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**"American security is YOUR security!"** That's the theme of a sure way to beat inflation. It's also the best protection known against a severe shock of deflation.

The other day we received an urgent invitation from the United States Treasury department to a conference to be held in Chicago. Newspapers were being called upon for a resumption of war-time patriotic service. The stakes were high: Survival of the American system of free enterprise itself.

What was it all about? Well, here's the story:

The cost of modern war is tremendous. It skyrocketed our national debt to 279 billions at the close of World War I. The interest alone is 5 billions each year, \$9,000 every minute of the day and night, every day in the year.

Rising price of foodstuffs and clothing has prompted many bondholders—those families in the low income earning group—to turn in their bonds for cash.

During the war these families couldn't buy radios, washing machines, and other things for their homes. Credit was restricted by government. You couldn't buy diamond rings on credit. You had to pay cash.

And so Americans bought war bonds and, after the war, saving bonds. We waited until the post-war day when this bright new merchandise would be available. And if you have been in department stores recently, you will agree that we Americans have been spending our money pretty freely. Christmas sales were the highest yet, and retail inventories are fairly low.

And yet, despite our rush to buy goods, we—the American people—have a net worth of 46 billion dollars in Uncle Sam's bonds. That's a lot of money. It is the best bulwark available to cushion us against the shock of depression.

And so the Treasury Department, in cooperation with retailer and industrial leaders and farmers, is going to ask us to return to war-time saving as a way to lick the inflation. Instead of buying things we could get along without, we are asked to invest in Security Bonds of the United States government. Yes, that's the new name for them.

The Security bond campaign is to open Feb. 15 in Michigan. It will close June 15.

A recent public opinion survey disclosed that 19 per cent of industrial workers were dissatisfied with the American free enterprise system, and another 22 per cent were "on the fence," neither favorable nor unfavorable.

This minority could become a majority, if the nation were to be plunged into a long depression. Dictatorships thrive when people are willing to trade freedom for food.

How can the effects of the business cycle be cushioned? First by saving money for the proverbial rainy day. Save!

That's why the new Security bond is your security.

**Breaks Hip in Fall Wednesday Afternoon**

Mrs. Anna Hoag, who has been making her home with Mr. and Mrs. George P. Staffan this winter, suffered a broken left hip Wednesday afternoon of the past week, when she was knocked down by the scuffling of two dogs, one of which belonged to the Staffans. The dog was accompanying her on a short walk, and was joined by a dog that came bounding across the street, and in the ensuing scuffle they bumped against her, causing her to lose her balance and fall. The accident happened in front of the Methodist church, a short distance from the Staffan home.

Mrs. Hoag was taken to St. Joseph's Mercy hospital, Ann Arbor, and it is reported that she is quite comfortable.

It is expected that she will be confined in the hospital for about nine weeks. Her room number is 478.

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**CHS Bulldogs Win League Engagements**

**Roosevelt Downed Last Friday Eve., Manchester, Tues.**

By DWIGHT GADD

Chelsea's Bulldogs rang up win number two in league competition this season by whipping Roosevelt High's Roughriders, 35 to 29, last Friday night at the local gym.

The game started just as inauspiciously from the crowd's standpoint as the game the week before at Saline. Neither team could hit and at the end of the first period the visitors were on the big end of a 6 to 5 score.

However, both their lead- and Chelsea's scoring inability came to an abrupt end in the second quarter. The local quintet found the range to perfect a perfect 13 points while holding the Roughriders to four, to take a commanding 18-10 halftime lead.

After the intermission the Bulldogs took up right where they left off the period before by netting 10 points while holding Roosevelt to only two free throws. With a 28-point lead at the end of the third stanza, Coach Newkirk pulled his varsity and let the substitutes finish out most of the last quarter.

Roosevelt manhandled their smaller and inexperienced opponents during the fourth quarter, outscoring them 17 to 7, but the varsity came back for the last two minutes and protected their lead until the final whistle.

Guard, Oscar Hansen, paced the victors with nine points, closely followed by Emil Rait, Roosevelt's forward, who dumped in eight.

The Bulldogs look better with every appearance, a tribute to our new basketball coach, Doug Newkirk. Squad members are overcoming their inexperience, both individually and as a unit. They now have a 3-0 and 3-0 record for a .500 average, and it should improve as the season progresses.

Chelsea's "Bullpups" lost last Friday night to the little Roughriders, 35 to 29, despite a great second half rally. Trailing 19 to 6 at the half, they came back right after the intermission and outscored the visitors 20 to 18, but they were just too far down to make it. Brand led the victors with 12 points, while Heydaufl and Crocker were each dumping in six.

Chelsea, 37; Manchester, 27

With revenge in their hearts, the Bulldogs trounced Manchester, 37 to 27, last Tuesday night before a capacity crowd at the local gym, to even up with the Dutchmen for a 54-52 defeat suffered at Manchester in the first game of the season.

Chelsea grabbed an early lead, instead of waiting until the second period as has been their custom in the past few games, and netted 11 points while holding Manchester to one free throw during the first quarter. The Dutchmen came back scrapping and outscored the locals 9 to 4, and reducing their lead to only 16-10 as the teams left the floor at half-time.

The third period was one of the most thrilling periods from the spectator's standpoint, to be desired as Manchester fought back to tie the score three times and outscore the Bulldogs 12 to 10. At the end of the period the score was tied, 22-22. The excitement at this time was not only high in the crowd but in the players as well, and Way of Manchester and Baldwin of Chelsea were banished from the game for staging a pushing and shoving contest on their own.

For the first three minutes of the last quarter the game remained nip and tuck, with the score being tied up more times, but at that point Miller racked up two buckets as did Bob Vogel and they defended their lead until the end.

Jim Miller, Chelsea guard, took scoring honors for the evening with 19 points on five field goals and by converting nine out of 10 charity tosses. Wayne Trolz, Manchester center, was high for the losers with 10.

Manchester's Coach McCabe stated after the game that Chelsea's improvement from that first game on Dec. 9 at Manchester, until now, is the most improvement he has seen in a team in only half a season. That has been noticed by many of you who have attended the games regularly, too.

Tomorrow night the boys travel to Lincoln High School for their fourth Huron League game of the season. Lincoln is only about eight miles south of Ypsilanti, so let's have a large crowd of Chelseaites there at 7:00.

See you at game time!

**AWARD GARBAGE CONTRACT**

Robert Lantz has been awarded the contract for garbage collection in Chelsea for the coming year, beginning Feb. 15, 1948. His bid of \$2,500 is \$500 less than that paid for the service the past year.

Francis Bacon, Eleanor King and Eleanor Schenks, of Ann Arbor, were lunch and dinner guests and spent the afternoon and evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schneider.

**Manchester Still Leads Independent Basketball League**

**Former Exchange Teacher Tells of Chelsea, England**

Miss Josephine Davis, a teacher in the Mack school in Ann Arbor, speaker at the Elementary PTA meeting in the Home Ec. room at the High school Wednesday evening, Jan. 21, very charmingly described her year as an exchange teacher in England. Of special interest to her listeners was the fact that for five months of her year in England she taught at a school at Chelsea.

She said that her idea, when she went to England, was that she would attempt to improve American education to the English, but found that English education was meeting the needs of the English children just as American education is meeting the needs of American children.

The friendly feeling between parents and teachers in England is found to be general in America, does not exist in England, she said, and parents were not even welcomed at some of the schools. Parents there, she said, seemed somewhat indifferent to the educational needs of their children; of paramount importance to parents in England, was the procuring of food, clothing and shelter for their families which is very hard to do with all the shortages of the barest necessities of life that is being experienced in all European countries.

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Following Miss Davis' talk refreshments were served by the committee for the month, Mrs. George Barlow and Mrs. Charles Cameron.

**Independent League Standings**

| Team                 | W | L | Pct.  |
|----------------------|---|---|-------|
| Manchester           | 5 | 0 | 1.000 |
| Grass Lake Merchants | 4 | 1 | .800  |
| Millers, Chelsea     | 3 | 2 | .600  |
| Chelsea Merchants    | 2 | 3 | .400  |
| Grass Lake Church    | 1 | 4 | .200  |
| Cassidy Lake         | 0 | 6 | .000  |

**4-H Tractor Clubs To Hold Auction Sale of Used Farm Machinery**

The Washtenaw County 4-H Tractor Maintenance Clubs are having plans for a farm machinery auction sale at the Paul Cheney Implement store, 4101 Jackson Road, Ann Arbor.

This sale should furnish an opportunity for farmers to sell their used tractors and machinery, which are still in great enough demand to bring a higher price than could be realized at trade-in values.

The 4-H tractor clubs hope that through sponsoring an organized sale they will be giving a real service to Washtenaw farmers.

Ord. Price of Stockbridge has been selected as auctioneer. Several pieces of equipment have already been acquired for listing and an advertising plan has been set up.

The sale will be held on a consignment basis with the 4-H boys retaining five per cent of the sale price of the machinery brought in. The 4-H boys will sell for less than one hundred dollars will be retained. This money will be used to pay for advertising and expenses of the sale. Any money left over will help finance the annual 4-H plowing contest and achievement awards for 4-H boys completing the tractor maintenance projects.

Proceeds from this sale are used by the Kiwanis Club to help the crippled children at University hospital.

The 4-H boys and girls have always given generously to this worthwhile project.

To facilitate efficient gathering of contributions throughout the county, 4-H members are asked to take their goods to the home of their local leaders. Members of the county 4-H council will collect them from there and bring them into the sale.

**FFA Club Preparing for District Meeting**

The Chelsea Future Farmers have just completed the first series of local contests in preparation for the District meeting at Saline on March 2. The students listed below will compete in one more local contest, at which time boys will be chosen to represent the school at Saline.

**"Farm Cooperatives,"** Walter Zeel, Duane Bott, Oscar Hansen

**"Lima Lion,"** Kenneth Proctor and Jim Clark.

**"Soil Conservation Districts,"** Richard Carlson, Oscar Hansen and Ralph Erke.

**"Dairy Feeding,"** Oscar Hansen, Joseph Heydaufl and Allan Erke.

**"Tractor Electrical Equipment,"** Willie Schulz and Roy Guenther.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trinkle attended the funeral of Otto Stierle at Salem Lutheran church in Scio township, Sunday afternoon.

**Grade PTA Hear Talk on Eng. Schools**

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**County 4-H Clubs To Help Kiwanis Annual Rummage Sale**

Washtenaw County's 4-H clubs will be giving their support to the Ann Arbor Kiwanis Clubs annual rummage sale, Jan. 29, 30 and 31.

The 4-H club members, as they have in previous years, will have a booth where they will sell eggs, canned goods, vegetables, dressed poultry, baked goods, groceries, clothing, popcorn, butter and other saleable farm products.

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**WEEK-END AT HOUGHTON L.**

Donald Eddor and Duane Luck spent the week-end at Houghton Lake on a fishing trip. Saturday evening they were invited to the opening of Pine View Lodge, where the queen of Roscommon county was crowned. The lodge is very beautiful, according to the boys, and has a nice dance floor. They also report a nice ski run there.

Walt's Cafe now features complete entertainment; beer, wine, fish and chips, dancing and billiards. Located west of Chelsea, see Corners on Old US-12. adv.



"SINGING SENTINELS," Kaiser-Frazer Corporation's famous male quartet, which will present a program at St. Paul's church next Thursday, Feb. 6, is shown above. Members of the quartet are from left to right: Herman Klieck, Chuck Faris, Del von Zeuthen and Ken Rogers. There is no admission charge for the program.

**Singing Sentinels Will Appear at St. Paul's Ev. Church**

Through the courtesy of the Kaiser-Frazer Corporation at Willow Run where they are members of the Public Relations department, the Singing Sentinels, four harmonizing vocalists of wartime Kaiser shipyard fame, will appear in Chelsea next Thursday, Feb. 6, at 8:15 p.m., at St. Paul's church hall. Their appearance here is sponsored by the Young People's League of the church and the public is cordially invited to attend the performance. There is to be no admission charge but, a free-will offering will be taken which will be added to a fund being raised by the Young People's League of the Evangelical and Reformed churches in this area for purchase of a campaign of their own.

The four Sentinels are all professional singers—Ken Rogers, bass; Herman Klieck, tenor; Del von Zeuthen, baritone, and Chuck Faris, music director and tenor. The story of their singing together goes back to Pearl Harbor. They got to get into war work, they found it as plant protection men in the Kaiser shipyards in Oregon. Because they liked to sing, they formed a quartet and their uniforms naturally suggested the name "Sentinels."

The Sentinels made more than 1,500 appearances as shipyard guards. They were the voices that launched 743 ships in the Puget Sound Vancouver area. Henry Mentzner, a secretary of the treasury heard them sing in Portland and got them to make a movie short, "America's Answer," for war bond drives. They traveled through several states, singing their way in to the heart of America. Their first appearance in Michigan was at St. Paul's church in 1946.

Although all the Sentinels have broad backgrounds of training and experience in music, they prefer the songs that most of the ordinary folk sing. There is no head man among the Sentinels. Chuck Faris is music director and he and Ken Rogers have composed several songs with their own lyrics and for commercial distribution. Den von Zeuthen often acts as master of ceremonies and he and Klieck take charge of ribbing notable at public gatherings, at which the Sentinels are adept. All are soloists. Klieck is a relative of Mrs. P. H. Grabowski.

The four Sentinels and their wives will be guests at the annual get-together dinner of St. Paul's church which will be held in the church dining room at 6:30 o'clock preceding their performance.

**Kiwanis Members Hear Report on District Convention**

George Doe, Kenneth Runciman and Dr. Parker Sharrard, who attended the Kiwanis District convention at Grand Rapids last week, gave their reports of the convention at the regular Kiwanis meeting Monday evening at the Municipal building. Their reports showed that thirty-six clubs from all over Michigan were represented by the two hundred delegates in attendance.

Lowell Davison, chairman of the combined Kiwanis and Chamber of Commerce committee appointed to head the project of sponsoring a move to bring the proposed change to a city form of government in Chelsea before the voters, led a discussion on civic government, which completed the evening's program.

**Another Story About 'The Good Old Days'**

A handbill found among the effects of the late William Schatz, owner of the Corner Barber Shop at North Main and East Middle streets for many years, was brought in to The Standard office recently by his son, William, present owner of the business. The handbill gives very interesting information on the price of the "staff of life" in other words, the price of bread, which now sells for eighteen cents per loaf in most cases.

The handbill, which it is thought, was printed early in the 1900's, or possibly even as early as 1898, lists bread "at the same price it is sold for in Detroit and Jackson—4 cents per one-pound loaf, or seven loaves for 25 cents."

It was evidently not necessary to buy all seven loaves at once because seven bread "tickets" were advertised for the price of 25c, or anyone could get three dozen cookies or fried cakes for the same amount of money.

The reason given for the low price was the "drop in the price of flour."

Proprietor of the Central Bakery that had the handbill printed, was J. G. Earl, who will possibly be remembered by some of Chelsea's older residents.

**Allocation of State Sales Tax Fund Made**

Allocation of Michigan state sales tax under the sales tax diversion amendment, as listed by County Treasurer Clyde Fleming, shows Chelsea's share for the last three months of 1947 to be in the amount of \$2,324.08, making a total of \$18,049.38 allocated here since the diversion of part of the sales tax to local units began Dec. 5, 1946. This does not include the amounts allocated to the schools here. Figures for the various school districts in the county for the last three months of 1947 have not yet been prepared, the total amount for the entire county being \$117,367. Computation for school districts is made at the rate of \$5.59 for each school child and for cities, villages and townships, at the rate of \$1.48 per capita, based on the 1940 census.

**'FOUNDER'S DAY'**

A "Founder's Day" program is to be given at the February meeting of the High School PTA which will be held Monday evening, Feb. 2, at the High school. Miss Mabel Fox and Mrs. Martin Steinbach are in charge of program arrangements and parents are urged to attend the meeting and learn of the origin and aims of the PTA movement as brought out in the Founder's Day program.

Refreshments will be served.

John Bacon, of Empire, spent Saturday here visiting relatives and friends.

**Methodist Church Conducted January Teaching Mission**

**Discussion on Gov't Change Held Monday**

During the month of January the local Methodist church conducted a teaching mission for four Sunday evenings. There were two study divisions in the program each Sunday evening beginning at 7:30, the adult division met on the ground floor of the church while the youth group met in the church study.

The adult division made a careful study of the text, "Committed Unto Us," written by Dr. Willis Lamott at the request of the Missionary Education Movement of North America. Dr. Lamott who had been a missionary in Japan, and educator, who served on many national and international Christian Education commissions, gave his thought in the book to the study of the evangelistic impulse, the heart of Christian Missions, throughout the world. Those of the local church leading in the timely discussions were: Philip Miller, Dr. Joseph Fisher, Charles Cameron and Miss Mabel Fox.

The youth group made a careful study of the text, "For All of Life," written by Wm. and Charlotte Wiser who had lived in different periods in India. The course was conducted by Mrs. Orville W. Morrow who was generously assisted by several of the young people.

Following each study period there was an assembly when the evening participants enjoyed and were inspired by a fine selection of "sound" motion pictures of the "A" class.

Each evening was concluded by light refreshments and fellowship. Committee chairmen, Mrs. Edwin Gaunt, Mrs. James Nutt, and Mrs. Jay Weinberg were assisted by Mesdames Burk, Chaplin, Kelley, McClain, Sorensen and Wolfgang.

**March of Dimes Drive Is Falling Behind**

If last year's total of about \$700 is to be equalled in this year's March of Dimes drive here, contributions will have to come in at a faster rate than they have been to date, according to a check made by the local chairman, Mrs. Walter Mohrlock. A number of contributions from local organizations have been received, she said, and many contributors, such as the local factories, etc., will be turning their donations in by the end of the week.

Mrs. Hickman Price, Jr. of Ann Arbor, county chairman of the drive for funds for the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, which marks its tenth anniversary this year, has stated that the reserve fund from previous years is now nearly depleted and the campaign will depend solely on this year's campaign for its successful handling of polio in 1948. For that reason donations this year should really be increased wherever possible.

**Attend Funeral of Relative in Detroit**

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Titus and daughter, Mary Ann, attended the funeral of the former's brother, Robert M. Titus, in Detroit, Friday. The deceased, a veteran of World War II, was born in Detroit, Aug. 3, 1917. He had been hospitalized most of the time for the past two years since his return from overseas where he contracted fever of some undetermined nature. He died at St. Mary's hospital, in Detroit, Tuesday, and the funeral services were held at the Schmaizried Funeral parlors, with Rev. James G. Widdfield of St. Paul's Episcopal church, officiating. Burial was in Woodlawn cemetery, Detroit.

Survivors include the parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis M. Titus, and four brothers, Otis of Chelsea, and George, Richard and James of Detroit.

The Chelsea family is well-known in Chelsea, having owned a cottage at Sugar Loaf Lake for many years and having spent their vacations and many week-ends there.

**MSC Prexy on Radio Program, January 31**

Dr. John A. Hannah, president of Michigan State college, East Lansing, will appear on the Michigan Broadcasting company's network farm program on Saturday, Jan. 31.

The "American Farmer" program will be broadcast direct from the Michigan State college campus over more than 100 stations from 12:30 to 1 p.m. (EST) at the close of the Farmers' Week program. What agricultural colleges have accomplished and what they can do in the future for the farmer and homemaker will be the theme of the program. To be interviewed along with President Hannah will be two Michigan farmers, Ernest Rouns, Caledonia and George Farley, Albion.

The program will originate over station WKAR, the college station. Earl C. Richardson, agricultural extension editor at MSC, will handle the interviews.

Public Cake Party at Sylvan Town Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 3, at 8 p.m., sponsored by VFW Auxiliary Rehabilitation committee. All cakes home-made. Proceeds to be used for benefit of hospitalized veterans.

**Discussion on Gov't Change Held Monday**

**Meeting Poorly Attended; Lively Interest Is Shown**

John Iglauer, of the Michigan Municipal League, was present at Monday night's meeting of citizens of Chelsea, sponsored by the Kiwanis club and the Chelsea Chamber of Commerce. Monday night meeting was a follow-up of the meeting held two weeks ago, and was called for the purpose of giving the people of Chelsea an opportunity to ask questions in regard to the proposed change-over from a village to a city form of government here and to receive authoritative answers from a man whose business it is, as a representative of the Municipal League, to give such answers.

Lowell Davison, chairman of the joint Kiwanis and C. of C. committee appointed to head the movement here, presided at the meeting and asked a number of questions which he had received in answer to his offer in The Standard to procure authoritative answers to all questions sent in to his committee. Mr. Iglauer gave concise, easily-understood answers to all of the questions put to him, and Mr. Davison stated Tuesday morning that the questions and answers would be ready for publication in next week's issue of The Standard.

Although the question of changing Chelsea's village government, in force since 1886, to a city form of government is a very important issue, only a handful of citizens were present at the meeting. Mr. Iglauer was asked if other villages which had changed into cities had seemed as apathetic and disinterested as seemingly was the case here as evidence of the small number attending the meeting Monday night. His answer was that it very often was the case, and that he had observed that in most municipalities small groups of interested and public-spirited citizens were responsible for pushing the proposals through successfully.

Petitions requesting an election on the proposal will be presented to the Village Council at their regular meeting next Monday evening.

**4-H Clubs Seeking Garden Seeds To Help Europeans**

The 4-H clubs of Michigan are doing something to help the people of Europe—it's a party that will help these people to help themselves.

Beginning now, 4-H Club groups are working to provide packages of vegetable seeds for hungry Europeans. The packages, while weighing only a little over two pounds will produce up to a ton of vegetables. The seeds included are enough for a garden for a family of four and the selection was made by authorities on gardening. The program is conducted in cooperation with the American Seed Trade association.

Among the 24 vegetables included in the assortment are peas, beans, beets, carrots, onions, radishes, cabbage, cauliflower, cucumber, lettuce, tomato, turnips, and many others.

Twenty-three countries are listed for the donor to choose from. The assortment can be sent to an individual, to the Church World Service, Inc., or to the War Relief Services.

**Learn of Death of California Relative**

Miss Ida Keusch received a letter this week from her cousin, Mrs. Fred Freer, of Burbank, California, telling of the death of another cousin, Leo Staffan, in Phoenix, Arizona, Jan. 16. Mr. Staffan, who was about seventy-five years old, was born in Chelsea and lived here until he was a young man. His parents were Jacob and Aleda Staffan.

Chelsea relatives who survive include five cousins, George Staffan, Ed Keusch, Mrs. Ed McKune, Mrs. Henry Fenn and Miss Ida Keusch.

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**FIGHT INFANTILE PARALYSIS**

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Ceramic Tile Bathrooms

Although ceramic tile has been manufactured for more than 6,000 years, its widespread use in American bathrooms dates only from the 1920s. Two factors, the popularity of the apron-front bathtub and the increase in showers, were primarily responsible for more extensive employment of this material, according to construction experts. As a direct result, volume of tile production, valued at only two million dollars in 1900, rose to nearly 28 million dollars by 1928.

Church Circles

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Rev. W. H. Skentelbury, Pastor 10 a.m.—Worship service. 11 a.m.—Sunday school. Choir practice Saturday evening at 7 o'clock. The Men's club holds its supper tonight (Thursday) at 6:30.

FIRST METHODIST Rev. Orville W. Morrow, Pastor 10 a.m.—Worship service. "Christian Alertness Now" is the topic of the pastor's sermon for next Sunday at the ten o'clock hour. Our choir will present that beautiful anthem, "Merciful Saviour, Be My Comfort," by Lundquist. We have reception into the membership. At this hour the many department work will be conducted on the ground floor of the church. 11:15—The study hour for all other departments of the church school. As we approach Lent the church school lessons are excellent in Christian helpfulness.

7 p.m.—Youth Fellowship hour at the parsonage. This is the plan for the starting of the month of February. Reports will be given from the Wayne mid-winter institute. Refreshments.

ST. PAUL'S EVANGELICAL Rev. P. H. Grabowski, Pastor Sunday, Feb. 1—10 a.m.—Worship and sermon. 11 a.m.—Sunday school. Thursday, Feb. 5—6:30 p.m. Sharp—Annual church night and get-together supper. 8:15 p.m.—Kaiser-Frazier Singing Sentinels. Public invited. Free-will offering.

ROGERS CORNERS CHURCH (St. John's Evangelical) Rev. J. Fontana, Pastor Sunday, Feb. 1—10 a.m.—Worship service (English). The annual meeting was postponed last week and will be held this Sunday, instead.

SALEM METHODIST CHURCH Earnest O. Davis, Pastor 10 a.m.—Sunday school. 11 a.m.—Morning worship.

NORTH SHARON COMMUNITY BIBLE CHURCH Sylvan and Washburn Roads R. W. Grindall, Pastor 10 a.m.—Sunday school. 11 a.m.—Worship service.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH Rev. Fr. Leo Laize, Pastor First Mass..... 8:00 a.m. Second Mass..... 10:00 a.m. Mass on week days..... 8:00 a.m.

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MERRY STITCHERS Saturday, Jan. 17, the Merry Stitches held another sewing meeting at the home of their leader, Mrs. Wilber Hatt. In the absence of the president, Janis Wright, the vice-president, Leila Trinkle, called the meeting to order. Three new members joined our club, Nancy and Mary Van Riper and Lewis Hatt. They are all first year members. Our next meeting will be held Jan. 24 at our leader's home. The group worked on the various projects.

Refreshments were furnished by Leila Trinkle which was cocoa and cookies. Nancy and Mary Van Riper are our refreshment committee next time. Games were played for entertainment. Leona M. Hatt, Reporter.



BOB CHAPPIUS, All-American backfield star for the University of Michigan team, is shown contributing a dime to the March of Dimes Drive held for the benefit of all polio patients. Mrs. Hickman Price, Campaign Director for Ann Arbor, and a polio patient are shown receiving the contribution. The March of Dimes Drive is held throughout the nation from Jan. 15 through Jan. 30.

GIRL SCOUT NEWS

Troop I— Wednesday, Jan. 14, we had our meeting at Gale Lindvall's home on Summit street at 3:30 o'clock. Connie Steinbach played several pieces on the piano after which refreshments were served. The rest of the meeting was devoted to the study of First-Aid. We are going to use Gale Lindvall's upstairs room for our future Girl Scout meetings. We are very grateful for the use of this room. Our next meeting will be held at Joan Merkel's at 146 Orchard street on Jan. 21.

Troop II— Members of Troop No. 2 met at the home of Jana Lou Weinberg Thursday for their regular Girl Scout meeting. It turned out to be a surprise party for their leader, Mrs. Helen Keith, who is leaving soon for New Jersey. She was presented with a lovely lunch cloth by her Girl Scouts. Games were played and a chili supper was served. Those on the refreshment committee were Jana Lou Weinberg, Barbara Mahar and Virginia Chriswell. The girls voted to thank Mrs. Norbert Merkel and Mrs. Orville Morrow for the transportation.

Troop III— Monday, Jan. 19, The first thing we did was to hear the secretary's report. We planned to make a bulletin board. The group elected Mary Ann Titus for our new treasurer as Judy Davison resigned. We also planned a Valentine party. The rest of the time at the meeting was spent in making paper roses.

Public Library Lists Many New Books

Adult — "Colorado," Bromfield; "Yankee Pasha," Marshall; "The Stole"; "East Side, West Side," Davenport; "Way of Life," Gibbs; "Unconquered," Swanson; "Silver of Tip's Trap," Brand; "Hope of the Morning," Tomlinson; "Terror of the Morning," Knight; "Dawn of the Morning," Hill; "The Tamarack Tree," Breslin; "Miss Silver Deals With Death," Wentworth; "Years of the Locust," Erdman. "The Earth Is the Lords," Caldwell; "Yuo Rolling River," Binns; "The Precious Secret," Oursler; "The Golden Isles," Slaughter; "The House Divided," Williams; "The Purple Plain," Bates; "Game a Cavalier," Keyes; "Midnight Round Up," Field; "Speaking of Animals," Devoe; "Coming Through the Rye," Hill; "Nothing So Strange," Hilton; "Adversary in the House," Stone; "Woman of Property," Seeley; "Jubal Troop," Wellman; "Home Country," Fyfe; "Gentleman's Agreement," Hobson; "A Garden to the Eastward," Lamb; "The Hill of the Hawk," O'Dell; "Coyle Electrician Hand-Book," "The Bishop's Mantle," Turnbull; "Silver Nutmeg," Loftis; "The Bowl of Brass," Wellman; "Einstein, His Life and Times," Frank; "Inside U.S.A.," Gunther; "Proud Destiny," Feuchtwanger; "Uneasy Terms," Cheyney; "The Moneyman," Costain; "The Wicked Uncle," Wentworth; "The Road of the Century," Harlow; "Fire-side Cavalier," Hartwell; "Rocket Ship Galileo," Heinlein; "Peter and the Wolf," Disney; "McElligot's Pool," Seuss; "Cow Country," James. "Sand," James; "Scorpion," James; "The Dark Horse," James; "The Golden Throat," Taelle; "Tales of a Korean Grandmother," Carpenter; "The Wonder Book of Ships," Carlisle; "Bambino the Clown," Schrieber; "The Little Red Ferry-Boat," Potter; "Son of the

Black Stallion," Farley; "A Day in the Jungle," Lowrey; "Dumbo," Disney; "Birds in Their Homes," Webb; "Jared's Island," De Angeli; "The Little Fox Terrier," L'Hon-medieu; "The Great Heritage," Shippen; "A Prayer For Little Benny," Farjeon; "Explorer's All," Anthony; "Americans, All," Anthony; "Cinderella," Gaunt.

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# PERSONAL NOTES

Mrs. John Wahl spent Thursday at the home of her son, Dilligan and family at Clear Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Beutler and family of Jackson spent Sunday here at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beutler.

Rev. John Fontana of Rogers Corners and Rev. F. H. Grabowski attended a meeting of ministers of the Ann Arbor Region of the Evangelical and Reformed church at Bethlehem church in Ann Arbor Monday afternoon.

Marilyn Isham of Stockbridge spent Sunday here with her father, Claude Isham.

Walter Sheok of Statesville, N. C., is spending some time here at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Reed and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Klingler of Jackson were dinner guests and spent the day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chapman on Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Steger is spending this week in Jackson with her sister, Mrs. Henry Wolfe, having been called there by the death of Mr. Wolfe on Sunday.

Mrs. Edgar Mayer and her mother, Mrs. Blanche Fryer of Ann Arbor were dinner guests and spent the day Sunday at the home of Mrs. Charles Mohrlock.

Guests at the home of Mrs. John Wahl Sunday afternoon were her brother, and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Katz of Grass Lake. Mrs. Wahl's son, Ed, of Grass Lake also visited her Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Engle and children of Dexter were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Engle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Webb of North Lake. Dr. and Mrs. Harmon Webb and baby son of Detroit spent the day there on Wednesday.

Mrs. H. E. Canfield, who had spent the past four weeks in Chicago with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. John Kallan, returned here Sunday, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Kallan and all were dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawton Steger. Mrs. Canfield is now spending some time at the home of her granddaughter, Mrs. J. E. Miller in Jackson.

Elaine Schmidt of Deaconess hospital, Detroit, spent the week-end at her home here.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Blackmore and children of Battle Creek spent the week-end here at the home of Mrs. Blackmore's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Luick.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Collins of Grass Lake spent the past week here at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Maynard Knickerbocker.

Lucille Broesamle of Lansing and Dr. Daniel Hogan of Fenton spent the week-end here with Miss Broesamle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Broesamle.

Mr. and Mrs. Elba Gage were Saturday dinner guests at the home of their son, H. G. Gage and family in Ann Arbor, and their daughter, Mary Ann spent Sunday there.

Rev. W. H. Skentelbury, Rev. O. W. Morrow and Rev. F. H. Grabowski attended the ministers' conference held at the U. of M. from Monday through Wednesday of the past week.

Mrs. Maynard Knickerbocker spent the week-end in Detroit at the home of her sister, Mrs. J. J. Jasper, and both celebrated their birthdays with a dinner there. Mrs. Knickerbocker's son, George, and his wife of Pontiac, also were present.

## Former Chelseaite Elected to Radio Club

Chelsea friends of Walter Mayer of Essexville, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Mayer of Chelsea, and a former Chelsea resident, will be interested in the following clipping, taken from a paper in that territory.

Walter Mayer, 184 Plummer street, Essexville, radio engineer at the state police post, has acquired membership in the DX Century club, society of amateur radio operators who have made two-way short-wave radio contacts with at least 100 countries.

Mayer's amateur station, W8CVU, is the 89th station to achieve the 100 mark rating since the war. Actually he has contacted 134 countries but has received written confirmation of but 105 of the total.

The radio engineer says other confirmations are coming in periodically and he hopes to extend the total well above the 100 level.

## BOY SCOUT NEWS

The regular meeting of Troop 25 was held at the Municipal building Monday evening, Jan. 26. Board of Review was held and Dick Merkel, David Bertke and Richard and Douglas Schneider passed second class requirements; David Hoffman passed requirements for three merit badges, carpentry, animal industry and landscape gardening, and George Alperwitz passed requirements for his merit badge in carpentry.

David Bertke, Dick Merkel and Douglas and Richard Schneider won the point contest, each scoring about 270 points. They each received either a jackknife or a flashlight.

Scoutmaster Bradford Keith, who is leaving soon for the East, was presented with a gift by Paul J. Niehaus on behalf of the Troop. Morris Alperwitz is to be Scoutmaster for the present.

## JOINT BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Ray of Belleville, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elton K. Musbach at a birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Ray and Mr. Musbach, at the Musbach home on Sunday.

In the late afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Ray left to visit Mrs. Ray's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Dresselhouse, near Manchester.

## Frame House at Lodi Plains Once Home of Early Educational Academy Founder

(Editor's Note: This is one in a series of articles on historical spots and monuments in Michigan based on information in the Michigan Historical Collections at the University of Michigan.)

Few persons know it, but a white frame house at Lodi Plains, about six miles south of Ann Arbor, once was the home of the founder of an educational academy there one hundred years ago.

The house was owned by Prof. Rufus Nutting, a Presbyterian minister, who gambled that a private academy to train young men and women as teachers and to enter colleges and universities would succeed.

Built sometime after the acad-

emy began, the several-times remodeled house now is owned by Karl D. Weavie. It is located on the southeast corner of Saline and Textile roads, adjacent to the spot where the academy building once stood, according to Dr. Clever Bald, assistant director of the Michigan Historical Collections at the University of Michigan.

Prof. Nutting founded the academy, called Lodi Plains Academy, in 1847, following his resignation as principal of the Romeo branch of the University of Michigan. He had held the position from 1842 to 1846, but no longer found it profitable after the University, for lack of funds, withdrew its support of the branches.

In the Michigan Historical Collections is an academy catalogue of 1849-1850 which indicates that there were 136 students of both sexes at that time. There were 65 in the classical department and 71 in the English department.

Tuition fees for the three terms varied from \$7.00 to \$15.00 per year, according to the courses selected. Each student also paid "for fuel and the care of the house" 25 cents for the winter term and 12 and one-half cents for each of the other two terms, the catalogue said.

Most of the students lived with farmers in the neighborhood, Dr. Bald declared. Board and room could be obtained for \$1.25 to \$1.38 a week, although many students paid for this by doing farm chores.

After Prof. Nutting's death, a Prof. Patchin continued the academy until about 1864. The property later was sold and the academy building was torn down. Opposite the academy was a Presbyterian church, built in 1837, which a number of years later was moved to North Adams, where it is still in use.

Probably the most distinguished academy graduate was Edwin Wilfong, Dr. Bald said. Following his graduation in 1855, Wilfong went to Monroe and became a teacher, lawyer, newspaper editor, member of the State Constitutional Commission, member of Congress from 1877 to 1883, principal of the State Normal School at Ypsilanti, president of Michigan Agricultural College (now Michigan State College) and Assistant Secretary of Agriculture under Presidents Harrison and Cleveland.

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**Richer Harvest**  
By MICHAEL TIFF

MELISSA FINCH would have fainted from shock if Joe Sutton had told her she was a pretty girl or even smiled at her. His pa, Jake, did that right along, which was fair enough.

But Joe did like her cooking. Otherwise she'd have gone away before this; but today was definitely her last day as housekeeper for Jake Sutton and his son, Joe. Melissa hoped she had taken at least a part of the place Joe's ma had left some six years ago when she had passed beyond. She knew that Joe lived with the memory of his ma; acted as though she were in the next room. Melissa had never lost the idea of being an intruder.

"I'm leaving today," announced Melissa. Joe kept moving toward the door. "I'm leaving today," Melissa repeated. Joe stopped, and she could see his great fingers clench.

Melissa went back to the pump and sink. She began washing the dishes. At the same time she remembered that this was her last day. Three years ago she had started in this house of the Suttons—Jake Sutton and that son of his, Joe. She had nothing against Jake because Jake had the sense to look at her as if she was a human being. But that Joe—he was a born woman-hater if ever she saw one. Then she considered—wiping the damp towel over the plates—that Joe had lost his ma.

—She watched Jake come in for a packet of carrot seeds. Jake didn't glance at her as he rummaged in the seed pile.

"Reckon as how Joe an' that Blossom Appenzeller gonna be hitched come this fall," Jake announced quietly.

Joe wouldn't marry any girl, not even Blossom with her fancy ways. Melissa thought. And as for herself, she had stood about all she could. If Joe hadn't noticed her for three long years he sure wasn't going to change overnight.

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**PERSONALS**

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Roth points out that unused chimney openings should be sealed with cement or tight metal stops. Stove pipes, furnace and boiler pipes should have a clearance of 18 inches from wood surfaces, or protections should be provided by insulation.

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**Simplified Model of Frost Fighter To Be Put on Market**

Another step toward making the Michigan State college "Frost Fighter" available to the farmer was made today in Detroit where it was announced that the Detroit Agricultural and Industrial Foundation had licensed its manufacture. The Evans Products company, Detroit and Plymouth, will make the machines.

Arthur W. Farrell, head of the MSC department of agricultural engineering, which designed and constructed experimental models, hopes that between 50 and 100 of the infra red heaters can be made by spring.

Several weeks ago Michigan State college authorized the Detroit Agricultural and Industrial Foundation to handle the licensing and manufacture of the invention. It is a non-profit organization founded by the Detroit Board of Commerce.

Field tests of the production models are planned this spring on many different crops grown in Michigan and in other parts of the United States. These wide-scale tests are designed to produce the necessary information regarding the adaptation of the machine to the production of different crops.

Thousands of inquiries from Michigan and other parts of the United States, as well as from foreign lands, have been received. All want to know when the machine will be available to the public.

The oil-burning frost prevention unit, announced in November, 1946, projects infra red rays directly upon the vegetation, heating it from 2 to 8 degrees higher than surrounding air temperature within the protected area and without heating the air.

Its pagoda-like projector surrounds a heater in which fuel oil is burned under high pressure. This gives off heat and throws off the invisible infra red rays from the metal surface of the heater.

Field tests during the fall at Michigan State college demonstrated that the unit would protect tender plants and tomatoes against moderate frosts at distances of more than 100 feet from the machines when used in groups.

The efficiency of the device was greatly improved this fall. A new metal used in its manufacture will allow greater coverage with a smaller and less costly unit.

V. R. Gardner, director of the Michigan Agricultural Experiment Station, gave much credit to the Detroit Board of Commerce for its help in this development. He pointed out that it is further evidence of the accomplishments which are possible when industry and agriculture join their forces toward the solution of a problem.

The development of this machine offers possibilities for a more practical, effective and lower cost method of frost prevention which is adaptable to fruit, flowers, truck crops and other high value crops.

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# Club and Social Activities

## BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Wals entertained at a birthday dinner at their home on Sunday in honor of their daughter, Diane Marie, on her first birthday. Present for the occasion were the baby's maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Janouky of Ann Arbor and her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Neal Janouky and son of Ann Arbor, and her brother, Jimmy Price. Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. John Wals, the paternal great-grandparents, also were guests.

## WESTERN WASHTENAW FARMERS' CLUB

The Western Washtenaw Farmers' Club met Friday evening, Jan. 23, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Miller, with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gaunt, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Notten and Mrs. John Kilmer as the assisting committee.

A delicious supper was enjoyed by the thirty-two members and four guests present and this was followed by a program in charge of Henry Musbach, which included a recitation, "Pa Goes Skating," by Edson Whitaker, an interesting account of the Whitaker's recent trip to California, by Doris Whitaker, and a very fine talk by Rev. O. W. Morrow on the ideals of life and of a Christian life, in which he emphasized his points by making comparisons of the ideals of various types of people.

## BIRTHDAY AND ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. William Heck of Ann Arbor joined Mr. and Mrs. Adam Alber at their home here Sunday for a dinner celebrating the sixth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Heck and the 75th

birthday of Mr. Alber, which occurred on Tuesday, Jan. 27. Mr. Mike Misalades, neighbor of Mr. Alber with a beautifully decorated birthday cake which she had baked herself. The cake bore seventy-five candles.

## VFW SOCIAL MEETING

The regular monthly social meeting of the VFW Auxiliary was held at St. Mary's hall Monday evening, Jan. 26, with about twenty-five members present. Popular games were the evening's entertainment with Mrs. Loretta Doll receiving the door prize.

The combined December and January committees, with Mrs. Clara Hutzel and Mrs. Vera Helm as chairmen, served a very nice lunch following the games.

A short business session was held for the purpose of voting to make a donation to the March of Dimes Fund.

## WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Klager of Ann Arbor, were surprised Sunday when they arrived at the home of Mrs. Klager's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Satterthwaite, where they had been invited to supper, to find the entire family assembled there to help them celebrate their first wedding anniversary which occurred on Friday, the sixteenth. Those present included Mr. Klager's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klager of Ann Arbor, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Satterthwaite and family, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Satterthwaite and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Chapman and family.

The honor guests were presented with a number of gifts of paper and cotton articles.

## BIRTHDAY CELEBRATION

Mr. and Mrs. Armin Schneider entertained at a family celebration of the fourteenth birthday of their daughter, Joan, at their home on Sunday. Those present for dinner and to spend the day were Mr. and Mrs. Foster Fletcher and three sons, of Ypsilanti, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schneider and Mrs. D. R. Hoppe.

## SURPRISE BIRTHDAY DINNER

Mrs. J. P. Cook was honored with a surprise celebration of her birthday on Wednesday, Jan. 21, when a dozen friends came to her home with well-filled baskets containing all the "makings" of a delicious birthday dinner which was served at 6:30 o'clock.

Progressive euchre was enjoyed during the evening and prizes, also brought by the guests, were awarded to Charles Williams, Duane Hall, Mrs. Cook and Mrs. Williams. Mrs. Elmer Weinberg won the traveling prize.

Mrs. Cook was presented with a gift from the group as a remembrance of the occasion.

## FAMILY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Glen Hafey was honored Saturday evening with a birthday party at the family home, arranged by his sisters, Mrs. Pearl Hartman and Mrs. Ariens West, both of Ann Arbor. About thirty friends and neighbors were present.

Progressive euchre was played and high prizes were awarded to Gwyneth Jones and Richard Fouty, while Helen Armstrong and Lawrence Welch received the low prize.

Mr. Hafey was presented with many nice gifts and later, refreshments were served by the two hostesses.



The Common Tasks by Grace Noll Crowell

## THE COMMON TASKS

THE common tasks are beautiful if we have eyes to see their shining ministry. The plowman with his share deep in the loam.

The carpenter whose skilled hands build a home.

The gardener working with reluctant sod. Faithful to his partnership with God—These are the artisans of life, and oh, A woman with her eyes and cheeks a glow.

Watching a kettle, tending a scarlet flame. Guarding a little child—there is no name.

For these great ministries, and eyes are dull That do not see that they are beautiful. That do not see within the common tasks

The simple answer to the thing God asks Of any child, a pride within His breast: That at our given work we do our best.

## SURPRISED ON BIRTHDAY

Neighbors of Mrs. Louis Staphish completely surprised her on Sunday, Jan. 18, by coming in to help her celebrate her birthday, bringing with them the refreshments consisting of ice cream and cake which they later served.

Bunco was enjoyed as the diversion of the evening and Mrs. Staphish won the first prize, while Mrs. James Dann received the consolation prize.

Mrs. Staphish received a number of nice gifts from those present.

## JUNIOR GIRLS AUXILIARY

The Junior Girls of the VFW Auxiliary met at the home of Mrs. Carl Lentz, Saturday afternoon, Jan. 24. Election of officers resulted as follows: President, Shirley Rihimaki; Vice-president, Eleanor Schmidt; Secretary, Maurine Hoffman; and Treasurer, Yvonne Hoffman.

Cancer pads and scrap books for people in hospitals were made. Our next regular meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Weber, at 2 p.m., Saturday, Feb. 7.

If there are any other girls who are interested and would like to help we would appreciate it if they would come to our meetings. Maurine Hoffman, Secy.

## BIRTHDAYS CELEBRATED

Mrs. J. P. Cook, her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Donald Cook, and her son-in-law, Marvin Kirk, of Manchester, celebrated their birthdays, all of which occurred during the past week, at a family dinner on Sunday at the Cook home on Old US-12. Others present included Donald Cook, Mrs. Marvin Kirk and daughter, and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Cook and daughter, of Romulus.

## PAST NOBLE GRANDS CLUB

The PNC Club met Jan. 22 at the home of Mrs. Russell Alstaeter with fourteen members present. Luncheon was followed by a business meeting and euchre was played. Prizes were won by Mrs. Donovan Sweeney and Mrs. Roy Jones.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday evening, Feb. 4, at the home of Mrs. Wilbert Breitenwischer. Three birthdays will be celebrated at the next meeting.

## CARD OF THANKS

I wish by this means to express my thanks and appreciation to my neighbors for the lovely flowers and to my neighbors and friends for the many kindnesses shown me at the time of my father's death. Mrs. Ronald Lentz.

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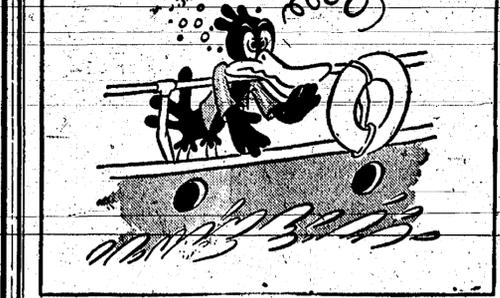
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## CHELSEA STUDY CLUB

The Chelsea Study club's regular meeting was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. William Geddes with twenty-one members present.

During the business meeting it was voted to make a contribution to the March of Dimes Fund and the month's committee, headed by Mrs. George Walworth, was appointed to be in charge of sending regular amount of cookies (250) to the hospitalized veterans at Battle Creek.

The program, in charge of Mrs. John Hale, was called "The Art Museum," each member telling the story of her favorite picture.

After the program, refreshments were served by Mrs. O. W. Morrow and Mrs. I. Lord, the assisting committee.

## CHILD STUDY CLUB

Tuesday night's meeting of the Child Study club, designated as a guest night meeting, was held at the home of Mrs. Howard Flintoff.

Members and guests present numbered about twenty-five. The assisting committee included Mrs. James Nutt and Mrs. Parker Sharard.

Miss Ruth Barnes of the English department at Michigan State Normal college at Ypsilanti, spoke on the topic, "The Epic Quality of Comics." She mentioned that there is really nothing new about comics except that they are dressed up in twentieth century fashion. She said that as long as there seemed nothing else to do but accept comics which have become a fixed institution; the thing for parents to do was to help children select the proper ones to read. She said it was her opinion that harmful radio programs and movies influenced children much more than comics.

Business conducted at the meeting included voting to make a donation to the March of Dimes Fund and to take charge of the Mile of Dimes board in front of the Chelsea State Bank on Friday and Saturday both, instead of just the one day as voted at the last meeting.

Mrs. Russell Baldwin read the names of those that are to act on committees for the card party next week and it was announced that for the next meeting, Feb. 10, the club will meet at the home of Mrs. A. D. Mayer on South Main street at 12 o'clock noon and go to Ypsilanti to visit the Rackham Children's Institute.

## THANK YOU!

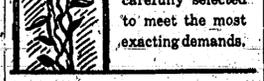
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## Mr. and Mrs. Martin Miller

attended a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl J. Smith in Dexter, Sunday, the occasion being a joint celebration of the birthdays of Mrs. Miller's sisters, Mrs. Smith, of Dexter, and Mrs. Winifred Coffron, of Detroit, both of which occurred on the same day, Sunday, Jan. 25, although they are nine years apart in age.

## Mr. and Mrs. George Haven

had as guests last week (Sgt. Max Drake and Mrs. Drake of Hillsdale, who were here visiting the Havens and friends in Jackson. Mrs. Drake is a niece of Mrs. Haven's. Sgt. Drake returned to the United States in December, after spending sixteen months in Italy. The Drakes are leaving Feb. 1 for Fort Bragg, N. C., which is the Sergeants' next assignment.

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# RURAL CORRESPONDENCE

Items of Interest About People We All Know, as Gathered by Correspondents

## NOTTEN ROAD

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Fahrner of Ann Arbor spent Sunday afternoon at the Will Sanderson home.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bailey and daughter of Dexter visited at the Albert Kasper home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. McClure visited the latter's mother, Mrs. Philip Riemenschneider, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kalmbach and daughter Donna were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Beal in Mason.

Agnes Czaplak is spending some time in Detroit where she was called on a nursing case at one of the hospitals.

Clyde Bailey, who has been spending some time here at the home of his mother, Mrs. Albert Kasper, is spending a few days at

his home in Indianapolis and will return here at the end of the week.

Rev. Howard Western of Adrian, preached at the morning and evening services at Saley Grove church on Sunday and brought with him a Negro student, Hezekiah Williams, who sang beautifully at both services and at a program which followed a community dinner served at noon in the church dining room.

Mrs. Arthur Walz is gradually regaining her health.

Mr. and Mrs. Atlee of Pinckney were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hess.

Mrs. Walter Vicary is spending this week with her mother at New Baltimore.

There will be a special board meeting at the church next Sunday, following the morning services.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moeckel and Fred Ford were Saturday night dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Beeman and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Henry Lehman and son Llewellyn of North Francisco spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moeckel.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Beeman and daughter were Thursday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Beeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Vern Garfield and son of Jackson were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Beeman.

Victor Harr and Victor Moeckel have been doing some carpenter work for Kenneth Rothman in Leslie the past month.

Rev. and Mrs. Clark Adams of South Jackson spent a day last week with the latter's sister, Mrs. Arthur Walz, who is ill and is slowly improving.

Gorton Riethmiller of Detroit spent the week-end with his father and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Riethmiller. On Saturday he accompanied his father to the doctor in Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Beeman and son Gordon John, and Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moeckel spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Panarites and daughter in Chelsea.

Victor Heydlauf and wife of Canada and Carl Heydlauf and wife of near Munich spent an afternoon last week with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Riethmiller, and Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Moeckel.

The Ladies Aid met at the home of Mrs. Maynard Vicary on Thursday, with eight members and one guest present. Pot-luck dinner was served at noon, followed by the business meeting. At this time plans were made to send clothing overseas. The February meeting will be with Mrs. Leona Beeman.

Mrs. William Snay is seriously ill at her home with an attack of influenza.

Rev. M. R. Jewell, of Reed City, was a Monday evening visitor at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Fischer and family.

Mrs. Bert Taylor and son, Joe, were Sunday visitors at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Thompson and family, of Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rensch of Detroit spent a week as guests of Treva Evans.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Gilbert were visitors a week ago Sunday at the John Thom's home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Taylor and daughters of Lansing were Sunday guests at the Dorr Reynolds home.

Mrs. W. J. Evans returned on Friday from a visit to her daughters, Mrs. Bill Walsh in Quarriesville, Pa., where she has spent the past few weeks.

Mrs. Bernice Maynard returned on Friday from a two-day stay at St. Joseph's Mercy hospital in Ann Arbor, where she underwent minor surgery.

(Editors Note: Mrs. Jack Gilbert's telephone number has been recently changed to 4472. Please note the new number and phone your news items to her as early as possible.)

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Clark spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Erle Notten.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lehman and son visited Mr. and Mrs. Victor Moeckel of Waterloo, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Seitz were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Lehman.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert spent Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Harvey of Jackson. Mr. Harvey spent Friday afternoon in Munnith.

Mr. and Mrs. Dillman Wahl and daughters spent Sunday evening with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. Loveland.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Harvey and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Haschle and family of Dexter Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eshley Main and Mrs. Carl Clark spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Harvey.

Mrs. Martin and Mrs. Lowell Scripps visited Mrs. Roy and Mrs. Jennie Miller, Monday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Emerson Lesser spent Tuesday evening there.

Mrs. Roy Miller spent several days in Detroit last week visiting her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Rodgers and family and also called on Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carroll.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Loveland and son attended a birthday dinner Friday evening in honor of her father, Ed Myers, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Loveland of Grass Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Dorr had as Sunday dinner guests Mrs. Velma Dorr and Doris and Russell Smith of Grass Lake and Mr. and Mrs. Deforest Dorr of Detroit.

Robert Pierce and Elwood Snodgrass of Grass Lake spent Saturday evening there.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Stubbs called on Mr. and Mrs. Grover Arts Thursday evening.

Mrs. Austin Arts and Gale called on Mrs. Arnold Lehmann Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Leo Forner and daughter Mary, and James Yoxall of Detroit called Sunday evening at the Robert Forner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Holcomb, Jackie and Sue, from Saginaw, moved recently into the Cadwell apartments.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Lehmann and Cheryl called Saturday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Lehmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Lackhart, Terry and Connie, of Reed City, are spending some time at the Jack Holcomb's.

Mrs. E. T. Quatt attended the cabinet meeting of the WSCS Wednesday afternoon where she and the other officers made out their yearly program.

Mrs. Bertha Benter, who has been confined to her bed for several years, is being cared for at the Flood Convalescent Home in Chelsea. Miss Augusta Benter, who helped care for her mother, is taking a much needed rest at the Minnie Prossame home in Chelsea.

The Industrial Arts class held their final meeting at the West Intermediate School in Jackson on Tuesday evening, Jan. 20. The exhibits were well arranged. Several from here attended. Mrs. Herbert Rank and Mrs. Truman Lehmann were in the Industrial Arts class.

MSC-Issues Bulletin On 'Hardy Shrubs'

What is more pleasant on a cold winter evening than looking over seed and shrub catalogs? It's a pastime that we all enjoy.

To help you in making selections of shrubs for landscape planting, the Michigan State college Extension Service has issued a new bulletin called, "Hardy Shrubs for Landscape Planting in Michigan."

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Saline—A wind-whipped fire apparently touched off by chimney sparks destroyed the one-story brick home of George Luckhardt on Lohr road, a short distance north of Ellsworth road, Wednesday. The Saline fire department responded to an alarm turned in by neighbors, but was unable to save the dwelling. Luckhardt, an elderly widower, who lived alone, said the blaze broke out about 3 o'clock. He reported hearing a persistent crackling on the roof but believed it to be melting ice and paid no attention.—The Saline Observer.

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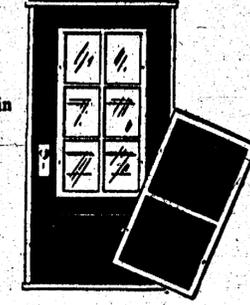
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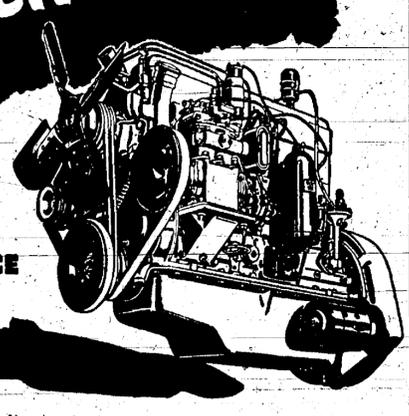
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### EDITORIAL

Hello, Hello, I say! May I introduce myself? I am a little bug called "Annoyance." I appear quite often at basketball games where I delight in getting under the skin of a teenager sitting near an interested adult. I catch a boy or girl thinking about going after "cokes," a hot dog, or some other form of refreshments, and just as he is deciding, "No," I jump in and bang! he changes his mind. He gets up and begs to be excused as he goes through a line of excited spectators, pulling their clean scarfs off onto the floor, or step-

ping on their nicely-polished shoes. After all of this then he has to come back again through the same line of disgusted onlookers. Say, I think I recognize you! Aren't you the one I was with last Friday? Why didn't you get up when I tugged at your conscience? What's that? You knew I was there but you've had experience to how the people get disgusted? And you don't think I'm needed any longer because you've had speakers explain the importance of behavior at games? Well, how do you like that? I guess I'll have to go on my way now because I'm no longer needed. Honestly! How can those Chelsea High students be so considerate of others?

### HONOR ROLL

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Fifteenth grade—Agnes Forner, Shirley Kolb.  
Eleventh grade—Donna Kalmbach.  
Tenth grade—Patricia Murphy.  
Ninth grade—Gerald Lehmann.  
Eighth grade—Bruce Peabody, Jean Schweinfurt, Evelyn Woods.

### "B" AVERAGE LIST

Seniors—Kathleen Eschelbach, Ruth Fox, Ann Grau, Rita Gross, Paul Niehaus, Wilma Paul, Sonja Weatherwax.  
Juniors—Margaret M. Dumouchel, Deloris Eisenmann, Joyce Eisenmann, Mary Ann Gage, Ellen Jane Geddes, Therese Hanked, Marlene Heydlauf, Joyce Hughes, Helen Jarvie, Joyce Mallott, Charlotte Otte, Audrey Taylor.

Sophomores—Ronnie Eder, Helen Eschelbach, Marilyn Johnson, Joan McClure, Virginia Quatt, Roslyn Reule, Emily Rothman, Marlene Schneider, Peggy Schablie, Patricia Scott, Dorothy Thomas, Verdice Wheeler.

Freshmen—George Alpervitz, Verta Mary Clark, David Crocker, Claude Deatrick, Ruth Eisenmann, Duane Gentner, George Heydlauf, Mary Kibuchar, Stanley Knickerbocker, Dale Lantz, Rosemary Marshall, Kay Murphy, Donna Noah, Joan Schneider, Raymond Steinbach, Martin Tobin, Dick Vickers, Louise Walz, Shirley Williams.

Eighth grade—David Bertke, Shirley Doyle, Beatrice Fowler, Lee Hoppe, Cynthia Lord, Jana Lou Wehner.  
Seventh grade—Sue Barlow, Karen Chase, Donna Hinderer, Douglas Schneider, Richard Schneider.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?  
One McCLEAR day the family

started to go hunting and fishing. We got in our OTTO and just as we got started the GEERS refused to work. We repaired our LYONS and started. We walked into the WOODS and spread out MALLOY. The adults drank JARVIE and the children LEHMANN-ade. The we started hunting. We soon met a FOX, but we had no weapons. Father picked up at LATIN CLUB and with one CONK on the head Father had SLANE it. We decided to go fishing, so we got into our boat and ROWE(d) to the middle of the LAKE. Because there was nothing to HINDERER, Mother fell into the LAKE and we had to FISHER out. It was hard to HAIST her in because she did NOTTEN to help herself. After Mother recovered we cast our LYONS out again. Soon we caught a blue GILSON. We spent the rest of the afternoon fishing and we caught several MOORE. As we came near the dock we saw the MARSHALL, we knew there was a strict REULE against fishing in this pool so we SWILL away.

When we reached the car we saw the gas GAGE registered empty. We started walking to a gas station, but when we got there we found we had only a HAFLEY dollar. We had to BAUER enough gas to get us home.

After all our trouble we finally reached our home to find our LIGHTS were out so we had to USEWICKS. This ended our day.

### SMALL TALK

What has happened to Bill Lyons? He actually seems to be reading his lessons now and then. Did you know that there is more than one Einstein in the world? The physics students say they have a "Junior" one in their class.

How much would you pay to have that smirk wiped off Dave Knick's face? B. Stofor was willing to pay five cents in American History class.

The Latin club gave an ice skating party at the Colosseum in Ann Arbor. No broken arms or legs, and very interesting characters were the reports. More fun.

What is a "peachy Indian?" Ask M. A. Gage, she seems to have the answer.

Why do the Freshmen boys play so hard to get? Poor Miss Fox! Will the Journalism-students ever get all their assignments in on time? We doubt it!

Carl O'Dell gave a sliding party the 16th, that really "conked" Vernie. They were going down hill when they hit an asphalt causing Vernie to be hit on the head.

Another casualty was Rowena Lentz. She had to have her knee stitched up from frantically trying

to make the school bus one morning. Why don't the boys come to noon dancing on Thursday? There are plenty of girls to pick from. Signing off for this week... Your Snoothing Reporters.

ALL-HI PARTY  
Many people gathered in the CHS gymnasium last Friday night after the basketball game between Chelsea and Roosevelt. Two new records to be pursued by the school to play at the dances. They are "Gonna Get a Girl" and "Good-bye for Now."

Many of the seniors of '47 as well as underclassmen attended the dance. They seemed to be enjoying themselves very much.

GAA NEWS  
The GAA basketball team redeemed its honor, which was momentarily lost to the Saline girls two weeks ago, by defeating the Dundee team last Tuesday night with a score of 28 to 8. The starting CHS forwards were D. Howard, M. A. Schrader and J. Hughes, while the guards were P. Schablie, M. Johnson and M. K. Palmer. Dundee players were M. Siler, V. Riger, J. Corbin, M. Bower, S. Siler, M. Bort and M. Briggs. Home team girls who acquired the highest points were J. Hughes and D. Howard.

Although the Dundee girls were defeated, they were very good sports. Following the game, both teams enjoyed a snack of coca cola and potato chips.

Chelsea girls will play the Manchester team at 4:00 p.m., Jan. 27, in the Chelsea gymnasium.

### PEP MEETING

To show the boys of Chelsea High that girls' basketball could be as exciting as the boys' game, GAA presented a "typical girls' game" last Friday at the pep meeting. The skit opened in the locker room where the girls were making the necessary (?) arrangements before the battle with the Bridgewater team.

The Bridgewater team consisted of Pat Scott, Sara Geer and Mae Slane. The Chelsea team consisted of Joyce Hughes, Mary Ann Schrader, Marilyn Johnson as the starting players, with Becky Hallfield, Jean McClure, Dorothy Howard and Joanne O'Dell as substitutes.

The crowd roared at the spectators for Chelsea, who was Gloria Fouty. Mary K. Palmer refereed the game as "Choo-Choo Lamore." Speeches were given by Mr. Newkirk and Mr. Cameron. Dee Eisenmann played the part of our coach, Miss DeRose.

### BAND NEWS

The High school band has decided to play at all home basketball games. The purpose is to keep the spectators in their seats during intermission.

The Junior and High school bands played for the grade school (grades one through five) on Wednesday.

### FFA

Speeches and demonstrations were recorded last Friday. The best ones will be chosen for the local contest.

The agricultural classes have been carrying on well in Mr. Richard's absence.

### STUDENT COUNCIL

The student council has agreed to sponsor the March of Dimes campaign. Corky Dreyer is chairman of the committee, with Ted

McCLEAR, Sonja Weatherwax and Phyllis Kelly to assist him.

### RADIO PROGRAM

The fourth grade enjoyed its trip to Ann Arbor very much. They put on the radio program about the "this month's birthdays of famous men." Since the whole class went, two mothers went along, Mrs. Geddes and Mrs. Olin, to help Miss Brown. Everyone had a very exciting and enjoyable time.

### GRADE NEWS

Kindergartener Jane McLaughlin is going to Florida. The group will miss her very much and hope she has a wonderful time.

Second Graders are studying about Eskimos and as a result they sent a letter to Alaska to get first-hand information on customs and how the Eskimos live.

They are also studying about how to keep their teeth in perfect condition.

Third Grader Evelyn Moore is out of school with scarlet fever. They are making artificial flowers for their window boxes.

Fifth Graders Bill Clunkett and Raymond Shepherd have left. Raymond moved to Whitmore Lake. Bill moved to Illinois.

They saw a movie on spelling. They hope it will improve their spelling.

Before Christmas Edson Whitaker took a trip to California. He brought back many interesting things for his class to see. He brought some red earth, rock and sand from the desert, and also many pictures. Last summer George Batsakis also took a trip to California and he brought back exhibition material; also. These contributions of the west have helped to make geography classes more realistic.

### SIXTH GRADE NEWS

Friday, Jan. 23, sixth grade had its January class party. The program committee was Cynthia Paul, Beverly Smith, Jerry Lesser and Billy Hallfield. The program, consisting of a quiz was carried on while the refreshment committee passed out suckers. The refreshment committee was Marjorie Robards, Donald Rowe and Sandra Baldwin. All had a good time.

In art class last week they made snowmen holding valentines, representing the month of February. They mounted them on colored paper and some of the best were put on the bulletin board. These make the room look gay.

Mr. Colburn wasn't here last week to conduct the dancing class.

### SEVENTH GRADE NEWS

Barbara Collins and Dixie Lee Rowe each had a birthday. Barbara's was Jan. 18 and Dixie's was Jan. 19.

Shirley Weir has been absent from school since Jan. 19.

Karen Chase, Dean Clark, Barbara Collins, Donna Hinderer, Dick Keezer have had perfect attendance since Labor Day.

### EIGHTH GRADE NEWS

The following students have not been absent nor tardy during the first semester: David Bertke, Claude Craft, Shirley Doyle, Beatrice Fowler, Dean Guenther, Earl Guenther, Jackie Hughes, Ella Mae Ustick, George Winchester and Evelyn Woods.

Stanton Walker returned home Thursday, after a three week's trip to California.

### GRADE NEWS

John Lightner has been chosen by the freshmen class to represent them in the Student Council. The sophomores have received

samples and are now choosing their class rings. The Junior play will be given on March 18. A supper will be given by the Juniors for the students on Feb. 6, the night of the U. High game. Plans for the supper are not yet complete.

May 14 is the day on which the Junior-Senior reception will be held.

### SENIOR NEWS

Sonja Weatherwax has been appointed representative to Student Council. She will take over the duties of secretary.

### BIOGRAPHIES

Willie or Willis Shulz, is a sixteen-year-old senior. Willie was born in Jackson, Michigan, on Sept. 19, 1932. His favorite sports are football and baseball. Apple pie is his favorite food. The color he likes most is red and "Peg O' My Heart" is just about tops in the song field. Willie plans on being a mechanic after graduation.

Helen Hochrein was born Oct. 14, 1929 and her nickname is Hookie. Helen is a senior this year, she likes to dance and she is also interested in football and basketball games. Helen likes pork chops and scalloped potatoes as her favorite dish and the color she likes best is green. Her favorite song is the "Old Lamp Lighter." Helen's plans for after graduation are somewhat indefinite at the present.

WINNING POEMS  
The poems of the three local girls, that were chosen in the Annual Anthology of High School Poetry contest are reprinted below.

"LIFE'S SONG"  
by Erlanese Wanous  
In everything I do and see  
There is a bit of melody.  
All the trees, the grass, the flowers  
With music fill my waking hour.  
The hills, the vales, the friendly  
brooks,  
The tears, the smiles, the kindly  
looks—  
These things which mean so much  
to me  
All blend to make one melody.  
But only when I trust, not fear,  
Shall I in all its beauty, hear,  
And only when I love, not hate,  
Can I perceive and cease to wait.  
When I, at last, have learned to  
live,  
To trust, to love, and to forgive,  
Then, only then, my song shall be  
A hymn of sublime harmony.

"THE BEAUTY OF WINTER"  
by Deloris Eisenmann  
As a sheet of silver snow  
Brings forth a radiant, silver  
glow,  
'Tis like little diamonds on display—  
This sheet of silver snow so gay.  
(Continued on page eight)

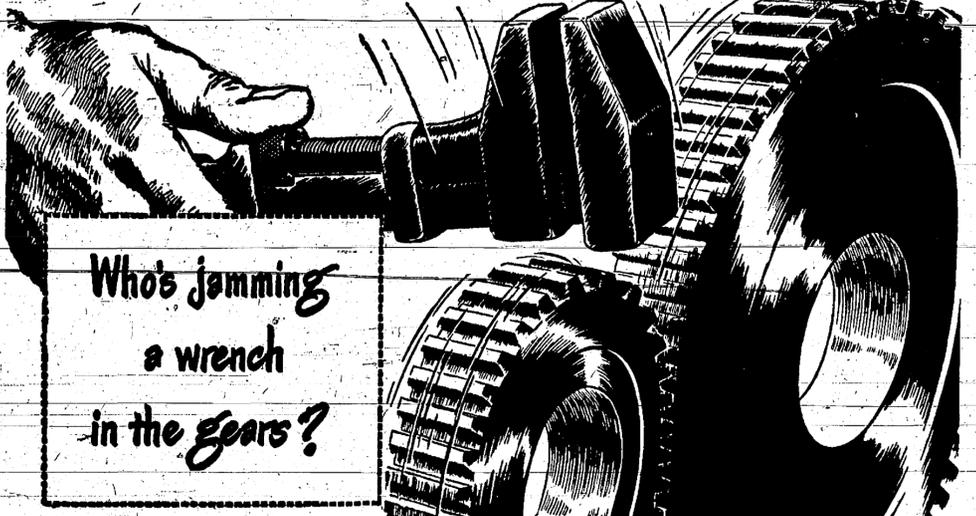


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## Who's jamming a wrench in the gears?

## 3 Unions Block Labor Peace—Refuse Wage Boost Already Accepted by 19 Other Railroad Unions!

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen and the Switchmen's Union of North America, representing 125,000 railroad employees, have refused to accept the offer of the Railroads of a wage increase of 15 1/2 cents an hour.

This is the same increase awarded 1,000,000 non-operating employees by an arbitration board in September, 1947.

This is the same increase accepted by 175,000 conductors, trainmen and switchmen by agreement on November 14, 1947.

Agreements have been made with 1,175,000 employees, represented by nineteen unions. But these three unions, representing only 125,000 men, are trying to get more. They are demanding also many new working rules not embraced in the settlement with the conductors and trainmen.

Incidentally, the Switchmen's Union of North America represents only about 7% of all railroad switchmen, the other 93% being represented by the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen and covered by the settlement with that union.

What Now?  
The Unions having refused to arbitrate, the Railway Labor Act providing for the appointment of a fact-finding board by the President.

The railroads feel it is due shippers, passengers, employees, stockholders, and the general public to know that throughout these negotiations and in mediation, they have not only exerted every effort to reach a fair and reasonable settlement, but they have also met every requirement of the Railway Labor Act respecting the negotiation, mediation, and arbitration of labor disputes.

It seems unthinkable that these three unions, representing less than 10 per cent of railroad

employees, and those among the highest paid, can successfully maintain the threat of a paralyzing strike against the interest of the entire country—and against 90 per cent of their fellow employees.

The threat of a strike cannot justify granting more favorable conditions to 125,000 employees than have already been put in effect for 1,175,000, nor will it alter the opposition of the railroads to unwarranted wage increases or to changes in working rules which are not justified.

A glance at the box shows what employees represented by the Engineers and Firemen make. They are among the highest paid in the ranks of labor in the United States, if not the highest.

Compare these wages with what you make!

| Type of Employee               | 1946 Average Annual Earnings | 1947 Average Annual Earnings | 1947 Average Annual Costs per Hour Added |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| ENGINEERS                      |                              |                              |  |
| Road Freight (Local and Wagon) | \$3,966                      | \$4,126                      | \$6,757                                  |
| Road Passenger                 | 3,632                        | 3,399                        | 6,025                                    |
| Road Freight (Through)         | 3,147                        | 4,684                        | 5,169                                    |
| Yard                           | 2,749                        | 4,081                        | 4,039                                    |
| FIREMEN                        |                              |                              |  |
| Road Freight (Local and Wagon) | 2,738                        | 4,683                        | 5,268                                    |
| Road Passenger                 | 2,732                        | 4,544                        | 5,165                                    |
| Road Freight (Through)         | 2,089                        | 3,480                        | 3,891                                    |
| Yard                           | 1,982                        | 3,136                        | 3,663                                    |

Railroad wages computed from Interstate Commerce Commission Statement M-300. Full year 1947 estimated on basis of actual figures for first eight months.

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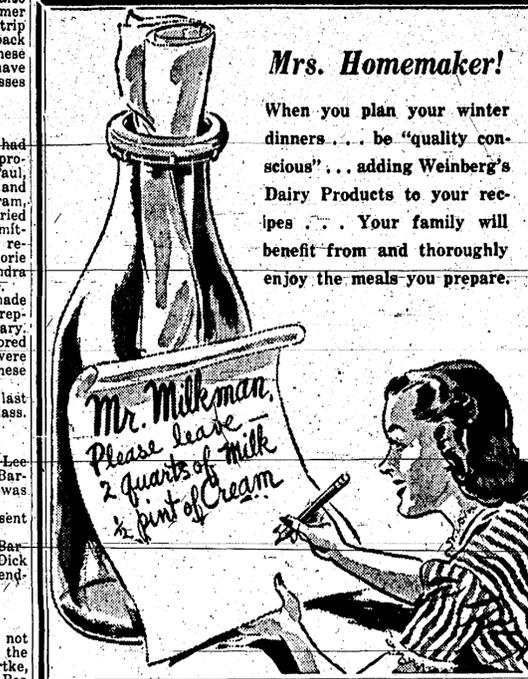
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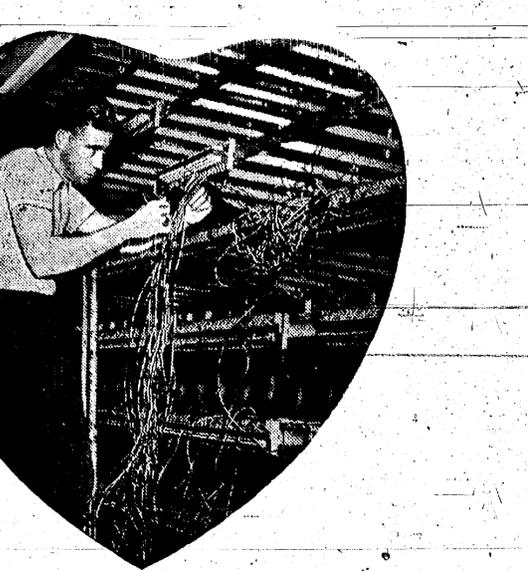
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Meanwhile, our present facilities are serving more telephones and handling more calls than ever before. And as the installation of new equipment moves along, still more families will be getting telephones.

Bell System telephone factories, swamped with orders for equipment needed to meet the huge nation-wide demand, have been breaking all production records. And we're happy to say that some new equipment has arrived and we now are at work installing it.

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**It Wasn't So Very Long Ago**  
Items taken from files of The Standard of years past.

**24 Years Ago**  
Thursday, January 31, 1924  
June and Lewis Bycraft are confined to the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bycraft, with the mumps.  
Rev. G. H. Whitney, former pastor of the M. E. church here, died in Sebring, Florida, Monday, Jan. 28. Rev. Whitney's parents were residents of Chelsea and lived on East Summit street.  
Chelsea's Green and White defeated the Saline High school boys to the tune of 19 to 9. On Chelsea's team were Withersell, J. J. Kinner, L. Brooks, center, Vogel, r.g. Mayer, l.g., and also Kaercher as r.f.  
St. Mary's Kelly Greens defeated the fast St. Thomas high team of Ann Arbor, in a hard-fought game at St. Mary's hall on last Friday evening. The final score was 20 to 15. Those on St. Mary's team are as follows: Hoffman, r.f., Wheeler, Eisele, c., Howe, r.g., Keusch, l.g.

The following directors were elected for 1924 at the annual meeting of the Chelsea Co-operative Association, held in Sylvan town hall last Thursday: Paul Pierce, Elba Gage, Geo. E. English, John Young, Floyd Wain, T. G. Riemenschneider and Henry Heim.  
The annual business meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the Methodist church was held at the home of Mrs. S. P. Foster, Tuesday, Jan. 29. Officers were elected for the coming year as follows: President, Mrs. S. P. Foster; Vice-president, Mrs. L. G. Palmer; Secretary, Mrs. H. W. Dancer; Treasurer, Mrs. G. A. Runciman.  
Irving J. Pickell died Jan. 16, at the age of 78 years, 7 months and 15 days. He was born in New York state, June 1, 1845. In the year 1864 he came to Michigan with the family and lived on the farm which his father purchased near Unadilla, where he also resided until his death. He is survived by his wife, three children, Emory Pickell, Mrs. Eva Teachout of Unadilla, and Miss Nellie Pickell of Jackson; four grandchildren; two sisters, Mrs. Hettie Palmer and Mrs. Minnie May, and one brother, William Pickell. Burial was Jan. 18 at Oak Lawn cemetery, Stockbridge.

**THE HI-LIGHT**  
(Continued from page seven)  
And when the moon comes out at night  
And sheds its rays on glistening white,  
To all the world this snowy scene  
Brings forth all things so pure and clean.  
At night when all the world's asleep  
And o'er the earth the snow doth creep,  
It makes one wonder at the sight  
Of all the snow so sparkling bright.  
Why does the snow melt fast away?  
Why can't it stay just one more day?  
Where does it go into the night,  
No more to shed its brilliant light?  
"A NATURE STUDY"  
by Marjorie Proctor  
As I went for a nature stroll,  
The autumn's beauty filled my soul,  
And in the fresh, pure country air  
I found God's gifts, so rich and rare.  
I wondered just how could there be  
So much green beauty in that tree,  
Her arms outstretched to greet the sky  
And all the creatures that do fly,  
And the beauty of the stream,  
Always wholesome, pure and clear.  
How can it ripple all day long,  
And always seem to hum... a song?  
I think now, as I wonder here,  
Of all the beauty in the sphere;  
How can some, just pass it by,  
And let this beauty forever lie?

**Super Efficiency . . .**  
Milan—Well, you've heard of "Eager Beaver," but did you know that there is one on the Milan Fire Department? Rookie, Edward Parschall takes his duties very seriously. Saturday evening he was relaxing at his apartment, at Celia Bennett's, 100 Tolan street. There was a fire call. With the assistance of his wife he struggled into outdoor garments, donned his shoes and without waiting to tie the laces, raced to the fire house. Breathlessly asking, "where is it?" He was told "100 Tolan street."  
"Why, that's my house," he ejaculated and sprinted back home. It was just a chimney fire and quickly extinguished, but now his fellow fire eaters are accusing him of starting it himself, so he would be there on time. We wonder—The Milan Leader.

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**VETERAN NEWS**  
From the OFFICE OF VETERANS' AFFAIRS LANSING

**Combat Wounded Veterans May Now Enlist**  
The time in which partially disabled combat wounded veterans of the Army or Air Force may enlist has been extended indefinitely by each Department.  
The Army and Air Force also have opened enlistments to partially disabled combat wounded World War II veterans of the Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard, such enlistments previously having been reserved for Army and Air Force personnel.  
Eligible must possess, or be trainable in, certain critically needed skills, and meet certain physical requirements to be enlisted in grade held at time of discharge if service was in Army or Air Force, or in equivalent pay grade if service was in the Navy, Marines, or Coast Guard. Partially disabled combat wounded whose last period of active service in any branch of the Armed Forces was in status of a commissioned officer, warrant officer, or flight officer, may be enlisted in Grade One, provided enlistment is accomplished on or before June 30, 1948.  
Disability compensation or Purple Heart awards are not necessarily a prerequisite for enlistment in the Regular Army or Air Force under the new order (WD Pamphlet 12-16). The individual must be a "battle casualty" defined as a person who suffered wound(s) or injury during combat as result of enemy action.

**PIN CHATTER**  
Week ending Jan. 24, 1948:  
Team Standing W L  
Johnson's Tool Shop 40 14  
Bowler 36 18  
Dexter Market 32 22  
Lesser's 32 22  
FSW Employ. Assoc. 31 23  
Pumpkin College 31 23  
Tail Enders 30 24  
Staebler-Kemp 29 25  
Chelsea Restaurant 28 26  
Lucky Fire 28 26  
Pleasant Lake 28 31  
Chalk Dusters 21 23  
Class of '47 21 38  
Rookies 20 34  
Chelsea Implement 19 35  
Chelsea Milling 18 36  
High team three games without handicap, Chelsea Restaurant, 2040.  
High team three games with handicap, Dexters Market, 2239.  
High team single game with handicap, Dexters Market, 791.  
High team single game without handicap, Johnson's Tool Shop, 798.  
Girls having high game for her

**BOWLING**

Weed ending Jan. 24, 1948.  
Monday Night Division  
Team W L T.P. Pts.  
Seitz-Burg 39-21 12 51  
Daniels Buick 38-22 13 51  
Mayer's Ins. 39-21 12 51  
Schneider Gro. 35-25 13 48  
Unadilla IOOP 35-25 13 48  
R. D. Gadda Ins. 29-31 10 89  
Spring No. 1 27-33 9 88  
Gamblers 27-33 9 82  
Merrels Hdwe. 24-36 8 32  
Lake Bros. 24-36 8 32  
Red & White 22-38 7 29  
Down Slides 17-40 4 21  
Team high series, Mayers Ins., 2665.  
Team high game, Mayers Ins., 925.  
Individual high series, O. Johnson, Mayers Ins., 584.  
Individual high game, T. Jarvis, Mayers Ins., 226.

Thursday Night Division  
Team W L T.P. Pts.  
Underdogs 36-24 14 50  
Wood Ins. 35-25 12 47  
Spaulding Chev. 33-27 12 45  
CIO No. 1 31-29 12 43  
Rod & Gun 30-30 12 42  
Cavanaugh Lake 29-31 12 41  
Wurster & Foster 30-30 10 40  
Spring No. 2 31-29 9 40  
Hankard & Fritz 30-30 8 38  
Chelsea Products 29-31 7 36  
Central Fibre 23-37 6 31  
Bagles 23-37 6 27  
Team high series, Rod & Gun, 2528.  
Team high game, Rod & Gun, 873.  
Individual high series, H. Bertke, Cavanaugh Lake, 601.  
Individual high game, H. Bertke, Cavanaugh Lake, 211; R. Spaulding, Spaulding Chev., 211.

team: Ritter, 198; Klumpp, 164; Isbell, 131; Blanchard, 147; Doll, 157; Smock, 201; Tarnacki, 158; Stierle, 153; Pierson, 155; Schell, 144; Kaiser, 208; Eisenman, 172; Worden, 159; Ticec, 178; Reith, 158; and Tobin, 155.  
Splits were picked up by T. Lyons, 5-7; L. Stierle, 5-7 and 5-7; Dexter Market, 5-10; Hutzel, 5-10; A. Lesser's, 5-10; Alpervitz, 5-7; B. White, 8-10 and 7-5-9; Koch, 8-10; G. Reith, 7-4-10; H. Ringe, 5-10; Tobin, 5-10; Breitenwischer, 5-10; Leach, 5-9-10; Klumpp, 5-9-10; Behnke, 6-10 and Smock, 6-10.  
guess that sets a record for the number of splits in one week. Picked up, that is.  
We chalked up a couple two hundred games last week and also several good series. Klumpp had a 461 series; M. Ritter missed a 200 game by two pins and ended with a 619 series, which is not bad at all; Jarvis had a 491 series; F. Koch bowled 458 for the three games; Eisenman, 451; Tarnacki, 456; Behnke, 498 and Johnson, 459. Our two 200 bowlers were Smock with 201 and B. Kaiser with 208. They had a 519 and 520 series, respectively. Nice work, gals.

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Funny thing about hobbies... Wasn't long before they were working side by side on Ed's bench, sharing a common interest. Instead of keeping them apart, Ed's hobby brought them more together.  
From where I sit, a husband's hobby can often be a wife's as well. In fact, I've got the missus interested in tying trout flies—and, along with that mellow glass of beer, it makes the evenings go by mighty pleasantly.  
Joe Marsh

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oats daily divided into three feeds. This ration is gradually increased to 16 quarts by August...



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Curled Toe Paralysis Cause of Deficiency



Chick at left is afflicted with curled toe paralysis due to riboflavin lack...

Winter Manure Use Needs Care To Avoid Loss of Much Fertility

Spreading fresh manure directly on the land should be done with care during the winter months...

Join the MARCH OF DIMES JANUARY 15-30

Keep Flies - Neat Trout flies should not be carried in a box which cramps and crushes them...

utilization of feed within the cells of the body. Riboflavin is widely distributed in feeding materials...

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION Final Administration Account No. 4818

STATE OF MICHIGAN No. 891-R The Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw...

STATE OF MICHIGAN In the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw...

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AWNINGS Store - Factory - Residential VARIETY OF COLORS and PATTERNS

BURNING RUINS SOIL When you burn straw, cornstalks and other crop residues on the field...

NOTICE! Lyndon Taxpayers I will be at Chelsea State Bank Jan. 24, Jan. 31, Feb. 21 and Feb. 28 for the purpose of collecting Lyndon Township Taxes.

CALISTA ROSE Lyndon Township Treasurer

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Chelsea State Bank of Chelsea, Washtenaw County, Michigan...

New Disease of Sweet Potatoes in the South A new and distinctive disease of sweet potatoes known as "internal cork"...

Farmers' Money Not All Increased Earnings What farmers do now with their liquid assets and credit will determine their financial position...

Trapping Is Good Way To Control Moles In the spring the activities of the common mole appear to be more noticeable...

NOTICE! LIMA TAXPAYERS I will be at Chelsea State Bank every Friday, starting December 19th, for the purpose of collecting Lima Township Taxes.

Mary Haselswerdt Lima Township Treasurer

NOTICE! SYLVAN TAXPAYERS I will be at the Chelsea State Bank every Friday and Saturday until further notice...

defendant by registered mail and an acknowledgment receipt is received therefor...

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION Second Annual Account No. 38554

STATE OF MICHIGAN No. 891-R The Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw...

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of the following described property: Commencing at the northeast corner of lot one hundred and one in R. S. Smith's Third Addition to the City of Ann Arbor...

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION Appointment of Administrator

STATE OF MICHIGAN In the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw...

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February, A. D. 1948, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition...

ORDER APPOINTING TIME FOR HEARING CLAIMS No. 88650

STATE OF MICHIGAN The Probate Court for the County of Washtenaw...

STATE OF MICHIGAN In the Circuit Court for the County of Washtenaw...

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### DEATHS

**Judith Ann Fisher**  
Judith Ann Fisher, three and one-half years old, only child of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver B. (Bill) Fisher, died in Foose hospital, Jackson, Wednesday, Jan. 21. She was born in Defiance, Ohio, July 10, 1944, and came here from Jackson with her parents in April of last year. They have been living on what was formerly the Crandall turkey farm on Mester road.

Survivors, besides the parents, are her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Marshall, of Defiance, Ohio, and Mr. and Mrs. George Fisher, of Norvell, and her great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Marshall, of Jackson.

Funeral services were held from the Bailey Funeral Home in Jackson, Saturday, with Rev. Pease officiating. Burial was in Woodlawn cemetery, Jackson.

**Birth Announcements**  
Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Miller of Jackson have announced the birth of a son, Leslie Howard, at Mercy hospital, Jackson, on Friday, Jan. 16. Mrs. Miller is the former Rhea Clark of Chelsea.

A daughter, Sandra Kay, was born at Rowe Memorial hospital in Stockbridge on Jan. 15, to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Clark are the parents of a son, David Harold, born at Mercy hospital in Jackson on Monday, Jan. 19.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed at Rowe Memorial hospital in Stockbridge, on Monday, Jan. 19, a daughter, Joyce Diane.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas A. Young, at St. Joseph's Mercy hospital, Ann Arbor, a daughter, Diane Marie, Sunday, Jan. 18.

Born, Monday, Jan. 19, at St. Joseph's Mercy hospital, Ann Arbor, to Mr. and Mrs. Philip McGinney, a son, David Philip.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl L. Peterson announce the birth of a daughter, Susan Jane, at St. Joseph's Mercy hospital, Ann Arbor, on Thursday, Jan. 22.

### Announcements

The Women's Guild of St. Paul's church will meet at the church hall Friday, Feb. 6, at 2 p.m.

St. Paul's annual get-together will be held at the church hall Thursday, Feb. 5. Dinner promptly at 6:30 p.m. Everyone bring own table service and either a salad or a hot vegetable other than potato. Meat, potatoes, rolls and dessert will be furnished.

The Riemenschneider School club will hold a bake sale at the Chelsea Hardware Store, Saturday, Jan. 31, at 2 p.m.

The Child Study club is sponsoring a public card party at the Municipal building, Thursday, Feb. 5, at 8 p.m. Bridge, pinocle, euchre and "500" will be played. Tickets may be obtained from any member.

Fraternal euchre party at Masonic Hall, Thursday evening (tonight), Jan. 29.

Cavanaugh Lake Grange will meet Tuesday, Feb. 3, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Riemenschneider for an all-day meeting.

Public Cake Party at Sylvan Town Hall, Tuesday, Feb. 3, at 8 p.m., sponsored by VFW Auxiliary Rehabilitation committee. All cakes home-made. Proceeds to be used for benefit of hospitalized veterans.

Chelsea Aerie No. 2636, F.O.E., meets tonight (Thursday) at 8:00 o'clock at the Eagle hall, 113 So. Main street.

The American Legion Auxiliary will meet in the Home Ec. room at 8 o'clock, Tuesday evening, Feb. 3, at 8 o'clock.

The South Sylvan Extension Group, members and their families, will hold a family party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilber Hatt and Mrs. Mary Hatt this Friday evening, Jan. 30. Pot-luck lunch.

All members and friends of the Methodist church will be interested in knowing that the Annual Free Seat Dinner is to be held this year in conjunction with the Fellowship meeting on Thursday, Feb. 5, at 6:30 p.m. The pot-luck dinner will be under the supervision of the W.S.C.S. The church treasurer will be on hand as in previous years.

W.S.C.S. of the Methodist church will meet on Wednesday, Feb. 4, at 2 p.m., in the church basement. For the group there will be a sale of baked goods and articles from the fair, also bring canned goods and used clothing for the Friendship Train.

Harmony Chapter will meet at the home of Mrs. M. J. Baxter, Friday, Feb. 6, at 2 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

The Past Chiefs club will meet Monday evening, Feb. 2, at 7:30 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. J. D. McManus.

The regular meeting of Olive Chapter, No. 108, O.E.S., will be held Wednesday, Feb. 4, at 7:30 p.m. Officers' practice Monday, Feb. 2, at 7:30 p.m.

Plymouth Chapter of the Congregational church will meet Friday, Feb. 6, at 2 o'clock, at the home of Mrs. Wm. Geddes, 215 Jefferson street.

PNG Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Wilbert Breitenwischer, Wednesday evening, Feb. 4.

**LEGION NEWS**  
Thanks to the generosity of Walter Riemenschneider, several thousand yards of dirt have been removed from the west side of the Legion Home and a new parking lot constructed with room for 200 cars.

Meetings are held at the Home the first Thursday of each month and all members are urged to attend. Regardless of the weather there will always be a good parking place now, so a better attendance is expected.

The next meeting will be Thursday, Feb. 5, at 8:00 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Tushingham returned the first of the week from a three-weeks' vacation in Florida.



### Help Is Offered Mich. Farmers in Pheasant Program

Landing—If enough southern Michigan farmers want more pheasants on their farms, and enough farms are available where food and cover improvements may profitably be made, the conservation department is prepared to spend several times a normal season's pheasant management budget to help make more attractive living places on the farms for the ring-necked pheasant.

Squads of men from the department's game division have begun interviewing a sample cross-section of farmers throughout the pheasant range. They are finding out not only how many farmers want more pheasants, but the proportion of farmers who will go along with the department in making improvements for wildlife on their land.

"Any action program for improving the pheasant situation depends largely on the interests and attitudes of the farmer," H. D. Ruhl, chief of the department's game division, declared. Farmers' opinions of the pheasant aid plan will be reported to the conservation commission at its next meeting Feb. 10. A budget for the work and operating procedure are to be considered then.

Money for the program is available in the Pittman-Robertson fund. Three-quarters of this fund is supplied by the federal government from tax on sales of sporting arms and ammunition.

Details of the plan for increasing favorable pheasant living space will not be settled until farmers' attitudes are known, but it will provide two sorts of assistance: technical advice and material aid.

The technical advice will be supplied by a "game management service" yet to be set up. The service's agents, men skilled in wildlife, soils and farming procedures, will draw up detailed wildlife plans for the farm of each cooperating farm owner. Their suggestions will cover such matters as maintaining fences, prevention of grazing in woodlots,

PAUL F. HICKIE, until recently chief forester of General MacArthur's occupation staff in Japan, on Feb. 1, becomes regional chief of conservation department field activities in Michigan's 34 southern counties. His headquarters will be in Jackson. His work for the department, dating from 1933, has been largely in game management. Faster and more efficient service to the public is one aim of the decentralization move that is putting responsibility for southern Michigan fish, game, parks, forest, law enforcement and other conservation affairs at the regional level.

### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Lentz and daughters, Joyce and Rowena, with Miss Ann MacLeod, of Detroit, attended the funeral services for Mrs. Lentz's father, Jesse Millage, of Milan, at the Stevens and Bush Funeral Home in Milan, Monday afternoon. Mr. Millage died at Denning, N. M., while enroute with Mrs. Millage, to California, where they had planned to spend the winter.



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County agents, farm bureaus, granges, rural PTA's and other farmers' organizations are being consulted about the proposed work.

**NEW BOOKS IN THE LIBRARY**

"The House Divided".....Williams  
"The Precious Secret".....Quilley  
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