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By The Way

Signs of Fall—Students will register September 4 for the coming school year. Incidentally Carl Bralec, Superintendent asks us to announce that some teachers are looking for a place to call home, a place to room and board for this school year. You can get in touch with him if you change your mind and decide to rent that extra room. . . . While we would not be considered as an appraiser of real estate values. . . . facts seem to indicate that real estate prices are soaring, even unto the clouds. . . . V-J Day in this community was just another day. . . . The political pot is beginning to heat. Inquiries are appearing in our mails as to advertising rates in the coming election issues. Call the politicians what you will, they know the value of advertising. . . . Some of our vacationers are experiencing cold and rainy weather in the north and are spending more time at home than was originally planned. . . . The way vacant lots are selling there is going to be a huge amount of building when restrictions are removed. . . . Are the children planning what they are going to wear in the Pet and Costume parade on Labor Day? . . . While I am not fussy about playing golf, the game does appeal to me when I see my friends going out to play and I have to work. . . . This district is going to have a furniture store—just south of the Burke Lumber Company on Dixie. . . . It takes different opinions to make the world go round. The Federal government delays the terminal leave pay five years when the veterans of World War two will be wiser in the ways of spending money. And the southern states are allowing returned veterans the right to vote and run the government at eighteen years of age. I am not good at running. So I am not going to voice an opinion. You figure it out to your satisfaction. It comes the time our allotted space is filled but because we want you to leave us smiling, let's try this: The mother praised her young daughter for keeping quiet so papa could sleep but was horrified to hear the youngster reply: "I wouldn't wake papa nor for anything. I want to see him holler and jump when that cigarette burns down to his fingers".

WHAT'S HAPPENING IN THE STATE PARKS
Ortonville state recreation area teen-age camper borrowed a mule from a cooperative farmer to haul their duffel when they went overnight "gypsy hikes," cooking and sleeping in the open. Clifford Rathbun, manager of the Bald Mountain state recreation area, reports two foxes ran through his back yard. . . . A bald eagle was a visitor to Sleeper state park last week. . . . Some Detroiters are seeking a state park within 100 miles of their city which will provide for horses as well as people so they can take their mounts in trailers and do their camping in western style. . . .

Mirror lake in Porcupine Mountains state park will get the first of the park's projected cabins. Arthur C. Elmer, chief of the conservation department's parks and recreation division, announced after a visit to Michigan's newest state park. . . . Elmer found visitors making the rugged four-and-a-half mile hike over some of the park's toughest trails to the lake. There now are no accommodations for them at the trail end. . . .

Trail building in the park is on schedule, and some logs for the cabins have been cut. Estimates of park use, based on automatic traffic counter tallies, indicate 3,500 people are visiting the Porcupines each week. . . .

In addition to their own passenger cars, farmers use 34 percent of the motor trucks now in service in the United States, Automobile Club of Michigan reports.

Holly Theatre

"The Friendly Playhouse"

FRI.-SAT., Aug. 16-17—2 Big Features—Monte Hale, Bob Nolan in "HOME ON THE RANGE" in Technicolor, and Chester Morris, Jeff Donnell in "THE PHANTOM THIEF".

SUN.-MON., Aug. 18-19—Lana Turner, John Garfield in "THE POSTMAN ALWAYS RINGS TWICE".

TUES.-WED., Aug. 20-21 — 2 days only—Double Horror Pictures, June Lockhart, Don Porter in "SHE WOLF OF LONDON" and Lois Collier, Paul Kelly in "THE CAT CREEPS".

Our Boys and Girls In the Service

Guam Aug. 5, 1946

Dear Mr. and Mrs. Stamp: I feel quite ashamed of myself for not writing all the time I've been over here, but there is so little to tell about life on Guam. Naturally the big thing over here is getting home. If the War Department fulfills its latest promise I'll be a civilian by September 30. I'm very anxious to get home to see my family and friends. I'm especially anxious to see the old gang again. I wish to thank you again for all the times I've received the Clarkston News and I also wish to thank Mrs. Howland for the little note she wrote me on last week's front page. . . . I suppose my main purpose in writing you is to tell you to stop sending the paper. I may be here for a couple or three weeks yet, but after that it won't be any avail to send me the paper. . . . In closing, again I wish to convey my thanks to you. . . . Respectfully, John W. Baughman

'Y' Representative And Wife Write Interesting Letters

The following letters were received by Mr. and Mrs. George A. Perry of Clarkston. They were written by Mr. and Mrs. George A. Fitch, friends of the Perry's, and also known to many local residents. Mr. and Mrs. Fitch are Y.M.C.A. representatives in China. Elmhurst, L. I., N. Y. August 5, 1946

My Dear Friends: Usually I manage a mid-summer newsletter, but my winter letter was written after my return from China, so you heard from me in May. Better than a long letter from me now will be the enclosed from George. . . . When I returned to Elmhurst I found that an apartment on my floor had been blown sky-high. A man committed suicide by turning on the gas, and a spark (probably from the icebox motor) ignited the gas-filled room. Little was left of that apartment; an adjoining one was badly damaged; and mine which came next was not jarred enough to get repainted. . . .

While my brother-in-law, Dr. Fred Tucker, is in China, and his wife at Mackinac Island, Bob and I are holding down their new home in Summit, N. J. You may address me through August at 34 Hobart Avenue here, or at Elmhurst, Bob is working at chemistry in the basement. A national magazine accepted an article of mine on the Yellow River project, paid for it but did not publish it when available pictures did not quite tell my story. . . .

Sincerely yours, Geraldine T. Fitch (Mrs. George A.)

Ito House, Tokyo, Japan July 3, 1946

Dear Friends: I am sure you are no more surprised than I am to find me over here in Tokyo. Nearly four weeks ago an Army plane dropped out of the blue on Kaifeng and with less than two hours warning, in which time I had to settle my affairs, clear up all out-standing matters with my UNRRA staff, delegate authority, and throw a few things into my bag, it flew me to Nanking. I was ordered to attend the Tokyo War Crimes Trial as a witness. I thought I'd be able to get out of it, for Col. Sutton of the International Prosecution Section had told me three months earlier it was sufficient for me to make an affidavit of what I had seen and experienced during the occupation of Nanking; so I left with a minimum of clothing, even without my passport, and with the understanding that I'd be flown back to Kaifeng the next day if it was decided my presence at the trial wasn't necessary. But that evening they convinced me otherwise. So I had three pleasant days in Nanking with my son Kempton, who is regional manager for the California-Texas Co. there, three more in Shanghai where I stayed at the luxurious Cathay Mansions with son John who is now engineer-in-chief for the Army broadcasting station, and then with several other witnesses and officials flew the six-hour course to Tokyo. . . .

We occupy a very comfortable Japanese residence known as Ito House which was especially prepared for our accommodation. It is located on top of a hill three miles south of the Imperial Palace and is surrounded by beautiful trees. We get every attention one

could want including the services of attractive kimonoo maids, a Japanese steward, American mess sergeants, and staff cars to take us to the War Ministry where the Prosecution Section is housed, about town, or on occasional excursions to Japan's beauty spots. It's not a bad vacation! . . .

An Invitation—

Dear Friends of 4-H Clubs: You are cordially invited to attend the 4-H Club Exposition, August 16 and 17 at the Great Oaks Stock Farm, on Hamlin Road at Rochester Road. The exposition will be held at the calf barn. . . .

4-H Club members will exhibit the results of summer project work in dairy, swine, sheep, poultry, rabbits, horses, crops, garden, flowers, food preparation, and food preservation. . . . Exhibits will be open to the public Friday and Saturday. Judging will begin Friday at 9:00 a. m. and last all day. Demonstrations will be given Saturday morning. The final program Saturday afternoon will begin at 2:00 p. m. and will present the outstanding exhibits of the show. The livestock parade will conclude the exposition. . . .

Sincerely yours, LYN LEWIS District Club Agent

Gerald E. Eddy is New State Geologist

Michigan's tenth state geologist, Gerald E. Eddy takes up his duties August 1 when Dr. R. A. Smith, a veteran of 27 eventful years on the job, retires. . . . Since Douglas Houghton served as the first state geologist 109 years ago, men in this position have pioneered in development and conservation of Michigan's resources. . . . Eddy, a mining geologist, is a graduate of Michigan State College and the University of Michigan, and has been with the state geological survey since 1933, except for three years' military service in the Caribbean, as an army captain. He makes his home in Lansing. . . .

LOCAL 4-H CLUB PREPARES FOR FAIR

The 4-H Club meeting was held at the home of Marian Emery on Thursday evening, August 8, at 8 o'clock. Plans concerning the Fair were discussed and made. Refreshments were served and all had a good time. Plans for the next meeting will be announced after the Fair. . . .

Ellen Rockwell

DONDERO CREDITED WITH ATOMIC BILL AMENDMENT

Rep. George A. Dondero, 17th Michigan District, is responsible for an amendment to the Atomic Control Bill, recently passed by the U. S. House of Representatives, under which all persons associated in any capacity with the development and control of atomic energy under the Commission and all violations of the act shall be investigated by the Federal Bureau of Investigation. . . .

While Mr. Sigler's visit to Oakland County Aug. 22 is important in an organizational sense, he will come to the county again this fall when the campaign really gets under way. . . .

Changes Take Place In Processes of Law

Realization that fair play and efficiency must be made part of the administrative processes of government has been the most significant development of the war years. Blythe Stason of the University of Michigan Law School declares. . . .

"Two important progressive changes in administrative law have taken place in the last five years," Dean Stason points out. "First has been the beginning of some notable statutory reforms of procedure, and second, a further refining of the administrative process through the case by case impact of court decisions." . . .

THE HOME TOWN TEAM NEEDS YOUR SUPPORT

The Clarkston baseball team has been playing some good ball games lately, but there has been a marked decline in attendance lately. Where are all our baseball fans? The vacation summer season may have something to do with the drop in the number of spectators. Nevertheless, it would certainly do wonders to the morale of the home town team if they could step up to the plate with a "full house" in the bleachers to cheer them on. The Clarkston team is doing a good job, so let's get in there and give them our support. You'll enjoy the afternoon and at the same time give the boys on the team the encouragement and spirit to win which they so richly deserve. . . .

Florida Bar to Play At Clarkston Sunday

Florida Bar of a class "A" league from Pontiac, will make their second appearance in Clarkston on Sunday at 2:30. Earlier in the season, Clarkston's local team defeated the well known Pontiac club 9-3. Ted Nesmith will again take the mound for Clarkston. . . .

Last Sunday the Clarkston club added another victory to its long list by defeating the Pontiac Rams. Numerous errors proved fatal to the Rams, while local team took to the inside rail with a thrilling 15-4 triumph. . . . This Sunday's game should be especially interesting since Florida Bar is out to avenge the defeat suffered at the hands of the local team in their last engagement. But Clarkston is determined to hold the edge over the Pontiac club by clinching this coming game. Remember, the game starts at 2:30 Sunday afternoon at the Clarkston high school grounds. . . .

Sigler Is Guest of County Republicans

Kim Sigler, Republican candidate for Governor, will be the guest of the Oakland County Republican Committee, dinner, and Party workers at a candidate meeting in the Pontiac Hotel Thursday evening, August 22. Sigler's visit to Oakland County is part of his swing through Michigan's 3 counties, which began July 14 in the Upper Peninsula. . . .

Clarkston Locals

Mr. and Mrs. James McBain of Clarkston-Orion Road spent Sunday with Mrs. McBain's nephew, Romine Minard, and family at Sanford, Mich. . . . Mr. and Mrs. Horace Theriot and infant son, Edward, who have spent the last three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Drake, left on Monday to make their home in Caldwell, Idaho. . . .

TURKEY VULTURES HIT BY HOUSING SHORTAGE

Even turkey vultures are taking an interest in old houses, as wreckers razing a tumbledown building here discovered when they came upon a vulture nest with fledglings. It is the most unusual nesting site for vultures—the big black soaring birds commonly called buzzards—on record here, as ordinarily they rear their young in ground nests or old tree stubs. . . .

NOTICE

Although the Clarkston schools will be open on Tuesday, Sept. 3, the students will not register until 9:00 a. m., on Wednesday, Sept. 4. Tuesday will be devoted to a meeting of the teachers. . . .

Safety Program Ends Successfully

The eight weeks Water Safety program sponsored by the Oakland County Chapter of the American Red Cross completed its classes last week according to Mark Smith, chairman of Water Safety, with a total attendance of 5405. Classes were offered at 15 beaches and pools of the county and a total of 800 certificates were awarded to individuals who completed the various tests. Beginners, intermediate, swimmers, advanced swimming and junior and senior life saving have all been completed under the direction of Russell Palmer. . . .

In addition to this program Bradford Kempton, Helen Adams and Lillian Arvenson have directed classes at Elizabeth and Union Lakes on a volunteer basis. A Junior Red Cross program has been carried on in Waterford township under the direction of Miss Edwina Peuter, Junior Red Cross director and in cooperation with the Waterford Township Board of Education. . . .

Romeo Peach Queen Is Chosen Tonight

In a contest at the Romeo High School on August 16th the Peach Queen of the Michigan Peach Festival, August 31, September 1 and 2, will be chosen from a field of eleven candidates from Lapeer, St. Clair, Genesee, Oakland and Macomb counties. . . . The girls competing for the title of "Peach Queen" will be judged by outside judges. Highlights of the festival will be the coronation of the queen, the queen's ball, the soap box derby, children's parade, Mummers' Parade and others. . . .

Clarence Vliet Visits Rotary

Plans are completed for the Labor Day Parade to take place at 10:00 A. M. the morning of the 2nd of September. Prizes for the various costumes will be presented after the contestants have paraded from Miller Road, down Main St. and have congregated in front of the Ford Building. Downtown traffic will be rerouted, and motorists and business men will be in complete charge. This parade is becoming one of the most popular and outstanding yearly events in Clarkston, and a capacity crowd is expected. . . .

Clarence Vliet, former superintendent of schools in Birmingham, also a former resident teacher and superintendent of schools in Clarkston, honored the Rotary Club Monday evening with a most interesting talk on the history of Clarkston. Byron T. Beardshaw and G. A. Walter, lifelong friends of Mr. Vliet, were guests and they, along with the members of the club, thoroughly enjoyed the reminiscing speech. Other guests included Henry B. Mehlberg and Edwin Lambertson, Waterford-Drayton Rotarians. . . .

Mr. Vliet related how in the early days Michigan was a sink-hole and very little government aid was given towards the development of the state. . . . In 1828 the Saginaw Trail was opened and the settlers began to pour in. Deer and bear were plentiful. The address was made very interesting by the mention of little incidents such as the following: Pigeons were so crowded and friendly that they would sit on logs the settlers were barking for their log cabins. It was even alleged that sometimes a good man with an ax would find many pigeon legs lying on the ground with the bark when the log was finished. . . .

One of the early superintendents who taught was Mr. Kraft, whose memory is still revered in Clarkston. . . . In mentioning people of the past in Clarkston, O. D. Smith was mentioned. In fact his nick-name of C. O. D. Smith was recalled. It seems that in his day Mr. Smith was a good man on a typewriter and loved to "order things C. O. D." It was especially mentioned that one of Mr. Smith's feats included ordering a latte that took two flat cars to carry—and which was finally returned because of failure to deliver on time. . . .

It seems that in the early days to go to and from the depot, it was necessary to go by way of M-15 and the Dixie. The owner of the land now used as Depot Road, would not sell the land for that purpose. Finally an old law was found that said if a team of oxen, hauling a load of grist, could pass over certain ground, that land became a public road. So a load of grist was prepared and the oxen started across the way which is now Depot Road. They floundered, got stuck in the sink-hole and got out again to finally cross the distance and forever establish that route as a public highway. . . .

Mr. Vliet's memory recalled Harrison Walter and a number of other business men of the past, including the Jossman family who were the early bankers for this community. . . .

Births

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Powell an 8 lb. daughter, Janet Sue, on Wednesday, August 14, at the Pontiac General hospital. . . . Michigan suffered the largest loss of motor vehicle registrations, both in number and percentage, of any state during 1945. . . .

JUNIOR LITERARY CLUB HAS ANNUAL PICNIC

The members of the Junior Literary Club held their annual picnic at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weston on Wompole Drive in Clarkston on Saturday evening. The members' husbands were guests. On account of the inclement weather a hot picnic dinner was served indoors. . . .

During the evening card games were enjoyed and interesting colored movies were shown by Harlan Oakes. The pictures were taken while he was on a fishing trip in northern Ontario. The country was quite rough but the scenery was beautiful. . . .

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Adventure Offered In Navy Career

Visiting the scene of events that made history in the past war is just one of many thrills in store for men enlisting now in the Regular Navy, according to Commander George M. Winne, Officer in Charge of Navy Recruiting in lower Michigan. . . .

Men 17 through 30 seeking to establish themselves in a line that offers good pay, job security, and rapid advancement will do well to consider the advantages offered by enlistment in the Regular Navy. . . .

Complete information on enlistment on the third floor of the Federal Building, Detroit, or at Navy Recruiting Stations located in Flint, Grand Rapids, Jackson, Kalamazoo, Lansing and Saginaw. . . .

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Waterford

ADULT BIBLE CLASS ENJOYS PICNIC

Eighteen members of the Adult Bible Class of the Community Sunday School enjoyed a picnic supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Stevens at Williams Lake Tuesday evening. Henry Mehlberg gave the lesson.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Maxwell on the Hatchery Road on September 10, 8:00.

LUTHERAN CHURCH GUILD MEETS AT CA BUILDING

The Guild of Christ Lutheran Church met at the Community

Activities Building last Wednesday afternoon for pot luck dinner at 12:30 with Mrs. Arthur Haynes, Mrs. Lloyd Gidley, and Mrs. Edward Reiner as hostesses.

The Rev. Milton Lundahl of St. John's Lutheran Church of Pontiac spoke on the Church Year. Mrs. Albert Dryden conducted the meeting in the absence of Mrs. Richard King. Plans were made to have the second Fall Festival on October 29 which will be accompanied by a penny supper. Mrs. Stanley Hawkins is general chairman.

Those in charge of the nursery for the next three Sundays will be Mrs. Richard Lambertson, Mrs. Joseph Helman, and Mrs. Emery Beedle in the order named. Mrs. Harry Harrop, and Mrs. Earl Wilcox. This meeting will be on September 4 with Mrs. Clifford Wood, Mrs. Philip Jordan, and Mrs. Agnes Flickinger as hostesses.

The next meeting will include the annual election of officers. The nomination committee includes Mrs. P. L. McLaughlin, Mrs. Harry Harrop, and Mrs. Earl Wilcox. This meeting will be on September 4 with Mrs. Clifford Wood, Mrs. Philip Jordan, and Mrs. Agnes Flickinger as hostesses.

This Saturday is Mission Night at the Patterson Street Mission in Pontiac at 8:00 for the Community church. The public is invited.

Mr. and Mrs. John Miller have been away for several days on vacation.

Mrs. Al Kray and Mrs. James Lambertson report having had a good time last week at Bob-Lo with the Girl Scouts.

Mr. and Mrs. Al Kray and daughter Joan spent last week-end with relatives at Remus.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Beebe and son Jimmy were called back to

West Branch on Tuesday because of the death of her father. The Beebes had just gotten home from West Branch on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Hoadeley of Waterford announce the engagement of their daughter Claudia Evelyn to Robert J. Brill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Julian L. Brill of Williams Lake. The wedding will take place at the Hoadeley home on August 30.

FIREFIGHTERS MEET AT TOWNSHIP HALL

The Waterford Township Firefighters Association met at the township hall Tuesday evening with new officers in charge. Those who were elected two weeks ago were: Elmer Fangbner, president; James Lambertson, first vice president; Bert Hilliker, second vice president; Edward Smith, treasurer; Robert Poorman, assistant treasurer; Frank Foster, secretary; Otis Allen, assistant secretary; Keith Riley, Joseph Helman and Leonard Nelson, trustees; Earl Wilcox and Earl Rives, guards; and Perry Stivers and Charles Swaim, guides.

The firemen meet at the township hall every two weeks to discuss matters of importance which help them protect our community. With the exception of the two men who stay at the fire hall alternately for periods of 24 hours the rest of the department is strictly volunteer and is always ready to do its best to save homes and lives.

The department owns an inhalator and have found it necessary to use it several times this summer.

Persons calling for the department are urged to give the proper addresses where they are needed. On several occasions wrong addresses have been given and this is serious because every minute counts when the fire department is needed.

Stewart Farnor of Flint visited friends here on Sunday. Stewart lived here a few years ago.

Mrs. Lottie Robinson and Mrs. Robert McDonald of Pontiac were callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Spooner last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Spooner and Mrs. Henry Mehlberg called on Mrs. Mehlberg's daughter, Mrs. Fred Tuck, last Friday at Wayne.

Buddy Simmons celebrated his eighth birthday on Tuesday and his little cousin Jerry Ryan celebrated his first anniversary. The boys exchanged pieces of birthday cake.

Mrs. Robert Barnes returned to her home last week-end after having been confined to a Pontiac hospital for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Jacober announce the birth of a son, James Harold, at Pontiac General hospital Monday afternoon.

The young people thirteen years and over wishing to attend the Luther League Bible Camp near Brighton next week are urged to get reservations to the Rev. Philip A. Jordan immediately. The period begins at supper time on Tuesday, August 20, and continues until

Sunday afternoon. A good time is guaranteed to all wishing to attend. About a dozen from this community have already made reservations.

Mrs. Charles Hobbs and daughter Virginia of Chaffee, Mo., were house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Bliss last week. The ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ash of Hollywood, Calif., have been house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Mitchell. Mr. Ash makes recordings for several movie stars.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Storie of Stambaugh were also recent guests at the Mitchell home.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Lambertson recently entertained with a birthday dinner for Mrs. Lambertson's father, Tony Look.

Nancy Attwater is in Pontiac this week visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Kennedy.

Jack Flickinger is spending two weeks here while his wife and daughters are up north. He is visiting his mother, Mrs. Agnes Flickinger.

Mrs. David Mehlberg and Mrs. Don Hetchler were honorees at a pink and blue shower Friday evening at the Community church. The Ladies' Auxiliary of the church sponsored the shower and the hostesses were Mrs. William Granger, Mrs. Lawrence Giddings, Mrs. Frank Schultz and Mrs. Wright VanPlew. The evening was spent playing games and gifts were presented to Mrs. Mehlberg and Mrs. Hetchler. Refreshments were served by the hostesses.

Patricia and Martha Davidson are spending a two weeks vacation at Charlevoix.

Donna Kay Lambertson is visiting in Detroit for two weeks.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wright VanPlew and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Goll and daughter Norinne are spending a week at Central Lake with the Deo Bunker family and then a week at Maranatha.

Mr. and Mrs. George Attwater entertained a group from the Sunday school of the First Baptist church at their home Thursday evening with a weiner roast.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schultz and two sons spent the week-end at Bay City with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Terry are spending a vacation in northern Michigan with relatives.

Esther Walter and Barbara Beedle are enjoying ten days at Mackinac Island. The girls are visiting relatives of Esther's.

O. L. Siegman has returned to his home after treatment at St. Joseph's hospital in Pontiac and

will be confined to his bed at home for a while.

Mrs. Ernest Stevens will entertain the Birthday Club at her home next Wednesday. A pot luck dinner will be enjoyed at noon and a social afternoon will follow.

The Moms will meet at the home of Mrs. Henry Mehlberg for a 1 o'clock cooperative luncheon on Wednesday. The business meeting will follow. The ladies will have Christmas cards and wrappings for sale. They always have everyday cards and wrappings for sale.

The playground program for the children in the township ends today (Friday), and it has really been a great success. The children have enjoyed every minute of it and have benefited greatly. We now have a lot more swimmers in our township.

Community Activities

Program given by children of Christ Lutheran Bible School at 7:30 Friday evening.

Library open at 8:00 Friday evening.

Community party at 8:30 Friday evening.

Catholic instruction class at 10:00 Saturday morning.

Library open at 9:00 Saturday evening.

Modern and old time dancing at 9:00 Saturday evening.

Catholic mass at 8:15 Sunday morning.

Lutheran Sunday school at 9:45 Sunday morning.

Lutheran services at 11:00 Sunday morning.

Musical skit and dance between 8:00 and midnight Monday evening.

Waterford-Drayton Rotary meeting Tuesday noon.

The library will not be open Wednesday evenings until the youth gatherings are resumed in September.

Persons having library books out which belong to the state library are urged to bring them in as soon as possible as it is the time to return them to the state library in exchange for two hundred different ones. Most of the books in our library belong to us, but we do have two hundred which be-

long to the state and we do appreciate being able to use them.

Wednesday afternoons are devoted to work in the library between 1:00 and 4:00 and anyone wishing to help is welcome to come.

The Daily Vacation Bible school has been a success through the efforts of Pastor and Mrs. Jordan and several women in the community. At 7:30 this evening (Friday) the children will put on a program which is open to the public to display the things that have been accomplished during the past two weeks. Some of the children will receive certificates and awards. The children are to be at the Community Activities building at 7:00.

You are sure to enjoy the wonderful singing that the children are doing.

Drayton Plains

Mary Lou Oakes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Oakes, and Kenneth Soncrainte, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Losche of Glennie, Mich., spoke their vows Saturday morning, August 10, at 9 o'clock in St. Michael's Church, Pontiac, with Rev. Michael J. O'Reilly reading the services.

The bride was lovely in a white wool suit with white accessories and carried a bridal bouquet of red rose buds and white snapdragons. Marjorie Oakes, sister of the bride was maid of honor and wore a grey dress with black accessories and a shoulder corsage of red roses and gardenias. Raymond Graessle was best man.

A wedding breakfast was served at the Roosevelt Hotel, followed by a reception given at the bride's home in the afternoon from 2 till 4. The couple left immediately

afterwards for a honeymoon in northern Michigan.

Sylvia Fraser and Janice Goulet entertained a group of friends at the former's home recently. Games and dancing were enjoyed and refreshments were served. Guests were Pat Laderoot, Betrie Lou Cross, Phyllis Curtis, Dennis Burling, Ronald Grover, Charles Fenske.

Sue Bruick and Nancy Dalzell of East Lansing were visiting their aunt and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Watson and Pat last week. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Curtis and family of Sault Ste. Marie were guests of the Russell Fraser's last week.

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Men's Club held a special meeting Tuesday evening, August 13, and voted to sponsor a bowling league. Mrs. Nolan Brown and Mrs. Charles Sniffen were appointed for publicity and Miss Lelia Jeffery and Mrs. George Werner are to contact sponsors.

Next Tuesday, Aug. 20, the Auxiliary will hold an open meeting. All women in Drayton Plains who are interested in bowling are invited to attend and register that night.

Mrs. Josephine Zottalo of New York, mother of Mrs. Bernard Gould, was winner of the Thermos jug given away at the Drayton Plains community picnic Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Gould have returned to their home in New York after having visited their son Bernard Gould and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Stranhan and son Douglas Jan, accompanied by Edna Reims are spending a two weeks vacation in northern Michigan.

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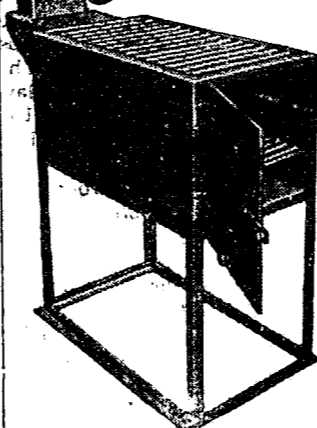
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Destroy Homes of Fruit Bark-Beetle

Ray Hutson, entomologist at Michigan State college, issues warning that this may be a heavy year for fruit bark-beetle infestation and urges fruit growers to destroy breeding places to prevent their operation.

Heavy infestations usually come in a hot dry summer following a good growing season. No spray

or treatment has been perfected to kill the fruit bark-beetle. However, if the breeding places are done away with, the loss due to the killing of the twigs on the branches will be prevented.

The pests are found in apple, plum, quince, wild cherry, mountain ash and Juneberry trees. They breed in trees of this type which are unthrifty. Oftimes dead trees are allowed to stand until at such time as it is convenient to take them out. It is in this type of

a tree that the fruit bark-beetle breeds, Hutson says. They will then spread to the new twigs on thrifty trees and do considerable damage.

Dead trees, left as brush piles in orchards for use in late spring in making smudges, should be made up of brush other than those which harbor the fruit bark-beetle. Otherwise a breeding place is made available for the pests, Hutson explains.

Snap Bean Freezing Can Be Made Easy

Variety and the right method of preparation will solve your snap bean freezing problem, believes Mary Woodward, home demonstration agent.

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Pack into air-tight, moisture-proof containers, leaving 1/2 to 1 inch air space. Seal containers and start freezing as soon as possible.

If beans must be kept for a short time before taking to a locker-plant, store them in the refrigerator. Even then, fruits and vegetables packed for freezing lose color and flavor rapidly, Michigan State college experiments show.

If you are going to can snap beans they should be cut into pieces, cover with boiling water, boil for five minutes. Pack into jars hot and cover with hot cooking liquid. Adjust lids process in pressure cooker at 10 pounds—30 minutes for pints and 40 minutes for quarts.

REVIVE WORLD WAR I RACKET ON GRAVES

Relatives of the nation's war dead are being warned by The American Legion to shun all persons and organizations attempting to sell information and advice about the graves of fighting men buried overseas.

It is believed that old World War I racket of selling such information has been revived by persons playing on the sympathies of the next-of-kin of war casualties.

As recently announced by The American Legion, complete plans have been made for the repatriation of this country's 328,000 World War II dead, and the army and navy will soon write next-of-kin to obtain instructions for disposition of the bodies.

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800 Participate in Safety Program At Oakland Lakes

Approximately 800 individuals participated last week in the Water Safety program of the Oakland County Chapter American Red Cross according to Mark Smith, chairman of Water Safety. Recent drownings in Oakland County, because of their circumstances, indicate that the matter of safety in the water is a personal matter. The Red Cross program endeavors to teach aquatic skills which will enable an individual to avoid situations which may endanger his life. This program has been established for the past eight weeks and closes this week with one or to exceptions of beaches which were unable to open classes at the beginning of the season.

Sow Seeds Now For Perennials

Early August is a good time to sow seeds of many hardy perennials, says C. E. Wildon, horticulturist at Michigan State college. A location that is partly shaded should be selected, or a shade of cheese cloth may be erected over the seedbed.

Seeds of pansies, violas, forget-me-nots, and English daisies can be sown and the young plants transplanted in September. Other perennial plants that can be started at this time are Canterbury bells, aquilegia, delphinium, foxglove, anemone, carnation, centaurea, coreopsis, shasta daisy and heliopsis.

To properly grow these plants from seed, the soil should be carefully prepared. Wildon suggests you mix thoroughly through the top four or five inches of soil, either leaf mould or peat to the amount of 20 to 30 percent of the soil. The purpose is to hold moisture in the soil and to encourage strong rapid growth of the seedlings.

The soil should be watered as required to have enough moisture present to get good germination of the seeds and healthy growth of the seedlings. Many growers cover the soil with burlap immediately after sowing and the burlap is kept damp by spraying with water two or three times a day. The burlap must be removed as soon as the young plants start to crack through the soil.

Farm Woodlot Is Very Important At the Present Time

Farmers with woodlots might well give more consideration to better forestry management, thinks Paul Herbert, head of the forestry department at Michigan State college. Not only Michigan and the United States, but the entire world is fast running short of timber.

Foresters of the U.S. department of agriculture say that in the last 30 years, standing timber in the United States has been reduced by 40 percent. Herbert relates that in Michigan it is estimated that sawtimber is being cut twice as fast as it is growing. So it isn't any wonder when buyers from European countries came here looking for wood to repair war damage, they found we had little to export. They did not find much lumber in Canada either.

South America has a vast amount of hard and heavy timber, but transportation makes its availability limited. Africa has much timber left, but China and India have comparatively little still available.

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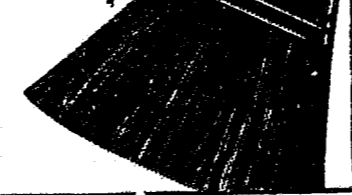
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So the farmer with a woodlot in Michigan can afford to spend more time practicing forest management. Michigan State college, through its extension specialists, is prepared to help show the farmers how they can do a better job, Herbert states.

Clothing Stored Now Affected by Mildew

Clothes stored slightly damp, where air cannot circulate through them on hot summer days, may mildew according to Lola Belle Green, extension specialist in clothing at Michigan State college.

Clothing put away in air-tight bags should be thoroughly cleaned, sunned and aired to make certain it is dry. If stored in a dry place, or in a moisture-proof container, garments properly prepared are out of danger, Miss Green relates.

Mildew is not a simple stain, as many believe, but is a fungous growth which eventually "eats" into the fibers of the cloth causing serious and permanent damage. It thrives in a damp, warm, dark and unventilated place.

Unless proper precautions were taken to make certain clothes were dry when stored, it might prove profitable to make a midsummer examination to see if any mildew has started. If so, Miss Green suggests they should be removed, brushed, sunned and dried outdoors. Spounging will remove a light surface growth on wool. Soap and water will remove very fresh mildew from washable material. Mild bleaches, such as lemon juice and salt, may be used on white fabrics.

If mildew has been left too long, however, there is no way of erasing its damage.

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BACK KELLY'S PLAN FOR NATIONAL GUARD

Gov. Harry F. Kelly's recently announced plan to bring the new Michigan National Guard "to an advanced stage of readiness" has the hearty endorsement of Upper Peninsula American Legionnaires.

Assembled in annual convention at Manistique July 19-21, representatives of the 50 Legion posts north of the Straits of Mackinac adopted a resolution favoring the replacing of the present State Troops by National Guards units throughout Michigan. Under the governor's plan the state will be

divided into six districts for National Guard organization purposes.

The U. P. Legionnaires also went on record for the proposed state bonus for World War II veterans, the celebration of V-J Day on August 14, and highest priority for veterans on automobiles, house, household appliance and all other 'hard-to-get' items.

Superintendents of schools from Michigan communities over 10,000 population recently gave unanimous approval to the AAA principle of teaching students to drive while in high school.



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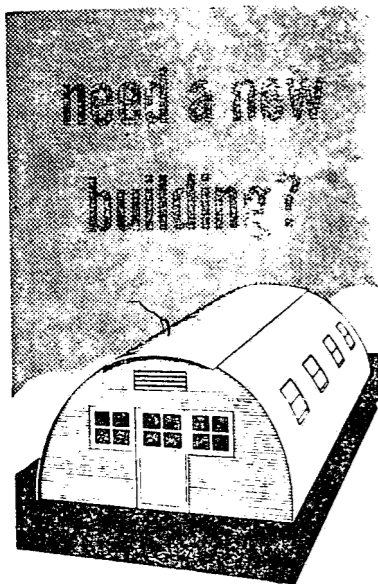
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Commission to Set Game Bird Limits

Which game birds sportsmen may take this season, and how many and on what days, will be formally decided when the conservation commission meets at the conservation department's Higgins Lake training school August 12.

Closing of the season on sharp-tailed grouse and prairie chickens in the lower peninsula has been discussed, as has a 10 a. m. starting hour on the opening day of pheasant season. Decisions on upland bird seasons were postponed from the May meeting to observe the success of this season's hatch, after the year began with a smaller than usual carryover from 1945.

While in session here the commission also will review 1945 federal waterfowl regulations. It has authority to reduce but not to enlarge the take in Michigan permitted by the federal rules.



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But young Barber won't go homeless for long. The Berkley American Legion Post has set up a "William Barber Home Building Fund" and several citizens of the town have offered their services to start the complicated machinery of house building rolling. Blue prints for a ranch type house have been drawn and considerable money has been donated toward the fund.

Planning to attend college in the near future the Berkley veteran is seriously considering law, a profession he could follow from a wheel chair. He is not married, but there is a girl in Santa Maria, California, and he expects her to come East soon.

GERMAN A POPULAR COURSE

After World War I, the teaching of German dropped off in American schools, but at present students of Michigan State college show a great interest in the language. Enrollment in other languages fell off sharply when the language requirement for graduation was in many cases omitted. But enrollment in German classes continues to rise, and a new high is expected this fall.

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Douglas Rae Taylor, a specialist visiting the University of Michigan Linguistics Institute, explains that long ago the Caribs invaded Dominica and captured all the women of the tribe then living there.

2,500 TO ATTEND STATE LEGION CONVENTION

With both state and national conventions booked for the near future, thousands of American Legionnaires in Michigan are rapidly becoming convention-minded. The state meeting will be held Aug. 16-19 at Grand Rapids, while San Francisco will entertain the national event Sept. 30-Oct. 4.

On the basis of one delegate for every 50 members the 512 American Legion posts in Michigan will send 2,500 delegates to Grand Rapids. At the national convention Michigan's official delegation will total 193.

In addition to the elected delegates a large number of unofficial representatives and guests are expected at both sessions. Since the state and national American Legion Auxiliary organizations are holding their conventions in conjunction with the Legion meetings the crowd will be doubly large, and housing accommodations at both cities will be at a premium.

CLAM DIGGERS GO TO WORK AFTER TWO-YEAR "HOLIDAY"

Busy again at clamming in Michigan rivers, after a two-year "holiday" resulting from a conservation commission closing order, are 239 clam diggers. One of the licensees is a non-resident.

Clamshells from southern Michigan's larger rivers like the Grand go largely to the pearl button industry. Clammers occasionally find small pearls.

MICHIGAN TO MARK V-J DAY

Evidence that Michigan's observance of V-J Day on August 14 will be a statewide event continues to mount. Many cities have already announced their programs for the day. In some localities several towns have joined to stage a joint celebration, while in other districts the observance is planned on a county basis.

Michigan's 512 American Legion posts took the lead in urging the state to set the day aside to welcome home all World War II veterans. The legislature voted Aug. 14 a legal holiday, and Governor Kelly has called upon all citizens to properly celebrate this first anniversary of the war's end.

Parades, free acts, barbecues, pavement dances and patriotic speeches are some of the events included in the many programs announced to date. In every instance World War II veterans will be the honored guests.

BOY GOVERNOR GOES TO NATIONAL FORUM

David Anderson of Iron Mountain, governor of the 1946 Wolverine Boys' State, sponsored by The American Legion this summer at East Lansing, will be Michigan's representative at the Boys' Forum of National Government in Washington, Aug. 4-9. The forum, inaugurated by the National Legion this year, will be a postgraduate course in government for outstanding members of every Legion Boys' State in the country.

A Boys' Senate, Supreme Court, Cabinet and national political convention will be organized to provide experience in the legislative, judicial and executive processes. The course of instruction will include talks by top national figures.

Young Anderson and his companions will lay a wreath on Washington's tomb at Mt. Vernon, and on the tomb of the Unknown Soldier in Arlington, and visit the Ford Theatre, Smithsonian Institute, Mellon Art Gallery, the Library of Congress and other points of interest.

At the recent meetings of the Michigan Association of Teachers of Vocational Agriculture, held at Michigan State College in conjunction with the 27th annual conference for teachers of vocational agriculture, the association named eight men to act as regional advisers for the Future Farmers of America.

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In the matter of the Estate of Albert William Downer, deceased.

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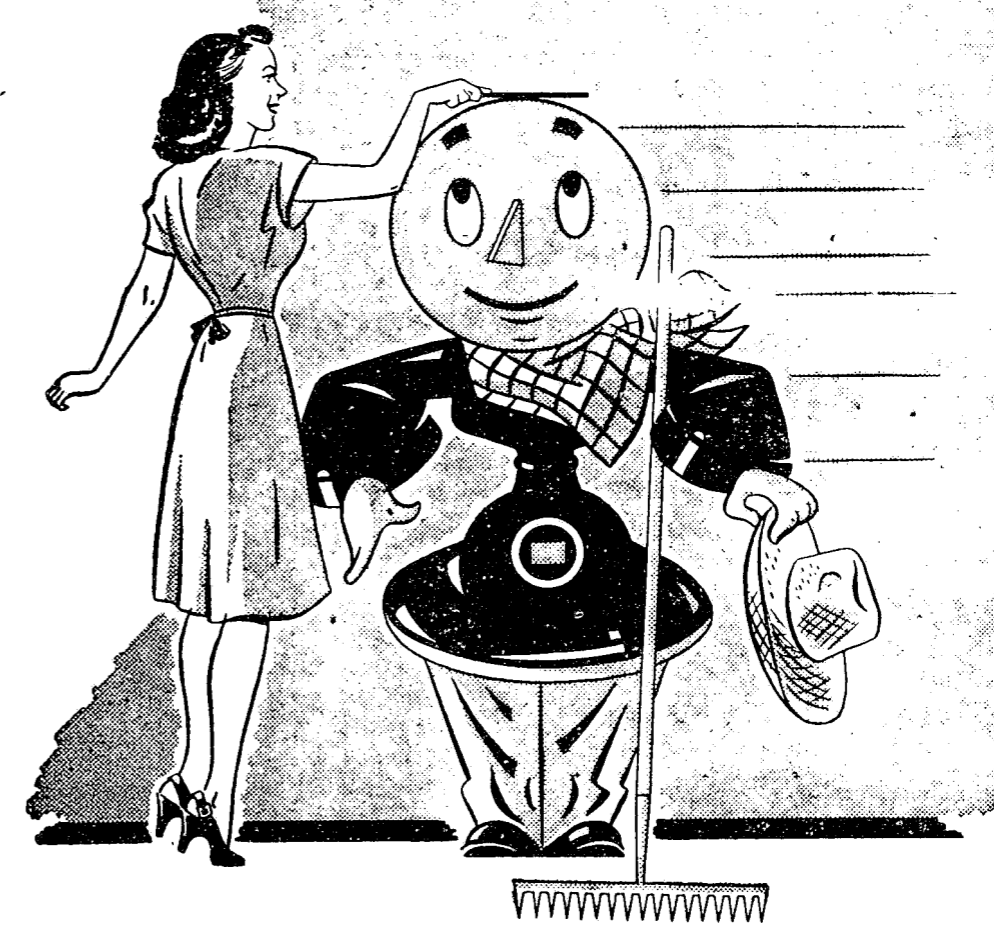
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Japs Want to Forget 'Past Hostilities'

Some Japanese evidently are striving to impress American occupation forces with their friendship and good will judging by the tone of a circular received from Japan by University of Michigan War Historian F. Clever Bald.

The circular was sent to the University by Major Ivan C. Ware, alumnus, who found it in a package he purchased in Osaka. Bubbled over with expressions of good will the circular is printed in English and bids "Welcome—to every member of the U. S. Advancing Forces, who is well-

behaved, humorous and cultured." What kind of a reception awaits men lacking these characteristics is not mentioned.

The leaflet continues, "Thanks for coming all the way from your homeland. We give up our past hostilities and accord you an enthusiastic ovation with warm heart of universal brotherhood. Please take care of yourself in a strange land."

There is more in the same vein, Bald reports, as the circular does its best to convince any G. I. that the Japs are his best friends. All he has to do is forget the late unpleasantness and his affable hosts will be happy to sell him all the souvenirs he can afford to buy.

Up to the end of July the college has approved applications of 4,000 new students, which with an expected total of 8,000 former students returning, will bring the fall term enrollment to 10,000, a new all-time high at the East Lansing school.

'MYSTERY' SOLVED

"Gratiot County's Mystery Animal", reputed to have killed three hunting dogs and a number of chickens, so puzzled farmers of it was displayed-- for a fee-- in a

carnival here that they called in Conservation Officer Harold Barrow and district game supervisor Oscar Warbach to have a look, too.

The conservation department men calmed the farmers' fears. They identified the "mystery" animal as a South American rodent, the agouti, common in this country only in zoos. And they pointed out that the sideshow's signboard appeared adapted to carrying the name of whatever county the show might be visiting.

M.S.C. LIMITS ENROLLMENT

Since August 1, Michigan State college has accepted applications for admittance as new students only from veterans residing in Michigan. These veterans from Michigan will have until Sept. 13 to apply for admittance for the fall term. Former students returning for the opening of the fall term are not affected by the new ruling.

Church News

CLARKSTON METHODIST CHURCH
Walter C. B. Saxman, Minister
10 a. m.—Church school; Class periods and worship service for youth.
11 a. m.—Morning worship service. Sermon will be delivered by Rev. Wm. H. Collycott in the absence of Rev. Saxman.
Tuesday, 7:45—Choir practice Orlo J. Willoughby, director.

CLARKSTON BAPTIST CHURCH
Walter C. Ballagh, Pastor
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School, Joseph Jencks, superintendent.
11:00 a. m.—Morning worship

6:30 p. m.—Young Peoples meeting. Two age groups.
7:30 p. m.—Evening worship.

CHRIST LUTHERAN CHURCH
Sunday school begins at 9:45 with Victor Kutchins as superintendent of the senior department and Mrs. Roy Olson superintendent of the beginners and primary department.

Church begins at 11:00 with Mrs. Martin Wager at the piano. The Rev. Philip A. Jordan will speak on "The Dishonest Stewart".
Mary Louise Buck will sing "The Beatitudes" by Malotte.

Those attending church and Sunday school are urged to come prepared for a picnic as the group will go to Davidsburg Park immediately after services for the annual picnic. Each family is asked to bring their own table service and sandwiches and a dish of food to pass. Ice cream, pop and coffee will be furnished. There will be games and contests for all ages.

Over a dozen young people have signed up to go to the Luther League Bible Camp next Tuesday, August 20, for a grand time until Sunday afternoon.

WATERFORD COMMUNITY CHURCH

Wright VanPlew, Pastor
Sunday school—10:00 a. m. Mr. A. Goll, superintendent. Classes are provided for all ages.
Morning worship—11:15 a. m. with Arthur Bjork, a Pontiac business man who is a missionary to the Kentucky mountains, as the speaker.
Young People's meetings—6:15 p. m. All young people are invited.
Evening service—7:30 p. m.

SUNNYVALE CHAPEL

Waterford Center Schoolhouse
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Morning worship—9:00 a. m. Rev. W. VanPlew in charge.
Sunday school—10:00 a. m. Mr. Floyd Evans, supt. Classes for all ages.

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Bible Study and Prayer Meeting
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'Y' Representative And Wife Write Interesting Letters

(continued from page one) piloting you to the next town. Our GI's go practically everywhere unarmed and unmolested. I have talked with a number of representative Japanese and they insist the people as a whole are grateful to America for having liberated the country from their war-lords. On the other hand one notices a certain sullenness on the part of some of the students and returning soldiers, which is only what one might expect from them. There is undoubtedly much real suffering in certain areas of Japan due to food shortages and high prices, and until rice is harvested in October it will become worse. Many are selling what they can, even their last bit of winter clothing, in order to buy necessary food. The monthly shipments of

two thousand tons of food-stuffs, clothing and medicals that will soon be coming from Christian agencies in America will do much to help and also serve to strengthen the feeling of friendliness towards us. Japan, too, seems to be making real if slow progress on the road to Democracy. The new Constitution that will shortly be promulgated is hailed as a model in every respect. And women for the first time are having a voice in public affairs and as members of the Diet. As for the Church, it has suffered seriously. Approximately a third of all the churches in Japan were destroyed, but this third represents nearly 70% of the total membership, for the buildings destroyed by our bombs were for the most part the larger ones. Four of our YMCA buildings were destroyed - Nagoya, Nagasaki, Sendai and one here, and the fine Tokyo city YMCA and also the YWCA, both of which escaped injury, have been taken over by

the Army as hostels for women personnel. I have talked with a number of Christian leaders, among them Mr. Soichi Saito for many years National YMCA Secretary, now temporarily chief of the determined and hopeful, they feel desperately the need of more leadership. Many pastors have had to take other work because their congregations could no longer support them, not a few are incapacitated by malnutrition. This week a thousand men in one of the industries here bought New Testaments and subscribed three yen each for the expenses of a teacher. The doors are open, the opportunities tremendous - but trained leadership is lacking. And now for a brief word about my last year in China. As most of you will recall, I went to the Northwest in September, 1944, as regional secretary for that area, but because my colleague, Baen Chu, was unable to get back through the Japanese lines after his trip to see his family in Shanghai, I had to devote practically my entire time to general secretaryship of the new and flourishing Lanchow Association. While on a trip to Chungking last September UNRRA asked me to be deputy regional director at Shanghai. My three years of additional service in the YMCA after my retirement was due would be up at the end of December; the War was over and younger and abler men would now be available for work in China; so although the National Committee YMCA asked me to stay on for a further three years, I reluctantly came to the conclusion that it was time for me to step aside and enter this new field. After three more months in Lanchow, waiting the arrival of Earle Buckley, my successor, I flew again to Chungking, was joined there by my wife who flew in over the "Hump" from India, and a week later we flew down to Shanghai. There we were fortunate in getting a small flat in the YMCA apartment house, having our meals with the Merlin B. Bishops, Dwight Edwards, Lyman Hoover, Orrin Magill, J. C. Oliver and Ronald Rees. It was a most happy arrangement. Shanghai was different from the city we had known before, though outwardly it was much the same. It was only the

industrial districts that had been seriously bombed. But with increasing inflation, high prices for everything even in terms of US\$, the difficulties of transportation, industrial unrest, uncertainties in the political situation, the confusion inevitable in getting a huge organization like UNRRA into efficient operation, Shanghai was no longer the great fascinating, friendly city we had known before. Still, the work was interesting; and it was wonderful to have Gerry with me again, also our son John of the Navy who was able to get shore duty and live with us. We celebrated our first Christmas together in ten years. Then on Jan. 2 Kempton arrived and was with us a week before going on to Nanking. I was asked to take special responsibility for displaced persons and also conduct a survey of all relief organizations in Shanghai. Our biggest problem was the 15,000 Germanic Jews and the thousands of destitute Koreans. The latter were largely repatriated by our Army; some of the former were able to get to America, Mexico, Australia and elsewhere, but the majority will constitute a problem for some time to come. With Gerry's return by the Globester in March, I was asked to go to the Honan regional office in Kaifeng, ancient capital of China under the Tang and Sung dynasties. I was glad of the change, for here in Kaifeng one feels an even greater sense of need and also of accomplishment than in Shanghai. Honan is, in fact, UNRRA's star region. For here is not only a great famine with an estimated two millions facing starvation, but here also is the great Yellow River project and the first tractor plowing and training project ever to be attempted in China. The south dike of the River, as some of you will remember, was dynamited at the order of the Generalissimo in August of 1938 to stop the advance of Gen. Dohihara, the "Lawrence of Manchuria" as he has been called and now on trial here, who had just occupied Kaifeng. An estimated 246,000 Chinese, mostly children and oldsters, and tens of thousands of valuable farm animals were drowned in the flood that swept over two millions of acres of fertile farmland and found a new outlet to the sea through the Grand Canal and the Yangtze River; but China was saved. Dohihara's crack army that would have marched on to Szechuan and the capital was also lost, only a small remnant left. It wasn't until 1941, three years later, that they again succeeded in crossing the Yellow River and capturing Chengchow, the important rail junction fifty miles west of Kaifeng—only to be driven out

a month later. And it was another three years before they were able to recapture Chengchow and start their march to the southwest. But by that time the Chinese were too strong for them. The actual job of closing the Gap and repairing the dikes along the lower stretches of the old river bed is the responsibility of the Yellow River commission; UNRRA's job is to supply certain engineering personnel, chief of which is O. J. Todd, flour for the two hundred thousand workers and medical care. The latter is done through CNRRA, the Chinese organization which is responsible for all relief operations in the field. One of our most difficult hurdles was in getting the cooperation of the Communists. Over two hundred miles of the old river bed is in Communist-controlled Shantung province and it was only natural that UNRRA wished positive assurance that the dikes would be repaired and provisions made for the 168,000 people who had moved into the old bed and established villages and farms there, before the Gap was closed and the river diverted back into its old course. Our dealings with the Communists have been, on the whole, fairly satisfactory. In northern Honan we have assisted CNRRA in distributing flour, clothing, medical supplies and seed money in that Communist-occupied area and our workers have received courteous treatment. Work was interrupted by fighting between the Communists and Nationalist forces but was renewed later when a truce was called. In the vast wilderness just south of Kaifeng where the flood swept everything before it and where we are now operating our tractor project, we were halted for a couple of days by the appearance of a Communist band, but through their representatives with whom we were dealing on the other matters that threat was soon disposed of. What is to be the ultimate solution of the Nationalist-Communist imbroglio only time will tell. We can only hope and pray for the best. There is much that is laudable, much that is deplorable, on both sides; but the Communist claim that they are establishing real democracy in their areas is only so much poppycock. Gunther Stein gives an idealistic picture of communism at work in China in his "Challenge of Red China" but while his picture may be more or less true of Yanan their capital, which I have myself visited, it is no more true of the rest of Communist China than is say one of the model countries manned by Jimmie Yen's graduates true of the rest of Nationalist China. Our main effort in agricultural rehabilitation is the tractor pro-

ject which I have already mentioned. We hope to have 700 tractors in Honan before long, 2,000 in all China. Vast areas are being brought into cultivation that would otherwise lie waste for lack of animal and man power. One tractor will do the work of 70 men and 140 oxen. The story of what is being done in the way of cultivating the soil, rehabilitating the villages, bringing food and better health to the once flooded area is an inspiring one and one that should be told in greater detail than I can do now. We also have our industrial experts who are trying to rehabilitate the coal mines that have been lying idle, perhaps stripped of their machinery, to start handicraft industries, many of them on a cooperative basis, in general to speed up the wheels of production in this province that has been so cruelly wrecked by war. Then there are the displaced persons, hundreds of thousands of them, who fled from flood or invader and must now be assisted wherever possible to get back to their homes. There are orphanages, schools, hospitals to be assisted—relief takes a multitude of forms of which the above gives you only the meager outline. It is an inspiring task, and I count myself

fortunate in having been called to it. I am expecting to take a month's furlough at the end of the year when I hope it may be my privilege to see you and other friends in America. Until then, my very best wishes to you. Ever sincerely yours, GEORGE A. FITCH

Waterford-Drayton Rotary Club News

At Tuesday's meeting of the Waterford-Drayton Rotary Club the members sang several verses of "Home on the Range" in honor of Joe Seeterlin, Clarkston Rotarian, who is recovering from an illness. Norman Roth, program chairman, introduced "Dutch" Morris, Jack Beeler, Ralph Coyne and Sidney Teague who comprise the "Chief City Four" quartet. They sang a number of interesting songs to the delight of all members. Charles Robinson, Clarkston Rotarian, and Edd Biddinger, Waterford-Drayton member, played a number of very fine piano selections. Among the guests were Jim Stites, W. J. Goodings, Dr. A. D. Riker and Dr. Klausmeyer.

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