. In the play-off series, conducted on a "lose two and out" basis, the Anchors dropped out first, losing to the Pick & Shovels in the first round and then to the Juniors. The Wildcats dropped out next, having drawn the bye in the first round but losing to the Pick & Shovels in the second round and going down before the Butchers in the third. The Pick & Shovel team, which finished last in the regular season, sprang a surprise by taking their first two games in the play-off. They went down in the third round before a fighting Junior team, and lost out to the Butchers in the fourth round only after darkness brought about errors which turned a close game into a rout. This left the Juniors and Butchers who had met in the first round, to fight it out for first place and the Juniors forced the Butchers to come from behind to take a close 5-4 decision for the championship.

The Wildcats, after a rather shaky start in the regular season, came through strong at the close to wind

up in third place. The Anchors, handicapped by a late start and consequent make up games, were unable to show their real strength. The teams as a whole, however, were fairly well balanced and produced some very well played games.

Besides the regular players, numbering about 65, several local fans participated as umpires. Thanks are due these boys who did their best on a hard job and who so successfully withstood the "razzing" which invariably followed a close decision.

A few minor misunderstandings occasionally arose the first of the season due to the lack of close organization which resulted from getting together on the spur of the moment. It is the belief of the officers and managers, however, that these petty difficulties can be eliminated by getting together early and formulating some well-laid plans for next season. The League filled a real need for recreation for a large group of Waterford young men, and was a source of good entertainment for a large crowd of loyal supporters. The managers, Robert Hall of the Juniors, Walter Barkham of the Pick & Shovels, James Purdy of the Wildcats, Rodney Anderson of the Anchors, and William Jacober of the Butchers are to be congratulated for their fine work and it is to be hoped that they will carry on for another season.

Mrs. J. H. Reid spent Tuesday in Pontiac at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Van-Wagoner.

Mrs. John Campbell and her mother, Mrs. W. Gillespie of Andersonville Road spent Monday in Pontiac.

Charles Rigotti of VanZandt drive and his brother, Fred of Pontiac won honors in the Pontiac Recreation Department Tennis tournament.

The farmers around Waterford are quite busy with their Fall work. They are filling their silos before the potato harvest.

Mrs. Carrie Mackey is ill in the Charles Godwin Jennings Hospital at 7815 East Jefferson in Detroit. Mrs. Mackey has been ill for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith have returned to their home after spending the summer in the northern part of the State.

Charles Harris who has been spending the summer at the Forestry Camp near the "Soo", returned to his home on Thursday and will spend a few days here before resuming his stud-

ies at the Michigan State College in Lansing on the 23rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Buck and son, Sam Jr., of the Sault and Mr. E. H. Buck of near Cheboygan spent from Friday until Monday at the Henri-Buck home.

Mrs. Hazel Carlson who recently underwent an appendectomy is at her home and is slowly recovering. On Tuesday afternoon she was able to sit out of doors and enjoy the warm sunshine.

Dan Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rollin W. Clark of Waterford and Lansing will leave Waterford on Saturday for Boston, Mass., where he has enrolled in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Miller and her father, Andrus Bradley, who have just returned from spending the summer in the north visited at the home of Byron Howland on Tuesday. Mr. Howland returned to their home to spend a few days with them.

Mr. and Mrs. William Chase and daughters, Evelyn and Mary went to Kalamazoo last Saturday where Mary entered the Nurses' Training School. Miss Chase attended the Teacher's College in Kalamazoo last year while she was waiting to enter the Hospital.

David Mehlberg returned on Monday from a week's motor trip into Tennessee. He accompanied his friend, Deane Valentine and his mother, Mrs. Ernest Valentine who took Ernest Jr., and Bob Moon of Detroit to school at Sweetwater, Tenn. They also visited the Smoky Mountains.

Mrs. Lyman Girst will entertain the members of the Good Will Club at her home on Friday afternoon. A one o'clock luncheon will be served. The program is in charge of Mrs. J. H. Reid, and will be in keeping with the Lesson. Roll Call will be answered with something suitable for autumn.

Nature Chats

By Mona L. Hungerford

The Indigo Bunting

The Indigo Bunting is called Blue Finch, blue canary and painted bunting.

This small bird is slightly larger than the canary and is one of the latest birds to nest. The nest is built in bushy thickets and four bluish white eggs are laid. Sometimes a second brood is reared. The female bird resembles the

sparrow but on close observation we note that there is a wee bit of blue on tail and shoulders.

The Indigo Bunting is a faithful singer; singing from nesting time until his departure in the fall. The song is a sweet low note; "Sweet-sweet-sweet" repeated rapidly and resembles the note of the Goldfinch that we hear so much at this time of year.

The Indigo Bunting feeds largely on injurious insects and caterpillars and is a valuable bird to horticulturists and farmers and should be protected.

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varieties, fertilizer and spacing. The King Farm has been the trial ground for testing certified lots of seed for seventeen years.

School Superintendents to Meet at Sault Ste. Marie

An invitation to attend the annual meeting of the Michigan Education Association Department of Superintendents, to be held at Sault Ste. Marie, September 23-24, has been extended to D. M. Winn, local superintendent of schools.

Clarkston Locals

Roy Gundry is building a garage on his property. Ruth Walter of Ann Arbor has been vacationing with her mother, Mrs. Carrie Walter. Mr. and Mrs. J. Breaky and daughter, Barbara, spent Sunday with relatives in Ann Arbor.

City. Mrs. Shackley Boynes and son, Leslie, returned with them after enjoying a lovely vacation at the Andrews' cottage.

ter an enjoyable week at Walloon Lake and Windover Lake. While at Walloon Lake they spent some time with Mrs. Doris Hursfall. Mrs. Hursfall is well and is always happy to see friends from Clarkston.

SPECIALS

- Round Sirloin or Swiss, lb 29c
Fresh Ground Beef, 2 lbs 35c
Oleo, lb 10c
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10:00 A. M.—Machine digging and fork digging contests for potato farmers, F. F. A. and 4-H potato project boys. 11:00 A. M.—Grading contests for potato farmers, F. F. A. and 4-H potato project boys in charge of the State Department of Agriculture.

Maintenance and operation of school buildings, taxation and school financing, school insurance, state legislation, and general problems in the administration of public school systems are topics listed on the program of the second day of the meeting.

OBITUARY

August F. Schwalm
August F. Schwalm, aged 70 years, passed away at the Pontiac General Hospital on Monday evening after being confined there for some time.

STRAITS BRIDGE IS MAKING PROGRESS

Authority Meets Soon to Inspect Proposed Sites
The Mackinac Straits bridge authority last week planned new efforts toward beginning construction of a bridge to connect Michigan's upper and lower peninsulas.

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Hunting Licenses May Now Be Obtained

The fall hunting season is approaching and local followers of the sport are beginning to get on edge for the season. Hunting and trapping licenses for the 1938-1939 season are now on sale at authorized dealers and department of conservation headquarters and offices.

"Walking Maypoles"
"Walking Maypoles" was the name applied to Italian ladies of the Seventeenth century because of the height of the chopines or stilt-like clogs they wore on their feet.

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