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Odds and Ends

The country newspaper is the real voice of the people. The small town business man is the backbone of commerce. The farmer the basis of subsistence.

The country editor in daily touch with the merchant, farmer and man-on-the-street hears what the people think. That is freedom of speech. The editor puts these thoughts into print. And that is freedom of the press. Otherwise the great mass of the people would be inarticulate. They would have no voice. The country newspaper gives it to them.

Is it effective? It was the farmer and small business man, making known his opposition to the NRA, through the medium of the country press, that rendered that oppressive act ineffective, long before the unanimous decision of the Supreme court consigned it to the ashcan.

One need not bother to read a Gallup poll on any truly national question. If one has a digest of the editorials of the country press, it will be known before the poll is published what America is thinking and what the people are saying.

No advertising subsidy or canned editorials in the country newspaper. Often the editor does not know how next week's payroll will be met. But somehow it is met and the voice of the people speaks on. Like Old Man River, it just keeps rolling along, telling day by day what America is thinking and saying.

The country newspaper is the most American thing in America, because it is the voice of the people of America. When that voice speaks, the world listens, and takes heed.

During these days when the ground is covered with snow, it is up to man to feed the birds of the air. There are many of them which come and go, but there are a good many of these winged friends which remain in Clarkston the year round.

The summer of 1938 was favorable to the birds, they became more profuse.

In cold areas, it is necessary to continue to feed the birds until May, but however long it is, the need of thoughtfulness on the part of all of us, is a necessity if we wish to have these creatures with us in the spring. It doesn't make any difference how poor is the table, everyone can spare crumbs for the birds. Don't forget the water too!

Mrs. Maurice Ogden

Honored Last Friday

Last Friday a number of the folks in the Oak Hill district gathered at the home of Mrs. Maurice Ogden on Ratalee Road to help her celebrate her birthday which occurred on Saturday. There were fourteen ladies sat down to a sumptuous pot-luck dinner at one o'clock.

In the afternoon the group enjoyed playing Five Hundred with the awards going to Mrs. Leslie Alward and Mrs. Guy Allen. Mrs. Ogden received the best wishes of all of her friends.

Parking Bill Put At \$100,000,000

The motorists' annual parking bill in the United States is nearly \$100,000,000, according to Frank E. Ballyntyne, General Manager of the Automobile Club of Philadelphia. Declaring that lack of adequate parking facilities is one of the major problems facing American cities, he said the A. A. A.'s national committee on parking and terminal facilities has arrived at the figures in the course of a survey now going on.

This is how the automobile owner spends his money on parking: Parking garages, \$70,000,000 annually; parking lots, \$20,000,000 to \$25,000,000; parking meters, \$3,000,000 to \$5,000,000.

All these millions are paid for what might be termed trip-parking—that is, parking when shopping, or at work, or away from home for any reason, and do not cover whatever amounts are spent on private garage rental.

In spite of this expenditure, the average motorist continues to find parking a major problem, it was said.

Miss Harriett Beckman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Beckman of Oak Hill is ill and is confined to her bed.

Feed the Birds Is The Plea of Many

Even in Clarkston where the snow has made it almost impossible for the birds to find food many have asked that the residents make sure that the little feathered friends are taken care of.

Never mind if the unwelcome starlings do get more than their share, or the English sparrows, they must live. Remember that the jaunty blue-jays, the sprightly nuthatches, the bobbing woodpeckers, the gay little chickadees, occasionally the brilliant cardinal, and other birds we all love, or should love, remain with us all winter and need our protection. We are happy to say that there are a number of families in town who regularly provide such assistance every winter and even during the summer. Not one of them but will say they feel well repaid. You try it.

About 10:00 a. m. on Wednesday morning Mrs. F. E. Davies happened to look out of a window in her home and she saw several pheasants picking at apples that were lying on the snow underneath a very large apple tree in the yard. This made Mrs. Davies curious and she investigated and found that many apples were still clinging to the branches and perched in the tree were several pheasants busy picking at the apples and knocking some to the ground to make sure that their mates were fed too. There were about twenty-five or thirty birds in the flock. In a few minutes almost all of the birds were in the tree and after picking for a few minutes something frightened them and they all flew to the swamp.

Mrs. Davies at once filled a large wash-basin with grain and set it out by the tree. It was the first time Mrs. Davies could remember seeing so many pheasants in one flock and she says it was a beautiful sight.

Child Study Club

Met Wednesday Eve

Mrs. William Leach Was Hostess

On Wednesday evening the Clarkston Child Study Club met at the home of Mrs. William Leach on the Dixie Highway. Although driving was hazardous there were seven members present.

At the business meeting it was decided to hold a bake sale of home baked goods at the G. A. Walter store on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 11th at 2:00 o'clock.

A very fine paper on "My Three Point Code in Child Management" was given by Mrs. Edward Fuller. The group accepted an invitation to meet with Mrs. John Alander on Wednesday evening, Feb. 15th.

The hostess served lovely refreshments.

Ortonville to Have New Osteopathic Doctor

Dr. Bruce L. Pathe has opened an office in Ortonville. He was graduated from College of Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons in 1930 and following interned in Los Angeles General Hospital for a year and a half. He also spent six months in Los Angeles City Maternity Service.

At Ortonville he will conduct a general practice including Obstetrics and Surgery. He will be located in the home formerly occupied by Mrs. Florence Smith on Church Street. Immediately prior to his coming to Michigan, Dr. Pathe was Supervising Physician at the Sun-Diet Health Foundation located in East Aurora, N. Y.

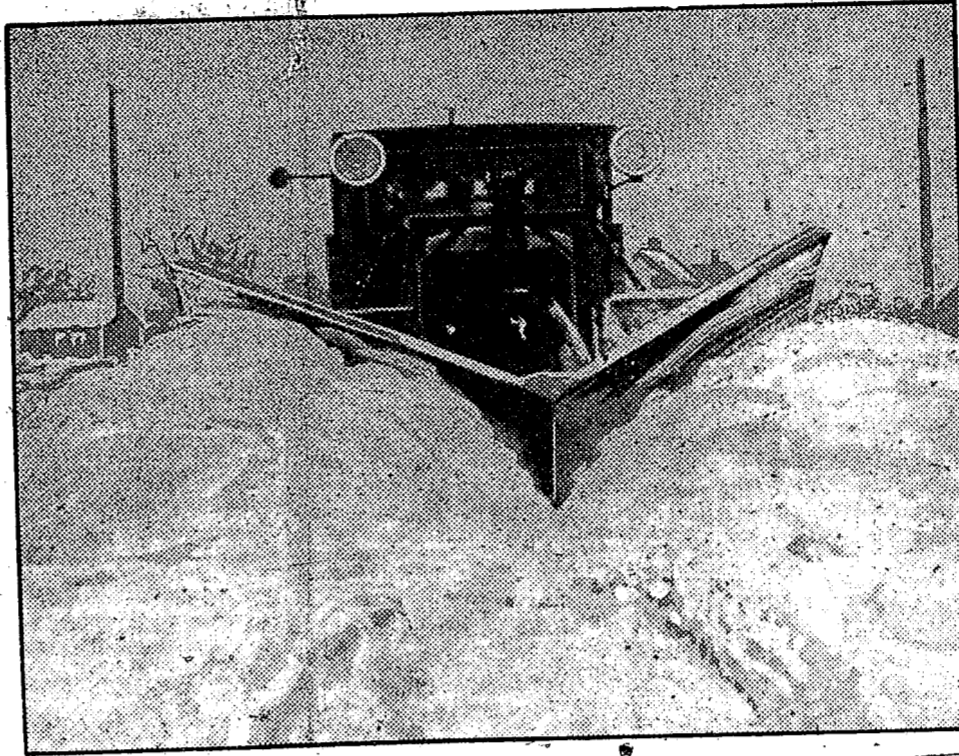
Field Managers

Meet in Cleveland

Walter B. Redman, Manager of the Pontiac Field Office of the Bureau of Old-Age Insurance, Social Security Board, has been called to Regional Headquarters in Cleveland, where on Monday began a four day conference of the thirty-five field office managers of Michigan, Ohio and Kentucky, together with some of their department heads from Washington. They will also meet their newly appointed Director of Region V, Mr. Robert C. Goodwin.

Mr. Redman has been signally honored in being selected to give an address on "Development of Newspaper Contacts—Clippings".

Snowplows Are Kept Busy In Community



Ever since the worst blizzard in many years, swept over Clarkston and vicinity last Sunday night and Monday the snow shovel has been very much in evidence. In fact many are carrying a snow shovel in the tool box of their car just in case.

The wind that lashed across the country at from twenty-five to fifty miles an hour piled the snow in drifts from four to seven feet. The roads were impassable by noon Monday.

Many of the children arrived at the school on Monday morning but scarcely had they left their homes than parents were anxious about their return. In fact so anxious were they that the phone at the school was kept busy. By one o'clock the teachers were able to content themselves with the fact that all children had arrived at their homes safely and school was not resumed until Wednesday morning. Then there were a great many absentees because those from the country were snowbound.

The state plows kept the main roads fairly clear but the county roads, at least a great many of them, had not been opened as late as Wednesday afternoon. Many cars were stalled at the curb along Main Street in Clarkston. Little did the motorist think when he parked at the curb in the morning that by noon the intensive snowfall and the beautiful cloud of snow that kept ahead of the state plow would have him buried. Many residents did not bother to shovel their driveways until Tuesday morning because shoveling on Monday was in vain especially along the highway where the snowplow banked the snow four and five feet deep. However by Wednesday afternoon most of the residents were able to use their drive-

ways and the downtown area was cleared.

In the Oak Hill district while the Oak Hill Road was one of the first to be opened yet the sideroads were blocked and many of the farmers had to dodge the drifts across the fields to take the milk to the stand on the highway. Reese Road was not cleared on Wednesday afternoon and the farmers along that road hesitated to cross the fields to come to town for fear they would get stalled.

Miss Eleanor Baynes, who lives on Reese Road, and is employed in Pontiac was able to get to her work on Monday morning but by evening the trip back was rather hazardous and Eleanor decided not to take a chance. However she was lucky to have a haven in Birmingham her grandmother's home and she managed to board a rather crowded bus and arrive there. She says transportation is "better to Birmingham so she intends to make her home there until the roads are cleared. Out Seymour Lake way many folks are singing "Jingle bells, Jingle bells" because now with all the snow George Miller is able to make good use of his horses and sleighs. The Pine Knob road is blocked and perhaps will not be clear enough for motor-travel for a while yet. However Mrs. Iva Miller and son, George, are never really stuck because if their car won't work their horses and sleigh will and like in many other emergencies they are always willing to do the "Good Samaritan" act for others who have no means of getting out. The folks out Hadley Road did not miss any of the storm either. They had to dig out as best they could. The snow drifts at the side and rear of the Belitz home

reached quite a height and although the whole farm was a pretty winter picture yet it meant plenty of hard work. Mr. Belitz was still shoveling on Wednesday morning. Shappee Road had not been opened on Wednesday afternoon and may not be yet. Out Mt. Bethel way the main roads were passable and one of the side roads had to be cleared by the snow plow in order that the Doctor might get through to visit some sick person.

The garages in Clarkston were kept busy and wreckers were constantly on the go, at least when it was at all possible for them to go and they got through many places where the average car would stall. Many of the Clarkston residents were wise and left their cars in the downtown garages Monday evening and took no chances of getting stalled in some driveway or subdivision road. The road to the school was cleared and was kept open. The road to the depot was passable and so Clarkston got mail regularly. The rural carriers kept on the job and very few, if any, were without their mail although in a great many places shovels had to be used to get the mail car through.

The rain on Wednesday night made driving hazardous for a time but by Thursday morning the highways were in very good shape and a good deal of the snow had disappeared.

Thursday started out to be a cloudy day but by noon the sun was shining brightly and it is quite possible that the ground-hog would see his shadow. Just in case spring isn't just around the corner, snow shovels had better not be put in storage.

Clarkston Ladies' Aid Meets at Methodist Parsonage

The Ladies' Aid of the Clarkston Methodist Church held their monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. Dwight S. Large last Wednesday afternoon. A good attendance enjoyed the program planned by the hostess and her committee, followed by lovely Valentine refreshments served by Mrs. E. A. Urch, Mrs. Will Guick, Mrs. Elizabeth Rockwell, Mrs. Hart, and Mrs. Large. Mrs. Louis Walter, president, conducted the business meeting.

The program consisted of hymns which were projected against a white screen from a lantern. Mrs. Orlo Willoughby played the piano, and Miss Margaret Harris sang some of the verses, as the group joined in on the chorus. Mrs. Large gave a brief illustrated lecture with colored slides on the theme "China—Old and New".

The beautiful table in the dining room, decorated with white and red candles, red and white snap-dragons and white sweet-peas, was the centerpiece from which tea was poured by Mrs. Louis Walter and Mrs. John Breakley.

During the business period, plans were made for a February Tea and the Annual Father and Son Banquet to be held soon in Clarkston.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Percy Lehman of 3001 Walton Blvd., Pontiac, a 5 1/2 lb. son, Gerald Frederick on Saturday, January 28th, at the Mary Green Hospital.

Birthdays Celebrated Wednesday Afternoon

Mrs. Clarence Johnson was the Hostess

On Wednesday afternoon Mrs. Clarence Johnson entertained a group of friends at her home honoring Mrs. John Tremper, Mrs. John Shaughnessy and Mrs. William Kyle, who had just celebrated their birthdays.

A lovely luncheon was served at one o'clock at a table centered with a delicious birthday cake on which was inscribed the names of the three honored guests. During the afternoon the group enjoyed visiting and sewing.

Clarkston Chief Operator Attends Party in Fenton

On Thursday evening Mrs. Addie Badgero of the Clarkston Telephone office was among the guests at a party at the Hotel Fenton in Fenton given by the Flint District of the Michigan Bell Telephone Co., in honor of Mrs. Nellie Carlson who has just completed 27 years of service in the employ of the company. Mrs. Carlson has now retired. She spent all but one of the 27 years in Holly.

A delicious dinner was served at 6:30 and several speeches were made. Mrs. Carlson was presented with a lovely gift and twenty-seven roses. She made a very sweet response.

GIVE PROTECTION TO LIFE IN FIELD

Scattering food on the ground for birds during severe winter weather is a good practice, but not nearly so effective as helping nature to do the job of feeding the birds, according to R. C. Behymer, manager of the Fenton Area Soil Conservation Project.

A wide variety of plants and shrubs adapted to this section can be planted on small areas about the farm so as to provide both "board and lodging" for pheasants, fox squirrels, and other desirable species of wildlife during the pinch periods of winter and early spring, he said.

As one phase of its program of soil and water conservation in its erosion control area in Livingston and Genesee counties, the Soil Conservation Service is using plants and shrubs which will serve the double purpose of controlling erosion and providing food and cover for wildlife on small, scattered areas on farms of cooperators in the projects.

By selecting a variety of such plants which mature seed and make food available over successive periods throughout the year, conditions favorable to the development of wildlife can be provided on any farm. Many species of grasses and legumes, small grains, and such shrubs as Michigan holly, wildrose, and hazelnut, are excellent for this purpose.

Gullies and galled spots and other severely eroded areas about the farm make ideal locations for such plantings. Other desirable sites for bird-food patches include field borders, hedge rows, fence corners, margins of woods and other waste spaces not suitable for cultivation.

Clarkston Literary Club Met Tuesday Afternoon

Mrs. Forrest Jones Was Hostess

The Clarkston Literary Club held its regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Pearl Urch on Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. Forrest Jones as hostess.

Ten members and four guests answered Roll Call with the name of a favorite poet as it was poetry day.

The business meeting was conducted by the president, Mrs. C. Souby and this was followed by a program in keeping with Robert Burns' birth anniversary and poetry.

"Scotland and its Literature" prepared by Mrs. H. A. Huey was read by Mrs. Lee Clark and was very interesting. Mrs. Forrest Jones, in her usual able manner, talked on "Michigan Poets". A paper on "Robert Burns" was omitted because Mrs. Eli Fisher was unable to attend on account of the condition of the roads. Miss Scrace gave an exceptionally interesting paper on "Early History of Clarkston" which she was unable to give on "Home Town Day", Jan. 3.

At the close of the meeting the hostess awarded the group for braving the deep snow by serving tea and cake.

The meeting adjourned to meet Feb. 14th with Mrs. Alice Urch when "Patriotic Day" will be observed.

Celebrities to Participate in May Festival At Ann Arbor

Celebrities galore will participate in the 1939 May Festival, which will be held in Hill Auditorium, Ann Arbor, May 10, 11, 12 and 13.

Glady's Swarthout, sensational mezzo-soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company and movie fame, will be heard in the first program Wednesday night. She has never before appeared in Ann Arbor.

Helen Jepson, another Metropolitan Opera soprano, will sing the role of Desdemona in Verdi's "Otello" at the Saturday night concert; and Selma Amansky, a brilliant soprano from Philadelphia, will be heard Thursday night.

Marian Anderson, world-famed Negro contralto, will be the star at the traditionally brilliant Friday evening program; while Elizabeth Wyson, well-known American contralto, will also be heard Saturday night.

Giovanni Martinelli will sing the leading tenor role in the "Otello" performance; while Jan Peerce, noted American tenor of radio fame, will be heard on two occasions, singing the tenor role in Kodaly's "Psalmus Hungaricus" Thursday night, and again in "Otello" Saturday night.

Richard Bonelli will be heard Saturday night, as will also Norman Cordon, another distinguished Metropolitan Opera baritone. Ezio Pinza will be the stellar attraction at the Young People's concert Friday afternoon.

Two distinguished instrumentalists will participate: Georges Enesco, renowned Roumanian artist, will contribute to the Saturday afternoon program in two capacities—in the first half he will appear as violin soloist, and in the second half, as guest conductor for the Philadelphia Orchestra, which will play a number of his own compositions. In the second half of the Thursday evening program, Rudolf Serkin, the Russian pianist, of dynamic artistry, will play with the Orchestra.

The Philadelphia Orchestra, University Choral Union, and the Young People's Festival Chorus, will as usual participate. Eugene Ormandy will conduct the Wednesday and Friday evening programs and portions of the Thursday evening and Friday afternoon programs; while Saul Caston, Associate Conductor of the Philadelphia Orchestra, will conduct a portion of the Saturday afternoon concert while Mr. Enesco appears as soloist.

Earl V. Moore, Musical Director of the Festival, will lead the combined Orchestra and Choral Union in the choral offerings, short works to be given in the first half of the Thursday evening program; and the concert performance of Verdi's "Otello" Saturday evening.

The Young People's Chorus, trained by Juva Higbee, will be heard in selections Friday afternoon.

Erwin Baker is confined to his home with scarlet fever.

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Waterford

The P. T. A. of Waterford held the January meeting in the school auditorium on Thursday evening. The business meeting was in charge of Mrs. Clifford Wood and Mrs. A. C. Ish was responsible for the program.

Many Waterford residents are interested in watching the progress of the new buildings on Waterford Hill. This hill is a Waterford landmark and was known in earlier years as the "VanNorman Hill".

Mr. and Mrs. Lyman Girst and family and Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Van Syckle left on Wednesday for Florida. They expect to locate at Melbourne.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Spooner and daughter Mrs. H. B. Mehlberg left for Florida on Thursday of last week. According to reports they had an enjoyable trip.

Waterford School News

On Monday the snow drifts were so deep that the school bus was stalled before it had been driven around the first trip. On account of this there were 49 absent from the high school room alone.

The parents who attended the last P. T. A. meeting enjoyed two one-act plays which were put on by the Pontiac Civic Players. New silverware has been purchased recently by the P. T. A.

Last Thursday the fifth, sixth and seventh graders enjoyed the skating party at Lake Orion immensely. The bus conveyed the twenty-five children and five chaperons.

Another bus load of eighth, ninth and tenth graders was taken to Lake Orion on Friday night. Mrs. Ferris and Mr. Webber acted as chaperons.

The ninth and tenth graders will be busy this coming month for they will be copying and learning their declamations. The school contest will be held on March 17.

The tenth grade Literature Class is beginning "The Tale of Two Cities". They have just finished "Silas Marner".

Mr. Dean, our history teacher, has been absent from school for several days because of the death of his mother.

Lottie McReynolds, a ninth grader, has recently moved to Pontiac where she will attend Eastern Junior High. Lyman and Jean Girst are leaving for Florida with their parents where they will remain a month.

Virginia Craven injured her wrist while she was tobogganing the other day. The ninth and tenth grade girls have formed a Sub-Deb Club. The officers are Tsuya Kojima, Betty Campbell, Mary Buck and Dorothy Dorman.

Mr. and Mrs. West of Waterford have loaned the school a piano. It is quite an improvement over the last one. A great help toward moving the piano was given by Mr. Schenck, Mr. Ish and Mr. Buck.

A superstitious person would be very ill at ease in the high school building these days. There is a scaffold in the hall which takes you under temporary planks and arches just above your head. Our only wish is that they don't fall down.

The school orchestra played at Drayton on Thursday at 7:30 P. M. The proceeds of the evening's entertainment went to the funds of the Mothers' Chorus.

The music committee is sponsoring a Puppet Show at the Waterford School on Friday evening, Feb. 17, 1939, at 7:30. Mr. Harvey Place, of Pontiac, is producing the show entitled "How Bunny Rabbit Got Long Ears".

The orchestra will play a short program of selected numbers preceding the Puppet Show. Admission will be ten cents for everyone. Proceeds of the entertainment will go into a fund for purchasing music and instruments for the orchestra and band.

Mr. Place has enjoyed wide success with his new show this year, and we are sure that all who attend will enjoy a real treat for the evening.

Drayton Plains

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Stevens and Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Morgan of Sashabaw Plains entertained the Community United Presbyterian Church choir at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stevens last Tuesday evening. The evening was given over to games. A short business meeting was held and Oliver Francisco was elected a-sistant organist. The party was given in honor of Mrs. L. G. Rowley and Mrs. William Pelton who expect to start for California Monday, February 6, to be gone three or four weeks.

The Mothers' chorus sponsored a program last night, February 2nd, at 8:00 o'clock in the school auditorium. The program consisted of two one-act comedies, "Two Many Wives" under the direction of Rev. E. G. Berger and "Squaring it with the Boss" under the direction of Mrs. E. G. Berger, given by members of the Ascension Lutheran Sunday School of Pontiac. Miss Vivian Scott, the 12 year old pianist, also of Pontiac played several selections. The Waterford Band also gave several selections. The proceeds are to be used to aid the members of the Mothers' chorus to attend the State P. T. A. Convention in May at Sault Ste. Marie.

Last Sunday evening the young people of the church gave a very interesting program featuring the Builders, the Pioneers and Junior Choir, as follows: A Call to Worship—Inez Sutton "Behold I Stand AT the Door and Knock" Response by Pioneers—"Into My Heart" A Message of Introduction. Song—"O God, Our Help" Prayer of Thanksgiving—Josephine Sutton. Scripture—Responsive Reading No. 16, "O Sing unto Jehovah". Prayer of Supplication—Oliver Francisco. Praise Service "Songs" He Remembers Mercy and "I Gave My Life For Thee" Presenting Our Young People's Specials. Offertory Prayer. Offertory Special Music "Glory to God" by Junior Choir. A Look Backward to Our Birthday—Charles Nolan. To Survey the Past Fifty Years—Katherine Jones. We Survey the Future—Ralph Shell. A Challenge to "Our Y. P. C. U."—Rebecca Bowden. Closing with Theme Song "Lord Lay Some Soul Upon My Heart".

There will be one more session of the Institute after tonight Friday, February 3rd. The closing program will be Feb. 10th at the Oakland Ave. Church, Pontiac.

The Ladies' Aid will sponsor a penny supper tonight February 3 in the church dining room from 5:30 to 7:30. George Sutton, the youngest son of Rev. and Mrs. C. J. Sutton, is very ill with plural pneumonia.

Shirley Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thad Taylor is confined to her home with scarlet fever.

William Worner of Spencerville, Indiana, father of George Werner of Dixie Highway, continues seriously ill.

Frank Jones has recovered from flu after being confined to his home for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Garrison and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Hanson spent the week end ice fishing at Sage Lake.

Mrs. Anna Brown and son Gordon spent last Saturday with Mrs. James Mitchell at Ferndale.

The two daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Tucker of Sherwood Dr. are ill with whooping cough.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNew of Sherwood Dr. were called to Rockwood, Tennessee, last Saturday night by the serious illness of Mrs. McNew's sister.

Mrs. C. C. Surles is spending several days with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Beach in Pontiac.

Mrs. L. O. Kern is slowly recovering from a recent illness. Miss Virginia Taylor spent last Wednesday and Thursday in Detroit.

Mrs. Chadek of Sherwood Drive received word Sunday of the death of her sister at St. Paul, Minn.

Mrs. Charles Syers returned to her home in the Syers Block on Friday after several days stay in Detroit.

The Father and Son banquet scheduled for last Friday night has been postponed until a later date.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Calvery returned last week from Arkansas where they were called by the death of Mrs. Calvery's mother.

The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. Charles Nolan last Wednesday afternoon. Each member presented the church kitchen with a new dish towel.

Last Wednesday evening the Mothers' Chorus held a 6 o'clock pot luck supper and business meeting at the home of Mrs. Emil Hagen.

Mr. and Mrs. Vergil Doble moved last week from the Mrs. Ed Merry flat to the John Smith flat on the Dixie Highway.

Next Sabbath Day, February 5th, will bring us to another of our Family Day services. All families of the community are especially invited.

Mrs. Walter Shell of Cass City, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Frank Jeffery and family, left Thursday for Detroit to visit another sister Mrs. Lou Ehke and family before returning to her home.

The talking picture with Bobby Breen in "Let's Sing Again" sponsored by the P. T. A. last Thursday evening was well attended and the proceeds are to be used to buy wall pictures for the school.

The first in a series of "Church Night" cooperative supper meetings was held last Wednesday night. These suppers will be held on each Wednesday night during February. After the supper last Wednesday night Rev. H. E. Lobaugh of Auburn Heights gave a fine address. These suppers are in preparation of the Miller-White revival to be held from March 5 to 19.

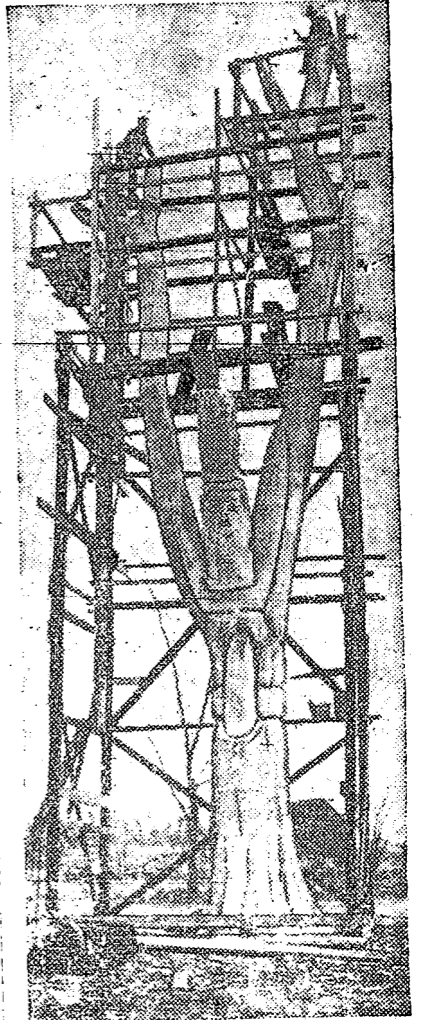
The Adult Bible Class of the Community United Presbyterian Church spent an enjoyable evening in the church parlors last Thursday evening. During the business meeting election of officers was held. The following were elected—President, Floyd Wilson; Vice Pres., Mrs. Beatrice Purdy; Secretary, Mrs. Catherine Cable; Treasurer, I. M. Lewis and teacher, Rev. C. J. Sutton. The next meeting will be held on February 17 in the church. A lovely luncheon was served at the close of the meeting.

Men Who Have "Character" Few men are quite sure that they have "character" until the public tells them so.

Spent Her Fortune to Win a Man Who Hated Money! Why Traffic Cops Get Grouchy! Two of the Many Interesting Features Appearing in The American Weekly, the Magazine Distributed With the SUNDAY CHICAGO HERALD AND EXAMINER.

Fast During Planting Season Burmese Buddhists observe a three-month fast during the planting and sowing season.

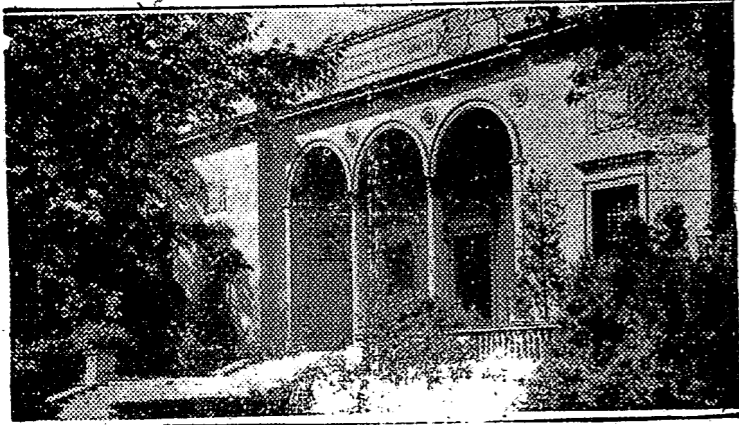
TREE OF LIFE



NEW YORK—This is a picture of a 60-foot statue being carved from an elm tree at South Windsor, Conn., by Lawrence Tenney Stevens. It will symbolize a great ethereal spirit and, with two smaller companion pieces representing man and woman, will be placed in a plaza at the New York World's Fair 1939.

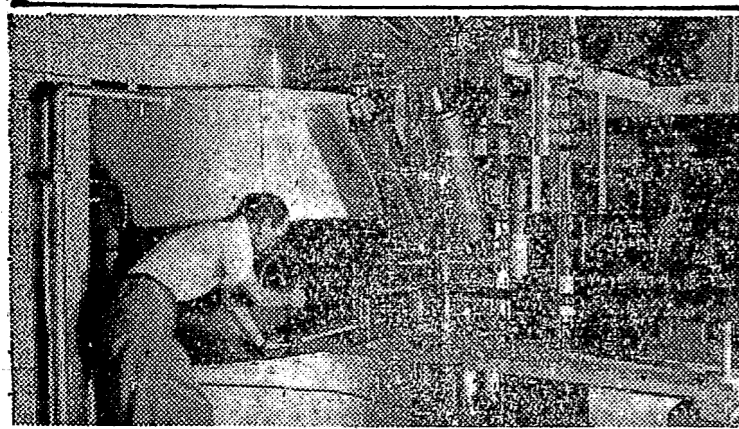
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PERSONS, PLACES AND ACTIVITIES YOU HAVE HEARD OR READ ABOUT AT THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN



CLEMENTS LIBRARY OF AMERICAN HISTORY

Early American history could not be adequately studied without the collections of the University of Michigan's Clements Library, which contains many of the original documents relating to the development of the Western Hemisphere from 1493 to the end of the Revolutionary period. The building of the Clements Library, shown above, and the most important collections within it were the gift of the late Regent William L. Clements, Bay City steel manufacturer. To his gift have been added many other important source materials in the history of America. The Library's collection of the papers of British generals and statesmen in Colonial America is the most complete in the world. These documents make the collection America's most important for the study of this period. Practically all of the British officials' documents, maps and letters are now in the Clements Library. Because of the official capacities of their original owners, these papers are equally important for the study of this period as are those of the Americans of the period. The British papers supplement a large quantity of materials from early American statesmen and officials, including extensive correspondence of George Washington, General Greene and Benedict Arnold.



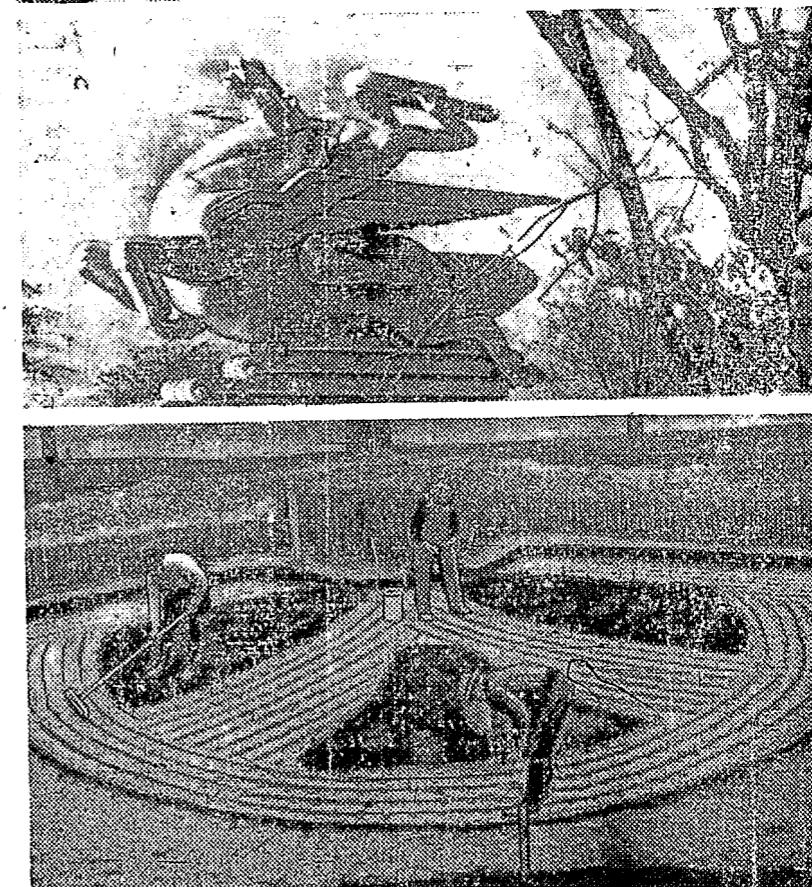
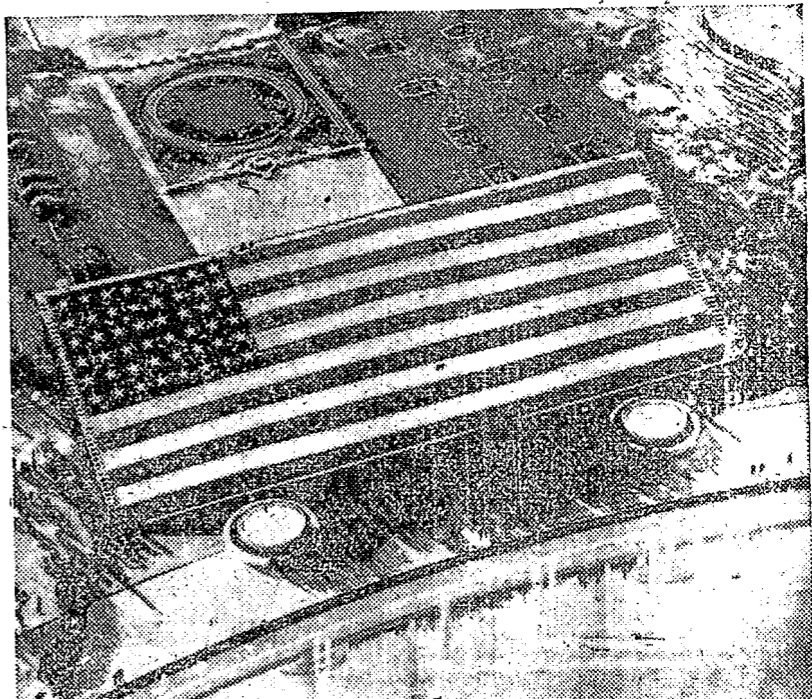
THE MICHIGAN CYCLOTRON

Above is shown Michigan's new cyclotron, or "atom-smasher," which has been rebuilt from the machine first constructed at the University over two years ago. Research with such equipment is uncovering a vast amount of new information on the inner structure of the atom and the effects of radiation on plant and animal tissue. Construction and operation of the Michigan cyclotron have been under the direction of Prof. James M. Conk and Dr. R. L. Thornton, who is shown with the new machine in this picture. The cyclotron bombards a target element with particles of heavy hydrogen. Within a vacuum chamber, behind Dr. Thornton's right hand in the picture, the particles are given a spiral motion by an accumulation of high voltage pres-

RadiOddities . . . by Squier

Advertisement for Stella Unger, a radio personality. It features a large portrait of her and several small illustrations. Text includes: 'COMIK! RIGHT UP!', 'SLIP US A NEW CHORUS SYSTEM', 'GRADUATE OF THE HARD SCHOOL OF TIN-PAN ALLEY, STELLA'S HIT SUCCESS WAS IN SONG-WRITING. SHE DID THE LYRICS FOR "SERIES 3 LITTLE GIRLS", FOR "THE LOVE THIEF" AND HELEN MORGAN'S "MEMORY". INTRODUCED "THE RUMBA" IN THE "WANTIES"', 'TAKE IT EASY!', 'FIRST WOMAN TO DO SPORTS BROADCASTS. SHE CAN SLING THE LINGO OF THE PRIZE RING WITH THE BEST. HER SERIES ON TIM BRADDOCK, LOU LITTLE BROUGHT CAMAR FOR MORE!', 'A VETERAN NEWSPAPER WOMAN, SHE ONCE RAN A RHYMED COLUMN IN THE DAILY MIRROR CALLED "MOTHER GOOSE QUICKS WIRE". SHE'S BEEN AN ACTRESS AND A PLAYWRIGHT, TOO, AND IS NOW AT WORK ON A BOOK RIBBING THE DICTATORSHIPS!', 'STARTING IN RADIO AS A PINCH-HITTER, SHE HAS MADE A PLACE FOR HERSELF WITH HER HOLLYWOOD CHATTER. BETWEEN BROADCASTS, SHE PLANS, SUPERVISES & WRITES SCRIPTS FOR A LARGE NEW YORK ADVERTISING AGENCY!', 'SHACKO!', 'COPYRIGHT 1939 BY A. V. GLASSER'.

THE FAIR IN PICTURES



NEW YORK—With the opening date of the New York World's Fair 1939—April 30—coming nearer and nearer, activities on the Fair grounds are increasing daily. At the top you see a giant American flag, 90 x 230 feet, being saluted by 1,000 school children in a ceremony marking the dedication of the Court of Peace, around which 62 nations are gathering their exhibits. In the middle appears a modern sculptural group called "Speed," featuring a woman astride a winged horse. At the bottom is one unit of tulip beds. More than 1,000,000 bulbs were imported from Holland to accentuate land-scaping.

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The Hilltopper

Music The recent snow storm which made necessary a lot of shoveling and wading for most of us has been good practice for Mr. Willoughby in more ways than one. When the music enrollment cards for this semester began to appear he found himself becoming "snowed in" again, for 75 students of the upper six grades have signed up for music participation and of these many are enrolled not for one activity but many for instrument lessons, band orchestra and chorus. When all the students are back to school the number is expected to be even greater. You can look for a good live marching band next spring.

Tryouts for the Operetta "Gypsy Rover" were held this week with some very surprising but pleasing results. The two leading parts will be taken by Charlotte Sue Miller as Lady Constance and Laverne Webber as Rob the Gypsy Rover. The supporting cast consists of June Taylor as sister of Lady Constance, Marian Chamberlain as the belle of the gypsy camp, Jackie Parrish as Rob's foster mother, Oliver Johnson as a captain in the English army, Eugene Hubbard as father of Lady Constance, Milton Fiske as Rob's foster father, Dick Tee as a gypsy lad in love with the gypsy belle, and Tom Boothby as an English fop "Doncha know". There will also be two minor parts without music as well as a large chorus of gypsies, dames, and squires and six Gypsy children. Plan now to enjoy the fun and music on March 10.

CLARKSTON LOSES TO FARMINGTON

Farmington defeated Clarkston last Friday night in a fierce battle with the final score resulting in 21 to 17. The Clarkston lads were in the lead at the beginning of the game but Farmington soon overtook them and left the score at the half 12 to 5.

In the last half the game was more of a hide-and-seek affair with Clarkston gaining a little, but with Farmington just a few points ahead all the time. Each time Clarkston made a basket, Farmington duplicated it and in the last few minutes Farmington put itself in the lead 21 to 17 which was the final score.

We would like to add that the student body of Clarkston thinks that Farmington could take a few lessons in good sportsmanship from us. Those who were at the basketball game the other night can readily understand this.

- Lineup for Clarkston: R. F.—Clark, L. F.—Tee, C.—Russell, R. G.—R. Tee, L. G.—Boyns, Substitutes: Minton and Johnson. Lineup for Farmington: R. F.—Bacon, L. F.—Snyder, Barrons, C.—Moas, Wilson, R. G.—Pink, Hogle, L. G.—Hunt

WHAT GOES ON HERE????

We notice that June Taylor and Glen Minton have been seen together quite a bit lately. Wonder who's next.

What's this we hear about Art Clark driving 35 miles to go one mile? Something queer or so Chuck Beach thinks.

It seems that Jerry Davies likes his daily dip. At least one would think so if they had seen him last Sunday.

Roger Galligan doesn't like dogs fussing around his motorcycle. He goes after them with a gun.

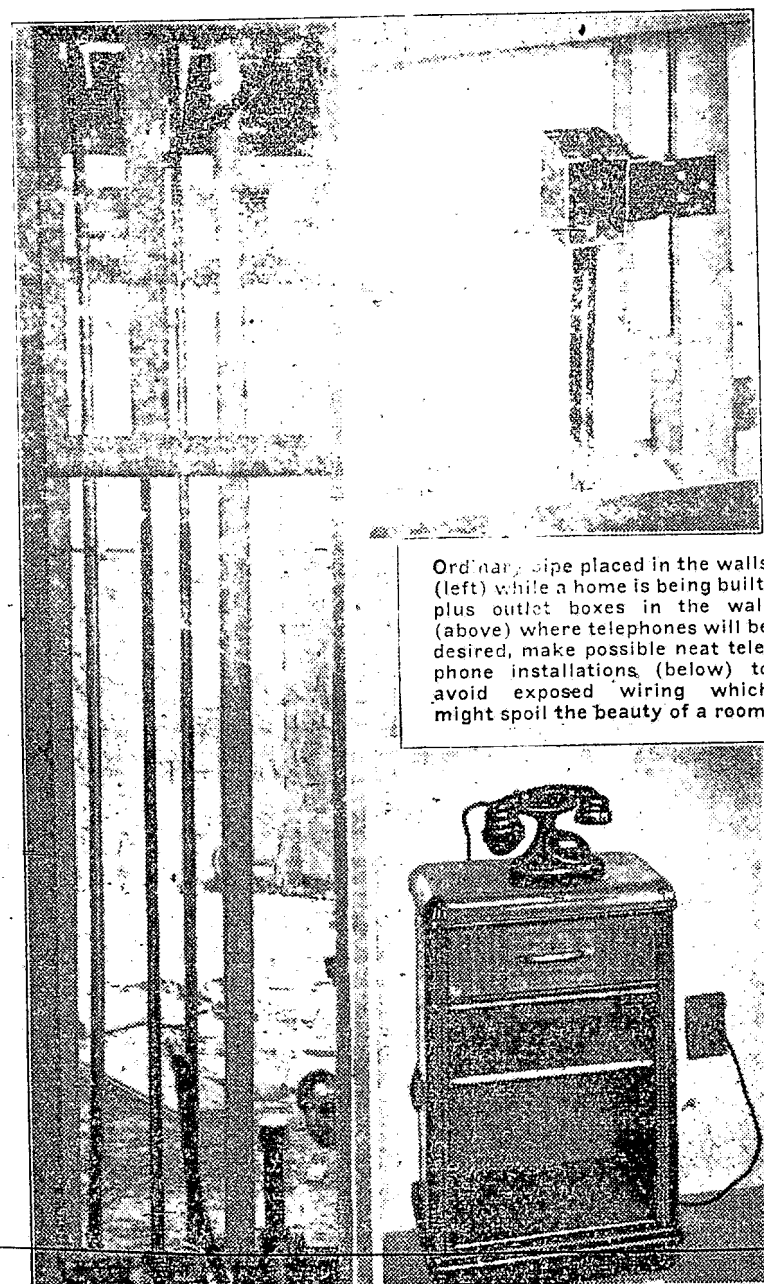
Jack Skarritt seems to follow Maxine Boardway around in the halls these days. He'd better watch out or else somebody will be on his trail too!

It really is a coincidence that as one of the "Hilltopper" reporters was going downstairs he came upon Dick Tee looking up at a certain senior girl and singing "You're the Only Star in My Blue Heaven". Well, maybe so.

Although it is well known, we would like to announce that Dick Lowrie had introduced a mascot for the Junior Class. Her name is Irene and she is a calf. Any person or place resembling this is purely coincidental.

Bright and early last Wednesday morning Thomas Boothby arrived in the Junior Session Room with a note explaining his absence for Monday and Tuesday. That was quite alright but the only thing that was wrong was that there was no school for those days due to the snow storm. Speaking of storms we all appreciate the storm which made it possible for us to get in an extra day of skiing, etc.

Conceal Telephone Wires in Pipes In Walls of Homes When Being Built



Ordinary pipe placed in the walls (left) while a home is being built, plus outlet boxes in the wall (above) where telephones will be desired, make possible neat telephone installations (below) to avoid exposed wiring which might spoil the beauty of a room.

Stud bracing, fire stops, wall insulation and other features of modern home construction make it difficult, and in many cases impossible, to run telephone wiring inside the walls after a house is built. To eliminate exposed wires on baseboards and moldings, and to avoid unsightly holes in walls and floors, people who are building new homes or remodeling old ones are urged by the telephone companies to make provision for telephone wires during construction.

This can be done, easily and inexpensively, by placing ordinary pipe or conduit in the walls, running from the basement to the ground floor and to upper stories. Outlet boxes are then placed in the wall at the upper end of the pipes and covered with neat metal plates similar in appearance to wall outlets for floor lamps.

All the telephone companies of the Bell System maintain an "architectural and builders' service" to assist in planning for provision to conceal telephone wires in homes and other buildings.

LEGAL NOTICES

John L. Estes, Attorney Clarkston, Mich.

MORTGAGE SALE

DEFAULT having been made for more than thirty days in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Beal & Kelley to Clarkston State Bank, a Michigan corporation, dated the 19th day of February A. D. 1938, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Oakland, and State of Michigan, on the 21st day of February A. D. 1938, in Liber 775 of Mortgages, said Clarkston State Bank having exercised the option to declare and does hereby declare provided, on Monday, the 20th day of February, A. D. 1939, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with attorney's fee, which said premises are described as follows:

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 20th day of February, A. D. 1939, at 10:00 o'clock in the forenoon, Eastern Standard Time, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with six per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with attorney's fee, which said premises are described as follows:

Situated in the Township of West Bloomfield, Oakland County, Michigan, and described as Lot number-

ed 22 of Block 23, and the easterly 111.73 feet of Lot numbered 1 in Block 23 of Twin Beach Country Club, a subdivision of part of the West 1/2 of Section 17, and a part of the northwest 1/4 of Section 20, all being in Town 2 North, Range 9 East, according to the plat of said Subdivision recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Oakland County, Michigan, in Liber 34 of Plats on pages 21 and 22. Dated November 16, 1938. CLARKSTON STATE BANK, Mortgagee

JOHN L. ESTES, Attorney for Mortgagee. Clarkston, Michigan. Feb. 10

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 10th day of January A. D. 1939.

Present, Hon. Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Martha Bergen, Deceased. Floyd Andrews, administrator of said estate having filed in said Court his final account and petition praying for the examination and allowance thereof, determination of the heirs of said deceased, assignment of the residue of said estate and the discharge of said administrator;

It is Ordered, that the 6th day of February A. D. 1939 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, he and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof, for three successive weeks, previous to said day of hearing, in the Clarkston News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ARTHUR E. MOORE, (A true Copy.) Judge of Probate Florence Doty, Probate Register.

Approximately 300 automobiles a day set off on a coast-to-coast trip across the U. S.

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

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 5th day of January A. D. 1939.

Present, Hon. Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of Emma B. Walter, Deceased. August Jacober having filed a petition praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased, and that administration of said estate be granted to August Jacober, executor named in said will or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, that said 6th day of February A. D. 1939, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is Further Ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Clarkston News, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County, and that proponent cause a copy of this notice to be served personally or by registered mail, return receipt demanded, to each of the known heirs at law, legatees and devisees at their last known place of address within ten days after the date of the first publication hereof.

ARTHUR E. MOORE, A true copy. Judge of Probate Florence Doty, Register of Probate.

Honors Gastronomic Heroes France honors its gastronomic heroes and heroines. In a village near Grasse is a monument to the inventor of peach melba, the discoverer of camembert has a statue at Vimoutiers, while Madame Poulard, the famous omelette maker, is enshrined at Mont St. Michel.

ODDITIES AT THE FAIR

NEW YORK—Here are a few of the strikingly unusual things visitors will find at the New York World's Fair 1939:

A parachute tower from which visitors may "ball out" at an elevation of 250 feet and be sure of a "happy landing."

Revolving "magic carpets" from which you may look down as from a height of two miles upon "The City of Tomorrow" inside the 200-foot Perisphere.

A "Tree of Life" carved from the trunk and branches of an elm planted in Connecticut in 1781 by Revolutionary War prisoners.

"Steve Brodie" jumping six times a day from a reproduction of the Brooklyn Bridge.

The most valuable wheat field for its size in the world in full growth.

Five million dollars worth of diamonds, rubies, emeralds and other gems in one glittering display.

The steel-walled bathysphere in which descent has been made miles down in the black depths of the ocean.

"Rocket gun" by which passengers will be shot to the moon, or Mars someday—perhaps.

The model of a human eye so large visitors may enter it and look out upon the Fair's busy scene just as if the eye were doing the looking.

Two hundred blooded cows being milked daily on a revolving platform.

An orange grove transplanted intact all the way from Florida.

Automobiles with living drivers in hair-raising collisions and flying somersaults.

The largest opal in the world. An oil well in operation with real drillers in the "cast."

The largest model railroad ever constructed. Puppets 14 feet tall dramatizing

the contents of the familiar bathroom medicine cabinet.

Displays of rare orchids, renewed every three days by plants flown to the Fair from Venezuela.

The tremendous discharge of 10,000,000 volts of man-made lightning.

A Brazilian exhibit building erected on stilts.

A floor made of cotton.

Ricksha runners from South Africa six and a half feet tall and clad mostly in feathers, horns and beads.

A waterfall cascading from the high roof of a building.

Mural paintings that change their colors while you're looking at them.

Fireworks set to music in related patterns of color and light.

A city entirely populated by midgits.

An automobile speedway half a mile long on top of an exhibit building.

Mighty snowstorms sweeping down out of a clear Spring sky.

A building turned inside out with its roofbeams on the outside.

Moving chairs traveling around in a building so visitors won't have to walk.

A flight to Venus so real you'll swear you've been there and met the folks.

The tallest mural paintings in the world.

A model of New York City so large that the Empire State Building is reproduced 23 feet tall.

A sphere 200 feet in diameter seeming to revolve on jets of water, like the little silver ball in the shooting-gallery.

A fountain that sings. Paintings that have to be destroyed every night and done all over again next morning.

A "Fountain of the Atom," with electrons and protons dancing around a pulsating shaft of light.

WHEN ALFALFA IS A DELICACY



These deer are feeding on alfalfa hay put out for them in one of the experiments tried as a possible method for relieving overbrowsed conditions which exist in some parts of the state. The expense of doing this on a large scale would be prohibitive.

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The Hilltopper

Epworth League News
Epworth League was opened by Stanwood Radoye leading in the songs. The meeting was turned over to Harriett Beckman after the collection was taken. Harriett spoke on communism and for her first time she did very well. There were quite a few leaguers present, considering the weather, and everyone took an active part in the discussion. The meeting closed with Dan Addis leading in the final hymn.
The speaker for next week will be Charlotte Sue Miller.

Monthly Honor Roll

Seniors—Mary Jane Gulick, Susan Lowrie, Iva Simmers (all A's), Robert Smithson, Arlene McCann (all A's).
Juniors—Evelyn Davies, Alice Garneau, Charlotte Sue Miller, Beverly Payne, Owen Payne, Tom Boothby.
Sophomores—Doris Batten, Howard Smith, Betty Taylor, Elaine Waterbury (all A's).
Freshmen—Malvina Smith, Honor Stickney.
8th Grade—Norma Davison, Marjorie Lindsay, Inez Miller, Janice Mudrige, Ann Russell, Louise Shaughnessy, Phyllis Walter, Mazy Wompole.
7th Grade—Wilbur Adams (all A's).

Semester Honor Roll

Seniors—Mary Jane Gulick, Iva May Sommers (5 A's, 1 B), Robert Smithson, Arlene McCann (all A's).
Juniors—Evelyn Davies, Alice Garneau, Charlotte Sue Miller, Beverly Payne, Owen Payne, Tom Boothby.
Sophomores—Doris Batten, Howard Smith, Elaine Waterbury.
Freshmen—Malvina Smith.

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- Stokely's Mixed Vegetable, 3 cans 25c
- Stokely's Whole Beets, 2 cans 19c
- Pillsbury Best Flour, 24 1/2 lbs 83c
- Pillsbury's Farina, pkg 9c
- Pillsbury's Pancake Flour, pkg 9c
- Karo Syrup, can 10c
- Mazola Oil, pt can 22c
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- Wyandotte Cleanser, 2 cans 15c
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Clarkston Locals

Everyone will be sorry to learn that the 3 lb. son born to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dieck of Ormond Road, Davisburg on Sunday, January 29th at the Mary Green Hospital in Clarkston passed away late on Monday night.

Churches

CLARKSTON METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Dwight S. Large, Minister
10:30 Service of Worship, conducted by Rev. Large with special music by the Youth Vested Choir, directed by Mr. Boyns and Mrs. Perrin. Rev. Large will give the last in the series of annual Bible sermons. The sermon Sunday is entitled "What I Like Most in Luke".

11:30 Church School, directed by Lewis Warden and Orlo Willoughby. Classes for all ages.

New Testament awards will be made young people who have had perfect attendance records in December and January.

6:30 Epworth League worship service and discussion for all young people of Clarkston. Come and exchange your ideas with others in current problems.

CLARKSTON BAPTIST CHURCH

Rev. W. C. Ballagh, Pastor
"The Old Time Religion Now"
10:30 a. m. Morning worship.

12:00 Sunday School. Pearl Olson, Supt.

6:00 The Young People will meet under the direction of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Morrow.

7:30 p. m. Sermon by the pastor. Thursday.

7:30 p. m. Weekly prayer service.

SEYMOUR LAKE METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Dwight S. Large, Minister
9:00 Service of Morning Worship, conducted by Rev. Large. The sermon, "What I Like Most in Luke" will conclude the annual Bible series, which this year have been based in the Gospel of Luke.

10:30 Church School, conducted by Mrs. Iva Miller.

WATERFORD CHURCH

Rev. Howard Jewell, Pastor
S. S. at 10:15. Supt., H. B. Mehlerberg. Classes with teachers for all. Church service at 11:15. Rev. Howard Jewell will bring the message.

DRAYTON UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Clarence J. Sutton, Minister
Sunday School, 10:00 a. m. Lloyd Bowden, superintendent.

Morning worship 11:00 a. m. Message, "The Lord God of Elijah". Juniors and Young People meet at 6:30 P. M.

Evening worship 7:30 p. m. Message, "Wanted—Harvest Hands".

Prayer service every Wednesday night 7:30 p. m. Choir practice at 8:30.

Are We Headed for a Widow's World?

Do you know there is a little hen-pecked midwestern town where a widow's mite pays 75 per cent of the taxes and her might rules the community 100 per cent? There is, as you'll find described in a human interest article in The American Weekly with the February 5 issue of The Detroit Sunday Times. Statisticians say the whole country is moving towards this sort of matriarchy. Be sure to get Sunday's Detroit Times.

INDIAN MUSIC AT HARTLAND HALL

Noted Red Man Will Give Recital Next Sunday

Chief Flying Iron will give a lecture-recital of Indian music at 3:30 p. m. Sunday, Feb. 5, at the Hartland Music Hall.

A Montana Sioux Indian, with a rich background of Indian life, Chief Flying Iron has been educated at Cornell University and the Ithaca College of Music. He has the distinction of being the first and only one of his people to graduate from the Ithaca College of Music which he did, with highest honors, in 1926.

This musical training carried him into work with professional orchestras and bands. Among those with which he has been associated with was the late Patrick Conway's Concert Band which, with the late Victor Herbert and his orchestra and John Philip Sousa and his band, furnished the musical programs at Willow Grove Park, Philadelphia.

Since true world progress connotes the understanding of each nation by its fellow nations, Flying Iron brings progress closer through his interpretation of the Indian people, their customs, ceremonials, and ideas.

In his music, for instance, he has utilized genuine Indian themes, known to him because of his birth and life among the various tribes of the Northwest and has harmonized these for the piano, fully retaining the true primitive character both of the melody and of the peculiar rhythmic effects.

Flying Iron is a graduate of Mother Nature's School of Outdoor Art. He has studied painting with no other teacher. As the late Louis Agassiz Fuertes, artist and Professor of Zoology at Cornell University, said: "Flying Iron's paintings show a fund of native appreciation of honest and fine feeling for natural beauty."

An outstanding exhibit of the finest Indian Art and handicraft is used as a part of the stage setting of his programs. This feature alone introduces a note of unusual interest and educational value. Flying Iron's landscapes and portraits in pastels, water colors, and oils portray nature realistically.

In feature programs Flying Iron appears in a native costume composed of the most magnificent Indian hand-tanned buckskin and eagle feathers, handsomely beaded and representative of the finest in American Indian handicraft and art work. This was made and presented to him by his people in the west.

Miss Shirley Douglas is employed by the Detroit Edison Co., and not with the Consumers Power as mentioned in last week's paper. We regret the error.

Coming Events

Feb. 3rd—Friday evening at 8:00 o'clock there will be a special joint meeting of the Campbell Richmond Post No. 63 and the Ladies' Auxiliary at the home of the Commander, Ben H. Comstock, 79 N. Holcomb St., Clarkston. All members are urged to attend.

Feb. 6th—Monday evening the Joseph C. Bird Chapter, D. E. S., will hold the regular meeting. A pot luck dinner will be served at the Temple at 6:30. The meeting will be called at 8:00 o'clock.

Feb. 7th—Tuesday evening the Clarkston Junior Literary Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Edwin Hooper in Drayton Plains.

Feb. 7th—Tuesday—The February meeting of the Official Board of the Clarkston Methodist Church at 8:00 in the church. Rev. Large will conduct the meeting, which will consider the plans for Lent and Easter. All officials are asked to keep this date clear for this important meeting.

Feb. 8th—Wednesday afternoon the Royal Neighbors will meet at the home of Mrs. Percy Craven. There will be a pot-luck dinner served at noon.

Feb. 10th—Friday night at the Masonic Temple in Clarkston there will be a Valentine Party (Dance) for Masons, Members of the O. E. S. and invited guests. Coleman's orchestra will furnish the music.

Feb. 11th—Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock the Child Study Club will sponsor a Sale of Baked Goods at the G. A. Walter Store.

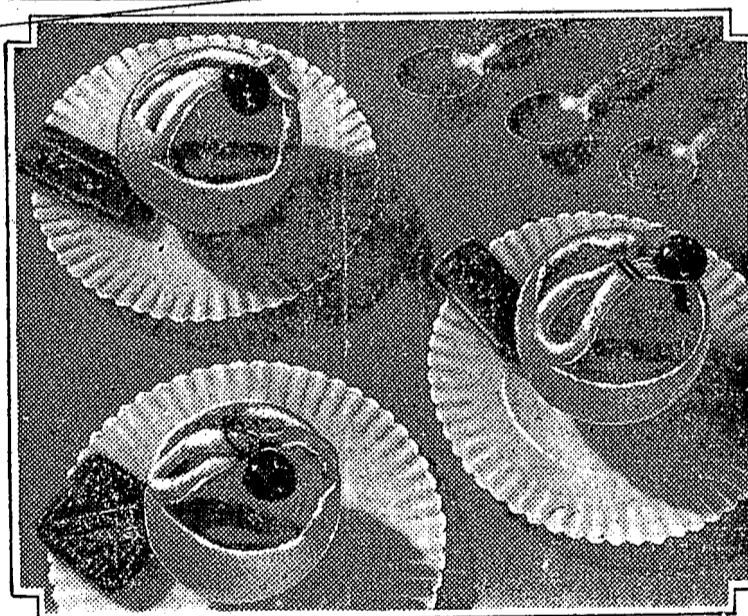
Feb. 15th—Wednesday evening the Clarkston Child Study Club will meet at the home of Mrs. John Alanier.

REDMAN EXPLAINS WORKING OF LAWS

Do Not Confuse Old Age and Unemployment Benefits

Persons who receive unemployment compensation benefits under the job insurance law of the State of Michigan do not reduce or change benefits these workers or their heirs will receive later under the old-age insurance part of the Social Security Act. This statement was made today by Walter B. Redman, manager of the Social Security Board field office in Pontiac.

THAT DAINY TOUCH



By BETTY BARCLAY

In each community you will find one hostess who has built a reputation for herself because she is always able to serve something "different"—something that will bring a gasp of surprise and delight from her guests.

She may be a member of the younger set who constantly seeks advice from the woman's pages of her newspapers and magazines or who has equipped herself with the latest books on kitchen lore. She may be an elderly matron who has learned the secret of "that dainty touch" through years of watchful experience. But somewhere, in your neighborhood and in mine, there is such a woman.

There should be more it is so simple to serve things differently that anyone can do it. An attractive salad; unusual dishes; radishes with that "flower effect" caused by a little cutting back of the skin; a sprig of parsley on the meat; croutons in the soup; a sherbet between courses; the dessert served in an unusual container—these are but a few of hundreds of little things that make a great impression on guests. No heavy outlay of money is needed. It's the dainty touch that counts. A few of these little things change an ordinary meal into a feast, just as surely as the absence of napkins, or of ice cubes in the water will reduce that same meal to a "handout."

For instance, here is a recipe for a very simple yet popular dessert, served in a way that will add much to the appearance of your table and the appreciation of your guests. Furthermore, this is inexpensive in spite of its attractiveness. No eggs, no boiling, no baking—just a little time and care in the morning before the company comes, a few hours to cool, and there it is.

Chocolate Rennet-Custards in Orange Baskets
3 large oranges
1 pint milk
1 package chocolate rennet powder

Cut oranges carefully into halves in the usual way, squeeze the juice out, and remove the membranes from the shells. To make baskets, cut a strip around the top of the shell about 1/4 inch wide, leaving it attached for about 1/4 inch on opposite sides. Lift up the strips and tie together with a ribbon or wire. A cherry may be attached.

Warm milk until lukewarm (120° F.). Remove from stove and add rennet powder, stirring until entirely dissolved. Pour into the orange baskets and allow to stand without moving for 10 minutes. Set in refrigerator to chill. Yield: 6 desserts.

To make the dessert still more festive, make little nosegays of violets or wild flowers and thrust them through the ribbon that ties the handles of the baskets; or use tiny sprays of apple blossoms, or forsythia.

"Now that Michigan is paying job insurance benefits some persons have the idea that this money is coming wholly or partly out of funds which workers and their employers pay under the old age insurance plan," Mr. Redman said.

"The two sets of benefits are entirely different. The fact that a person receives job insurance benefits has nothing whatever to do with payments which will be made later under the old age insurance plan. None of the money contributed for old age insurance benefits goes toward the payment of job insurance benefits. Job insurance benefits are not deducted from old age insurance benefits and the workers' accounts set up by the Social Security Board are in no way affected by any benefits drawn under the Michigan unemployment compensation law," Mr. Redman added.

He said money payments due under the old age insurance plan are paid direct from the U. S. treasury while job insurance benefit checks are issued by the State of Michigan after it has withdrawn money from the state's unemployment compensation trust fund which on December 1, 1938 amounted to more than \$36,000,000.

HOLLY THEATRE

The private life of "Zaza", the notorious star of the French music halls, whose mad infatuation for a man she could never marry, is bared in the new picture of the same name, new vehicle for Claudette Colbert and which Paramount has used as the will present next Sunday at the Holly Theatre.

With Miss Colbert, Herbert Marshall, Bert Lahr and Helen Westley the chief figures in the drama, "Zaza" presents an amazing and daring story of life behind the scenes of the French music halls. Marshall has the role of the society man who falls for the allure of "Zaza" against his better judgment and goes from one folly to another until both their lives are wrecked. Lahr is "Cascart", Miss Colbert's vaudeville partner, and the complete vaudeville hooper right down to his "barber-pole" trousers and time-honored stage gags. Completing the leading foursome, Miss Westley is a quaint character as "Zaza's" tiptling foster-mother.

Others in the all-star cast of "Zaza" are Constance Collier, who plays a sentimental old servant. Genevieve Tobin, Miss Colbert's rival on the stage and in love, and Walter Catlett. A prominent newcomer is Rex O'Malley, fresh from the Broadway musical comedy, "You Never Know". Having been seen on the

screen only once before, in "Camille", O'Malley plays a friend of Miss Colbert.

The story of "Zaza", as scripted by the ingenious Zoe Akins from the Berton-Simon play traces the tempestuous love affair of Miss Colbert and Marshall from their first chance meeting to the day when the girl is forced to make her final tragic decision. Against the gaudy, lusty background of the French music halls, it tells a half-comic, half-tragic tale of one girl's realization how little women of her kind mean in the long run. George Cukor directed.

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