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COUNTY FAIR BOARD

DIRECTOR FOR EACH TOWNSHIP IS ELECTED SATURDAY.

Hoped That Fair May Be Staged On Tract Of Land Near City, School Land Considered If County Fails.

Plans for the 1931 county fair were the Ingham county agricultural soiety held Saturday at the court house. A large attendance of directors and officers responded to the call. Ignoring the disastrous 1930 season, e directors were unanimous in their on that the society should connd that the fair should contin-

ual event. was re-elected presiu Huschke, Leroy supe-president. Mac Vaugmed treasurer. V. J. gain serve as secretary Graham as assistant was agreed that some be selected to work on to work under the disecretaries and take rge of publicity, adverotion and concessions. hat wider contact with

ions of the county might is decided to increase the rectors from four to one ownship. Those selected elhi, Mrs. Harold Wilson; y Hobart; Lansing, W. E. William

s. Thomas Barr; Wheat- state. Foler: White Oak, Fred Williamston, Charles Hart; ugh J. Bartley.

the athletic field is located, being also sion open only to life members.

plans for the fair, following which an with a break of four years while he early start toward details will be be- was engaged in banking and business.

Automobile Collides

ADAM SNYDER AND DAUGHTER UNINJURED IN CRASH.

Saturday evening, they failed to no- year of service. tice a standing freight train blocking the street. Katherine, who was driving, crashed into the side of the train The father jumped from the car and Committee Named To ordered his daughter to leave but she cooly started the motor and backed the automobile to safety from betrain began to move. Had she delay-ING POND AND COASTING HILL. ed, the car and its driver would have

about fifteen miles an hour they fail- were discussed. the appearance of pavement.

is the occupants escaped injury.

occupants were hurt. The car was Baptist church hills also came up for slightly damaged.

Ancient Tax Title

ENCUMBERS WHITE OAK PROP-ERTY AFTER EIGHTY YEARS.

Away back in 1848 one Silas Buber, Jr. purchased a tax title against the north part of the west one-half of the southwest quarter of section 5 in Whiteoak township. On Novem- Lansing Youth Shot ber 10, 1930, Cyrus Johnston of Detroit, claiming to be an assignee under the original purchase, sent his certificate of purchase to Auditor General O. B. Fuller and under the statutes received a tax deed to the property. This transaction came to light Monday when the quarterly settlement between the county and county treasurer.

Inquiry at the office of the auditor general brings information that the as he was getting out of his autodeed constitutes a cloud against the mobile four and one-half miles west title to the property and that while of Leslie. He had placed his loaded the cloud is only one of paper it still sixteen-gauge shotgun on the ground exists. However Deputy Auditor beside the car and as he stepped out General George Hauser states that of the car the gun was accidently most of the tax proceedings of an discharged. early day are found faulty and that few stand up in court,

The property in question is now neaceful possession of the property dating back many years. It is believed the statute of adverse possession would prevent other than nominal rights to the tax title purchaser. Just how the ancient document Mrs. Aaron Baldwin of Onondaga. came to light at this late date is unknown. At any rate had the original purchaser invested the \$10 originally paid the county for the title in nual installation of officers at the hall into custody after they had successings invested in six per cent securities, the original sum would have grown in the eighty-two years which have glansed to amount to approxisome other form of investment and had he kept it together with its earngrown in the eighty-two years which jately \$2600.

"All pulet on the Western

Former Business Man Ends Life With Gun

GEORGE COLEMAN COMMITS SUICIDE AT CRYSTAL LAKE.

George Coleman, 75, for several years connected with his son, Merton, n the automobile business in Mason shot himself at his home in Crystal Lake last Sunday afternoon and died in the Edmore hospital Sunday night. Before coming to Mason he was endiscussed at the annual meeting of gaged in the implement business in Ithaca. Ill health is given as the reason for suicide. He shot himself while Mrs. Coleman was at church.

Besides the son who resides in Mason there are four other children: Roscoe and Merl of California, Mrs. J. Allen of Emerson, and Miss Hazel Coleman of New York.

Mr. Coleman made many friends while he was in business here.

PRESENT HIM WITH LIFE M. E A. MEMBERSHIP.

Teachers Throughout County Contribute To Voluntary Fund Gift In Recognition Of 20 Years Service.

Fred E. Searl, county school comhis capacity are: Alaie- missioner, is particularly happy over . C. Dart; Aurelius, Mrs. the receipt of at least one of his hour; Bunkerhill, Murray Christmas gifts. It is an expression of appreciation from the several the nomely and inconsequential things out for the primary holmination.

which after all constitutes what we Thirty-five republican aspirants for scores of teachers employed in the Mrs. Claud Keith; Les- graded and rural schools of the county and takes the form of a life mem-Leslie Wilcox; bership, fully paid, in the Michigan

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the commissioner entitles him to atmaterials and th Possible purchase of land by the lend all meetings of M. E. A., to re-habitants of this community and this county is hoped for, the seven acre ceive all literature published by the ract owned by the Mason board of organization and also admits him to education upon a portion of which membership into the honorary divi- tance.

discussed. It is believed the latter According to leaders in the movetract might be leased from the school ment which extended to every teacher quarters into Ingham county's beauti- a car driven by Deputy Andrew Lang board and the entire fair housed un- outside the cities, the honor thus be- ful \$250,000 infirmary just completed went into the ditch east of Mason derneath canvas. It was pointed out stowed upon Commissioner Searl is near Okemos. that the expense of constructing in recognition of twenty years of frame structures for temporary use faithful service to the schools of Ingon paved streets is almost prohibitive, ham county. June next Mr. Searl A meeting of the newly elected di- will have completed that length of

> Accompanying the certificate showing a paid-up life membership, was a note reading as follows:

a great pleasure in wishing you a mer Potter farm are circulated, very Merry Christmas and a Happy William H. Taylor, prominen When Adam Snyder and daughter presenting you with this Life Mem-Katherine were driving home on West bership in the Michigan Educational Ash street after closing the store last Association on this your twentieth

The Teachers of Ingham County." here

Study Winter Sports rested.

There are no warning lights on the Harry E. Neely, president of the Ki-tarmer and member of the house Ash street crossing and residents of wanis club, named Leo Kelly, Carl three terms, announces candidacy for the locality also state that the street Plank and B. T. Frye as members of state senate. light at the crossing was also out of a committee to study plans for winorder Saturday. Although Mr. Sny-ter recreation. In open meeting plans breaks ground for \$200,000 expansion der and daughter were only driving for a skating pond and coasting hill

ed to notice the train. With the If a skating rink is provided it will farm boy, wins national essay conlights dimmed the freight cars had probably be located upon Athletic test, subject "4-H Club Work." field. In discussing the rink project The Snyder car was badly damag- it was brought out that no demand ed but beyond shock and slight bruis- had been forthcoming from the boys and girls of Mason for the rink and Mrs. Ruth Kinnison and children that a pledge from them that they also figured in an accident Sunday would use it and keep it free of snow when their car left the icy pavement would have much to do with the denear Leslie. The car left the road cision. The plan of barricading cross and went into a ditch but none of the streets down the Presbyterian and

discussion. At the meeting Monday Harry Comes To Light Here office Mr. Plank expressed his appreciation for the support received by him the past year. The retiring president also read a letter from the district governor praising the work of the Mason club.

The new president also announced

CHARLES ALLEN SHOT IN LEFT THIGH AND HAND.

Another hunting accident occurred in Ingham county last Sunday when state was received at the office of the Charles Allen, 19, of Lansing, sustained severe gunshot wounds in his left thigh and hand. Allen was shot

The youth was taken to a doctor's office in Leslie where his wounds were dressed and then he was rushed to owned by W. D. Kendrick, title and the St. Lawrence hospital in Lansing. Reports from the hospital state that he will probably recover although the wounds are serious.

The boy is the son of Mrs. James Allen of Lansing, and a nephew of

REBEKAHS TO INSTALL.

The members of the Mason Rebekah Lodge 324 will hold their anhave elansed, to amount to approxi- Mrs. C. E. Elfert; F. S., Mrs. Ford their marriage. Whipple: treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Duns-Following installation supper will be to heart attack,

Year of 1930 Was Eventful Period in Ingham County, Happenings Summarized

INGHAM

Outstanding Events Of The Year I County Recorded In Chronological Sequence.

books upon itself. It will be remembered as the year which followed the disatsrous break in Wall street in the fall of 1929. It will be remembered as the year when hundreds of thousands of workmen paced the streets in a vain search for employment. It Mason physician and surgeon, is conwill be remembered as the year when victed on manslaughter charge in economists, politicians, business strategists and proagandists vied for front page position-all with about equal credit to themselves and with equal effect upon business and industrial conditions.

What 1930 has held in prosperity is now accomplished. All that it has left of misery and poverty and distress cannot now be erased.

And so chronologists will write of occurrences. Wars, murders, frauds weather is held responsible. Failures, bankruptcies and defalca- and writer of Mason, succumbed to tions will be listed. Politics and long illness at her home here. statesmanship will be rehearsed.

the homely and inconsequential things out for the primary nomination. ge, Mrs. Wilmot Reeves; tion made up of the educators of the terest us for the most part and yet lic inspection. county they are of utmost impor-

January

Eber Otis, Standard Oil agent here, headquarters at Ypsilanti. Luren D. Dickinson, lieutenant gov-

state's greatest need. Mason Lodge F. & A. M., observes grown despondent. seventy-fifth anniversary.

With Standing Train

"To express our appreciation of to succeed Louis B. McArthur who River. His head struck a large rock.

your many acts of kindness, our faith has held the office 25 years.

September

Williamston has brief oil boom Brucker wins over Groesbeck in Williamston has brief oil boom ness for your many services, we feel when rumors of rich findings on El-

William H. Taylor, prominent Ve-

Ingham county dairymen, numbering 156, enroll for winter night school Laboratory Products plant suffers

\$40,000 blaze. Stockbridge elevator is robbed and three farmers admit guilt when ar-

Warren Oldman, 34, Leslie grocer, tween two cars. An instant later the KIWANIS CLUB DEBATES SKAT- instantly killed when light car he is express car on highway near Jackson. Rep. Lynn C. Gardner, Livingston

Laboratory Products company Gottfried Graf, Jr., Stockbridge

March Prominent Onondaga woman rested as bootlegger.

Clarence Snyder, 19, Detroit, M. S. student, is killed when car skids on curve at Leslie. Two girl companions also seriously injured.

Relatives and friends of Orlando Corwin, wealthy Williamston man, fear for his safety. He had disappeared while on winter trip to Ari Neely was installed as president to zona and reports of dealing with succeed Carl Plank. In retiring from western swindlers has alarmed. Sheriff Silsby was sent on searching trip. Corwin was found at Douglas, stranded and abandoned by his new found

friends. Seymour H. Person, state senator from Ingham-Livingston district, announces he will oppose Grant M. Hud-

his committee appointments for 1931. son for republican congressional nom-Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dingman, prominent Alaiedon couple who had but recently celebrated their golden wed-

> week, both victims of pneumonia. April Charles W. Ben fatally injured when car he is driving collides headon with standing truck near North

Leslie. Governor Fred W. Green clashes with federal authorities when he asks for license for state police radio sta- ty clerk, receives appointment as sec- supervisor of publication work and ment for clothing for the family tion. Defies them and orders state to proceed with plans. M. O. Mead, retired, succumbs to

long illness at his Mason home. Max A. Templeton, Lansing alderman, named for third consecutive term as chairman of the county board of supervisors.

Lon Gretton, prominent farmer is illness victim. Roland Dewey, 14, eighth grade student of the Smith school in White Oak township, was awarded first place in county spelldown held at Mason, Virginia Johnson, 13, Okemos school, won second place.

D. H. Mills, former deputy county clerk, and long prominent in state and county politics, dies at Lansing. A gang of Mexican clothing thieves were rounded up at Leslie and taken

James W. Bailey, prominent in Lesmore; Captain, Mrs. Herbert Carn. lie affairs for many years, succumbs General John P. Kirk Spanish war Curtis, W. M.

MANY PROMINENT CITIZENS veteran, delivers Memorial Day address at county seat.

Andrew Lang, deputy sheriff, and two occupants of his motor car are seriously injured when the automobile plunges into a trench left by ditch diggers across the Howell road. All Nineteen thirty has closed the are removed to a Lansing hospital.

> Mountain View Orchard company and peach trees on their acreage near

Ingham county circuit court, is given a population of 2569. Ingham ward. Fay Dunning was chosen from county shows 116,359 population.

wells fail. Supervisors decide to give new blacktop gravel surface a tryout.

Water famine threatens city

Thousands of fish die in Jones Lake those happenings of importance-in- near Lansing, due to lack of oxygen ternational, national and state. News- in the water, conservation scientists papers will be combed for high light believe. Calm and extremely hot and social crimes will be exploited. Mrs. Franc L. Adams, historian

Alex Groesbeck, three times gov-It remains for the home newspaper ernor, throws bomb in state republito scan its files and to review in brief can camp when he announces he is

call life. In a community such as county office file petitions with counours there are few times in an era ty clerk.
when things happen to warrant New T. B. sanitorium, built by the screaming headlines. It is the small-county at a cost above \$400,000, is

many are of the greatest importance. Ivan Baumer, 19, was killed when Searl is among the very first to be to us and to our friends. And so here a tire on the automobile he was drivbestowed upon any educator, having is the record which has been written, ing blew out near Aurelius. Miss week by week and month by month, Wilda Droscha, his companion, was

> Laboratory Products plant are placed inal cases to consider. on production. Eighty thousand dollar damages asked in suit against the county Inmates are moved from temporary growing out of injuries received when

Three were injured. Eden gets electric service when is promoted to district salesman with transmission lines are completed by Consumers Power.

rectors and officers will be held early time as county commissioner, having ernor, sends out "feeler" to test gub- with gun while on outing near Lake night at the Mason gymnasium it will in January to decide upon general served five terms of four years each ernatorial chances. Says prayer Michigan. Young Dean had been in not be because of lack of determinal state were not allowed to sell plates uncertain terms. He will urge not

> Brucker wins over Groesbeck in probably the most acrimonious poli-

tical battles of Michigan's history. Ethel Phillips, Lansing, wins over officers who were candidates for reelection were victorious.

Mason gets greatly improved mail service as result of campaign led by Ingham County News. Long drought is broken Sept. 13

when rains fell generally throughout Michigan. Lightning caused a fire roons. which razed the Bement elevator at driving collides with heavy armored Mason. Other serious losses occurred about the county.
Ingham county's best and biggest

fair opens at Mason. Thousands throng street during week. October North Aurelius community church observes fiftieth anniversary of its

dedication. Many former worshippers return for the event. Supervisors are told county indigency is costing more than quarter million dollars annually. Total county

City council decides to sink added wells for water supply. Radio receiving sets are installed a county jail and in two cars operated by sheriff's department. They are a part of the statewide hookup intended to block fugitives from the law and discourage crime,

November publican county candidates are elect-

for the ninth term in that office. Announcement comes from Washington that a civil service examina; chemist employed by the Laboratory might enjoy Christmas.

oostmaster at Mason. N. T. Hazelton, formerly a Mason Mrs. Cross will return to Mason attention. Mr. Griffin made arrange garage and motor car dealer and well where they have purchased a home ments for the funeral. He secured When Gun Discharges ding anniversary, die within the here following operation. He was The bride is well known in Mason. a daughter from Coldwater and another another and another another and another and another anot

> the north. December to equip sheriff's department with ar- mer school at Ann Arbor and has vis- mother and the two boys who remain mored car to assure protection

against fleeing bandits. F. Irvin Chase, former deputy counretary of the state senate. S. M. Mizer, Alaiedon farmer and

formerly a Leslie veterinarian was nstantly killed when gun is accidently discharged while on a hunting trip. Selden Stone, 12, Aurelius boy, dies

FORMER RESIDENT DIES.

Mrs. Della Pierce Blake, 64, passed

away Sunday evening, December 21, at her home in Mecosta. Death was caused by heart trouble. She is survived by her husband and a daughter who reside in Detroit, and three sisters, Mrs. Phoebe Thomas of this city, Mrs. Ida Hancock of Holt, and Mrs. Minnie Curtis of Detroit, and several city, which occurred on December-26 grandchildren and nices and nephews. in Ohio. Mrs. Strickland graduated Funeral services were conducted in from Mason high school with the Okemos and burial was made in the class of 1928 and has been employed Leek cemetery. Mrs. Blake was for- as secretary to the superintendent for merly a teacher in the Ingham count the past two years.

JURORS SUMMONED FOR JANUARY COURT TERM

CIRCUIT COURT WILL CONVENE IN MASON JANUARY 12.

Thirty-Six Jurors Summoned To Ap pear For Service Beginning January 19.

Names or thirty-six jurors were

drawn last Wednesday for the January term of the circuit court to be held at Mason. Officials in charge of begins task of setting 14,800 apple the drawing were C. Ross Hilliard, county clerk; Hugh W. Silsby, sheriff; and William S. Seelye and D. P. Dr. Sidney H. Culver, prominent Whitmore, justices of the peace. Names of two Mason women were icted on manslaughter charge in drawn for jury duty. They are Mrs. ngham county circuit court. Cornelia Waggoner of the first ward census count is completed. Mason and Mrs. Helen DuBois of the second East Lansing and from Lansing the names of Mrs. Pearl Doyle, John Wie-

> Larabee, Mrs. Elizabeth Crofts, Elisha Carroll, Joseph Bernard, John J. Maser, Edna M. Williams and Cyrus J. Rath were drawn. Those chosen from the townships ngham, Aurelius; Earl Walker, Bunkerhill; F. J. Wardell, Delhi; Henry Lee, Ingham; Nelson E. Burnham Lansing; Elza Turnbull, Leroy; C. N. Kelley, Leslie; Sumner Simpson, Locke; R. V. Shreve, Meridian; Fred Cook, Onondaga; Vincent Heeney, Stockbridge; Fred Miller, Vevay;

Earl Rector and Allen Beach, Wheat-

field; Ralph Glenn and Grace Patrick,

White Oak; and Frank DeWitt and

land, John W. Mendall, George D.

Jessie Horsman of Williamston. Although court convenes in Mason are not ordered to report for duty unwill be very lengthy as the September

Fast Contest Booked For Maroons Friday

COACH STEWART HOPES TO BE-GIN NEW YEAR RIGHT.

If the Mason Maroons fail to take John Lee Dean, 22, Mason, ends life the measure of Eaton Rapids Friday ill health for some time and had tion or practice. In order to start the Robert Smith, 20, Aurelius youth, to give effect to the many resolutions out-going secretary of state. clock in the morning until noon have been scheduled by Coach Stew-

art during vacation. upon but the drills have at least serve their financial condition. field in register's contest. All county ed to give the inexperienced athletes

all about. withstanding the resolution of the ployees will not resume their duties Maroons. In the Higgins brothers until the last of January. and Peterson, Coach Gibbons has a speedy trio bound to trouble the Ma-

The reserve teams of the two schools will play a preliminary. Next Tuesday evening in the Mason gymnasium the Grand Ledge var. relieve John S. Haggerty. sity and the Holly girls will be the attraction. Basketball is a new venture with Grand Ledge and its team is an unknown quantiy although it is said that a strong aggregation is being developed. The Holly girls, on the other hand, are a known quantity. They beat Mason last year in a thrilling game. It will be the first game of the season for the Mason girls, exmillion dollars annually. Total county cepting a game staged two weeks ago expenditures approximate four milbetween a first and second team.

To Return As Bride

HERE IN 1918 AND 1919. Mrs. M. A. Bement received word pital attention. Republicans sweep Michigan with Tuesday of the wedding plans of Miss ion will be held for the position of Products company of Mason. After a wedding trip in the east Mr. and morning despite medical and hospital

stricken ill while on a hunting trip to She taught school here in 1918 and other son from the Ionia reformatory. 1919 and made her home with Mrs. He gave to the dead man a shirt and them. M. A. Bement. For several years she other clothing he himself received for Bankers of county urge supervisors has been attending sessions of sum- Christmas. Mrs. Griffin brought the Telephone Operators ited Mrs. Bement and other Mason at home into her own house and friends frequently. Since teaching in cleaned them up. Mr. and Mrs. Grif-Mason Miss Bingham has been the fin called upon the welfare departteacher of journalism in the Lincoln What the welfare department failed

high school at Manitowoc. Mr. Cross has been connected with bought. Mrs. M. A. Bement.

STRICKLAND-ELLSWORTH. Announcement is made of the mar-

riage of Miss Agnes Ellsworth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ellsworth and Max Strickland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Strickland, both of this

ADDS FARM TOOLS.

Optometry Business

S. BUSH DISPOSES OF INTER-ESTS TO PARTNER.

Dr. F. J. Kellogg announces that he has acquired the interests of O.S. Bush in the Bush & Kellogg optometry establishment and that beginning January 1, the business will be conducted under the name of Dr. F. J. Kellogg. Mr. Bush is in Florida.

tice in Illinois. He has been licensed M. Butzel. Here in front of ampliby both Illinois and Michigan. ferson and Maple.

Badford, Robert Silkey, Duncan Mc-Farlene, L. D. Barnhard, Betty E.

TIME THIRTY DAYS.

License Plate Business Slack In The Branch Office Of County Clerk Here.

January 1, he turned over the duties lete and inequitable system of raising til Monday, January 19. It is not ex- ber. As a result of the extension mo- property. pected that the January term of court torists may drive their cars until Because of his long experience January 30 upon 1930 license plates, assistant prosecuting attorney term cleaned up many cases. The Although the order issued by the sec- Saginaw county and later as pro-September term jurors were excused retary of state has no legal bearing it for for two terms, followed by the throughout the state.

using 1930 plates. New Year off in proper manner and final report had to be made to the plication of what we already have.

butes some of the loss to the deprest the capitol building. In the evening sion but he also states that a major there will be the banquet and grand Despite the drills some faults are portion of it is due to the granting of ball at Hotel Olds to complete the instill apparent. Handling of the ball the extension. He says that many augural ceremonies. State officers Seymour H. Person, state senator, de- is still erratic at times and the applicants do not procure their plates and their wives will occupy the platand Prosperous New Year; and in vay farmer, succumbs to heart attack. Seymour H. Person, state senator, de- in the last moment regardless of form with the last moment regardless of form with the new governor and his

Extra employees had been engaged a chance to learn what basketball is by the county clerk to care for the curiosity Is Child's rush of applicants but because of the Eaton Rapids is favored to win not. extension of time granted, the em-

On Wednesday Mr. Hilliard announced that he would begin the issuance of plates on Friday, January 2, after the recess of two days occasioned by the inauguration of Frank Fitzgerald as secretary of state to

Good Samaritans Aid

SERVICES OF MR. AND MRS. RE-

SOLVO GRIFFIN PRAISED. Former Mason Teacher all that was done for the Dickinson the force that built civinzation and family in the loss of their father. Roy will continue to change it. Modern the man's condition, Resolvo Griffin dren." MISS PEARL BINGHAM TAUGHT visited the home Christmas Eve. He found the husband and father half iosity" will be given by Mrs. Lynde

125,000 lead over democrats. All re- Pearl Bingham of Manitowoc, Wis- what could be done. He called upon group study of child training: Mrs. J publican county candidates are elect- consin, and Robert J. Cross of Mason. J. H. Shafer, one of the superintend- B. Dean and Mrs. Ray Cotton; Mrs. The marriage will be solemnized at ents of the poor. Mr. Shafer ordered A. B. Ball and Mrs. E. M. Salisbury Fred E. Searl, county school com- the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. the sick man taken to a Lansing hos- Mrs. Geo. Percival and Mrs. Ray Elmissioner, announces his candidacy K. J. Krupkat in Manitowoc by Rev. pital. Then Mr. Griffin played the role len; Mrs. J. H. Davis and Mrs. E. Phipps of the Manitowoc Presbyter- of Santa Claus, He purchased toys Hoadley; Mrs. K. A. Zimmerman and ian church. Mr. Cross is a research and food for the family so that they Mrs. Irene Adams; Mrs. Ruth Kelly

The father died early Saturday to provide, Mr. and Mrs. Griffin

the Laboratory Products company for Mr. Griffin met the youth from Latwo and one-half years. His former peer and the son from Ionia at Lanhome was in Palo Alto, California, sing and brought them to Mason. The following gunshot wounds received and he is a graduate of Leland Stan- entire Dickinson family was fed at when gun thought not loaded is dis- ford University. Since coming to Ma- the Griffin home for several days preson he has been active in the Mason ceding and following the funeral. Mr. Kiwanis club and in the Presbyterian Griffin saw to it that the boys from church. He has made his home with Ionia and Lapeer and the daughter from Coldwater returned to their institutions. He then made plans for the repair of the Dickinson home and helped to clean it up. According to those who know the circumstances it was the busiest

Christmas any Mason family ever ENTERTAINS AT BRIDGE.

Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Baker entertain-

Acquired By Kellogg UVERNOR BRUCKER TO

NO. 1

INAUGURAL ADDRESS WILL BE BROADCAST OVER WKAR.

New Chief Executive Will Urge Tax Reform, Drive Against Organized

Crime, Sensible Spending. Thursday at noon Michigan will He and Mrs. Bush left early in the salute its new governor. At that hour fall on account of Mrs. Bush's health. the inaugural parade will have con-Dr. Kellogg has been connected cluded its march and citizens from all with the optometry business here for parts of the commonwealth will be about a year when he joined Mr. assembled in front of the large tem-Bush. He came to Mason from Flint porary platform erected at the east where he had long experience. He has capitol approach. Here Wilber M. been an optometrist for upwards of Brucker will take the oath of office fifteen years. He first began to prac- administered by Chief Justice Henry fiers to carry his message to the far-Dr. Kellogg will retain his offices in thest corner of capitol square and bethe Webb block on the corner of Jef- fore a microphone through which his message will be broadcast over WKAR to all corners of the state, the new governor will deliver his first of-

ficial message. Those to whom the governor-elect has exhibited his manuscript state that his address will disclose a grasp of state problems, a terse yet comprehensive presentation of his own are Paul Evart, Alaiedon; Roy Buck- SECRETARY OF STATE EXTENDS views, and an understanding of financial and social problems which will reassure the public. It is stated that he will urge upon every citizen and upon every member of his official family the necessity of sincere effort to reduce costs, increase efficiency

and equalize the tax burden. On Monday John S. Haggerty, sec- The new governor believes that any relary of state, extended the period tax relief must be coupled with sinfor securing auto license plates from cere efforts toward rigid economy but January 1 to January 30, as one of that much opportunity for reform of his last official acts. On Thursday, the present cumbersome and obso-

Water ban is lifted when wells at term jurors will have but few crimassume office with a clear picture of Sheriff Hugh W. Silsby of Ingham the crime wave in his mind. This has county says that he will obey the re- been emphasied during recent months quest of the secretary of state and as grand jury investigations into Dethat his officers have been instructed troit's underworld have progressed. not to make any arrests of motorists Mr. Brucker virtually abandoned his sing 1930 plates.

The branch license bureau in Ma- direct a drive against Detroit's inson was ordered closed for the day trenched and highly organized crim-Wednesday, December 31. According inal forces following the shooting to a telegram received by C. Ross down of Jerry Buckley, radio an-Hilliard from John S. Haggerty nouncer. His inaugural address will branch managers throughout the deal with the matter of crime in no Wednesday because on that day a more statutes but an "inexorable ap-

He will describe the modern criminal Angus McDonald, retired merchant, breaks neck and dies instantly when made by members of the high school named as president of Farmers Bank he dove into shallow water in Grand basketball team drills from nine plates have been sold in 1930 than for Following the address there will be

charming wife, Greatest Asset, Said

STUDY GROUP LEADERS MEET

"Your child's curiosity is a remarkable asset," Mrs. Lydia Lynde, specialist in child care and training tells parents as she goes about the state spreading the newer knowledge of scientific parenthood. The groups in Ingham county taking the second course in child training offered by Family In Distress Michigan State college extension department will meet in January to discuss the significance and use of the

child's curiosity. Mrs. Lynde suggests that "what you do with your child's curiosity may That Mr. and Mrs. Resolvo Griffin make or break his success as an displayed true Christmas spirit is the adult. Curiosity is a blessing to manassertion made by those who realize kind. It is the force behind progress, all that was done for the Dickinson the force that built civilization and Dickinson had been in a serious con- parents will strive to cultivate and dition for several days. Learning of guide it to the benefits of their chil-

The lecture and discussion on "Curdelirious and needing immediate hos- at the high school in Mason on Monday, January 5, to the following lead-Mr. Griffin at once began to see ers who will assist Mrs. Lynde in the and Mrs. Leota Robinson of Haslett, Mrs. R. C. Brown and Mrs. Glenn Drown of Stockbridge.

Presented Many Gifts

Any one interested in this study

may call any of the above leaders or

Miss Myrtle VanHorne at the county

agricultural extension office and be

assigned to a group meeting near

LOCAL TELEPHONE GIRLS RE-

CEIVE MANY GIFTS. The season's greetings were expressed to the local telephone operators by many of their patrons this Christmas. A. J. Torrance, H. H. Snyder, Donald Lamont, A. B. Ball. T. E. Dayton, Laboratory Products company, the Mason Fire department and the NEWS presented the "hello girls" with boxes of candy in appreciation of the services rendered them by the company. Dr. R. E. Benner presented each of the girls with a dainty compact of clever design.

ALAIEDON FARMERS CLUB. The Christmas meeting of the Alaiedon Farmers club was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fogle on Saturday. Members responded to roll call by telling their idea of giving. Two selections were given by ed guests at dinner at the Tavern and the ladies quartet in which Mesdames at bridge at their home following the Guy Munn, Frank Liverance, Paul dinner Tuesday evening honoring Mr. Boodagh and Mabel Worthington par-and Mrs. Harry J. Bond who will soon took. Moving pictures from the state leave for California. Prizes at cards conservation department were shown MASONIC LODGE.

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No Happy Compromise

Possibly before these lines are read a number of inmates of Michigan state prison will have received New Year gifts in the form of paroles or pardons from the hands of the retiring governor. These lines are written, not to influence the governor in any way, but to express some thoughts on the whole matter of pardons.

The very first Christmas greeting which this writer received came from a prison cell at Jackson-the cell of a man who for more than forty years has been confined there. It was signed by Robert Irving Latimer, sentenced to life at hard labor following his conviction for the murder of his mother. Four years after his incarceration a guard died from the effects of poison administered by Latimer, a skilled pharmacist' who had access to the prison supplies. Latimer has always maintained that he was not guilty of the crime for which he was convicted and that he had no intention of killing the guard when he doped him in an effort to escape

Recently a feature writer for the Detroit Times played up the 411/2 years Latimer has spent behind prison walls. ie agrees with Murl H. DeFoe, editor of the Charlotte Republican, that flatimer is a political prisoner whom eeding governors have refused to pardon because of ast amount of publicity given to his case. He refers young Arthur Rich, Battle Creek youth, sent up from Ingham court for criminal assault upon Louise King, co-ed student at Battle Creek college, as another politi-

cai prisoner. Mr. Smits, the Times writer says: "Since Latimer was sentenced, scores of killers have entered Michigan prisons with life sentences, have served an average of less than 14 years and have gone free. Had Latimer's case been that of an obscure foreigner, the chances are very good that he would have long since been liberated.

"It is my personal hope that Latimer will before long clasp the hand of his loyal champion, Murl DeFoe, on the outside."

Following closely the same line of reasoning the Portland Review has this to say:

"We can only say to Irving Latimer that if we were governor of this state he would soon be a free He would be released on the ground that 41 years is a long time to be imprisoned-long enough to punish and long enough to determine whether the prisoner is fit to mingle again with his fellow men.

"In Latimer's case there is no doubt of this. He has studied much and kept in touch with the outside world. He has been a model prisoner and has made himself very useful to the state. He was convicted of murder and sentenced to life, though he has always denied guilt. Cthers convicted of the same - charge have served fewer years than he and have been released. He is an old man now and if we were to have our way the few years he has to live would be passed outside the big house. If guilty he has paid the penalty. If innocent a great wrong has been committed. His release now would be a

happy compromise." The NEWS does not agree with either the Times or the Review. It does not hesitate to say that as a newspaper it does not intend to hound any governor to induce him to liberate convicts sentenced by the courts. Executive clemency should only be exercised when the governor shall have decided that the convicted person has been wronged or when circumstances unknown to the courts have been made known.

There are crimes for which proper penance cannot be done. Capital punishment was designed for such. It is the only theory upon which the state can condone the act of taking the life of a citizen. Accordingly a life sentence is in no sense an attempt to reform the guilty or to set a measure of penance. A life sentence is an effort to remove from society forever a person found guilty of killing another human being or so debauching humanity that he is considered unsafe to mingle with others. Such punishment as is conveyed in the sentence is for its effect upon others who otherwise might be contemplating similar crimes. The state mercilessly is the convicted person live in the hope that remorse and confession may result in peace with God. Earthly punishment and reform is forgotten in the horror of

And so when the Times writer refers to fourteen years as the average a lifer actually serves, he points to a weakness of the state he himself admits he would perpetuate. And when the Review writer says, "If guilty he has paid the penalty", he is wrong.

To kill a fellow being is held as the greatest of all crimes. To stand convicted of the murder of a mother is abhorrent to all. R. Irving Latimer was convicted after lengthy trial and after able counsel had exhausted every effort to save the son from a prison cell. No evidence has yet been presented to any court or to any of a dozen succeeding governors that a mistrial was had. Mere denial of guilt is insufficient in such a case and in the face of such facts. There is no room here for "happy compromise". America is suffering already from too many compromises with crime.

Meanwhile let it be said in all fairness that society would doubtless suffer none from Mr. Latimer's return to its circles. In the years which has passed since the prison doors first clsoed behind him, he has read and studied and since his attempt at escape he has continued for more than thirty-seven years as a model prisoner. He has enjoyed the complete confidence of the wardens under whom he has served. He has accumulated multitudinous friends about the state and nation who wish him well. He is a kindly, cultured, refined and dignified gentleman. He is trusted by all prison officials. The nature of his work is such that he is but a step behind the faithful officials who keep him confined and except for the fact that he cannot go where he will and do what he likes, his lot is by no means a hard one. If reformation had been sought, that has been accomplished long,

There is but one question to be considered. If he is gullty he should serve his sentence. If he is innecent should seek no "happy compromise" but of its full force that the wonder grows the cost is not more and the and power seek to make recompense.

Gerrit J. Diekema During the past twelve months, Michigan has suffered the loss of two distinguished figures. Both were prominent in the political life of the state. Each was strongly partisan. Each had continued during a long period of time to exercise great influence in the destinies of the

republican party of the state. Dennis E. Alward devoted a lifetime to political activities during which he held many public positions, nearly all of them of special political significance. Tribute has already been paid him.

Gerrit J. Diekema is another who has left the indelible stamp of a natural leader upon his party and left behind him a record of political activity, seldom equaled. It not robin? only covered many years; it also holds an element of sterling honesty, unswerving loyalty to principles, a leadership few have attained, and an influence far flung and generally acknowledged.

Brilliant yet logical; resourceful but never shifty eloquent, yet simple in speech; forceful without being pugnacious; cultured and yet able to enjoy the society of the humblest citizen; versatile, capable, energetic-Mr. Diekema enjoyed an experience which spanned three generations and made him the friend and companion of scores of famous men.

At home no worthy project was undertaken without Gerrit Diekema was among those who sponsored it. In state affairs he was frequently consulted just as in state politics he was long a prominent figure. At Washington he served as congressman with brilliancy and merited recognition. He has been sought by several presidents body buys them, and when they are thirty cents a pound nearly everyone

During the war no Michigan citizen did more helpful work than that accomplished by Gerrit Diekema. His voice was heard in every portion of Michigan admonishing thrift and industry that money and food and clothing might be supplied to carry on a war.

As a lawyer he enjoyed the confidence of a large clientele and the esteem of the bench. As a citizen of Holland, he has long occupied an enviable position. cines to relieve sore throat. Now you Charles F. Sweet, Lansing Throughout Michigan, for three decades, his name has can get almost instant relief with one Katherine M. Sweet, Lansing ____23 been prominent and his reputation unsullied.

liarly fitted to his talents as that of Minister to Holland. originally filled it decided to put it up It was from that country that Mr. Dickema's ancestors under the name "Thoxine" and make Jennie Zawadzki, Lansing _____19 came. At Holland, Michigan, they preserved the tradi- it valuable to everyone. tions of the fatherland. Diekema went to Holland as the United States representative, speaking the language of that country fluently, knowing their customs inti- pleasant tasting, and safe for the Wm. Cecil Cameron, Lansing ____21 State college extension specialist, mately and yet withal carrying to them a heart in which whole family, and is guaranteed to Hazel J. Davis, Lansing ______24 which gives some of the main points weeks' duration and the instruction is beat fervently an ideal Americanism

He has been stricken at the very crest of his career. Holland is shocked at the tragedy of his passing while Sold by Harrison's drug store and all America grieves that one so fine and so kindly and so other good drug stores. dependable and so able has been called. Michigan bows her head as another distinguished son is added to the roll of those who have served and passed on.

Go Slow And Investigate

Recently a number of people in this locality were beseiged with circulars offering blocks of stock which had been "especially reserved" in the Standard Oil company of Colorado for certain "selected investors".

Now comes the Standard Oil Company of Indiana with a disclaimer of any knowledge of such a concern and with notice that suit is about to be brought to prevent the use of the name "Standard Oil" by the Colorado the Goodrich schools, is spending the concern. How many have been nipped in this latest holidays with her parents, Mr. and Many Farmers Keep

In this day of depressed stocks and bonds, many tubercular trouble contracted in the clever swindlers are about the country calling on disap- world war and a patient at Pine Crest RECORDS GIVE ACCURATE to dispose of his surplus cattle to a Pine Tar, fresh demulcent Honey, topointed investors and trading stocks with them. One near Kalamazoo, has been selected as such recently inveigled a local woman into permitting him to take her stocks to sell. He has not been seen since and an estate is defrauded to the amount of his

Any investment worth making will wait for an investigation. It doesn't take very long to consult a banker Lever at Williamston. Clare Ingalls according to members of the farm or financial authority. It may save severe losses. Next of Dansville will act as turnkey. time a clever salesman visits your home, show him the gate if he will not consent to time for investigation. And next time a cleverly worded "come-on" circular finds its way to your mail box, toss it in the waste basket.

Charity That Blats

Lansing's community welfare organizations are being subjected to some very severe criticism because volunteer workers representing several Big Brother and Red Stocking, and similar Christmas clubs discovered evidences of duplicated effort and overlapping authority in charity work. It is declared there are too many fingers in the charity pie and that too much money is devoted to so-called character building organizations while women and children starve and suffer from the cold. In fact it is not a pleasant picture which news-stories

Once the public is aroused to the utter inefficiency of organized welfare work; once it gains knowledge of the utter lack of competent supervision and dispensation by agencies supported by public taxation; once the full import of present day social problems is grasped; once the stupendous cost of duplicated effort, unwise administration, culpable waste and unconcerned lapse is known; once the whole picture of inefficiency, incompetence. indifference and inadequacy of public and volunteer charities is realized, that moment will a long suffering public arouse itself from its present smug satisfaction and attack the problem.

The staggering sums subscribed under the name of volunteer charity added to the still more staggering sums paid in the form of taxation are realized by a very few. And it is only when the layman investigates for himself that the pity of the thing is appreciated.

Centralized, responsible and responsive agencies for the relief of the distressed is certain to follow any intelligent investigation, either into city, county or township indigent relief. The whole matter of indigency is of the crime of which he stands convicted, then the state so complex-under our present system or lack of system

WISE and OTHERWISE

Reports from Germany are to the ffect that 3,000 more Ford cars were sold in that country in the first ten months of 1930 than in the same perod of the year before. No wonder Germany is so restless.

ers, says a cable dispatch. Hope they South Lansing house Wednesdey. The turn out better than they did in the thermometer stood at 17 below zero United States.

They have started a "buy a load of all right if they will tell the purchas- ance in force. er what to do with his wheat.

Sometimes we wish we were back thus far been filed. 36 of them are in the innocent days when we believ- for Lansing permits. ed there was real ice on the stage when Eliza crossed the river in the Uncle Tom's Cabin show. -!!!-

So far as we can learn even the most ardent internationalists don't claim that the League of Nations is about to cure the world-wide depres-

England is said to be dickering vith France for a gold alliance. We tried the same dicker with our banker and it wouldn't work.

Now if the successful candidates will only furnish jobs for all the fellows to whom they promised jobs there ought not be so many jobless in the country.

Do you still remember the good old lays of your innocent youth when you didn't have anything more serious to worry about than who killed cock

The last of the wild horses has been captured in Texas after a three day chase. We suppose that after this the tate will be solidly Democratic.

Well, the automobile has accompished one reform. Nowadays you seldom see a small boy smoking the butt end of a buggy whip

Word comes from Alaska to the efect that a huge lizard has been dis- Wileden. covered that is covered with fur. Maybe it had been drinking hair

We still prefer sixty cent turkeys to hirty cent turkeys. For when turkeys are sixty cents a pound every-

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Bits of Ancient History Gleaned from News Files of Years Past

Ten Years Ago Panson were quietly married at the Baptist parsonage in Aurelius Christ-

people, Mrs. Droscha being a successful rural teacher. Miss Thelma Hilliard, a teacher in

Mrs. A. E. Hilliard. Stanton Ellett, now recovering from editor of the Pine Crest Tattler, published there

Twenty Years Ago Sheriff J. A. Barnes has appointed his Lansing deputies. Thomas Wilcox is appointed at Leslie and C. E.

Harvey O. Cline, retiring sheriff. will occupy the Allen Rowe residence on west Maple street.

Fifty friends of Dorr Cady helped him celebrate his 18th birthday Monday evening.
Lillian Whipple and Robert White

each drew prizes on the letters to Santa Claus mailed at the Mills store. Fifty Years Ago

The Lansing telephone exchange numbers sixty-three subscribers. Almost an entire block on south Washington avenue, Lansing, was de-Palestine will grant loans to farm- stroved when fire broke out in the old and both fire engines soon froze up

and were of no account. The Farmers Mutual now has 1224 wheat" movement in Canada, which is policies in force with \$2,101,941 insur-

Applications for licenses to operate 55 saloons in Ingham county have



not guaranteed to be authentic, they are printed here with the hope that they may have some influence upor those concerned.

"I will not play golf more than twelve hours a day in 1931."-L. H.

Harrison "In 1931 I will be sure to open the front door of the court house for every supervisor."-Oliver Maine.

"I hereby resolve to take a life preserver with me in 1931 when I inspect the sewage tanks at the disposal plant."-W. E. Zimmer, city engineer. "In 1931 I pledge myself to thoroughly clean my walks after every

snowfall."-Jess Baker. "During the New Year I will smoke my pipe but three times a day; from breakfast to dinner, from dinner until supper and from supper until bedtime; with the reservation that I may light up on night calls."-Dr. L. A.

"I will not be a candidate for register of deeds in 1931; there will not be another election until 1932,"-Cass Frost. "I will not discuss horse pulling contests until fair time."—S. A. Lax-

"In 1931 I will not take more than five putts on any green."-W. F.

"I hereby resolve that I will sit on no more davenports unless they be equipped with sideboards."-Edward

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

No longer is it necessary to gargle James A. Carpenter, Lansing ____22 William C. Wood, Lansing

Hyrland E. Rudd, Lansing _____27 Elizabeth E. Lett, Battle Creek ___21 Donald A. Benson, Lansing ____32 owner's agreement are inclosed.

Eunice V. Leland, Lansing ____26 Irving E. Miller, Lansing _____28 Marjery C. Pulver, Lansing ____26 Edward H. Thomas, Lansing ____24 owners of the better herds in your dent from outside the state has made Ethel M. Coates, Lansing _____21 | county. Harley Droscha and Miss Mary Pomeroy E. Thomas, Lansing ____27 qualify a herd for accreditation, and Carol E. Berry, Lansing _____20 | it is safe to predict that the growing istered. Clinton J. Brandle, Jackson _____21 demand for information regarding mas eve. Both are well known young Helen R. Griswold, Lansing _____19 Don B. Beard, Lansing _____21 Maggie A. Gilson, Lansing _____16

CHECK ON GAINS, LOSSES.

A total of 1,178 farmers living in profitable and also the total gain or calves, must be tested. loss on their business for the year, management department of Michigan

Another year of sailing the seas of life and now the good ship 1931 hoists her sails and leaves 1930 in her wake. May the craft just launched bring you a full measure of prosperity in the New Year.

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State college who helped these men in ed from the Department keeping their cost accounts.

In addition to this group, 2,000 other farmers bought the special account book prepared by the college for the Mr. Barnum says that use of Michigan farmers and these ranged for Dr. Killham men undoubtedly keep quite accurate eral farm meetings in Ing records of the year's transactions, during the winter at which Keeping the books up to date takes this insidious disease will only a few minutes each day and ed. These meetings will I gives the bookkeeper an unquestion- tance to every cattle own able check on each crop and for each or not they intend to ap class of livestock.

Four more counties, Berrien, Jack- range with three or four In son, Mecosta, and Emmet will be add-tle owners for use of their a ed to the 40 in which the specialist demonstration herds from v from the college will give direct as- ers can get practical ideas sistance with the account books in ing out the disease and ma 1931. In the other Michigan counties, abortion-free herds. the county agricultural agents will

counts. The books themselves are printed by the college and are sold at cost through the county agricultural agents or by the farm management SHORT COURSES NOT AFFECTED department.

The college department suggests that the beginning of the year or some time before the beginning of the short courses in agriculture and home busy season is an excellent time 20 economics which open at Michigan take a farm inventory and to start an State college, January 5, indicate that accurate record for the new year.

Bovine Abortion Control Is Sought

UNDER PLAN ANNOUNCED.

the Michigan State Department of tices and to determine if any of the Agriculture the oft expressed wish of new methods have a practical appli-

The remarkable thing about Thox- Minnie Nichols, Lansing _____42 County Agricultural Agent H. H. ine is that it relieves almost instantly, Francis P. Parker, Lansing _____19 Barnum from B. J. Killham, former yet contains nothing harmful. It is Muriel I. Bishop, Lansing _____16 State Veterinarian and now Michigan bad years, "Dear Mr. Barnum"

"A plan for accrediting herds of Berl Atkins, Morris Town, N. J. 227 cattle as free from the abortion dis-Loutie E. Taylor, Lansing _____24 case has been developed. A copy of these courses have been confronted Charles E. Sylvester, Lansing ____26 the rules and regulations governing with definite problems in their busi-Thelma Verrette, Lansing _____22 the project and a copy of the herd

"Possibly you are familiar with this sources of cattle free from abortion disease will reach very substantial Severe Coughing Spells proportions before another year has

"The owner of an accredited pure- Distressing coughs can not tire out decided advantage.

agreement and have his veterinarian tact with the irritated throat sur-40 Michigan counties started last year submit blood samples at any time. It faces, ending the distressing coughs. with a definite attempt to find which will be noted that under the plan all Sedatives and comforting without Thomas Blizzard and Frank Bott as of their farm enterprises were most the cattle of a herd, including the opiates or harmful chloroform, mildly

regarding the project may be obtain- coughs.

creditation. It is also pla

help any farmer start a set of ac- Farm Folks Study Latest Practi

BY DEPRESSION.

Advance enrollments in the eight the much advertised depression has not affected the desire of Michigan people to acquire the latest information about their business.

The largest group of students, 62, are enrolled in the two-year, sixteen weeks course in agriculture. This ACCREDITED HERDS POSSIBLE course permits farmers who are unable to leave their farms during the busy season a chance to study the Resulting from the recent action of latest research and extension prac-Adam J. West, Thorn River ____38 Below is reproduced a letter to farms of former short course students proved that these men transform knowledge into farm profits even in

Most of the courses are of eight confined to one subject such as dairy production, dairy manufacturing poultry, or agricultural engineering. Most of the students who sign for methods of meeting them.

The home economics subjects are plan and have given it some consider- the latest to be taught in the short ation, but, if not, we would appreciate courses and are becoming popular your calling it to the attention of the with Michigan women. Only one stu-It takes at least a year to advance enrollment in any of the courses out of a total of 135 now reg-

Quickly Ended

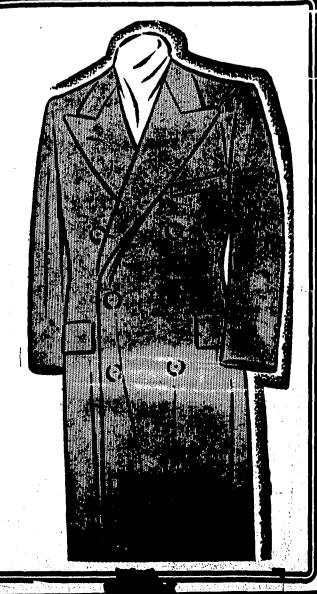
bred or good grade herd will be in a and weaken you this winter if you commanding position in the near take genuine Foley's Honey and Tar Cost Account Book future. He will not only serve as a Compound. Each dose carries the source of clean cattle but will be able curative balsamic virtues of pure gether with other valuable cough-"The herd owner may sign the healing ingredients, into direct conlaxative. Dependable for coughs, "Additional copies of the rules and tickling throat, croupy and bronchial agreements or further information coughs, and troublesome night

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"All Quiet on the Western Front"

liver a series of sermons on "Why I is given.

Sunday schools, will be the speaker at the monthly church night supper to the monthly church night supper to sermon on "Jesus, the Light of the Harold Wells, Lucile Laycock and gational church, January 8.

the newly elected officers, as commit-

Warren H. Thurston of Kansas City, Mo., arrived here Wednesday of last week for an extended visit with his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. O. B.

Christmas guest of her aunt, Mrs.

of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brookens of

Mrs. M. F. Parker of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thurston and children of Jackson, were Thursday guests of Rev. and Mrs. O. B. Thurs-

Leslie Community No. 1736, met at the Odd Fellow hall Saturday night with seventy-five present. The meeting was opened with assembly singing, "All Through the Night." After a short business meeting, the following program was given: Assembly singing, "Joy To The World"; song, "Greeting", Helen Marshall; recitation, "Santa Claus and the Mouse", Jeanette Pulver; selection by girls' chorus, composed of Margaret Brownlee, Rachel Good, Sarla Craddock and Evelyn Craddock; vocal duet, Mrs. Eulalia Craddock and Mrs. Jennie Donal Steffin; vocal duct, Mrs. Elsa Beiswinger and Mrs. Lela Brownlee; assembly singing, "There Is Music In the Air". Refreshments were served by the economics committee. The next meeting will be at the G. A. R. hall

daughter Ruth were Christmas visi- Guy West of Dansville. tors at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Ed Henning, in western Allegan sing, spent Christmas with Herm

day and Tuesday attending the red their children at a Christmas dintreat for the Baptist ministers of the ner Christmas evening.

will be given in picture and story next lok, Saturday.

Sunday evening at the Leslie Baptist church by the Rev. George Waid of Marshall. Rev. Ward spent the last summer in Europe and after visiting

of January, on the following dates as follows: Jan. 4, "Why I Believe In God"; Jan. 11, "Why I Believe In Jesus Christ"; Jan. 18, "Why I Believe In Jesus Christ"; Jan. 18, "Why I Believe In Immortality"; Jan. 25, "Why I Believe In Jesus Christmas, the whole being under the direction of Mrs. Form Hillen Immortality Immortality"; Jan. 25, "Why I Believe In Jesus Christmas, the whole being under the direction of Mrs. Form Hillen Immortality Immortality Immortality Immortality Immortality"; Jan. 25, "Why I Believe In Jesus Christmas, the whole being under the direction of Mrs. Form Hillen Immortality Immortali lieve In Immortality"; Jan. 25, "Why der the direction of Mrs. Fern Hiller, day given by the teacher and pupils sons, Gerald of Eaton Rapids, and Believe In the Bible."

with the Aurelius male quartet singling the carele. Following this post of bridge and the program well atHoward at home. Mrs. Pollok lived Miss Ione Caton, state superintending the carols. Following this part of the childrens' department of the childrens' department of the program, the pastor of the church and enjoyed by all.

The Royal Daughters of the Congregational church will meet with Mrs. Forest Hennon, January 7, with the Aurelius Center and the Leslie The first Sunday of the new year Jaunita Johnson. the Au churches, Rev. Cross will have charge of both services and will preach the sermons. The sessions of the Sunday schools will be held as usual. Both schools showed a decided increase in the average attendance of the past Mrs. Erma Collins of Detroit, was months of 1929. The record for 1931 is to better, it is hoped. The annual Miss Shirley Armstrong and Miss held on Thursday, January 8. That Jean Sherman were week end guests of the Leslie church will be on Tuesday, January 13. Dinner will be served at noon at both churches with the business sessions to follow

South Leroy

Mr. and Mrs. Anson Nelson spent amily near Howell

Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Harris called on riends in Webberville, Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Monroe entertained Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Holland and family of Ann Arbor, and Mr. at the home of her sister, Mrs. Lydia three sons, besides several grandchiland Mrs. G. F. Holland, Wednesday Reba Rice is on the sick list. Clayton White and family of Mid-

East Alaiedon

Mr. and Mrs. James Manning spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Cross and Donnahue and called on Mr. and Mrs. Mr. and Mrs. Art Every of Lan-

Rev. E. J. Cross was in Flint Mon- Mr. and Mrs. John Speer entertain-

Mr. and Mrs. James Manning at-The Passion Play of Oberammergau tended the funeral of Mrs. John Pol-

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lames Manning, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Walline and family spent Christmas at the Sears home in a cousin from Bunkerhill this week.

E. E. Walline and family visited John Hemans of Aurelius, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jude Hall spent Christmas with her people north of Williamston.

John Potter spent Monday in Lan- Christmas,

Mrs. Catherine Potter has spent several days with her daughter, Mrs. Harold Holt, of Grand Ledge. his sister. Mrs. John Kalmon, and family last week.

Eden

Miss Isabella McGulre of Detroit, Miss Kathleen Woodlock of Lansing, Miss Margaret Holcomb of Milan, and Alvin Twark, of Dearborn, spent the week end with Lenore Douglas.

Mrs. Stella Underwood and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Underwood of Paines, Ohio, spent Monday and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Underwood Miss Martha Chapin is spending a

few days with her sister, Mrs. C. S. Clark, Sr., of St. Johns. Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Underwood and family spent Christmas day with Mrs. Norman Dunn.

Mrs. Maud Shook of Mason. Miss Gwendolyn Clancy of Leslie, spent Saturday with Lenore Douglas. A group of friends helped Charles Davis celebrate his birthday at a dinner at his home, Monday evening.

South Alaiedon

Miss Kate Lamb from Chicago, Mrs. Edd Showerman. spent Christmas and until Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. K. Lamb. Mae Lamb from Mason, was Floyd Brooks of Dansville. also a guest.

Mrs. Morris Pratt and baby are still at the Sparrow hospital in Lansing. Biggs, Thursday, Jan. 8. Lee Barnhill has been undergoing treatment in Grand Rapids. The Thompson family spent Christ-

mas with his parents in Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Laycock and Myrtle spent Sunday with Mr. and Oberammergau and witnessing the family spent Christmas with C. L. Mrs. Robert Dietz. Passion Play has prepared the lecture Hulett near Okemos.

Rev. O. B. Thurston of the Congregational church announces he will degational church announces he will delike mon of Alaidan bern and Bern large crowd. Harold Glynn acted as nard spent Christmas with Mr. and Santa which pleased the children.

Mrs. Holt in Grand Ledge.

Miss Frances Keene is the teacher Cross, have been intimate friends for Mr. and Mrs. Judson Smith and Ber-The men of Alaiedon have formed

Mrs. Eli Royston near Eaton Rapids, when they returned to their home in Mrs. L. Franklin and two children Toledo, Ohio. six months over that of the last six are spending the holiday vacation with friends in Adrian.

meeting of the Aurelius church will be Ervin, Jr., went to Alpena, Christmas to visit their parents and other rela-

part of the state.

Mr. Trafford and daughter from Kalamazoo visited his daughter, Mrs. Murray, Mrs. Inez C. White, Miss A. F. Sackrider, Tuesday, his grandson, Wool and Mrs. Estes. The turkey Billy, returned home with him. Mrs. served the guests was received here Sackrider and family went Christmas from Mr. Graham's son, who has a and Mr. Sackrider and Frank, Jr., ranch near Mt. Rose, Colorado. went Monday to be with the family Mrs. Fred Kennedy died very sudand spent the rest of the week.

parents from Clare, Christmas. Fitz, 1028 E. Main street, Lansing on dren land, spent Christmas with Clarence and Jean, five sons, Lyle, Robert; her home in Greeley, Colorado.

Donal. A question box has been place ters, Mrs. Fitz, Mrs. Christine Schupthe vestibule of the M. E. church by pert, Mrs. Alice Young and five broth-the pastor, Rev. H. A. Manahan,

Burial was made in the Wilsey ceme- been out for one week. tery at Dewitt.

Aurelius

A large crowd attended the Community Christmas tree and program at the church last week Monday night. A splendid program, consisting of numbers by the different schools was given. Santa called and distributed gifts and candy bags to the

ounger members of the community. The L. A. S. will meet at the church parlors next Thursday for dinner. The annual meeting of the church will be ield in the afternoon.

The ladies who packed the Christmas boxes last week are pleased with the community for the lovely and generous way in which they responded to the call for help for the needy. Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Grinnell of Detroit, spent Christmas and Friday with his mother, Mrs. Cora Grinnell The pageant, "Nativity of Christ", which was given at the community program last week Monday night, was given at the Leslie Baptist

church Sunday night.
Mr. and Mrs. James Jennings and Agnes of Detroit, spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Droscha entertained the following Christmas eve: Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rowe and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Eckhart and daughter of Dimondale, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Garnant of Eaton Rapids, Don Loomis of Philadelphia, Penn., and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Droscha and

Miss Mary Swift is spending her vacation with her parents at Mason. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips Cady and daughter of Kalamazoo, spent Christmas with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cady. Miss Frances Cady is also home for the holiday va-

Miss Laura Warner of Jackson, spent Christmas with her parents.
The George Warner family met

Dr. Feloin called on Mr. and Mrs. with Mr. and Mrs. Dean Warner for Christmas. Chas. Collar and Wm. Douglas of Mrs. O. D. Robinson and Miss Irene South Bend, called on Herm Miller Robinson of Lansing, spent Sunday one day last week. with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Cady. Mrs. Boyd Warner is entertaining

Webberville

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Hartwig enter-Mr. and Mrs. Jude Hall and Mrs. tained relatives from Portland

Dewey Acker and little daughter are both on the sick list. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Rice entertained Mrs. Maggie Burden of Millville, Mr. Hugh Speer spent a few days with and Mrs. Merton Rice and Reba, Everett Harwood, Mrs. Emma Rice and Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Williams and son

Dorwin, Friday. Earl Leonard and family spent Christmas with Howard Wainright and family.

Richard Gage of Clio, has been vis ting his cousin, Joyce Wade. Miss Eva Hart has been home from Lansing several days on account of

Mrs. Nellie Stowe is caring for

Mrs. Floyd Bartlett in Vantown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Holland from near Stockbridge spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Holland. Leslie Ling and family are visiting Howard Ling and family in Toledo. Wayne Williams of Hamburg, spent his Christmas vacation with his aunt

Douglass Territory]++@++&++@++&++&++&++&++&++&+

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Donald and Martha, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Backus spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Backus.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Rector and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Glynn and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs.

The Community L. A. S. will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ida and Carmen Shrum spent Sun-

day afternoon with friends in Lan-Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Brenner and

which he will give on the coming Sunday evening. Rev. Waid and the pastor of the Leslie church, E. J. and is able to be out again. She with school children and was enjoyed by a Funeral services for Mrs. John liver a series of sermons on "Why I A mystery play pageant pantomine Believe", at the Sunday morning hours of worship, through the month of January, on the following dates as

Williamston

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ireland spent Christmas day with her parents, Mr. id Mrs. A. W. Jewett. Sr., in Mason. ed their seven children and their fam-Leslie Xanders and family spent liles for Christmas. Clyde VanBuren Christmas with her parents, Mr. and and family remained until Sunday

Miss Lizzie Jordan is spending this week at the home of her parents, Mr. Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Kitter and son and Mrs. Charles Jordan. Miss Jordan is employed at the blind school in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Graham enter-Mr. and Mrs. O. Bedard have retained the following guests at a turned from a trip in the northern Christmas dinner: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Graham and three sons, Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Woolcutt and daughter Vivian

denly at her home on Grand River Mr. and Mrs. Davis entertained her street east last Saturday evening. They came here from Bunkerhill Mrs. Clara Hamilton, 44, whose about eighteen years ago. Surviving home was in this neighborhood, died are the husband, three daughters and

Wednesday. She is survived by her Mrs. Mary Beardsley who spent the husband Ray, two daughters, Frances winter in Michigan has returned to A question box has been placed in

ers. Funeral services were held Sun- where anyone who wishes may place day afternoon at 2 o'clock from a question. Beginning Sunday eve-Gorsline-Runciman funeral home, the ning, the pastor will devote the first Rev. F. P. Madsen officiating. Music ten minutes of the service to answerwas furnished by the Reo quartette. ing any or all questions that have

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First Presbyterian Church Rev. George A. Percival, Pastor

Morning worship 10. The quartercommunion will be postponed unl January 11, Church school 11:30 a. m.

7 p. m. Miss Sylvia Smith, who spent the summer abroad will give her impressions of the Passion Play resented in Oberammergau.

Baptist Church Notes H. H. Hoyt, Pastor

Morning service 10. Ordinance of Communion will be observed. We would like to have every member who can be present. This is not only the first Communion but the first service in the New Year. Let the Deacons put forth a special effort to be here. Bible school 11:30 a. m. Rev. J. H. Davis, Supt. Let everyone put forth special effort to keep up the splen-FOR SALE-Two choice young mileh did record of attendance. Election of

B. Y. P. U. 6 p. m. Evening service 7 p. m. Subject, A Message for the Home Folks." A lets, also ash and elm wood. Phone very cordial invitation is extended to all. If you have no church home make this your church.

> Methodist Episcopal Church William Ray Prescott, Minister

Morning worship 10. Sermon, "The First Page." Special music by the

Church school 11:30. Put your New Years resolution into effect and attend this vital service. You will enjoy the enthusiasm and the worship

Epworth League 6 p. m. Leader Miss Anna Medcoff,

Vesper service 7. A service in honor of the Mason high school alumni Rev. C. E. Pollock of the class of 1899 will speak on the theme, "The Chapter of a Man's Hand," Miss Sarah Bullen of the class of 1929 will play several violin solos. Do not fail to

North Aurelius Union Church Rev. W. B. Hartzog, Pastor

Morning worship 10:30. Sermon, The Mark of Discipleship." John at the M. E. church on Christmas eve 13.35. Observance of the Lord's Sup-

Sunday school 11:30. Ladies Aid dinner January 8.

Christian Science Society

Over Aseltine's jewelry store Sunday morning at 10:30. Subject of the lesson sermon: "God." Primary Sunday school will be held

during the church services.

Wednesday evening meeting at 8. "Christian Science" was the sub-FOR SALE Mixed wood, \$2.00 per ject of the lesson sermon in all Chriscord on grounds. Bert Warner, tian Science churches on Sunday, Demeet with Mrs. D. F. Grimes Wednes- of O. Brown near Mason, Mason, R. 1. Aurelius phone 508. cember 28. Among the citations day January 7. Potluck dinner will which comprised the lesson sermon be served at noon. was the following from the Bible: "But the Comforter, which is the Holy per cord. Asn Moore, Onondaga. Ghost, whom the Father will send in Mr. and Mrs. Will Hanna of Mason, lie, were Saturday callers of Mrs. D. remembrance, whatsoever I have said daughter Edna, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Different sizes. 5c pounds. At the unto you." (John 14:26). The lesson Grimes. 1w1p | sermon also included the following | FOR SALE-Or rent store building. textbook, "Science and Health with day. He is able to sit up. Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Bak-52-tf er Eddy: "Science is an emanation of divine Mind, and is alone able to in- Hoyt of Munith spent Christmas with FOR SALE-Ensilage and stack of terpret God aright. It has a spiritual Mr. and Mrs. Almon Lathrop. straw. D. G. Barr, Mason. 47-tf and not a material origin. It is a divine utterance—the Comforter which

Stonequarry Corners

Guy Flinchbough and family entersound eider apples, delivered my tained Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Keeney

Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Keeney spent

the week end with Arthur Snagler and family. Oscar Huffman and family were in

Guy Flinchbough is installing elec-

thank all of our kind neighbors and family. friends who tendered their assistance and their sympathy in our recent bereavement and Rev. Cross for his comforting words, also the singers. Mrs. J. M. Collier and Guy, Miles and family, George Collier, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Garrison

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Ingham Township-I will be at the township hall on Tuesdays and Fridays for collection of taxes. No cash will be received at my home. Nathan Rina Lott, in Holt, where a family sent. Lantis, treasurer.

Aurelius Township-I will be at the sing real estate. E. H. Gorton, 509 beginning December 14 and including Jan. 10, at the First National bank in present. Eaton Rapids on Dec. 18, Jan. 8 and Jan. 15, at Aurelius Center on Dec. 16 and Jan. 6, and at home every Fritrucking. Livestock and poultry a day for collection of taxes. Cash not a few days with her parents last specialty. 55c per 100 for livestock accepted unless at bank. Clyde Snow, Jr., Treasurer. 49w6

Fitchburg on Tuesdays and Bunker- served. hill Center on Thursday and at my home on Fridays, commencing Dec. TRUCKING-Local and long distance 9 through to January 10, 1931, for the trucking-trucking livestock to De- collection of taxes. No cash accepted troit our specialty. For prompt after 3:30 p. m. Mahlon Beiswinger,

> Alaiedon Township-I will be at the Maggie Evelin of Jackson, Mrs. Maud dinner. Dart National Bank on Wednesdays Dolbee and son Lawrence, daughter and Saturdays beginning Dec. 10, Margery, E. L. Davis and Mrs. Ida tertained three of her brothers from be received at my home. Loris B. Hiller and family. 46-tf | Curtis, Treasurer.

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OBITUARY

Margaret May Stevens, daughter of John and Alvira Stevens, was born February 12, 1867, near Howell, Michgan, and passed away at her home in Williamston, December 27, aged 63 years, 10 months and 15 days.

She was married to Fred H. Ken- French, recently. nedy April 22, 1883. To this union Charlie Northrup; Arthur and Beau-mont Kennedy; Rachel, now Mrs. Henry Howe of Eaton Rapids, vis John, the oldest child, passed away May 16, 1904, at the age of 20.

er she moved to Ingham county, hav- with Beaverton relatives. ing lived 15 years in the vicinity of Mr. and Mrs. E. Thompson and chil-Dansville. While in Dansville she dren of Leslie, spent Christmas with joined the Free Methodist church of Mr. and Mrs. W. Warner and family. which she was a member for three years. Then, moving to Williamston, and Mrs. E. H. Field and Mr. church. She had been in poor health of Jackson.

mourn her loss, her husband, Fred H., Minnie Hemans in Mason. during her illness, two brothers, Lee daughter of Mason, also Miss Harriet and Hiram Stevens, of St. Johns, VanHorne of Mason, George VanHorn three sisters, Mrs. Joseph Weakley of the DuBois neighborhood, visited St. Johns, Mrs. Jay Curtiss of Grand Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Snow and fam-Ledge, and Mrs. James Adams of ily, Christmas day. Lansing, and several grandchildren.

She was a kind and loving mother family of Alaiedon, Mrs. Minnie Hevery devoted to her home and chil- mans of Mason, visited John Hemans dren. She will be greatly missed by and family, Sunday. burial in the Dansville cemetery.

DANSVILLE

ed last week with her daughter and mas tree and presents were enjoyed water. She returned home Sunday joined and in two weeks the club will morning.

were largely attended. Anyone wishing to donate for the Sunday callers of their sister, Mrs. F. needy clothing, footwear or food of Bennett. any kind may leave them either at

the M. E. parsonage or the church. children spent Christmas with Mrs. A committee has been appointed to Robert Williams of Lansing. Mr. Willook after the work and anyone know- liams was hurt a week ago and is in ing of anyone in need is requested to a local hospital. report it. It will be investigated by the committee and taken care of as children spent Christmas with the far as the supplies will provide.

spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Brooks. The Home and Foreign Missionary societies of the Methodist church will dren were Wednesday evening callers

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Corwin and my name, he shall teach you all Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Osborne, Bennett. things, and bring all things to your Mr. and Mrs. Earl Osborne and

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Allen brought passage from the Christian Science Buddie home from the hospital Sun-Mr. and Mrs. Lozelle Lathrop of

Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Sebern Williamston, Mr. and Mrs. Almon Lathrop.

Ralph Walker and family attended day.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mann spent Lansing last week Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fr. C. Ken Christmas exercises Wednesday eve-

teacher. Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Richards of Rochester, Mr. and Mrs. Sears Her- nesday in Jackson. bert of Ann Arbor, C. F. West and

is Bisel and family spent Christmas ren on Christmas. with Ralph Walker. Wayne Walker spent the week end in Rochester at the home of W. D.

Mr. and Mrs. Square Holt and Frances spent Christmas with James joying a new radio. Eggleston. R. D. Glynn of West Wheatfield, spent Christmas with Ray Glynn and

Cameron Glynn came home from Detroit for the day and Rex Glynn returned with him for the week end. Dansville M. E. Church.

Class meeting 10:30. Harold kin, leader. Morning worship 11. Text-Marl 4-35; "Let us pass over." Church school 12:00. Led by Supt Epworth League 6:30.

Evening preaching service 7:30 Text-Jer. 8-20-"The Harvest is Prayer meeting Thursday evening, 7:30. A welcome for all.

S. S. CROSS, Pastor. Wheatfield M. E. Church. Preaching service 9:30. Text, Mark 4:35-"Let us Pass Over." Church school 10:30. Led by

Wolfe. Prayer meeting Wednesday eve ning 8 o'clock. A welcome for all. S. S. CROSS, Pastor

Lott District

Herbert Lott and family spent Christmas at the home of his brother, dinner was enjoyed.

School will begin next Monday and family. after a two weeks vacation, Harriet Binkley of Lansing, spent week.

Community club will be held at Mrs. Bertha Dell's, Friday evening, Bunkerhill Township-I will be at January 2. Oyster supper will be

> South Aurelius and North Onondaga

Mr. Hanley and son Bennie, Mrs. were entertained at a six cle, Frank VanHorn, and family of

Mason, part of last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis of Eden, Miss Alice Davis of Detroit, Charles Davis of M. S. C., spent Christmas day with Mrs. Frances

Davis and Mrs. Ida French. Charles Davis is spending, his Christmas vacation with his grandmother, Mrs. Frances Davis. Miss Elberta French of Jackson, visited her grandmother, Mrs. Ida

Mr. and Mrs. George Covert entersix children were born: Grace, now tained their children, Mr. and Mrs. C. Mrs. John Blount; Lottie, now Mrs. Parish and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hol-Henry Howe of Eaton Rapids, vis-Peter Vanderwaals, who survive her, ited his sister, Mrs. Fern Bellinger, and family part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Scheader and The early part of her married life daughter Laverne, R. Marquardt, was spent in Livingston county. Lat- Mrs. F. Bellinger spent Christmas

she was a faithful member of that day with Mrs. Ina Field and family

the past four years, gradually failing Mr. and Mrs. Harris Hemans of until her Master called her to come Dearborn, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walup higher where pain and death are line and family of Alaiedon, Mr. and Mrs, John Hemans and family of On-Besides the children she leaves to ondaga, spent Christmas with Mrs. who has so tenderly cared for her Mr. and Mrs. Frank VanHorn and

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walline and

her many relatives and friends. The Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Aldrich and funeral was held Monday afternoon, son Harold of Farmington, visited Mr. December 29, at Williamston, with and Mrs. B. H. Fleld this week end and Monday they all visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hall of St. Johns.

South Holt

The U-Go-I-Go Pedro club met Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. David Bennett at Mason. Prizes were 'All Quiet on the Western Front" awarded Mrs. J. Denison, Mrs. R. Denison, M. Raymond and K. Kerr Mrs. Bert Freer and her aunt, visit- After a Christmas supper a Christfamily, Mrs. John Symons at Cold- by all. There were two new members meet with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson The Christmas exercises and tree 1111 So. Grand Ave., Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Armstrong and daughter Dorothy of Cadillac, were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brown and

Mr. and Mrs. David Bennett and

former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Mr. and Mrs. Leo Glynn and fam- Bennett, near Okemos. ily and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brooks Mr. and Mrs. Carl Denison of Lansing, spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Denison.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Brown and chil-

Mrs. H. L. Bennett, Mrs. G. Mitmother entertained for Christmas, sing, and Mrs. Palmyra Hahn of Les-

Whipple's Corners

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Kent Christmas with Wm. Storms near Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bashore enter-

tained their children on Christmas ning at the Annis school near Leslie Christmas with Lloyd Ferguson in

them. Gordon Bravender spent last Wed- C. W. Benjamin of Albion. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Aseltine enterfamily, Henry Walker and family, Ot- tained their children and grandchild-

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Voss were Sunday visitors of Eugene Kent. Mrs. Bashore and Mr. Silvers attended the funeral of the former's Alfred Powelson and family of Mil-ford spent Sunday at Ralph Walker's. ial was made in Dewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Bashore are en-Wm. Bravender spent Friday in St Alice Hoyle and son of Alma were Sunday evening callers of G. W. Ba-

shore T. H. Hanna was in Lansing on business Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Shopbell spent Christmas with Robert Smith near Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Mann spent Christmas with Ward Vickory. Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Raymond spent Thursday night with H. Mann.

White Oak

Mrs. John Seelhoff spent Monday of this week at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Sidney Gates of Lan-

Mrs. Alfonzo Nickerson and children of Webberville were visitors of Mrs. Carrie Wilcox recently. Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Boyle and son from Towar Garden, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams and family and Leon and Clyde Hayhoe spent Christmas with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred

Havhoe. Miss Frances Keene put on a fine Christmas program at the Williams school in White Oak last week Tuesday evening. 52 visitors were pre-

Mr. and Mrs. Will Clark of Mill-The children and grandchildren en-joyed a family dinner at the home of Carrie Wilcox of Eden, Lyle Clark Farmers bank in Mason on Saturdays their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. and family, Lou Clark and Mrs. Bebeginning December 14 and including Binkley, Christmas day, 23 being lin Clark all of Lansing spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. James Wilcox

Fred Gifford of Grand Rapids is visiting his sister, Mrs. Carrie Wilcox. Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Brunger and daughter of Grand Ledge spent Christmas with Frank Sheathelm. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sheathelm were in Lansing on business Monday. Elmer Jackson of Lansing spent

Monday at the homes of James and Carrie Wilcox. Mrs. E. D. Marlott of Owosso is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Seelhoff. Mr. and Mrs. John Seelhoff entertained their children for Christmas

Mrs. Charles Sheele and family en

the North over Christmas. Miss Norma Havhoe is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Miss Virginia Snow visited her un- Boyle and family of Towar Garden.

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Dist. No. 7, White Oak

L. C. Bourn was called to Lansing on Mrs. J. Collier Sunday last week Monday by the sudden death of Mrs. Bourn.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Barnhart called on Mr. and Mrs. Worden Bourn of Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Kendrick and which Miss Donna Walker is Mason and Ardis returned home with Pearl spent Christmas with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Lena Voss and son and Mr. and Mrs. William Eldred and son

spent Christmas with their son and brother, H. Voss of Holt. Mr. and Mrs. J. Seelhoff entertained their children Christmas day. Fred Gifford of Grand Rapids

visiting his sister, Mrs. Carrie Wilcox, The community was shocked by the sudden death of Mrs. L. C. Bourn who died very suddenly at the home of her son Worden of Lansing on Monday morning, December 22 where she had gone only a day or so before to help prepare for the Christmas dinner. Mrs. Bourn will be greatly missed by her many friends and

neighbors.

Mrs. F. C. Kendrick visited Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Davis of Mason recently. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Glynn, Mrs. Olive Gotts, George Densmore and Mrs. F. C. Kendrick attended the

funeral of Mrs. L. C. Bourn in Lansing last week Wednesday. Mrs. J. Collier and Guy called on Mr. and Mrs. C. Lowe of Webberville

Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Barnhart and Mrs. A. Springstead attended the funeral of Mrs. L. C. Bourn Wednesday in Lansing. The White Oak home management

club will meet with Lennah Abbott

on Tuesday, January 6, for an all day meeting. Again our community is saddened by the death of an old neighbor and friend, Jay Collier, who passed away on Wednesday, December 24. Pearl Kendrick spent her holiday

Miss Frances Keene and pupils Guaranteed Electric

Wiring

Motors, Fixtures, Everything

vacation with her parents, Mr. and

Mrs. F. C. Kendrick.

ADAMS BROTHERS

Mason

Announcement!

The interests of Dr. O. S. Bush in Mason's old established optometry institution have been acquired by

> DR. F. J. KELLOGG Licensed Optometrist

Webb Building

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Williams and gave a very nice Christmas program Ora Baker had the misfortune to chell and daughter Joyce of near Oke-mos, Miss Helen Powell of East Lan-home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben. Taylor in ning, December 23. The children did week.

> Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Jackson of bion called on her parents, Mr. and Lansing spent Saturday, December Mrs. F. C. Kendrick Christmas eve. 20 with Mr. and Mrs. Jay Collier. Lloyd Benjamin called at the Col- entertained Mrs. May Smith and Mrs. lier home Sunday. Mary Kendrick on December 9th at Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Barnhart called a birthday dinner in honor of her

very well in presenting their play

Mrs. R. Monroe called on Elmer Jackson spent Monday with C. Kendrick Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Donald Hunt of Al-Mrs. Clare Ingles of Williamston

father, William Woods 84th birthday.



PALMOLIVE SOAP

4 Cakes 25C

Purity Nut OLEO

American Family Soap 10 Bars 57c Pumpkin Golden - New Pack 3 No. 21/2 256 Country Club Mince Meat

Fancy Blue Rose Tomatoes Standard Pack Golden Bantam Country Club

Standard Pack

Fine Alaska Macaroni-Spaghetti Bulk 3 Lbs. 25e

Coffee JEWEL A Mellow Santos Lb. 256

California Navels

California

LOCAL NEWS

"All Quiet on the Western Front

Dance at Mason Pavilion, New Miss Effie Hawn spent Christmas with relatives in Detroit. Miss Ila Swan spent the Christmas week in Detroit with friends.

Harold Copp spent Christmas and relatives in Jackson. the week end in Grand Rapids with

week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Spenny and A. W. Jewett, Sr., Christmas. family spent Sunday with relatives in

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Peck of of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Browne.
Plint were week end guests of Mrs. Miss Myrtle Van Horne spent Flint were week end guests of Mrs. Lennah Peck.

Volney Pitcher of Kalamazoo, was Mrs. A. L. VanHorne in Jackson. the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. M. O. Mead. spent the holidays at the home of the dinner.

Mrs. Helen DuBois. Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Best of Jack-Neely on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Roman McPrangle

man Andree in Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bateman of Holt, were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Bradman.

several days with her mother, Mrs. ert, Jr., in Alaiedon. A. E. Dutton in St. Johns.

of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Snyder. Fred Bortle and daughter Maurine Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Bortle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fowler spent Bradman and daughter. Christmas day with their son Fowler and family in Pontiac. spending a few days with her par- their homes in this city.

ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Ketchum. Creek, spent the holidays with her Bassett has been very ill with pneuparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Gilbert. | monia but is now improving. sons were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mrs. Hughes of Boys Vocational of workmens compensation insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Fletcher and daughter Florence spent the Christ- Mrs. John Shepard spent Christmas Mrs. Hattie Freeland and Mr. and son,

Mr. and Mrs. Leo H. Harrison and ter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L family are spending several days VanHorne.

with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woodworth Mrs. Susan Leonard and son Loren

Mrs. Nora Otis and daughter Leola Mr. and Mrs. John Shepard.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sawyer of Alma, H. P.

on Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh J. Brown and family of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Wilder, Helen Ruth, of Detroit, liam Gregg and daughter Ruth and society of the M. E. church will meet

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Brooks and mas. daughters and Mr. and Mrs. William Elya spent Christmas in St. Johns

with Mrs. A. E. Dutton.

Mrs. Daft's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Parsons, in Mt. Clemens. Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Densmore and

Mrs. Walter Hayner has returned gifts.

Ralph Strone in Grand Rapids. weeks' with his mother, Mrs. Eliza- Mrs. White. beth North, and aunt, Mrs. Myra

in Hastings.

W. H. Sanderson and family of Pontiac, visited their mother, Mrs. P. them.

C. J. Whiting on Christmas. Lawrence Bradman of Portland.

spent Christmas with his parents here and Mrs. Bradman and daughter rethey will make their home.

Mrs. Ella DeCamp spent Christmas sing were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fred with her son Ralph and family of E. Searl on Christmas. Mrs. Fred Son.

Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph De-Searl and daughter are remaining un-Eighty members attended the New Years.

Years dinner of the Pink Community Years din Years dinner of the Pink Community Years dinner of the Pink Community Y their mother here on New Years.

hill, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Collar and city, Mr. and Mrs. William Douglas program of music, songs, recitations Mr. and Mrs. John Lay were enter- of Holt, and Mr. and Mrs. Hartley and talks by F. E. Searl, Howard tained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holmes and daughter Doris Jane of Thayer and Rev. Paul Boodagh fol-Alvin Lynn Sunday. Mrs. Lennah Peck, Mrs. D. L. Mil- mas. ler and daughter Florence, Mr. and

Mrs. Lawrence Peck of Flint, and F. troit, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald King of P. Milibury were the guests of Mr. Holland, Hartley Troman and childand Mrs. Harold Knickerbocker in ren, Patricia and Robert, of Leslie Lansing, Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hardenburg entertained Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hunter, Carl Stevens. The Troman children spent Christmas with their parents of guests of Sharley Warner, Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Carleton Hunter, Mrs. are remaining for several days. son on Christmas day.

ing for news from their home town, had the misfortune to fall and break mas her daughter and family from Jason Pollok and Erma spent Horton and her mother from near Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. William Christmas.

"All Quiet on the Western Front" Mr. and Mrs. Gale Crispell spent Sunday with relatives in Albion.

Thursday until Monday with Lansing riends, Lee Barnhill of Alaiedon is taking reatment at the Burleson sanitarium

in Grand Rapids. Mason Chapter No. 150, O. E. S., on was appointed to study the plan of Tuesday, January 6.

Loren Sawyer of Pontiac, was the Swearingen and son David. Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Ireland of Wil- of Athletic field for a location.

liamston, were guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. William Michand of Ottawa, the city welfare department.

son, were guests of Mrs. Coral M. Sunday with their parents, Mr. and is sai d.

Mrs. C. W. Browne. spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Her- Robert Riggs and Mrs. Clarence Eif- week.

ert spent Saturday in Kalamazoo with George Riggs.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierce and Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Rowe spent Christ-

Mrs. Alfred Brooks is spending mas with Mr. and Mrs. Herman Eif-Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hilliard drove Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wilkins of to Big Rapids Sunday to take their

Jackson, were Christmas day guests daughter, Dorothea, back to her studies at Ferris Institute. E. H. Bradman and mother. Mrs. of Detroit, were Christmas guests of F. L. Bradman spent Sunday in Port-

Miss Lucile Ketchum of Detroit is ids Sunday after spending a week at

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Eifert call-Mrs. Edith Ellsworth of Battle ed on Charles Bassett Sunday. Mr.

Monroe Smith in St. Johns Christ- School, Lansing, were Sunday guests He died shortly after being removed of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hewitt. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hewitt.

Mrs. Hattie Freeland and Mr. and

Frank Dickinson was born October

25, 1878, in New York state, where

near Jackson Sunday to visit the lat- Clayton and Coy.

and Mr. and Mrs. Don Holliday were Mrs. R. L. Brooks of St. Johns, is the guests of the former's son, Ar-Rogers street. spending several days with Mr. and thur Leonard and family in East

Mrs. William Elya at their home near Lansing on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Field and son Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Beaumont of Robert of East Lansing, and Mr. and his home because of illness. Lansing, were guests of the latter's Mrs. S. E. Field of Ann Arbor, were parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Watkins, Christmas guests at the home of their

mother, Mrs. Myra Field. from Detroit where she has been vis- son of Jackson, and Mr. and Mrs. A. week. ting her daughter, Mrs. E. R. Jacobi Brower of Concord, spent the week Mr. and Mrs. end with Mrs. Hattie Freeland and Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. J. H.

spent Christmas and the week end in | The regular convocation of Ingham | Frank Geissler, a chemist at the Three Oaks, with Mr. and Mrs. Aden Chapter No. 51, R. A. M., will be held Laboratory Products, spent the holiat Masonic hall Friday evening, Jan- days at his home in Akron, Ohio.

uary 9 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. ed to Friday, January 9.

Mrs. Susan Leonard entertained the Mason friends for a few days. members of her office at her home

to her home in this city after an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. Chapter No. 150, O. E. S., will meet
their parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Diew. H. North left for Miami, Floratt 2 o'clock with Mrs. Orpha White Imlay city.

W. H. North left for Miami, Floratt 2 o'clock with Mrs. Orpha White Imlay city.

The condition of Mayor John E. ida, Saturday, after spending several and Mrs. Hettie Dean at the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Robert White and honoring her husband, Mr. Kellogg, house at present.

Dr. D. R. Lethbridge and Mrs. Joseph Lockbeehler and daughter officers will occur.

Lethbridge spent the Christmas holi- Lela of Sylvania, Ohio, were the The Eden L. A. S. will meet with

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Hartley and city, and Miss Esther Taylor of Grand Walline and family of Alaiedon, were Carl Samann daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stafford Rapids, are spending the holiday va- Christmas guests of Mrs. Wm. Sear W. E. Zimmer of Lansing and Robert Squires of cation with their mother, Mrs. W. H. and Mrs. Minnie Hemans.

Lansing were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Taylor. Mrs. Warner Hicks of Ann The Mason Child Study club will tee was adopted by the following vote for the past week also.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Massman of tained Mrs. Thomas Thorburn and Mrs. William Fountain and Mr. and Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Barn- Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stevens of this Mrs. Romain Davis entertained. A

Marshall, at their home on Christ- lowed the dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Roberts of De-

and Mr. and Mrs. O. V. Best of Jack- Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scarlett sented a very fine Christmas proand Mr. and Mrs. Everett Scarlett of gram. A communication was recently re- Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ward alceived in this office from William J. so of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Casper barn and has built new poultry house. few days with her mother, Mrs. Rilla Gregory, former Mason resident, who Scarlett of St. Joseph, and Mrs. Al-He states that he and Mrs. Gregory were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William are still in fine health and still wish- | Scarlett, Christmas. Albert Scarlett |

To Begin Work Friday On City Skating Rink

Mrs. Mary A. Thorburn spent from UNEMPLOYED TO BE HIRED IN BUILDING RINK.

Quick action resulted from the appointment of a committee Monday night by Harry E. Neely, president of There will be a stated meeting of the Kiwanis club. The committee providing a skating rink. Upon the Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Osterberg and committee were Leo Kelly, Carl son, Ronald, spent the week end with Plank and B. T. Frye. They immediately visited the city council and re-Mrs. G. E. Bordner spent Thursday ceived permission to go ahead with a in Lansing with Mr. and Mrs. D. L. rink. The board of education granted the committee the use of a portion

Work upon the rink will be begun Friday morning if the weather is be-Dr. F. H. Williams and Mrs. Wil- low freezing. The construction will liams of Owosso, were Sunday guests be in charge of Lloyd R. Doane. Working under him will be a crew made up of unemployed men who Christmas with her parents, Mr. and have signified their willingness to work in return for aid furnished by

Canada, is visiting her sister, Mrs. A main at the corner of Steele and L. D. Middleton of Pontiac, was the Allan McLatchie and daughter Jean. Elm streets w... be tapped and the The North Aurelius L. A. S. will water piped to the field. Instead of serve dinner at the church on Thurs- flooding the field as was attempted a Miss Lura Blodgett of Lansing, day, January 8. Division A will serve few years ago, water will be sprinkled upon the snow and a foundation Mr. and Mrs. Charles Browne of of ice built up inch by inch. This Detroit, spent from Thursday until method is the one used in Lansing, it

It is expected that skating will be Mrs. George Riggs and family, Mrs. allowed upon the rink within another

Brief Illness Fatal

LAST RITES FOR FRANK DICKIN-SON HELD TUESDAY.

the Ball funeral home Tuesday for len is an accomplished violinist and is which time plans were made for these F. L. Bradman spent Sunday in Port-land with Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence the late Frank Dickinson, 52, a resi-dent of Mason for many years. He Oberlin college. She is home for the during their sojourn in the south. Of-Wayne Campbell, Harold Bell and died at St. Lawrence hospital Sun- holiday vacation and will soon return ficers were elected as follows, for the George Clinton returned to Big Rap- day morning, December 28, as the re- to her work. Her many friends will purpose of perfecting plans for fursult of a complication of diseases, welcome this opportunity of hearing ther amusements: Russell Baggerly, About two years ago while working her again. It is hoped all the alum-president; Mrs. Leah Waltz, secrewith a carpenter crew, Mr. Dickinson ni in the vicinity of Mason will plan tary; and Clayton W. Jewell, treasurfell from a building being erected in to be present at this service which is Onondaga township. Since that time arranged for their enjoyment. he has been unable to work, the fam-Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and Mr. and ily being supported from the proceeds to the hospital.

mas week end in Chelsea with rela- with the former's son, Mr. and Mrs. an aged mother still resides. In 1906 M. D. Graham, and family of Jack- he was married to Ida Alford and since then the family has resided in Mrs. John Shepard spent Christmas Mrs. G. E. Bordner accompanied Mason. Besides the wife there surthe Ball funeral home in Mason, Mon- aid of Rep. Brown. A banquet will with Mr. and Mrs. Murrill Graham Miss Myrtle VanHorne to her home vive five children, Lena, Roy, Anson,

tonight! C. B. Gilbert is all

Charles Riggs is confined to his home by illness Rev. G. A. Percival is confined to Baked beans and cherry pies, Sat-

urday. Mrs. H. N. Hamilton, w1 Mrs. Gary Sanders of Tecumseh, Mrs. Jennie Barker has returned Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Graham and visited Mason friends a few days this

Dunsmore in Saranac. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sawyer and uary 2. All Companions are earnestly Ray Heath left Wednesday for Miss Betty Brower were guests of requested to be present. W. M. Keller, Waukesha, where he will receive treatment in the U.S. veterans hos-

were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Miranda Hulse were guests of with Mrs. Loretta White on Friday Mrs. V. J. Brown.

Mrs. Arthur Nichols Christ- afternoon.

The Pythians quarterly supper The January meeting of the Rolfe which was to have been held Wednes-Community club will be held on Jan-day, December 31, has been postpon-

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Daft and chil- Earl Otis in this city. Members will The Misses Maynie Curtis and Dundren were Christmas day guests of bring sandwiches and another dish of ning of New York city, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Earl King and other Mrs. Mary Hill, Mr. and Mrs. John tended.

Kennedy remains about the same. He Mrs . Ira J. Kellogg entertained has been confined to his bed for some guests at a birthday dinner Sunday time but is able to be around the

daughter of Flint were Christmas on his birthday which occurred on guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Christmas day. Lansing relatives with Mrs. Lee Darling and Mrs. Lee Darling and Mrs. L. R. White and Mr. and Mrs. H. H. were the guests at the delightful afon Monday, January 5. Election of

days with the latter's parents, Dr. W. guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mil- Mr. and Mrs. Martin Redman on following claims and recommend their A. Woodburne and Mrs. Woodburne, bury Sunday. Mrs. Milbury who has Wednesday, January 7, for potluck allowance: been spending the holidays in Sylvan- dinner. All are cordially invited. Board of Cemetery Trustees _\$747.63 ia returned to her home here with Bring dishes and silver for own use. | Carl G. Hardenburg _____ 50.00 Mr. and Mrs. Claud Miner and Lu- Ingham County News _____

Miss Florence Taylor of New York Onondaga, and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Hall-Slagh, Inc.

Arbor, has been at the Taylor home meet at the school on Wednesday Yeas 5; Nays 0. evening, January 7. A report of the Mr. and Mrs. Fred Searl and lecture given by Mrs. Lydia Lynde daughter Patricia of Grand Rapids, will be discussed. Mrs. Dwight Rich, Committee co-operate with the comturned to Portland with him where Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Searl of Lan- chairman of the extension division in mittee from the Kiwanis club in presing and Russell Searl also of Lan-Lansing will be present. She was for-paring the Athletic Field for skating.

Mrs. Ella DeCamp spent Christmas sing were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. merly Eleanor Curry, teacher in Ma-Yeas 5; Nays 0. Carried.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Thorburn enter- club at the school Tuesday. Mr. and

Claud Williams and family of Jack- Christmas.

Frances Downs who has been stay- Pollok. now resides in Kansas City, Missouri. bert Scarlett and children of Owosso, ing with her sister has returned Mrs. Downs entertained for Christ- mas.

Alumnus Speaks



REV. CECIL POLLOCK

On Sunday evening at seven o'clock at the Methodist Episcopal church, a service will be held at which the alumni of the Mason high school will be the honored guests. Rev. C. E. Pollock of the class of 1899, will be the speaker. His theme is "The Chapter of a Man's Hand." Rev. Pollock is also a graduate of Albion college, Northwestern University and Garrett To Father Of Five Biblical Institute and at the present Episcopal church.

Funeral services were held from Bullen of the class of 1929. Miss Bul- the Russell Baggerly cottage, at

Funeral Rites Monday For Lee Garrison, 51

day, for the late Lee Garrison, 51, lifelong resident of this community. T. U. Death had occurred at the Sparrow hospital at Lansing on Friday. Two club were entertained at the home of young sons, Oscar, 13, and Lynn, 12, Mr. and Mrs. William Troman at a survive. The mother passed away sev- New Years eve party. Decorations of

George T. and Mary E. Garrison, born small tables lighted with red cathe-November 6, 1879, and passed from dral candles, were served a six o'clock this life at Sparrow hospital, Lansing, dinner. Entertainment for the eve-December 26, 1930, aged 51 years, 1 month and 20 days. All but the last other games. 14 years of his life was spent on the farm four miles east of Mason, where tained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. he was born.

two little boys, Oscar, 17 months and Jones and Miss Mary Edger of Jack-Lynn, six hours old. He was a kind son, and loving father, beloved by all who

knew him. Besides the sons he leaves, two stepdaughters, Mrs. L. Lathrop and Helen Smith, two sisters, Mrs. Effic Minar and Mrs. Elva Lang, four brothers, Floyd and Wirt of Mason, Ernest of Metamora, and George of Vancouver, Wash., also several nieces Mrs. Howard Freeman. and nephews and many friends,

Mrs. F. A. Carrier attended a musical tea given by Miss Grave Gauthier society was held at the home of Miss at her studio in Lansing Tuesday aft- Lizzie Peacock, Tuesday afternoon,

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Lofberg of Ann last week Saturday at a Christmas Lamont and Miss Betty Hill spent The Wheatfield Gleaners will hold a Arbor; were Christmas day guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Densmore.

The Wheatfield Gleaners will hold a Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank spent in games and in exchanging Niederstadt and family in Saginaw. The Wheatfield Gleaners will hold a Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dietrick and and Mrs. J. L. Huffman of William-

Council Proceedings

Mason, Mich., Dec. 29, 1930. Council met and was called to or-The minutes of the preceding ses-

The finance committee report the

ion were read and approved.

The report of the finance commit-

Moved by Ald. Salisbury and sup-ported by Ald. Baker that the Street On motion council adjourned for

J. E. WELSH, City Clerk. **Pollok Corners**

Alice Cole and children spent Christmas with Harvey Cole in Wil- day at her home in Williamston. She

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pollok spent nedy's funeral was held Monday at Christmas in Munith. Edith Showerman and children ment in Dansville cemetery. were guests of Melvin Showerman on

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer VanValkenburg Coral Neely, Mrs. Cora Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Scarlett of The teacher in this district pre- and baby and Russell Granger spent in Mason. several days recently with Remmie

guests of Carl VanOstrand, Christ- Guernsey.

Four Town Corners

Horace Doan spent Christmas and Archie Jolly and family. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Potter spent the first of the week with friends in Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mullen were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Dean of Lansing. Clayton Collar and family entertained Christmas day Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hassa of Owosso, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Patterson of Lansing and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Thorburn of Ma-Mrs. Mame Hewett spent Christ-

friends in Lansing.

Christmas day with her parents. George Sawyer and mother were Thursday visitors of Clyde Abbott. Mr. and Mrs. Clare Smith entertained a large company of friends for

Christmas. James Clickner and son of Dearborn, spent the week end with Mr.

mas and the rest of the week with

Homer Wilbur and family spent

Christmas with friends near Leslie.

family of Lansing, were Thursday

guests of Mrs. Nellie Cady and Mar-

Miss Verlee Collar of Howell, speni

Christmas with friends in Leslie.

Leslie

A letter to Leslie friends written by Mrs. Fred Rapplye, from Clearwater time a district superintendent of the Florida, states that she and her hus-Lansing district of the Methodist band together with twenty-one other friends from Leslie who are also Another feature of the service will spending the winter in Florida, enbe violin selections by Miss Sarah joyed a potluck Christmas dinner at president; Mrs. Leah Waltz, secre-

The next meeting of the Leslie home economics group will be held in the G. A. R. hall, January 13. Mrs. Rebecca Talmadge is seriously ill at her home on Woodworth street. Representative Vernon J. Brown will be the guest speaker at a meet-DEATH LEAVES TWO YOUNG ing of the Citizen's club to be held at sons or or other care. the G. A. R. hall next Monday evening at which time members will dis-Funeral services were held from cuss various civic problems with the

be served by members of the W. C. Members of the Lonesome Eight the home were in keeping with the Clarence Lee Garrison, third son of holiday season. The guests, seated at ning consisted of contests, bridge and

The following guests were enter-Joe Chevrie, Thursday: Miss Julia January 1, 1915, he was united in Rock and Miss Eleanor Edger of marriage to Naomi Smith, who pass- Hastings; Miss Caroline Edger of ed away November 24, 1918, leaving Albion; and Mr. and Mrs. Ceibert

> Edward Boyle of Chicago, spent a part of last week with his sisters, at the Boyle home. Mr. and Mrs. Vere Wilcox and children of Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest O'Brian of Gaylord, Mrs. Jennie Wilcox and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Blackmore

Mrs. Rebecca Dennis and Miss Lillian Boyle attended the funeral of "All Quiet on the Western Front" their cousin, Adolph Felian, at Lanw1 sing, Saturday.

A special meeting of the No. 9 Aid ernoon. Miss Marie Verhelst also at- for the purpose of tying comforts.

Hawley

The Hawley Community club will meet on Friday evening, January 2, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Crowl. A program in charge of Mrs. Harry Wing will be given. Election of officers will be followed by potluck

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wing spent Christmas in Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. John Lamont spent Christmas in Saginaw with Mrs. La-

mont's sister and family. The Hawley school held their Christmas exercises Tuesday evening, Dec. 23, consisting of recitations, 3 Christmas plays interspersed with music. Old Santa made his appearance and distributed gifts to the kiddies, sacks of candy and popcorn

Pontiac, visited their mother, Mrs. P.
H. Sanderson, and sister, Mrs. Stella
Coon, and daughter Dorothy on
Christmas day.
Miss Majel Cavender of Lansing,
and Miss Katherine Ebert of Munich,
Germany, were the holiday guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Coscar Hogan of Lansing,
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Miner and Luctille Field entertained their parents,
Mr. and Mrs. George Field, and sons of Elsie, and Mr. and Mrs. George
Christmas day.

Germany, were the holiday guests of
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Miner and Luctille Field entertained their parents,
Mr. and Mrs. George
Carter and daughter of Clio, on
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Mr. M. Bowers and man
Mr. A. F. Zickgraf
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A. D. Cook, Inc.
Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Corbin have
Mr. and Mrs. Claud Miner and Luctille Field entertained their parents,
Mr. And Mrs. George
Carter and daughter of Clio, on
Christmas day.
Harris Hemans of Detroit, and Mr.
A. D. Cook, Inc.
Mrs. Ray Beebe, Mrs. A. W. Jewett,
Mrs. All Mrs. Claud Miner and Luctille balls were passed to all. ing the week with his uncle, Ray moved into Mason in the Owen

W. W. Barron were among those who attended the pageant at the Central M. E. church in Lansing, Sunday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Beebe spent Christmas and the week end with Mrs. Beebe's mother, Mrs. Eaton and

family in Williamston. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Otis and family spent Christmas with Mrs. Otis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Jesse, near Stockbridge. Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Otis spent Christmas night with Mr. and Mrs.

Earl Otis in Mason. Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Watt and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Ferris Reason in Mason. Mrs. Fred Kennedy, mother of Mrs. Chas, Northrup passed away Satur-

had been sick four years. Mrs. Ken-

the M. E. church at 2 o'clock. Inter-Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hunt entertained Mrs. Hunt's mother, Mrs. E. A. Bowden, of Eden, Christmas. Thos. Barr and family spent Christmas with her people, J. Barber,

Mrs. Crittenden of Mason, spent Christmas with her son, Earl Crittenden and family. Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Moore and Pollok.

Mr. and Mrs. George Vickers were with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F.

> A. W. Jewett, Sr. entertained at a family dinner, Christmas. Ellis Hanna has been on the sick list the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Bartlett entertained the following for Christmas dinner: Mrs. A. W. Whipple, Mr.

and Mrs. Harold Whipple and Alice May, Mrs. Ida Tubbs and Mr. and the week end in Twining with Mrs. Mrs. Leslie Hodgson and family. Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hanna spent Christmas at the home of Frank

Stid. Mr. and Mrs. Archie M. Silsby and Jack spent Christmas with Mrs. Silsby's parents, Mr. and Mrs. K. S. B. Holt in Howell.

Arthur Gennis and friend from Detroit called on C. H. Watt and family

Dart District

Mrs. Selora Diamond, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Diamond and Mary Hawley spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Al-Lural Jordon and family spent Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lorenz and

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bartlett are the proud parents of a little daughter born December 24. She will answer to the name of Lois Anna, Mrs. Nellie Stowe of Webberville is taking care of mother and baby. Mrs. Carrie Joslin is with Mrs

Wirt Douglas during her illness. Mrs. Mabel Nichols and Margaret of Webberville have been visiting Ed Crandell since Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. John Clements, Mr and Mrs. Charles Godley and George spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs

Harry Pringle leaves for Kalama zoo January 1st to begin work at his former position. Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Wilcox spent Christmas in Lansing with her people

The Ladies Aid of Vantown will

serve New Years dinner in their hall.

Claud Clements.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Fink spent Christmas in Webberville with her

brother, Elmer Foreman. The Christmas tree and exercises at the Dart school house were well attended and showed that Miss Lay (the teacher) had spent much time in

tutoring the children. Mr. and Mrs. Albert Maicho entertained Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dunsmore and two sons for Christmas dinner. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pringle spent

the week end in Brighton. Mrs. Lloyd Howell received the sad news of her mother's death in a Derolt hospital following an operation William Malcho, Lucile Patrick Mr. and Mrs. Dan Patrick and family spent Christmas near Ann Arbor with Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Galpin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Godley visited her sister, Mrs. Omar Cady of Lansing recently. Herman Bohnet and family were in

Lansing for Christmas. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Crandell Tuesday morning, December 30th, a nine pound boy.

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	Kellogg's Shredded Wheat, 15 biscuits for	110
	Toilet Paper, Dupaco, 1000 sheets, 4 rolls for	250
,	Gold Dust, large package	230
	Salmon, Happyvale, fancy pink, 2 cans	
	Coffee, C. W. brand, pound	
	Raisins, seedless, 3 packages for	
	Grape Fruit, Floridas, 5 for	
9	Naval Oranges, Sunkist, large, dozen	
	Toilet Soap, Palmolive, 3 bars for	
	Super Suds, package	
	SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY	

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Two big attractions are promised with her parents at Dimondale. at the Pastime next week Friday and

"With Byrd at the South Detroit for Christmas, returning Sun-Pole," the complete motion picture day night. record of the greatest exploring Fred Pfiester spent Christmas in achievement of modern times, pre- Detroit with relatives and spent Frisented with an engrossing description day in Lansing. in dialogue of this magnificent adventure by Floyd Gibbons, second on tained their children Christmas: Mr. the program is "The Indians Are and Mrs. Vern Keener and Raymond Coming", the dashing adventure from Breckenridge, and Mr. and Mrs. drama of the days of the Pony Express, which was booked into the Mrs. Flossie Johns and daughter are Roxy theater in New York city a few spending a few days at the home of weeks ago for a children's Saturday the Towns in Battle Creek. matinee, and proved so interesting to Mrs. Inez Clark entertained a niece famous war book, which plays at the the grownups that it was held there and family of Battle Creek, for the for regular showing for a week. week end returning home with them for a short visit.

Nichols District

Mr. and Mrs. Korn of Bath, called the exercises were very good, showing on his sister, Mrs. Janecke, and fam- what can be done with a few. Not Mrs. Swift spent Christmas with 'boys' school, having a man teacher

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fleming and youth hurled into a ceaseless hell of son Melvin and daughter, Mrs. Matbody and soul before it has begun to tison and child spent Christmas with live. There are many scenes which their son, Howard Fleming, Mrs.

sublime in their heroism . . . scenes on Mrs. Janecke, Friday afternoon. touching in their simple pathos. And Mrs. Janecke called on Mrs. Quen-

central role, Louis Wolheim and John Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Tooker spent Wray give performances that have Friday evening with Joe and Roy Hart Frances and Don Allen of Dim-Others in the large ondale, called on Hart brothers and

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ireland spent the week end with Ray Ireland in

olomew's brother in Detroit last Tues-Miss Fern Allen spent Christmas day and remained over Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Rens called

Mr. and Mrs. George Gruhn and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Vern Helmker of Holt, Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Burt Green and Marjorie attended the Christmas exercises at the Aurelius church Monday evening. John Marquedent spent Christmas vith his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bert

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Foote and famly called at the Gruhn home Sunday

South Delhi

Mable, John and Olin Habitzel of VanWert, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Habitzel for Christ-Mr. and Mrs. John Wheeler spent

Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Bateman of Aurelius. Mr. and Mrs. Guy McMillan enter ained the following guests Christmas: Mr. and Mrs. Fred Sanderson and Miss Nellie Able of Lansing, Mr

and Mrs. Cornelius Haviland of Shaftsburg, Mrs. Ella Weston and H. Ecklund of Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. George Pryor spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parsons of Lansing. Adolph Kuhn and family spent

Christmas with relatives in Detroit, Orlo Lang of Mason, spent the Christmas vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Ahrens. Mr. and Mrs. Bert Parker enterained their children Christmas day,

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rowe entertain ed thirteen guests Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. James Hancock of Holt, were visitors at George Pryor's

Across the Garden

Mrs. Neomi Schopp and family pent Christmas with Mrs. Ada Tay-Mr. and Mrs. Baker Thurlby re ceived a box of fine citrus fruit from

heir daughter Thelma, who is spendng the winter in Florida. Arthur Thayer spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Eckhart. Mr. and Mrs. John Bateman were Christmas guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Howard North and son Leone and ynn Haynes spent the latter part of last week in Detroit. Mrs. Jennie Brown of Eaton Rapids, spent Christmas with her son,

Fred Carrier in Mason.

Harry Brown, and family. George Baumer and family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Miss Neva Carrier of Akron, Ohio,

and Mrs. Glen Cole of Mason, spent

Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Neil Car-Mr. anad Mrs. Ben Marshall and daughter Esther, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Marshall and son and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin, who had been visiting her, Clyde Pickwith spent Christmas with

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Haynes. Mr. and Mrs. John Butts of Eaton Rapids, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Carrier, Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Lauer spent Christmas in Lansing with their son,

Harry, and family, Miss Ruby Shopbell and Earnest Mr. and Mrs. Hasbrook Bateman went to Big Rapids, Monday Helen Janecke called on her par-

Wilkins Memorial

day evening.
Miss Lydia Osborne called on Jas. Hart, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hart entertained Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Tooker and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKee spen Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Harold Brown, in Lansing. family, Christmas day.
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Leonard enter-

on Dell Pratt and James Hart, Sun-

n Lansing.
Mrs. Floyd Blakslee is spending a

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Leonard called

on F. Geisenhaver, Friday afternoon.

Sandhill

School closed Wednesday, Dec. 24,

and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett of Lansing.

Joe Metzger spent several days last

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sheathelm

of Lansing, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Feier.

Mr. and Mrs. Streeter called on

Clarke Center

Miss Fern Clark was home from

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leseney enter-

The Bullen school closed for a two

weeks' vacation with Christmas exer-

cises Tuesday night. At present there

are but four scholars, all girls, and

long ago this school was known as a

Phillips District

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown and

amily, Mr. and Mrs. George Gruhn

and family spent Christmas day with

their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Austin and fam-

ily spent Christmas day in Adrian. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ffitton enter-

tained on Christmas their children:

ily, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stewart and

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bartholomew

son of Lansing, Mr. and Mrs. Flynn

Hull and family of Jackson.

Mr and Mrs Bruce Eltton and far

Brown, of Lansing.

Peter Wagner, Friday afternoon.

turning to Detroit, Sunday.

week with Joel Bennett.

Streeter.

E. Viges has rented his two farms to Mr. Walters from near Potterville. tained at a family gathering Christ-Marvin Knickerbocker has tonsi-

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Geisenhaver and Arthur spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Evans Frederic and Moneta Wilkins spent Christmas with their father, the latter remaining until New Years. Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Fogle entertained the Alaiedon Farmers club, Saturew days with her sister in Lansing.

> Marion Rathbone is spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gay Rathbone.

Dorothy Brown and daughter, Peggy Yerger and son, Lee Bates of Lansing, spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde McKee. Mr. and Mrs. Dan Eames and fam-

for the holidays. A Christmas tree ily and Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Beauand program was well attended Wedmont of Lansing, spent Christmas nesday afternoon. Miss Emma Dietz spent several with Geo. H. Beaumont and family. Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Wilkins enterdays last week with her parents, retained Mr. and Mrs. Lester Wilkins of Jackson, Mrs. Mary Youngs of Okemos, and Miss C. M. Wilkins, Christ-Stanley Smith of Grand Rapids, spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Peter Wagner is on the sick list. Mrs. Anna Bennett, Joel Bennett

DuBois Neighborhood

Miss Elsie Bygraves of Detroit, spent Christmas with her sisters, Mrs. Sam McMann and Mrs. Arthur Wil-

Mr. and Mrs. George Burgess and family spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Speer and family. Mr. and Mrs. Wourt Every and loyce spent Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dresser in Mason. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams and Austin and Donald were in Battle Creek, Sunday, visiting relatives.

Joyce Every is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. Roy Dresser.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam McMann and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Williams and family and Elsie Bygraves of Detroit, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Tyler and Lois, Christmas day. Burr Potter visited Sunday with

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Potter of Lansing, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Potter, Sunday. Claude Upton and mother, Mrs. C.

Upton, of Standish, spent Saturday ind Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wourt Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Potter and Mrs.

M. Rotnour spent Christmas with Mrs. Marcia Palen. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Every and family and Lawrence Every and family spent last Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Everett.
Mrs. Guilford Baldwin entertained Mr. and Mrs. Jess Curtis and Mr. and

Mrs. Floyd Baldwin and family on Christmas. The Misses Ila and Mila Baldwin spent the week end with their grandnother, Mrs. Guilford Baldwin

Grovenburg

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strobel spent Christmas at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rehill in Lansing at a fam-Mr. and Mrs. Jarvis spent Christ-

nas with friends in Leslie. Lester Rice and family were in Deroit at the home of his mother for Christmas.

Matthew Rens and family went to attended the funeral of Mrs. Barth-Lansing for Christmas dinner, to the home of Mrs. Rens' sister, Mrs. Dowel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson entertained his mother and sisters and heir families on Christmas. Henry Thompson is staying his daughter, Mrs. Fred Hoehn in Dimondale a few days this week. Howard North lost one of his work

iorses last week. Ruth Buskirk was able to return to her school work Monday morning.

Grovenburg school opened again. Mr. and Mrs. Arvide North and Leone North are at home for another week.

Mrs. Strobel spent last week at the nome of her son Henry, West Windsor. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strobel and Iva May were guests there at dinner

Charles Franklin and family spent Christmas at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Sam Leseney, Maple

Glen Richey and family went to the nome of his father, Dallas Richey, near the game farm, Mason, for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Haire visited at the home of Mrs. Haire's son, O. erry, in Lansing, on Christmas day Dell Pratt is in very poor health. Henry Pratt of Holt, has been helping care for his father the past week and Will Pratt is at home this week. Howard North and son Leone and ynn Haynes spent the week end in

Aubrey Tooker and family spent Christmas with James Hart, Mr. and Mrs. Arvide North enterained Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Franklin and family. Howard North and famly, Harold Franklin and family of Webberville, Cletus Strickling and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Stricking and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Cowdry

on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rice returned Sunday from a week's visit with Mrs. tice's parents at Crystal Lake. Mrs. Irving of Lansing, visited at

the home of Mrs. Quenby, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Coburn entertained Mr. and Mrs. Basil Coburn on Christmas. The latter are moving into their new home at Jolly Corners, this week.

Joe Hart and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Ireland, Will Pratt and daughter Elfie were guests of Ernest Hart for Christmas.

Ernest Hart and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Hart's mother, Mrs.

Mrs. Dora Hammond of Howell, is spending this week with her cousin, Rose Hart. Mr. and Mrs. Clair Rinkle visited Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Leonard, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Leonard en-

tertained his mother, brother and sister and a niece and their families on Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Arvide North spent Sunday afternoon at the home of

Mrs. North's brother, Harold, near Webberville. Mrs. North's niece, Lee returned home with them. Mr. and Mrs. Angell and children visited at the home of Mrs. Angell's

mother near Dansville. John McCue of Flint, preached in our church Sunday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Angell and family were in Leslie Sunday at the home of

In the New Year---

"May new hopes outweigh old fears,

Sunny smiles outnumber tears,

And the days that are coming be most happily spent In peace and love and heart's content."

The year of 1930 with its several disappointments has been torn from the calendar and placed with those other dusty tomes of history. We are now standing upon the threshold of a new year.

The goal we failed to reach in 1930 can be won in 1931. The mistakes made in the past year will not be repeated in the new year. The lessons learned in the period just closed will bring their reward in the months to come. We can forget our disappointments in 1930 and face 1931 with confidence, with shoulders squared ready for what fate has in store for us, and our confidence will be rewarded.

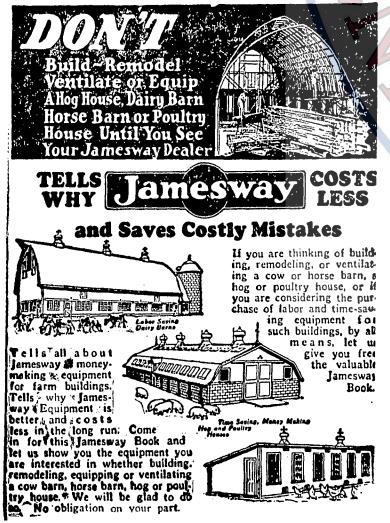
Here in Ingham county in this great state of Michigan we have reasons to be thankful for the year just closed. The drought so damaging to agriculture elsewhere did not lay waste the entire countryside here. While business and commodity prices have been below normal and while many Ingham county incomes have been reduced, the hardships and sufferings among us are few compared to those of many residents in other states and large cities.

So let's "Buck Up." Let's resolve not to sit closeted with our worries. We have all been through this last twelve months and most of us are emerging whole-skinned. Business has reached low ebb in the past year and indications now point to an upturn.

We should all resolve to put our shoulders to the wheel in 1931. With confidence in the New Year we can forget many of the distressing facts of 1930. The New Year will be what we make it. We can make it full of good things, of kindly thought, of helpfulness, of progress. We can't do it by crying over the disappointments of 1930 but we can reach our goal with a new determination.

Come on, 1931, we'll stay with you.

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Review of the Year 1930 at Home and in Other Lands

Unemployment and Economic Depression Generally Prevalent—Steps Toward World Peace—Democrats Win in United States Elections—South American Revolutions.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD

PROSPERITY, which was "Just around the corner" at the beginning of 1930, gave the world no more than an occasional glimpse of her fice during the year. Business depressin, increasing unemployment, continung low prices for agricultural prodicts and declining markets for securities prevailed generally.

Skilled observers professed to see yar clouds again gathering over the Balkans, but notable steps were taken in the direction of world peace and disarmament. The United States, Great Britain and Japan signed the London naval limitation treaty, and toward the close of the year there were indications that France and Italy, settling their parity dispute, would make it a five-power pact. Some progress was achieved by the preparatory disarmament commission of the League of Nations. The revision of German reparations, known as the Young plan, was adopted by all nations concerned and put into effect, although Germany was not hopeful of its ultimate success. The evacuation of the Rhineland by the allied forces

was completed. China's long, bloody and confused civil war ended in victory for the Nationalist government. Popular and military revolutions upset the governments of five Latin-American repub-

Though governmental and other agencies in the United States strove broughout the year to relieve the un-Jortunate economic conditions, results of these efforts were slow in appearing. Consequently the voters went to the nolls in November and expressed their dissatisfaction in the customary manner. There was a Democratic landslide that covered most of the country and the Republican party virtually lost its control of both houses of the congress that convenes in March, 1931. However, the national leaders of the victorious Democrats pledged their party to co-operation with the Republican administration in all measures designed to bring prosperity around that corner, and business was reassured by the promise that there would be no attempt for some time to revise the tariff act

passed in June. Industrial and financial distress in the United States was greatly increased by drought that prevailed all summer in the Mississippi and Ohio river states and extended as fur east the Virginias. National and state governments afforded speedy relief to the sufferers. As winter neared numerous organizations throughout the country went into action to alleviate the unemployment situation, their aim being to supply those out of work with jobs rather than charity doles, Public building and highway projects were started and speeded up, and great industrial and transportation concerns sought means to increase the number

All in all, 1930 was not a happy year for the world.

of their employees.

INTERNATIONAL

THREE months of Intensive debate, diplomatic negotiation, study of experts' figures and mutual concessions brought forth the London mayal treaty, which was signed on April 22 by the delegates of the United States, Great Britain, Japan, France and Italy, By this pact the first three powers agreed to the extension of the Washington treaty so that the reduction and limitation of their navies should apply to cruisers and lesser vessels, France and Italy failed utterly to reach an accord as to what their relative navalstrength should be. Consequently they subscribed to only those parts of the London treaty that provided for a battleship building "holiday" and prescribed various rules designed to humanize submarine warfare.

France and Italy held intermittent conversations during the rest of the year, but could not settle their differences. The one insurmountable obsta-.cle was Italy's demand that her right to naval parity with France be admitted, and France's flat refusal to yield this point.

League Receives Briand's Scheme. In September the assembly of the League of Nations listened politely while M. Briand, French foreign minister, expounded his pet scheme for a federation of European states. Other state-men cautiously praised the planand it was accepted in principle by the assembly and referred to a special committee which will report to the

Twenty-eight of the nations represented at Geneva signed on October 2 a treaty guaranteeing financial aid to any signatory state that is the victim of warlike aggression.

Late in August nine of the smaller untions of central Europe held a conference in Warsaw and agreed on a concerted program of action mainly in furtherance of their agrarian interests. The pact was signed by Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Estonia, Finland, Hungary, Latvia, Poland, Rumania and Jugoslavia, Lithuania was absent because of her political differences with Poland France was quick to strengthen her friendship with these states by

offering credits. During the year there were many indications that Italy was drawing into close co-operation with Germany

and Russia. After being ratified by all the nations concerned, the Young plan for reparations was put into effect on May 9. Gates W. McGarrah of New York already had been elected president of the bank for international settlements created by the plan. On May 10 the last of the French troops in the July 28 the Conservatives completely Rhineland began moving out, the eyac-

uation being completed June 30. A separate reparations settlement was signed in April by Hungary, Austria

and the states in the little entente. Frank B. Kellogg, former secretary of state of the United States, was elected a member of the World Court in September to fill out the term of Charles Evans Hughes.

The mandate commission of the League of Nations made in August its long awaited report on the Palestine conflicts between Jews and Arabs, placing the blame on Great Britain, In the fall the British government announced a new policy concerning Palestine which would stop for the present any further immigration of Jews into the Holy Land. Zionists everywhere protested vigorously and President Chaim Weizmann and other chief officers of the World Zionists organization resigned.

Russia's Great Conspiracy Story. Early in November the government

of Russia announced that it had uncovered a gigantic plot against the Soviet regime in which a number of "capitalistic" states were said to be involved. Among many individuals who were alleged to have a part in the conspiracy were Former Premier Poincare and Foreign Minister Briand of France and Sir Henri Deterding, British oil magnate, Eight Russlan engineers were put on trial, confessed and were sentenced to terms in prison, Paris and London looked on the whole thing as a "frame-up."

Late in January Mexico severed diplomatic relations with Russia because of alleged Communist insults. In the United States the advocates of a polley of resumntion of relations with the Soviet government were joited by revelations that the latter had been selling wheat short on the American grain exchanges, aiding in the demoralization of orices. At the same time to became evident that the Moscow government was dumping grain in the European markets at prices far below the cost of production. The whole affair created a great stir here and abroad but nothing much could be done about it.

FOREIGN

GREAT BRITAIN'S Labor government struggled manfully throughout the year to solve the nation's economic problems, but found that this could not be fone in a short time. Unemployment continued to Increase. passing the two million mark in June, and industrial depression was tittle lightened if at all. However, no one seemed to have a better solution to offer than Prime Minister MacDonald and his ministers, so they held on to their power. They had the aid of a national advisory council, Chancellor Snowden devised a satisfactory budget that was by no means socialistic, and parliament passed some of the legislation asked by the government.

Two matters of vast import demanded such attention from the British empire's rulers. One was the effort to develop the empire as an economic unit, and the imperial conference which was held in London undertook this task. The various dominions were represented by some of their best minds and the discussions continued until well into November. Bur the results were extremely disappointing. The main issue was economic cooperation, and in this nothing was accomplished because the dominions and the British government could not agree concerning free trade, protection and preferential rates within the empire.

Problem of India.

The increasing independence of the dominions was marked by the tacit understanding that henceforth they shall have the right to accredit their own diplomats to coreign countries, and may communicate with one another and with Great Britain, not through governors general, but directly, It was decided to create a tribunal for the settlement of intraimperial disputes.

The future status of India within the empire was a question that troubled the British throughout the year, and it was complicated by the non-resistance rebellion conducted by Mahatma Gandhi and his numerous followers. As is their custom, the Communists took advantage of the situation to convert the peaceful revolt of the Indian Nationalists into riotous demonstrations, and the police and military forces had to handle not only these but also attacks on the northwestern frontier by tribesmen, Gandhiand many of his lieutenants were put

In prison but their civil disobedience campaign never slackened. One of its frequent manifestations was the making of salt contrary to the laws. The Ali-India congress, consisting largely of Gandhi's adherents, decided to boycott the roundtable conference arranged for late in the year, because their demand was for the absolute independence of India.

The roundtable conference opened in London November 12 with much pomp and ceremony, the native princes, the Hindus, the Moslems and even the "untouchables" being represented by their ablest men-and by two brilliant women. The Indians made it clear they would accept nothing less than dominion status, and some of them bitterly attacked the British methods of rule in India. The problem before the conference and the government was so complex that there was no chance for its solution for many months. One definite decision reached was that Burma should be made a

separate dominion. In the Canadian national election on upset the Liberal government headed

by Prime Minister W. L. Mackenzie King and secured a comfortable majority in the dominion parliament, and Richard B. Bennett, their leader, became prime minister. The new government took steps at once to relieve the unemployment situation and to help the farmers, one being the almost complete discontinuance of immigration from Eurone.

German Fascists Win. As in most other countries, political events in Germany reflected the prevailing discontent of the people. and there it was aggravated by the feeling that they were oppressed by the reparations. Chancellor Mueller and his cabinet resigned in March because of dissatisfaction with the ratification of the Young plan and with the budget and financial reforms proposed. Dr. Heinrich Bruening, Centrist leader, became chancellor and formed a ministry of members of the five middle parties, The National Socialists and the Communists kept up continual agitation and President Hindenburg dissolved the reichstag on July 18. In the elections which were held September 14 the National Socialists, commonly called the Fascists, won a most surprising and tremendous victory. They increased the number of their seats in the reichstag from 12 to 107, and their popular vote from 800,000 to more than 6,000,000. Their titular leader is Adolf Hitter who, be-

ing an Austrian, could not be elected to the reichstag. France, Spain and Italy.

One small provision in the finance bill brought a vote of lack of confidence in the French chamber of deputies in February and the Tardieu ministry was forced to resign. It was succeeded by a Radical-Socialist cabinet formed by Chautemps which was defeated on its first appearance. Tardien then was recalled, and held on through a stormy summer and fall, but. early in December the senate forced him and his cabinet to resign, and Theodore Steeg undertook to form a new ministry. France maintained her position as one of the most prosperous countries of Europe, and gathered an immense store of gold. She was largely preoccupied with national defense and went ahead with her plan for a powerful chain of fortifications on her eastern frontier.

Gen. Primo de Rivera, who had been dictator of Spain for more than six years, resigned on January 28, partunder compulsion, when faced with the threat of a military revolt. He was succeeded by Gen. D'amaso Berenguer. Throughout the year there were repeated strikes, food riots and violent demonstrations by students and in the middle of December a serious rebellion broke out in the northern part of the country.

Economy was the continual erv of the Italian government, Premier Mussolini being its spokesman, and his measures toward that end were put through with thoroughness and dispatch, they extended to the reduction of salaries of all governmental employees, who are remarkably numerous there, and all employers were urged to follow suit. In compensation, the cost of living was brought down by the lowering of prices of food and other necessities. At the same time the Duce continued his program of extensive public works, like drainage and restoration of waste lands, giving employment to many men.

Carol on Rumanian Throne, Carol, former crown prince of Ru mania, with the aid of prominent Rumanians, executed a startling coup d'etat in June. From his exile in France he flew to his native country in an airplane and two days later the parliament declared him king and his little son, who had held the title. heir to the throne. Carol soon began planning for his coronation, but his estranged wife declined to be reconciled and the statesmen said the ceremony could not be held unless she were present or the marriage were dissolved. As a result of this dispute Premier Maniu resigned in October and Carol went ahead with his plans

An interesting if not important event was the marriage on October 25 of King Boris of Bulgaria and Princess' Giovanna, daughter of the king and augen of Italy.

Latin-American Revolutions. Revolt flamed in four South American republics. Four men who had been virtual dictators were ousted. Four new governments were established. As a preliminary to these events there was a revolution in the Dominican republic in February, the immediate cause being the announced intention of President Horacio Vasquez to stand for re-election. After a few skirmishes Vasquez was forced out of office, be-

ing succeeded temporarily by General Urena. Elections were held on May 16 and Gen. Rafael Trulillo was chosen president and inaugurated three months later.

Bolivia was next on the list, There Dr. Hernando Siles tried, like Vasquez, to perpetuate his rule and was driven from office in May by the insurgents. He was permitted to take refuge in Chile, and his much hated right hand man, Gen. Hans Kundt of Prussia. fled back to his German home. A military junta took over the government. its chief being Gen. Carlos Blanco

Peru followed suit in August, The officers of the army led a movement against President Augusto B. Leguia who had held the office for more than ten years and considered himself al most irremovable. He was forced to resign, turning over his powers to a military junta, and later Lieut, Col-Luis M. Sanchez Cerro was made provisional president. Leguia had been recognized as an efficient business president and Peru made great material strides during his regime, but the revolutionists accused him of "denial of civil liberties" and also of nepotism and the sale of concessions.

He was imprisoned to await trial. Late in August President Hipolito frigoven of Argentina was warned by his minister of justice that a revolution might break out immediately. A few days later the prediction was fulfilled, the high army and navy officers leading their commands in a revolt that speedily ousted the aged chief executive, who was seriously iii. Only in Buenos Aires was there any popular opposition to the revolution, and this: was soon quelled with some blood

shed. Gen. Jose Erancisco Urlhuru. chief of the insurgents, became the provisional president on September 6. Irigoyen for years had enjoyed great personal popularity in Argentina, was president from 1916 to 1922 and was elected again in 1028. But he had become senile and sick and lost his hold on the people,

Vargas Rules Brazil.

Brazil's revolution broke out early In October and was in a way a war between the states, the leader of each striving to seize the central government. The term of President Washington Luis was soon to expire but his favored candidate, Dr. Julio Prestes, president of the state of Sao Paulo. had been elected, allegedly by fraud, The defeated liberal candidate. Dr. Getulio Vargas, former president of the state of Rio Grande do Sul, started a revolt to prevent the inauguration of Prestes, and the movement spread to state after state, all the insurgent armies converging on Rio de Janeiro, the national capital. The government resisted stubbornly, but considerable parts of the army and navy deserted it and after a few weeks of bloody fighting Luis was ousted. The members of the Junta that took over the government at once began quarreling and scheming, but Vargas promptly came up from the south with a large force of gaucho soldiers and his authority was recognized. He was installed as provisional president on November 3.

Pascual Ortiz Rubio was inaugurat ed as president of Mexico on February 5 and selected a strong cubinet under whose rule the country promises to prosper. Especial attention is being paid to reorganization of agriculture and to education.

DOMESTIC

7 ITH tess cause for complaint than the peoples of most other countries, the inhabitants of the United States were nevertheless dissatisfled and pessimistic. Overproduction farmers and manufacturers and timidity of consumers resulted in business depression and unemployment that lasted throughout the year, despite all efforts to restore prosperity. The great drought played its evil part, | affecting conditions in the entire coun-

President Hoover's administration had another exceedingly difficult year. In the senate the Democrats were reinforced by the radical Republicans and the coalition fought many of the Chief Executive's policies, After more than six months of debate the senate passed the Smoot tariff bill, embracing two features that were obnoxious to the President. These were the export debenture provision, carried over from the old farm relief legislation, and a clause transferring the flexible tariff power from the President to congress. The house of representatives eliminated these features, the senate was forced to yield, and on June 14 the co-called Hawley-Smoot tariff measure was finally enacted. It reached the highest protective level of any tariff law ever passed, with an average rate about 20 per cent above that of the Fordney-McCumber bill of 1922. In its entirety it was satisfying to nobody, but President Hoover signed it because he saw in its flexible provision the means of righting its injustices, Protests again, the higher duties were received from many foreign governments.

Veterans' Pension Act.

There was another long and bitter wrangle over the veterans' pension bill. As first passed by congress it was wholly objectionable to the adminisration and was promptly vetoed, partly because it granted compensation for disabilities not incurred in active service and partly because it went "beyond the financial necessities of the

situation." The house sustained the veto but the senate repassed the bill with some amendments. These were rejected by the representatives and a measure fairly acceptable to the administration was passed and signed. It inaugurated a vast pension system for all partly or wholly disabled veterans not already receiving compensation, no matter what their illness or when contracted. Soon after the enactment of this law the President put into effect the consolidation of the three bureaus that had been in charge of veterans of all wars and appointed Gen. Frank T. Hines as

Some of the recommendations of the

Wickersham law enforcement commis-

sion were adopted by congress, the

most important being the transfer of

the prohibition bureau from the treasury to the Department of Justice. The change was made on July 1. Col. Amos W. W. Woodcock took command of the new bureau and former Commissioner James M. Doran was made head of a new industrial alcohol bureau under the Treasury department. When William Howard Taft resigned as chief justice of the Supreme court on February 3, only five days before his death. President Hoover immediately named Charles Evans Hughes to succeed him. The appointment was confirmed by the senate with 26 votes in opposition, Then Associate Justice Edward Terry Sanford passed away and Mr. Hoover picked Federal Judge John J. Parker of North Carolina to fill the vacancy, Labor and negro organizations rose in opposition and the senate rejected the nomination by a vote of 41 to 39. The Presi-

Prohibition and the Election. Prohibition as a political issue increased in importance as the months passed. A poll conducted by the Literary Digest Indicated that the country was largely in favor of repeal of the Eighteenth amendment or at least of modification of the enforcement law. The liquor question was a great factor in the pre-election campaign in many states and had a decided effect on the results when the people went to the polls on November 4. The voters of Illinois, Rhode Island and Mussachusetts in a referendum were against prohibition by large majorities.

dent then named Owen J. Roberts for

the place and he was accepted.

The election turned out to be very much of a landslide for the Demo cratic party. The Republican majorities in both senate and house were almost wiped out for the next congress, and many states and cities elected Democratic officials to replace Republicans, Naturally the more rabid opponents of the administration saw in all this a severe rebuke for President Hoover and his policies; but sane opinion was that it was the nat ural result of unfortunate economic conditions. With large appropriations available

the farm board worked for the relief of agriculture by promoting and financing various co-operatives; and later in the year undertook, with some success, to stabilize the price of wheat, which had fallen rapidly in all world markets. In this latter operation the board was forced to accumulate something like 100,000,000 bushels of wheat, the future disposal of which was an unsolved problem. Chaliman Legge of the board campaigned unceasingly for reduction of wheat acreage. Among the diplomatic appointments

by the President were: Rulph H Booth, minister to Denmark; Fred M. Dearing, ambassador to Peru; John N. Willys, ambassador to Poland; Hanford W. MacNider, minister to Canada; W. Cameron Forbes, ambassador to Japan; W. M. Jardine, minister to Egypt; Herman Bernstein, minister to Albania; Nicholas Roosevelt, minister to Hungary, and J. Reuben Clark, Jr., ambassador to Mexico.

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Northeast Lansing Township

Bethany Lou Geisenhaver celebrat ed her first birthday, Christmas day. The next Grange meeting will be held at the West family home, Januarv 10. Robert West made calls on several

riends in Holt last Monday after-

Wm. Baumgras had his Whippet car taken last Tuesday afternoon but found it returned to the place where he left it the next day.

Miss Margaret Wheeler gave a very fine reading of a Christmas story at the Grange meeting last Saturday night, while Miss Nina Hewitt read

an article on church work, also the Wheeler family quartet entertained with songs.

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One of the largest manufacturers of farm implements and tractors in the world wants a dealer in Mason and has adopted this means to get in contact with the man who wants to start a business of his own. If you are looking for a job do not answer this advertisement. On the other hand if you really want to enter business—a business that requires the closest kind of attention and plenty of hard work but with energy properly applied yields splendid returns on the capital invested, then we want to talk to you. A man with limited means but good character is preferred to the man with plenty of money and no character. We will teach you the business and help you get started right. This opportunity for the right man is distinctly worth while. Write Box 17, care News, for further particulars.

Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell at Public Auction at the place known as the H. W. Silsby farm 1/2 mile north of Mason on Okemos road, on

Friday, January 9, 1931

Commencing at 1:30 o'clock, sharp, the following described property:

1 Brood Sow

HORSES

Gray Mare, 9 years old, weight 1600 Black Mare, 12 years old, weight 1400 Sorrel Mare, 9 years old, weight 1100 This mare is good to work and is a fine saddle horse

CATTLE

Guernsey Cow, 6 yrs. old, due Mar. 1 2 Guernsey Cows, 5 yrs old, giving milk Guernsey Cow, 9 years old, due in Feb. Registered Guernsey Cow, 5 years old, calf by side

Registered Guernsey Cow, 6 years old, calf by side Holstein Cow, 6 years old, giving milk Holstein Cow, 7 years old, due in Feb.

Guernsey Bull, 1 year old, eligible to register

2 Guernsey Heifers, 1 year old

HOGS

POULTRY

About 45 White Leghorn Hens

IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS

2 Wagons with Stock Racks McCormick-Deering Grain Binder McCormick-Deering Corn Binder McCormick-Deering Manure Spreader Mower, nearly new Hay Loader

Grain Drill with fertilizer attachment Side Rake 2-horse Corn Planter Riding Cultivator

Single Cultivator Cultipacker 4-section Spring Drag Oliver Walking Plow

Work Harness 3-horse Harness Hay Fork, Rope and Pulleys

HAY, GRAIN, ETC.

Quantity Mixed Hay Quantity Oats Quantity Barley Quantity Corn in crib

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Kitchen Range Davenport with chair to match Spring Cot Milk Can and parts Sanitary Strainer

MISCELLANEOUS

Forks, Shovels, Hoes and other articles too numerous to mention

TERMS—Ten dollars or under, cash; over that amount 6 months' time will be given on good bankable notes, drawing 7 per cent interest.

E. C. MADARY, Proprietor

R. C. Dart, Clerk

SLAT'S DIARY

Friday-well I wood of gotten a 100 in my-langwidge test if I haddent had a few rong ansers



nd I rote down

mebby the Ensur- sing. ance Co, is a going to give him a berth or a new pollisy the fellow ist him when was is berth day.

Sunday -- Well ing and she has boughten a lot of the Fathers". things witch is hid away in bundles and sum in packiges and today she Rees. filled pa's pipe and laved out his slippers and the noose paper and she did- nounced at the services next Sunday dent ensist on him a going to chirch morning. and ect. so I wander what she has got up her sleave.

Munday-well when pa cums home at noon he finds a letter witch says ma las over drawn her acct, at the bail. So I gess mebby she was a thinking of the futcher yesterday Ried, Supt. when she was so accommodating with

Teusday-well the teecher ketched me shuteing paper wads at 1 of the girls today and she colled me up in frunt and she sed to me. I have boxed yure fingers and I have made you stand in the corner and I have made you stay after skool and still you cant behave now what have you got to say for yure self and I replyed and sed Well you can't Xpeck a fellow to be perfect all the time. I simpelly cant understand a tecacher. They cant be understanded.

Wensday-Elly Glint has gave up paying ensurance on Jim Witch is her rusbend. She says she has never mist a paymint for nine yrs, now and she aint had no luck but bad so she is giveing up.

Thirsday-well I had to take a next Sunday morning. licken today. The teecher ordered me to take my hands out of my pocket but I cuddent becuz I had fergit my belt and then my suspenders bust. So now I no whut the old time Marters

HOLT Mary H. Austin, Correspondent

The Center M. E. church Ladies Thursday. Aid society have made no plans for Mrs. Edna Lathrop visited her parar monthly dinner this

Willoughby road, entertained their son, Sunday. daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kieth Park and son Roger for Christ- having nearly four weeks vacation mas dinner. They had the same com- because of the recent fire at the dorpany and also their son, Ruccell Cogs- mitory and assembly hall in Spring well and wife of West Delhi, for New Arbor.

Monday evening, January 5, will school after a week's vacation. occur the regular installation of officers in Rebekah Lodge No. 443, at her parents Christmas day.

held their fortnightly meeting on Holland in Webberville. Wednesday evening, with cards, supper and watch meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Keller, Keller road, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Claud Aldrich and Mrs. Elizabeth Lord of nounce the birth of a daughter, Joh- school vacation. East Lansing, Christmas. Mrs. Ald- anna, born Dec. 21. Mrs. Morehouse rich is their daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Canedy of Kelland Mrs. Hemstreet in Leslie, ler road entertained Mr. and Mrs. Carstairs of Okemos, for the Christ mas holiday.

Katherine Wilkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. Wilkins, Bertha street, was married on Wednesday, December 24, to Leonard Lamoreaux, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lamoreaux.

Mrs. Glenn Ellis, is recovering from illness at her home on North Cedar. Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Levi of North street, entertained their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Darling, and their baby daughter of Pontiac, for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Levi moved Monday to the first house on DeCamp

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bassler spent Sunday in Pontiac. Miss Maud Parks of East Delhi avenue, has closed her house and will spend some time with her brother-inlaw and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Christian Manz, 1401 W. Michigan, Lansing. Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Austin and family spent Christmas in Adrian

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Ellerby and family, were guests of Mrs. Ellerby's sister, Mrs. Clarence Messner and family in Albion for the holiday.

with Mrs. Austin'e sisters and famil-

Mr. and Mrs. Gower Chapman were Christmas. Members of the Sunday with their friends were entertained there in his honor on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rina Lott of North street, entertained the Lott family at dinner on Christmas day. The party included Mr. and Mrs. Fred Flynn and family and Mrs. Karl Lott and family of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Guenther, Mason, and Mr and Mrs. Swogger. Mrs. Swogger is the daughter, Helen, who is a teacher

in Muskegon Heights. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Helmker of North street, entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Marquedant and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Helmker and daughter Margaret and Mr. and Mrs. Clare Helmker for Christmas day.

The next meeting of the Lott Com munity club will be an oyster supper at the home of Mrs. Bertha Dell, Fri day evening, January 2.

Regular meeting and public dinner of the North Holt M. E. church will be held January 8, at the church par

Mrs. William Parker of West Delhi avenue, is able to be up again after Jersey Cow, 2 years old, springer spending Christmas and a few days in

Elizabeth Jackson and Robert ft, both students at Alma college, ome for the holiday vacation. d Mrs. Chas. J. Jackson of

Mr. and Mrs. Phil J. Wilkins enter- of Ithaca, visited his parents several tained at a family dinner on Christ- days last week.

Twins. and the Mrs. Donald Thomas of Mason, and techer diddent a Mrs. M. A. Curtis of Detroit. Anothgree with me on er sister, Mrs. Sarah Gunn, had pre-Eaterday -- Pa had been a teacher and was well says he Xpecks known in Mason, Holt and East Lan-

lay present becuz went to Croton to spent Christmas Kenneth visited relatives in Lansing, when he sined up day with Mr. and Mrs. Milton Nickel, over the week end.

North Holt 9:45 a. m. Sunday school. Mrs. W 11 Morning worship with sermon by the pastor. Theme: "Faith of the Fathers".

7 p. m. Epworth League. Leader Miss Hilda Wolf. Topic, "The Bible in Everyday Life." Choir rehearsal at the home of Mr and Mrs. Rina Lott on Tuesday night Mrs. O'Connor, director.

Holt Presbyterian Church Chas. P. Andrews, Pastor Morning worship at 10:30. Subject, "Luke the Beloved Physician." Special music by the choir.

Sunday school at 11:45. Music by orchestra. Young people's meeting at 6:30 p m. Topic, "How Far Should We Obey

Authority? Union evening service at 7:45 to be conducted by people of Center M. E. church, the place to be announced Mrs. John Mills.

Fitchburg

Mr. and Mrs. S. V. Lawrence entertained Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lawrence, Leon Ketchum and family and Vern Freymuth and family for Christmas. Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Perry spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Gene Brahmam in Jackson. Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Isenhath visited

Irving Batdorff and family were

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cogswell, West the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Will at his farm here. Misses Emma and Ethel Artz are

School began Monday at Fitchburg

Henry Barton and family visited Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Holland Members of the Jolly Bunch club Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred

> during the past week. Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Morehouse anis at the home of her parents, Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Artz and son George Hudson.

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Cedar street.

Christmas party for their children

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her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lord, family spent Christmas with Mr. and Powers and family of Detroit.

North Okemos

Mrs. Geo. W. Allen of Alaiedon was a visitor at Mrs. Walter Heathman's, Wednesday.

Rev. Boodagh's class of young people of the Community church held a party at the home of the Robb sisters. ball coach, brought her mother and Grostefon and family. Mrs. Robert Cavender has been sister of Kalamazoo here to attend confined to her bed with the grippe the alumni basketball game last Fri- in Jackson and Concord. Ruth Ann Webster returned day. home with them for the balance of the holiday rush at the Lansing post-

chool vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heathman at- Vernon Clayton of Jackson, tended the funeral of Mrs. Mary Pol- spending his vacation with his grand-

er of Mrs. Glenn Ellis, Mrs. Van- the Bible class for the coming year. Ing, are visiting at the home of Rev. Miss Ruth Walker of Madison, Wis.

called to Lansing by the death of the and Mrs. Frank Walker.

home in Mecosta, Sunday, December had as their guests Christmas day, friends at dinner in honor of Evelyn and services were held in the Oke- Edwin Freiermuth and family, Frank mos M. E. church Wednesday, Dec. Freiermuth and family and Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Whiting and Mrs. Birt Hammond, all of Jack- tiny said order holds from the releasing may be her petition praying that a rehearing may be her petition praying that a reheari

Sunday evening callers of Claude Hayhoe. Mr. and Mrs. Orrin Morse have

moved to the A. J. Frost farm for the

Richard and Arthur Somers Dansville, spent Christmas with their Miss Ruth Hoekema, girls' basket- old friends and neighbors, R. A.

Mt. Pleasant District

Wm. Shaw is spending a few days James Parks is helping out during

parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. West. Mr. Watson was elected teacher for Mr. and Mrs. G. C. White of Read- Miss Jessie Walker of Detroit, and

are spending their Christmas vaca-Mr. and Mrs. George Dormer were tion at the home of their parents. Mr.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude West enter-

In the construction of said drain the following quantities and character of tile or pipe will be required and contracts let for same:

450 feet of 8-inch No. 1 sewer pipe.

140 feet of 6-inch No. 1 sewer pipe.

3 pieces 18-inch by 6-inch sewer pipe catch drain.

posit with the County Drain Commissioner a certified check or its equivalent to the amount of fifty dollars as a guarantee that he will enter into contract and furnish the required bond as prescribed by law. The checks of all unsuccessful bidders will be returned after contracts are awarded. The payments for the above mentioned work will be made as follows:

lows:
Notice is Further Hereby Given, That at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereofter, to which I, the County Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may the County Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the apportionment for benefits and the lands comprised within the "Woodmere Avenue Drain Special Assessment District," and the apportionments thereof will be announced by me and will be subject to review for one day, from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon. The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain, viz:

Meridian of Michigan.

The following lands in Town 4 North, Range 1 West:

The Township of Meridian at large.

The following lands in Section 18:
Lots 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21 of East Lawn Subdivision.

Lots 75, 76, 77, 78 and 79 of Supervisors

review.

And You and Each of You. Owners and persons interested in the aforesaid lands, are hereby cited to appear at the time and place of such letting as aforesaid, and be heard with respect to such special assessments and your interests in relation thereto, if you so desire, Dated this 29th day of December, A. D. 1980, LLOYD, R. DOANE, County Drain Commissioner, County of Ingham.

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Justment of all claims and demands against division, said deceased.

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

L. B. McARTHUR, (A true copy.)

(A true copy.)

C. A. CLINTON, Register of Probate.

State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Ingham. the County of Ingham.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said county, on the 23rd day of December, A. D. 1930.

Present, HON, L. B. McARTHUR, Judge of Probate.

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the construction of two (2) manifoles and one (1) sepite tank at the places designated on the plans and according to the specifications in the office of the County Drain Commissioner. Said job will be let by sections. The section at the outlet of said Drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram and on file with the other papers pertaining to said Drain, in the office of the County of Ingham to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and preceived accordingly. Contracts will be made and security for the performance of the bodies of the places for the bodding of the Circuit Court for said county, on the 20th day of February, 1931, at nine o'clock in the formation Circuit Court for said county, on the 20th day of February, 1931, at nine o'clock in the formation County Michigan, the sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids.

The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall and will be announced at the time and place of letting. Any person desiring to bid on the above mentioned work will be required to deposit with the County Drain Commissioner a certified check or its equivalent to the amount of fifty dollars as a guarantee that he will enter into contract and furnish the required bond as prescribed by law. The checks of all state of Michigan. The Probate Court for solid mortgage, having been made in the conditions of the County bearing to bid on the above mentioned work will be required to deposit with the County Drain Commissioner a certified check or its equivalent to the amount of fifty dollars as a guarantee that he will be required to deposit with the counter and furnish the required bond as prescribed by law. The checks of all state of Michigan. The Probate Court for State of Michigan and all bids.

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State of Michigan. The Probate Court for the County of Ingham.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Mason, in said county, on the 19th day of December, A. D. 1930.

Present, HON. L. B. McARTHUR, Judge of Probate.

In the Matter of the Estate of JOHN M. POLLOK, December, M. D. 1900.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place POLLOK, Deceased.

It appearing to the court that the time for presentation of claims against said estate should be limited, and that a time and place be appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by and before said court:

It is Ordered, That creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court at said Probate Office on or before the 21st day of April, A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, said time and place being hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims and demands against said deceased.

It is Further Ordered, That public notice thereof he given by publication of a copy of the power of sale in said mortgage will, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage and in persuance of the statute, sell at public auction, the lands described therein, or so much as shall be necessary to satisfy the amount due thereon at the time of rale, together with all legal costs, interest and attorney fee, as therein provided, a parcel described as: Lots 191 and 192 of Lessile Park Subdivision, City of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan.

UNION BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, LIMITED, Mortgagee.

C. F. & E. T. HAMMOND, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Lansing, Michigan.

Lors 75, 76, 77, 78 and 79 of Supervisors Plat No. 2.

Now, Therefore, All unknown and non-resident persons, owners and persons interested in the above described lands, and you, Act Theon Literary Society, Hiram H. Hammond, Myra B. Hammond, Vernal A. Proctor, Miniet L. Proctor, J. Otto Strieter, Clara Strieter, Anna Brown, Homer S. Murphy, Evelva C. Murphy, Walter G. Glines, Bealah M. Glines C. Chara Strieter, Anna Brown, Homer S. Murphy, Evelva C. Murphy, Walter G. Glines, Bealah M. Glines C. Chara Strieter, Anna Brown, Homer S. Murphy, Evelva C. Murphy, Walter G. Glines, Bealah M. Glines C. Chara Strieter, Anna Brown, Homer S. Murphy, Evelva C. Murphy, Walter G. Glines, Bealah M. Glines and the conditions of sale devices of sale therein became operative, made by Ots. A County of Ingham.

HEARING CLAIMS. HAYNER—APRIL 18

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Auction Sal

22 Dairy Cows All Blood & T. B. Tested and every one guaranteed to be as represented

To Be Sold to the Highest Bidder on Saturday, January 3

Commencing at one o'clock at the farm one-half mile east of Mason on the Brickyard road; farm known as Nettie Lane Farm.

Ar. the name of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Chapman, Park road, for Jersey Cow, 2 years old, fresh school class, the Scouts of Service Jersey Cow, 3 years old, fresh Jersey & Durham Cow, 5 years old, fresh

Jersey Cow, 2 years old, fresh Brindle Cow, 3 years old, fresh Durham Cow, 4 years old, fresh Jersey Cow, 4 years old, fresh Jersey Cow, 6 years old, fresh Jersey Cow, 9 years old, fresh Guernsey Cow, 4 yrs. old, springer Guernsey Cow, 6 yrs. old, springer Jersey Cow, 4 years old, springer Guernsey Cow, 6 yrs. old, springer Jersey Cow, 2 years old, springer

Guernsey Cow, 2 yrs. old, springer Holstein Cow, 4 yrs. old, springer Holstein Cow, 4 years old, fresh Reg. Guernsey, No. 272166, Maiden of Michigan Game Farm, born Oct. 10, 1928, bred October 17, 1930

Grade Guernsey Cow, 3 years old, milking Holstein Cow, 6 years old, fresh Reg. Holstein Heifer, due Jan. 8 Holstein Heifer, due Jan. 11 Holstein Heifer, due Jan. 7 Jersey & Durham Cow, due Jan. 8 Jersey Bull, 18 months' old 1 Horse, weight 1300

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(Default having been made in the conditions of a real estate mortgage, whereby the power of sale therein contained became operative, made by Henry Hoeflinger and Bessie A. Hoeflinger, husband and wife, to Minah Leadley, dated September 21, 1927, and recorded in the Ingham County, Michigan, Register of Deed's office on September 26, 1927, in liber 296 of mortgages on page 129, which mortgage has been duly assigned by said Minah Leadley to the F. B. McKibbin Company, a Michigan corporation, of Lansing, Michigan, by an assignment dated September 13, 1930, and recorded in said Register of Deed's office on September 17, 1930, in liber 283 of mortgages on page 509, upoon which mortgage there is now claimed to be due and payable for principal and interest the sum of \$4275.67; taxes paid on mortgage lands of \$221.15; insurance premiums paid of \$27.87, making a total debt of \$4524.69, and no suit at law having been brought to recover said debt, or any part thereof, notice is hereby given that on Saturday, January 24, 1931, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon of said day, (Eastern Standard Time) at the Ottawa Street entrance to the City Hall Building, Lansing, Michigan, (that heing one of the places where the Ingham County Circuit Court is held), said assignee will by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such case provided, sell at public auction the lands described therein, or so much thereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the amount due thereon at the time of sale, togeththereof as shall be necessary to satisfy the amount due thereon at the time of sale, together with interest thereon at seven per cent per annum, and all legal costs, including an attorney fee of Thirty-five Dollars, lands described

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HINTE of Thirty-five Dollars, a parcel in Delhi Township, Ingham County, Michigan described as: the west half of a parcel of land commencing at a point seventy-two and one-half feet west of the north eighth post to the southerst quarter of section four, thence west 14 rods, south 12 rods, thence cast 14 rods and thence north 12 rods, thence cast 14 rods and thence north 12 rods to beginning, town three north, range two west, also known as: commencing at a point 188 feet west of the north eighth post of the southeast quarter of section four, town three

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O. J. HOOD and W. S. SEELYE. Attorney

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VETERINARIAN DR. H. C. GRAHAM, associated with Dr. Geo. Moody. Phone 457.

Default having been made in the conditions and taxes paid on mortgaged lands of \$50.53, making a total debt at date hereof of \$275.03, and no suit at law having been brought to recover said debt, notice is hereby given on Frithe southeast quarter of section four, town three north, range two west, Ingham County, Michigan, thence west 115½ feet, thence south 198 feet, thence east 115½ feet, thence north 198 feet to the place of beginning.

Dated September 20, 1930.

UNION, BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION, (Limited), Mortgagee.

C. F. & E. T. HAMMOND, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Lansing, Michigan.

Links paid on mortgage lands of \$50.53, and no suit at law having been brought to recover said debt, notice is hereby given on Friday, March 6, 1931, at ten o'clock in the force only finding. County, Michigan, (that being one of the places where the linking County Circuit Court is held), said mortgagee will, by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage and in of the power of sale in said mortgage and in pursuance of the statute in such case provided, sell at public auction on foreclosure there-of, the land described in said mortgage to satisfy the amount due thereon at time of sale. South Gardens No. 1, City of Lansing, Ing

South Gardens No. 1, City of Lansing, Ing ham County, Michigan.
Dated December 9, 1930,
F. B. McKIBBIN COMPANY, Mortgagee. C. F. & E. T. HAMMOND, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address, Lansing, Michigan.

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Nor did Quantrell want him relieved. He knew there was very little chance of escape during the shifts of Worrall or Owen. Both of these were oldtimers who had a healthy respect for his prowess. Neither of them ever gave him any opportunity for a snatch at freedom. They watched him like hawks. Quantrell felt that if he was to make a getaway it would have to be while Grogan was in charge of him.

In the darkness of the night shift the outlaw had made a discovery. He was small boned, and he could slip his long narrow hands out of the cuffs at considerable pain to himself. When the right moment came he intended to do so. But he had to be sure of his moment. If there was any slip-up, if body else was in the Gold Nugget exhe did not succeed, O'Hara would see that he never had another chance. Every moment that he was awake, no matter whether he was eating, readbusy with the problem, planning the best way to divert the guard's mind and make him for one instant careless. Quantrell played the long shot be had planned one morning soon after Worrall went off duty. He had been playing solitaire at a little table, handling the eards awkwardly with his manacled hands. Now he was an-

rowelling Grogan's temper. at the table less than three feet away. ordered, Quantrell dropped his arms into his

instead the more attractive one of

lap and leaned forward to Jeer at Grogan. He showed his buck teeth in a grin and marmured insults at him. Meanwhile his wrists had slipped down and he was using his knees for a vise to hold the iron while he worked his right hand out of the cuff.

. . you an' yore whole family, Buck. Pore white trash, I been told. An' yellow. Every last one of 'em. Kicked outa yore own state for stealin' sheep, the way I heard it."

Grogan, flushed to furious anger, lost control of his temper entirely. With an eath his right hand reached across the table and caught the lapel of Quantrell's coat.

a backward circle through the air. the handcuff still attached to the wrist. Before Grogan knew what was hanpening the swinging iron struck the side of his head. Almost at the same moment Quantrell rose, leaned forward, and with his right hand snatched the revolver from its holster beside

the guard's hip. Eyes staring incredulously, dazed from the blow, still uncertain of what had occurred, Grogan staggered back a step or two. He stared vacantly at the smiling, derisive face of his enemy. Then he understood-and woke too late to violent action. Like a wild

bull he charged the menacing gun. Two shots rang out, so close to gether that they sounded like one. The guard's body plunged down on the table, unset it, and slid to the floor,

Quantrell stood there, feet apart, wolfishly wary, the hand with the smoking .44 resting on his hip. His shallow cold blue eyes held to the body of the man he had just shot down. He wanted to be sure that his work was thorough. There was no doubt about that. After the first spasmodic twitching of the muscles the huddled figure lay still,

Slowly a grin creased the face of the outlaw. "O'Hara will send a boy to mill, ch?" be murmured.

The killer wasted no time. Some one would hear those shots and the alarm would be spread. He put his hat on, tilted jauntily a little to one side, and walked out of the room intothe lobby of the hotel.

As usual Brad Helm was sitting there with a comple of cronies.

"He was a wiry book-nosed guy with eyes set too close together," wheezed the hotel keeper, "an' I noticed his claybank had sack hobbles tied ground its neck. Says I to him, kinda errelees- G-ddelmlighty!"

The last startled exclamation, not at all careless in its inflection, was wring out of the fat man by the sight of Quantrell emerging from the hall. "Mornin', Brad, an' gents all," the

outlaw said lightly, his glance stabbing at first one and then another, ribs, "W-where's Grogan?" be quavered.

"Grogan!" Quantrell's smile was Did you want to see Grogan?"

Brad Helm knew now the meaning of the shots he had heard. Until now they had not even disturbed him. He had thought his boy was practicing at a target back of the hotel,

Swiftly Ouantrell stenned back of the home-made office counter and lifted from a nail a belt containing cartridges and a revolver. He broke the Colt's and saw that it was loaded. "Much obliged, Brad," he said, "Since you're so pressin'. I'll borrow

the loan of this for a while," "Help yoreself, Bob. You're sure welcome. If there's anything else-" in the young desperado.

"Where's O'Hara right now?" broke "At the courthouse. Judge Warner's

holdin'--" "An' Steve Worrall?" "Why, Steve's asleep down at the Longhorn corral, I reckon."

"Amen?" "I dunno where Amen's at, Bob." Again Quantrell's shallow eyes, a deadly threat in them, passed from one man to another. "Stay in yore chairs for fifteen minutes. Don't rise. Don't call unyone. If you don't stay put you'll have to settle with me. Under-

He passed into the hall, down it, and out the back door. His glance slid to right and left to make survey of the prospect. Nobody was in sight except Brad Helm, Junior, and he was too busy roping a post even to notice him. The boy had that moment arrived from the Longhorn corral, where a vaquero had been taming a wild horse.

Quantrell moved swiftly in the direction of the Gold Nugget. There would be horses, he knew, at the hitch rack in front of the gambling house. How soon the news of his escape would be flung broadenst he did not know. It could not be long. He had to get out of town before O'Hara closed the roads and trails, but he had no intention of leaving without first demonstrating his coolness. That the manner of his achievement, as well as the fact itself, be talked about was

demanded by his vanity. Into the back door of the Gold Nugget he slipped. At once his haste anpeared to vanish. He sauntered forward to the bur past the gaming tables and the roulette wheel, a young man very much at his ease. Quantrell's eyes were busy as he moved toward the front of the building. They picked up Hank, the town drunkard, dirty and unshaven as usual, two cowboys whom he did not know, a man sleeping on a bench with his hat over his eyes, and two cow men discussing business over a mug of beer. Nocept the bartender, for this was the hour of the day when the place came

nearest to being empty. The bartender had his back toward

bottles on the shelves. A sound of clanking steel made him turn abrupt- news excitedly. ly. Quantrell had dropped on the bar the loose cuff still attached by its a question. neighbor to his left hand. "Service, Mike," the escaped pris-

oner said quietly, Mike stared at him, astonished. The town was full of rumors about Ouanparently tired of the game. He began trell, but he had not seen him for

more than a year, "You durned old alkali, wake up an The guard was sitting opposite him gimme a whisky straight," Quantrell

The outlaw's senses, despite his easual manner, were highly keyed. His cars were alert for any quantant soma there might be on the street. Already his eyes had registered the fact that Hank and the two cattle men had now recognized him," Hank had risen and in another moment would he making for the back door. This did not suit Quantrell.

"Drinks on me. Every one this way, You, too, Hank," he called.

All but the sleeping man came forward, the cowboys with no urging, the others reluctantly. For those who knew Quantrell were aware that some drama was working itself out, probably a highly dangerous one. He had Instantly the lad's left hand made escaped. The lingling handcuff told them that. Why had he come here? What did he mean to do?

One of the cowboys caught sight the handcuffs, "Holy smoke, pard! What kind of jewelry is that you're wearin?" he asked.

"Compliments of Sheriff O'Hara. Name yore own poison, gents, an' drink to the long life of yore host, Rob Quantrell. To hel with the law." The jacose cowboy took one quick look at him and became serious.

They drank, nervously, Back of the bar four or five revolvers hung suspended from mails driven into the wall. They had been left there by cowhoys visiting town, in accordance with the new custom

"The bill goes to the sheriff," he said to Mike. "I'm the guest of the county. If he doesn't pay it let me know an' I'll have a II'l talk with

"That's all right, Bob," the bartender said hastily, "Anything you

Quantrell yawned and stretched himself. "Well, I got to say 'Adios!" You know how the old sayin* goes, that the best of friends must

He turned his back on them audaciously and swaggered to the door. Back to them came the sound of a high unmusical voice raised in song, It was Bob Quantrell's favorite ditty.

Hush-a-by, baby, Punch a buckaroo, Daddy'll be home When the round-up is through.

The dramming of a horse's hoofs reached them. Mike looked out of the window. The outlaw had flung The fat man's heart died under his bimself astride a saddled cow nony and was galloping out of town. "I'll be doggoned!" one of the cow-

boys said. "An' that was Bob Quanthin and cruei. "Oh, he's back there | trell." He spake as one awed by the nearness of one greatly famous. "Himself," Mike corroborated, "He's broke loose. I told 'em he would. I

heard shots. You don't reckon he's killed O'Hara, do you?" "Not O'Harn." one of the cow men said. "We saw him at the courthouse not five minutes ago. We better get the news to him right away,"

Already there was the hum of excitement in the nir. Men could be heard running along the street shouting to each other that Bob Quantrell

had got away. It was news as exciting as that of his capture had been three days earlier. Food had been furnished for a hundred debates that would be waged furiously by the partisans of the young desperado and of the sheriff. For a time O'Harn's stock had been above par. Now it had been driven down again. His friends still bad faith in him, but the general opinion was that, good sheriff though he might be, he had met more than his match in Bob Quantre'l.

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sent a thrill of horror through the community. His capture by O'Hara had been done inconspicuously, though the sheriff's posse had one dead and one wounded bandit to its credit. Their leader had played down the achievement, as an affair all in the day's work. But Quantrell, with his sure instinct for the limelight, had magnified his. Handcuffed and closely watched, he had managed to kill the guard and walk out of prison, to saunter carelessly about town, to ride away when he was ready, all with the

him from ordinary bandits and killers. Bob Quantrell at least had personality. To Garrett O'Hara at the courtlouse came Brad Helm puffing from rapid travel. He waddled up to the sherin's desk and wheezed out his startling tidings.

"Bob Quantrell has done killed Buck an' made his getaway." The heart of O'Hara went down like

"Don't know. He held me up an"

ook my gun. We found Buck dead

plummet in Ice-chilled water. But even at this shocking news he wasted to words in lament or incredulity. "Has he left town?" he asked.

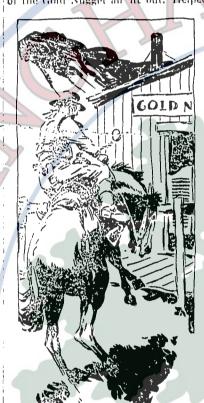
"Get Owen and Worrall and bring them here. If I'm not in, tell them to wait till I come." O'Hara turned to Judge Warner, who was seated in the office. "Judge, I'll have to use you as a messenger. Go to the Fair Play saloon and ask for Buckskin Joe. Find him, please, and ask him to outfit a pack horse with grub for a week

We'll start inside of an hour." Already the sheriff was buckling on the belt that held his guns. He passed out of the courthouse and down the hill to the main street of the ing, or deviling Grogan, his mind was the newcomer. He was dusting the town. He could see men gathered in knots. They were discussing the

In the hills. I'll want him to go along

O'Hara reached a group and asked "Is Quantrell still in town?"

"No, sir. Jumped a horse in front of the Gold Nugget an' lit out. Helped



"Jumped a Horse in Front of the Gold Nugget An' Lit Out."

himself to all the guns be wanted

"Which way did he go?" "Took the east road. Looks like be

might be-" The sheriff had turned on his heel and was on his way. He had all the information they could give him and he was too busy to listen to surmise. Within the hour he and his posse

he's got. Likely they've got a hangout somewheres to hole up in. He'll he travelin' light, with no extra dufunnies, so we got no show to eatch him right off. Being as you've drug me into this, take yore time, says old Joe. See them tracks. He's going lickety split, 'Make haste slowly,' Al Sieber usta tell us, an' it was sure good medicine."

"He's more slippery than an eel, and he'll outguess us if he can. I'd like to come up with him as soon as

"Don't wear out yore spurs, young fellow. You'll come up with him one o' these days, maybe sooner'n you're lookin' for it." the scout said drily. They were following a diagonal trail

up the side of a rough, steep hill. The sheriff fell back behind the guide, Owen spoke, "Well, here we are again, as the fellow who had been reprieved twice said to the hangman. Out for a nice long ride. Bob hops around worse than a Mexican flea. He certainly gives you a reasonable

amount of variety." "He keeps my official life from being decorously and d-nably dull," admitted O'Hara, "My fault this time, I had a feeling I ought to take Grogan off as a guard, but I hadn't anybody to out on in his place."

They carried the first night on the other side of Powder Horn pass, wellup in the snow. For their camp fire they used a dead and down juniper and some young pines. Though the crackling wood roared, one side of their bodies froze while the other broiled. They did not linger long around the fire after they had eaten. but rolled up in their blankets and fell asleen. During the night one or another of them rose to fling on more logs. It was so cold that they were glad to be up early and stirring about. Buckskin Joe's hands were cold when he fastened the supplies on the cross-buck pack saddle. An hour Inter, while climbing a very steep grade, the pack slipped and turned. Frightened, the horse began to kick furlancly. Before it could be stopped, tlour, salt, bacon, and beans were scat-

tered all over the mountain side. They gathered the scattered goods and Buckskin Joe repucked while the others offered him facetious advice. The scout grinned sheepishly as he

"This fry-pan won't ever be what it was before old Chipmunk threw his fit." be admifted, tooking regretfully at their chief cooking utensil. "An" I bought it yesterday, pretty an'shiny as a painted wagon, by gum. Go ahend, boys, an' josh me all you got a mind to. I'll bet I've threw the diaspeciacular gesture that differentiated mond hitch before some of you lads were born, an' this is the fustest time It ever went back on me."

(To be continued,

Pray Neighborhood

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Boody and Mr. family spent Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Redfield.

H. D. Coats and Grover Royston from a beautiful Christmas tree. visited the former's brother, S. Coats, n Olivet, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bigford spent Christmas with Harry Mercer. Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnson of Lan-

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Cole of East Lansing, were Thursday evening guests of Harry Mercer.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Daniels, Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon, Mrs. Harry for several days. Mercer, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Royston and family were last week visitors at ed on Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thompson Grover Royston's. Mr. and Mrs. Grover Royston and

son, H. D. Coats visited Henry Red- sick list for several weeks. field. Saturday evening. Mr. and Mrs. John Harmon spent Christmas with their son, Boyd Harmon and family.

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Thomas Sherman, single, of Grand Ledge, Michigan, to the Capitol Savings & Loan Company, a Corporation, duted the 23rd day of January, 1928, and recorded in the office of the Register of Decils for the County of Ingham and State of Michigan, on the 24th day of January, 1928, and recorded in the office of the Register of Decils for the County of Ingham and State of Michigan, on the 24th day of January, 1928, furnily on New Years.

the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any will be held in the Presbyterian Davidson and family. the moneys secured by said morfgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on the 28th day of March, 1931, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon. Central Standard Time, the undersigned will, at the north front door of the City Itall, in the City of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, that being a place where the Creuit Court for the County of Ingham is held, sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, and this meeting.

Will be held in the Presbyterian church Italiany, Mrs. Roy Rae and Mrs. An rill and daughter Ina visited Described in said barn wired for electric lights.

Bert Green is doing the work.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson and spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. O

(132) feet of lot ten (10) block sixteen (16), said City of Lansing

CUMMINS & CUMMINS, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address, 406 Capitol Savings & Loan Building, Lansing, Mich. 1w13

Default having been made in the Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by George B. Hutchinson and Sarah L. Hutchinson, husband and wife, to the Capitol Savings & Loan Company, a Corporation, dated the 16th day of June, 1930, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Ingham and State of Michigan, on the 17th day of June, 1930, in Liber 331 of Mortgages, on Page 395, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of \$982.97, and the sum of \$37.98, for taxes paid by the mortgage, and an attorney's fee of \$35.00, as

in accordance with the new custom instituted by O'ltara, and they were to be returned to their owners when the had with him Worrall, Owen, a cowlatter were ready to go back to the how known as K. C., and Buckskin Joe. The latter was an old scout who had trailed after the Apaches with Al schered a Al and tossed aside the one he had taken from Helm. He helded himself to a belt filled with whisky.

Within the hour he and his posse were made from the hour he scaped bandlit. He were following the escaped bandlit. He had with him Worrall, Owen, a cowlable were following the escaped bandlit. He had with him Worrall, Owen, a cowlable with him Wor way of being a character.

Illis language fell easily into the pungent speech of the frontier,

"He's p'intin' for the hills, that lad, looks like. Betcha he meets up with Drever an' whatever other pardners he's gal, Likely they've got a bune, he's gal, and he public and nor highest in said afternoon from the hospital at North Lansing, where he had an operation for appendicitis.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Laylin and daughter Donna of Miller Road, were guests of Mrs. Laylin's parents, Mr. there is twenty-eight (28) feet of lot eighty-layly and Mrs. E. J. Collins, Christmas.

three (83) and east thirty-five (35) feet of lot and Mrs. E. J. Collins, Christmas. eighty-four (84) of Leslie Park Subdivision. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis VanGutwerts City of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan. Dated January 1, 1931. CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN COMPANY, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mortgagee. CUMMINS & CUMMINS, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address, 406 Capitol Sav-ings & Loan Building, Lansing, Mich. 1w13

MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made by Pearl E. Wixon to the Capitol Sayings & Loan Company, a Corporation, dated the 4th day of September, 1929, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Ingham and State of Michigan, on the 5th day of September, 1929, in liber 329 of mortgages, on Page 181, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of \$5882.29, and the sum of \$463.69, for taxes paid by the mortgagee, and an attorney's fee of \$35.60, as provided for by law, and no suit or proceedags at law having been instituted to recover the moneya secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Notice is hereby given, that by virtue of the

power of sale contained in said mortgage, and the statute in such case made and provided, on the 28th day of March, 1931, at 9:00 o'clock in the forencon, Central Standard o'clock in the forenoon, Central Standard Time, the undersigned will, at the north front door of the City Hall, in the City of Lansing Ingham County, Michigan, that being a place where the Circuit Court for the County of Ingham is held, sell at public auction, to the Ingnam is field, self at puttic faction, to the highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

Beginning on the south line of Kinysley ed in said mortgage as follows:
Beginning on the south line of Kingsley
Court twenty-five (25) rods west of the west
line of Logan Street South, in the City of
Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, thence

running south five (5) rods, west two (2) rods, north five (5) rods, east two (2) rods to the place of beginning, situated on the northwest quarter (4) of the northeast quarter (4) of Section seventeen (17), Town four (4) orth. Range two (2) west, now known as number sixty-seven (67) of Assessor's Number Nine (9), City of Lansing. Also—commencing on the north line of Fos-er Court thirty-four (34) rods west of the ter Court thirty-four (34) rods west of the west line of Logan Street in the City of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan, thence west two (2) rods, thence north four (4) rods, thence east two (2) rods, thence south four (4) rods to the place of beginning, and now known as Lot number twenty (20) Assessor's Plat Number nine (9), City of Lansing.

Also—Lot twenty-three (23) Foster Court Addition on the northwest quarter (14) of the southeast quarter (14) of section seventeen (17), Town four (4) north, Range two (2) west, in the City of Lansing, Ingham County, Michigan.

Dated January 1, 1931.
CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN COMPANY, fortgagee.
CUMMINS & CUMMINS, Attorneys for Mortgagee, Business Address, 406 Capitol Sav-ings & Loan Building, Lansing, Mich. 1w13

Southeast Ingham

Price Ford and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Carl Sanburn spent ames Henner and family from near Christmas with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Okemos for Christmas.

Otis Bisel and family spent Christmas day with R. H. Walker and fam-days in Detroit. ly of Dansville,

Ann Arbor. nome for Christmas. W. J. Briggs entertained their Eva spent Sunday with Mr. Frank hildren from Jackson, Sunday.

Stockbridge

Mrs. Ray Satterla called on Mrs. Vesta Thompson, Christmas day. Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Thompson and Fern entertained Christmas day for and Mrs. Colbourn Charlevoix and dinner, W. Haviland, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Eames of Aurelius, and Mrs. Vesta Thompson. After dinner and music. Miss Fern distributed gifts

Thomas Bott and family of Cold- of Byrum. water, spent Christmas with their Mr. and Mrs. Claud Redfield of parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bott. Mrs. Charlotte, visited Mrs. Della Redfield, Minnie Mapes also spent the day Mrs. Mary Jackson is suffering and family.

from a severe cold. J. W. Eames, Sr. of Aurelius, callsing, called on Grover Royston, Sat- ed at the Thompson home last week Friday. John Eames, Jr. also called there. They were on their way home from Detroit. Mrs. Mabel Eames remained with her parents for the week

dis spent Christmas with her parents, Mrs. Fannie Bott has been very ill Mr. and Mrs. Jones of Detroit, calllast Sunday Mrs. Celia Weston has been on the

North Holt

The Jolly Bunch of the Rebekahs

Deeds for the County of Ingham and State of Michigan, on the 24th day of January, 1928, in Liber 308 of Mortgages, on Page 377, on which mortgage there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice, for principal and integrated to be sum of \$1914.84, and the som of \$16,05, for insurance paid by the mortgage, and an attorney's fee of \$35,00, as mortgage, and an attorney's fee of \$35,00, as provided for by law, and no suit or proceedings at the date of this at law having been instituted to recover the moneys secured by said mortgage, or any will be held in the Presentation.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Cline and Mrs. Mrs. And Mrs. Mrs. And Mrs.

highest bidder, the premises described in said mortgage, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount so as aforesaid due on said mortgage, with seven per cent interest, and all legal costs, together with said attorney's fee, which said premises are described in said mortgage as follows:

The north sixty (60) feet of ten (10) of Block sixteen (16) of the City of Lansing, and the north sixty (60) feet of the east thirty-three (33) feet, of the west one hundred thirty-two (132) feet of let ten (10) block sixteen (16).

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Jackson and family returned from Chicago, Saturday, Dec. 27, after spending Christmas with their daughter and family. Harley Holmes, superintendent of the Marshall schools, with his wife and daughter are spending the holidays with Mrs. Holmes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Douglas.

(33) feet, of the west one hundred thirty-two

Mrs. Laura Procau Holt, has been in the St. Lawrence Dated January 1, 1931.
CAPITOL SAVINGS & LOAN COMPANY, hospital at Lansing, with an abscess in the throat.

Island Corners

C. L. and Heber Hulett entertaine

Harry Ryan and Mr. and Mrs. Carl

Sanburn Mr. and Mrs. Otto Andrews were guests of James Hulett and helped

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him celebrate his birthday, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Morton and Dawn and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Morton and Eva. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ryan and

Foote and family. Gaylord Foote is spending the holi-

Mrs. Neva Foote, Mrs. Calla Mor-Helen Perkins is visiting relatives ton and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ryan spent Saturday afternoon with Mr. Alva Ewers of Battle Creek, was and Mrs. Ernest Fast of Grand Ledge. Mr. and Mrs. George Morton and Greenfield and family of Wacousta. Mrs. Mabel E. Root and little June and Jean Root attended a Christmas

> Main street M. E. church, Tuesday night. Lou Biebeshimer of East Lansing, spent Christmas with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Biebeshimer,

pageant given by the children of the

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Rae and family of East Mason, were guests of Mrs. Rae's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otto Andrews, Christmas day. Mrs. Belle McKinney spent Sunday with her cousin, Miss Ellen Hotelling

Mrs. Kate Mills of Charlotte, spent Christmas with her son, Jas. Hulett, Jr., and family and Thursday with her daughter, Mrs. Ted Beaumont

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Andrews and son Junior spent Christmas with Mrs. Andrews' parents, Mr. and Mrs. A Rupp of Bath. Mr. and Mrs. Morris McKinney were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom McKinney of Lansing, Christmas.

> Northwest Ingham

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sonier and Ar-

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ballinger of Lan-

Mrs. Ami Terrill and Anna spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. Ear Osborne and Edna of Dansville. Mrs. J. A. Davidson and Iva and Ami Terrill and family attended the stock-all reduced to a clearance met at the I. O. O. F. hall on Wed- Christmas exercises at the DuBois

> mas with Otto Andrews and family of Ethel Andrews visited her sister,

Mrs. Roy Rae and Mrs. Ami Ter rill and daughter Ina visited Dansville

Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes and family of Onondaga, and Donald Bailey spent Christmas with Frank Osborn

Jeanette Barnes of Onondaga, is Parkhurst's spending the week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Osborne.

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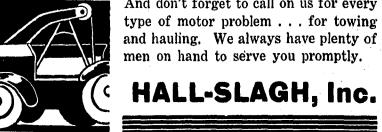
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