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COOPERATIVE HOLDS ANNUAL MEETING

Stockholders Pleased With Annual Reports and Savings on 1947 Purchases.

The stockholders of the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association gathered at the Mentone school building Monday afternoon to attend the annual stockholders' meeting of the cooperative association.

The stockholders were well pleased with the financial reports given and with the savings on purchases to be refunded to the stockholders and patrons.

Savings reported for the year 1947 amounted to \$52,569.65 and is to be distributed on the following ratios: feed department, 5.4%; building material, 4.6%; gasoline, 1.6%; and metal shop 14.8%.

Refund checks and interest on stock to stockholders were distributed at the meeting, and those not in attendance there will receive their checks within the near future. Refunds to non-stockholders will not be available until the fore part of March, when they will be mailed to each patron. There is a large amount of computation necessary to figure the refund for the many cash patrons and clerical help is not available to get it done immediately.)

Three Directors Named.

Three directors were named to fill the vacancies created by the expiring terms of Directors Everett Rathfon, Elmer Dickey and Paul Cook. Rathfon and Dickey were reelected on the first ballot, and on the second ballot Kyle Gibson received a majority of the votes cast.

The voting on the first ballot was as follows:

Everett Rathfon 83.
Elmer Dickey 67.
Kyle Gibson 43.
Paul Cook 26.
Frank Nellans 24.
Charles Hammer 22.

On the second ballot, the voting was as follows:

Kyle Gibson 64.
Frank Nellans 19.
Paul Cook 10.

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IN SERIOUS CONDITION

Jim Gill was taken to the McDonald hospital last Saturday evening after an illness of week following a stroke. He was being cared for at home until his condition became worse and he was unable to take nourishment.

FRACTURES BONE IN FALL

Mrs. J. D. Long fractured a hip and shoulder in a fall on ice Tuesday.

Mrs. Long who is 81 years old, was taken to the Woodlawn hospital in the Johns ambulance.

NUELL

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Nuell, of Warsaw, are the parents of a son, Mark Dee, born at the McDonald hospital last Thursday morning. Mrs. Nuell is the former Iris Seitzer of Palestine.

IN NEW BUILDING

Chet Creakbaum moved into his new building on Tuesday and will do his barbering there from now on.

The new building is of cement block construction and is located just south of the Creakbaum residence.

SOME VERY PERTINENT FACTS.

This issue carries a paid advertisement by the Mentone American Legion Post No. 425 and everyone should read the message they have to present.

WORD FROM FLORIDA

A postal card from Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Nellans, at Tampa Florida, says, "Took a sun bath, only today. It was 76 degrees as we sat on a beach overlooking the Gulf. Enjoying ourselves and hoping it still gets warmer.—Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Nellans."

CLUB CALENDAR

Jolly Janes Home Ec. Club Monday evening, Feb. 9, at the home of Mrs. Helen Mollenhour.

Mentone Home Ec. Club, Feb. 12 at 1:30 at the home of Mrs. Silas Meredith.

Mentone Reading Club Wednesday evening, Feb. 11, at the home of Mrs. Mary Shirey.

War Mothers Wednesday, Feb. 11 at the school building at 7:30. As we were unable to have our election of officers last month, we will have it at this time.

TALMA FARMERS' INSTITUTE NEXT FEB. 12 and 13

The annual Talma Farmers' Institute, scheduled for Thursday and Friday, Feb. 12 and 13, is expected to draw capacity crowds again this year. Committee members have assisted Chairman Donald Pfeiffer, in arranging for one of the best programs to be seen in recent years. Program features include exhibit classes for both juniors and adults in agriculture and home economics, lots of good musical talent



ALBERT FERRIS

and other entertainment, top notch speakers and plenty of good eats.

Special speakers include: Miss Lucetia Saunders, of Indianapolis; Mr. Albert Ferris, of Muncie, and Wayne Guthrie, of Indianapolis.

The Thursday night program features Mari Wise, of Knox, harpist, and a Fort Wayne group: George Troxel, ventriloquist, western folk songs and master of ceremonies; International Dual, skating act; Wolf Family, acrobatic stunts, and Murt and Gert, comedians.

NEW SIGN FOR HATCHERY

The Bryan Poultry Farm is blossoming forth with a new outdoor sign that certainly should attract the attention of anyone. It was designed and built by Arlo Friesner at the Mentone Lumber Company and painted by Harry Meredith.

REPORT ON POLIO DRIVE

Vance Johns, local chairman for the March of Dimes, reports that the total donations will come to around \$300.

The Mentone school responded to the Infantile Paralysis Fund drive in a very fine way. The first and second grades each gave \$6.32, 3rd, \$7.67, 4th, \$7.15, 5th, \$5.00, 6th, 10.38, and 7th to 12th, \$73.16, making a total of \$116.00

PAXTON-BOWSER

On Saturday evening, January 31, at 8:00, Miss Ellen Marie Bowser was united in marriage to Harmon William Paxton. The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. R. A. Fenstermacher in the Methodist parsonage in Akron.

Mrs. Paxton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bowser of R. R. 2, Claypool, while William Paxton will be remembered as a former resident of Mentone, but now resides in Wabash.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lyons of Akron, brother-in-law and sister of the groom, attended the couple.

DON'T MISS THIS BASKET BALL GAME!

The famous "Red Heads" basket ball team will play the Warsaw Legion at 5:30 P. M., Monday February 9, at the Warsaw Armory. The "Red Heads," considered by several experts to be the nation's leading girls' basket ball club, plays men's teams only, and play straight men's rules.

Several of these girls have been featured in two basket ball magazines and in the February 8, 1947 issue of Colliers. The players are Toby McGee, 6 feet, 2 inches, Danny Daniels, 5 feet, 9 inches, Beth Bohannon, 5 feet, 8 inches, Virginia Posey, 6 feet, Ruth Haines, 5 feet, 10 inches, Thelma Cottrell, 5 feet, 6 inches.

The admission charge is 75 cents, including tax, and tickets may be purchased at Wright's Barber Shop, Mentone, and the Legion Home. The game is sponsored by Voiture Locale No. 833, La Societe des 40 Hommes et 8 Chavaux, better known as the county "40 and 8."

Earl (Boonie) Nellans is now at Colorado Springs, Colorado, and states that he hasn't felt so well in 20 years.

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NO CHARGE MADE BY SOCIAL SECURITY EMPLOYEES

"Do not give money to any person who asks for payment to help you get social Security benefits and who says he is an employee of the Social Security Administration," Gerald Kelter, manager of the Elkhart Office of the Social Security Administration, warned today. "If you are entitled to social Security benefits, any Social Security Field Office will help you secure those benefits without charge."

"A Chicago widow paid \$30 just a few weeks ago," Mr. Kelter said, "to a man who told her she could get \$5000 in Social security benefits but that a \$30 fee was required. The stranger said he was the assistant manager of a Social Security Field Office and unfortunately the widow believed him."

"Our employees do call occasionally at the home of widows and other persons in connection with claims for ben-

efits. They may do so, for example, when the person is physically unable to go to the Social Security Field Office. These employees always carry official 'credentials' by which they can be identified, and there is no charge for their services."

"We know of only a few isolated cases of fraud of this kind in connection with Social Security," Mr. Kelter said. "It is punishable by a heavy fine or imprisonment. The public can help to prevent any increase in such cases if they will: (1) Ask to see the 'credentials' or identification card of any person who says he is a Social Security Representative and asks for information; (2) Remember that no charge is made by a bona fide Social Security employee for services in connection with Social Security payments."

Persons living in Elkhart, LaGrange, or Kosciusko counties are serviced by the Elkhart office of the Social Security Administration located in Room 222 of the Equity Building.

Twenty-five cents worth of potatoes will supply 1,625 calories, 364 grams of carbohydrates, and 38 grams of proteins, compared to 247 calories, almost no carbohydrates, and 24.4 grams of proteins in twenty-five cents worth of meat.

HEALTH FACTS FROM YOUR STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

Dental Health

"Early and regular dental care are the most important factors in promoting good dental health," according to Dr. Roy D. Smiley, director, Division of Dental Health, Indiana State Board of Health.

"The child should make his first visit to the dentist when about 2 or 3 years of age," Dr. Smiley pointed out. "At about the age of 6 to 8 months, the front teeth begin to break through the gums and all the primary teeth should be in place by the 20th to 30th

month.

"The first permanent tooth which usually appears at about the age of 6 years is one of the most important teeth in the dental arch," Dr. Smiley said. "This tooth is known as the first molar, often called the six-year molar. A severe dental handicap may be caused by the loss of the molar teeth and few children reach adulthood with all four first molars. No primary tooth is shed to make way for the first permanent molar tooth so it is often difficult for parents to realize that this molar tooth is a permanent tooth."

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One of the best friends a man has in the world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son or daughter that he has reared to manhood or womanhood, with loving care may prove ungrateful. Those who are dearest and nearest to us, and those whom we trust with our happiness and our good name, may become traitors to their faith.

The money that a man has he may lose—it flies away from him, perhaps, when he needs it most.

A man's reputation may be sacrificed in a moment of ill-considered action.

The people who are prone to fall on their knees to do us honor when success is with us may be the first to throw the stone of malice when failure settles the cloud upon our heads.

The one absolutely unselfish friend that a man can have in this selfish world, the one that never deserts him, the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous, is his dog.

A man's dog stands by him in prosperity and poverty; in health and in sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground where the wintry winds blow and the snow drives fiercely, if only he can be near his master's side.

He will kiss the hand that has no food to offer; he will lick the wounds and sores that come in encounters with the roughness of the world. He

guards the sleep of his pauper master, as if he were a prince. When all other friends desert him he remains.

When riches take wings and reputation falls to pieces, he is as constant in his love as the sun in its journey through the heavens.

If fortune drives the master forth an outcast in the world, friendless and homeless, the faithful dog asks no higher privilege than that of accompanying him, to guard against danger and to fight against his enemies.

When the last scene of all comes, and death takes the master in its embrace, and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there by the graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his paws, his eyes sad, but open in alert watchfulness—faithful and true, even in death.

—Henry Whetstone

STATE'S RAINFALL DURING
DECEMBER BELOW NORMAL

Heavy rains and snows during the last day of 1947 failed to bring December precipitation up to normal, according to figures released by the Indiana Department of Conservation.

In Southern counties the total for the month was less than one inch, or two and one-half inches below normal, while the North averaged ap-

proximately 1.5, which is one inch under the average. At the close of the year, things were moving rapidly in the weather bureaus. At Indianapolis 1.8 inches of rain fell during the first seven and one-half hours of 1948. Mean temperature here was calculated at 32.7 degrees, almost two degrees above normal.

Lakes in the Northern counties began to freeze over during the second week of December, and most of them were completely covered with ice by Christmas. The ice averaged approximately four inches thick by January. Ice-covered streams, frozen in November, thawed within a few days and

boasted only intermittent ice in the last month of the year.

Lake levels rose generally—typical of the season—but water levels in observation wells unaffected by pumping showed no consistent trend during December.

The Indiana Department of Conservation, which conducts this survey in cooperation with the U. S. Geological Survey, announced a new index station is being constructed in the Northern area, since it was decided the St. Mary's River station is not representative because of the diversion from Lake St. Mary's.

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Aid in solving those farm ownership problems can be found in well-prepared agreements and contracts. Copies of three working agreements and four rental contracts, which provide a basis for farm laborer agreements ranging from a simple part-time arrangement to the most ex-

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LOCAL NEWS

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Shelby Scott and son. They also made a trip through the Southern states. They reported lots of ice and snow. Mrs. Boice was formerly Miss Charlene Latham.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blackburn and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Blackburn and family, at LaPorte.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Valentine and son Marlin left Friday for 10 days in Fla.

Mrs. Richard Greulich is much improved after a recent heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Jones and son Kenneth left the first of the week for a vacation in Texas and other southwestern states.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Cooper attended the Merchandise Fair in Chicago on Tuesday and Wednesday of this week.

Merl Wilson was able to return home last Friday after spending ten days in the McDonald hospital following a herniotomy.

NEW STORE HOURS: Sundays, open 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. Not open in evening. Denton's Drug Store, Mentone.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Fenstermaker and daughter left for New Orleans, Louisiana, on Wednesday afternoon for a vacation trip.

John Lutes was able to be moved to the home of his parents in Atwood on Sunday. He was taken to the Woodlawn hospital last Wednesday morning.

IMPORTANT SCHOOL DATES 1948-49

The county board of education met last Friday in Warsaw and made out a calendar for the 1948-49 terms of school.

Labor Day comes late next fall, so organization day will come on Friday, September 3, and the first day of classes on Tuesday, September 7.

Eight and one-half month schools will close on May 13, 1949, and nine-month schools will close on May 27.

Christmas vacation next year will start on December 21, after the close of classes. School will open again on Monday, January 3.

There will be no classes the day after

Thanksgiving, Friday, November 26. This additional holiday will be made up on December 20, and the day of school on December 21 will make up for the day off during the county basketball tourney in January, 1949.

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HOOSIERS ADVISED AGAINST PLANTING AMERICAN ELMS

Don't plant American elms, is the advice of Indiana Department of Conservation officials.

Failure to eliminate the deadly Dutch elm disease has generated the

belief of Frank Wallace, State Entomologist, that the stately, popular American elm tree is doomed. Wallace said this opinion is shared by federal officials.

Although many of these trees may thrive in Indiana for several years, Wallace predicted that the American elm eventually will go out like the American chestnut tree which practically has become extinct in Indiana.

The Dutch elm disease, said to have been brought to the United States on logs shipped in from England, first was discovered in Indiana in 1934. This disease now is more prevalent in Indianapolis and vicinity, but it gradually is moving over the entire state.

Hundreds of American elm trees have been cut and burned in an attempt to eradicate the fatal disease in Indiana but these efforts have been in vain. There apparently is no hope of halting this blight and saving the species, Wallace said. He added, however, that the Chinese elm is resistant to this particular disease.

The Federal Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine in Washington, D. C., has withdrawn its quarantine and admitted failure in the effort to save the American elm. Wallace said the state's Division of Entomology is making a survey in Indiana in an effort to learn how fast the Dutch elm disease will spread after control has been removed.

Eventual destruction of the American elm not only will deprive Hoosiers of one of their popular shade trees but it will also entail a heavy cost on municipalities and property owners for the removal of dead trees, it was pointed out.

MARSHALL PLAN COSTS IN KOSCIUSKO COUNTY

Indiana taxpayers must dig into their pockets for \$1,069,849,410 to pay their proportionate share of foreign aid, Senator William E. Jenner revealed in figures inserted in the Congressional Record.

This figure includes all foreign relief grants for the two year period ending June 30, 1947, plus aid proposed under the so-called Marshall Plan.

"One billion dollars is difficult for the average person to fathom," Senator Jenner said, adding in the Congressional Record a breakdown of figures showing the cost to Hoosier taxpayers and the total cost for each of the ninety-two counties and for each city of 1000 population or more.

"I have had prepared figures showing that Indiana's share of the cost of United States foreign aid granted for the two-year period ended last June 30, plus aid proposed under the Marshall plan, totals approximately \$1,069,849,410.

What does this mean in tax terms that Hoosiers can readily understand? It means that the presently estimated foreign aid program for this period is equal to seven and one-half times

the total of all property and poll taxes levied in Indiana for collection in 1947, for support of township, town, city, county and state governments.

Figures for Kosciusko county follow: share of cost of foreign aid, July 1, 1945 to June 30, 1947: County, \$5,409,663; share of cost of foreign aid program under Marshall plan: county, \$3,816,621; Share of cost of total foreign aid provided and proposed (for six and state property taxes levied, 1946, and state property taxes levied, 1947, payable 1947: county, \$1,076,593; number of years required to pay share of foreign aid with property taxes, county 8.6.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Firkins returned last Thursday from a three weeks vacation in Florida. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Nisbet, of Earlville, Illinois, made the trip with them.

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Hoosier 4-H Club members will join in meeting the national goal of 20,000,000 "freedom gardens" this year, just as they have contributed to food production through gardens in previous years. The garden club is the largest of all 4-H agricultural projects in the nation. More than 7,000 boys and girls helped in producing food in 1947.

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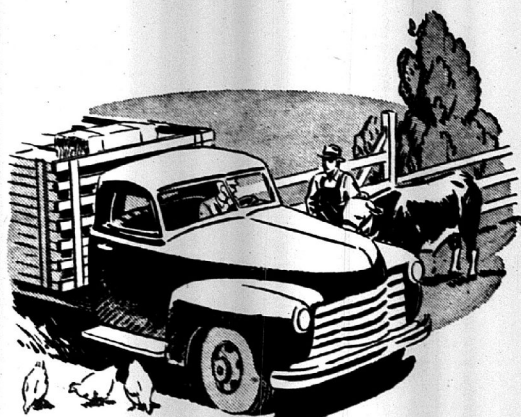
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Members of the American Legion have an investment of toil, hardship, blood, and battlefield horrors in the American way of life represented by their wartime services. They don't want those sacrifices lost. They know the cost of their liberties.

Legionnaires also discovered at first hand, through comparisons made with their own eyes abroad, that there is nothing in the world comparable with the American way of life. They have achieved a real appreciation of American blessings the hard way. They know there is only one luxurious way of life in the world, and that is the free American way.

Because of these personal "discoveries in Americanism," which Legionnaires have made in their wartime services, they have become adamant against the efforts of all foreign evangelists to beguile American citizens into swapping their cherished birthright of freedoms for any mess of imported philosophies of life and government.

The American Legion launched a militant campaign against all subversive activities early in its history, because it saw that the exponents of foreign "isms" were determined to force their pernicious doctrines on this country by force and violence, if need be. They realized that these preachers of imported brands of living made deceit and lies their major weapons, and that some misguided and shallow-thinking Americans were falling for this deception.

MENTONE POST No. 425

THE AMERICAN LEGION1st & 3rd
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8 P. M.**STATE READYING PLANS TO
START WORK AT SHADES**

The State Department of Conservation's general policy of "doing everything to make the state parks beneficial to the most people" will be applied to the Shades, if success crowns the current campaign to acquire and develop this beautiful timber tract as Indiana's 15th state park.

John H. Nigh, state Conservation director, said his department plans to start immediate improvement work at the Shades upon the conversion of this historic wooded area into a state park.

"We are trying to do everything to make our state parks beneficial to the most people," Nigh added, "especially persons who can't afford expensive vacations. Naturally, we will apply this same policy to the Shade after the state has acquired this property for park purposes."

A low-cost family cabin program for the Shades, advocated by Governor Gates, is on the Conservation Department's agenda.

These cabins, containing cooking facilities, are large enough to accommodate the average family, and the rental price will be within the reach of low-income families. This arrangement will enable families to spend vacations as a group and on a modest budget.

Eight or ten family-use cabins are to be erected this spring at McCormick's Creek State Park.

Installation of several facilities will be necessary at the Shades, however, before cabins are built there.

Kenneth R. Cougill, state director of parks, pointed out that the Conservation Department's first improvements at the Shades will include construction of roads and a water and sewer system there.

Erection of family cabins and youth-group camp facilities will follow completion of the immediately-needed accommodations, according to the department's plans.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our darling baby who passed away Feb. 3, 1943.

Five years have passed since that sad day,

When the one we loved was called away;

Sincere and true in heart and mind, Beautiful memories he left behind.

There is a link that death cannot sever,

Love and remembrance last forever.

And while he lies in peaceful sleep,

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TOWNSHIP NEWS

(Last Week's Items)

Mrs. Vera Rader of Rochester is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Loren Kramer.



HOWDY FOLKS: Read in the paper last week that Bill Brown had fallen off a horse and broken his leg. Yesterday I saw Bill walking down the street—good as new. Guess he hadn't read the paper yet.

We got a real estate man in town that's the smoothest salesman in town. The other day he had a city fellow in his car showing him the town. They drove up Main Street and the salesman asks, "See that big building on your left over there?" City fellow says yes. Salesman says, "That was on our right when we drove down Main St., wasn't it?" Fellow says yes again. Then the real estate man says, "That gives you an idea of how fast things change around here."

Luckiest guy in the world says he'd rather play cards with the worst kind of bad loser in town than any kind of a winner.

No joking folks, we give your car the best possible service to keep it in tip top running shape for this winter weather. Bring it in to us today.



CO-OP. OIL STATION

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Green and Mrs. Paul Scott attended the Talma Hickories basket ball game at Mentone Wednesday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. Donald Koontz and family of Bourbon were supper guests Wednesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Thurlie Alber.

The two children of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wenger are confined to their home on account of illness.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McGowan and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Duzan attended the Talma Hickories and the Mentone Bull Dogs basket ball game at Mentone Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Walters have left for a motor trip to Florida, where they will spend some time.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Montgomery and Lavo were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Biakely at their home at Lake Manitou.

Mrs. Charley Green, who has been confined to her home because of illness, is slowly improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Long of Niles, Michigan, spent Sunday here as the guests of his parents Mr. and Mrs. Jay Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Kramer spent Sunday as guests of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lowe, near Rochester.

The following sports fans accompanied the Talma Hickories basket ball team to Mentone Wednesday evening, where they met the Mentone Bull Dogs: Mr. and Mrs. Ed Staldine, Mr. and Mrs. Elgie Vandermark, Mr. and Mrs. Lester White and daughter Lola Mae, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Haimbaugh, Mrs. Harold Walters and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Partridge and family, Charles Horn, Charles Good, Don Pfeiffer, Harold Long and Miss Mary Louise Green, Skip Johnson and Miss Bonnie Jean Hubbard, Bob Green and lady friend, Clifford Morris and lady friend, Raymond Kalmbacher of Rochester and Lavo Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fenetemaker of Mentone called on their cousin, Mrs. O. C. Montgomery Friday afternoon.

Miss Dorothy Meiser has returned to her home after spending some time in Florida on a sight seeing trip.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Busenberg and sons spent Wednesday evening in Mentone.

Roy Dale Calvert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calvert, has been confined to his home by an attack of flu.

Lavo Montgomery spent Wednesday afternoon in Mentone.

Gene Overmyer, Joe Good and Leonard Staldine spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

Mrs. Paul Scott was assisting at the Green Lunch Room Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verdie Brockey were Sunday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove.

Don't forget the Newcastle Township Institute to be held on February 12 and 13 at the Talma High School building.

Clair Jones has been confined to his home by an attack of flu.

Sonny Green, who injured his knee

while playing basket ball recently, is improving at this time.

Miss Bonnie Jean Hubbard spent the week end as guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hubbard near Tiosa.

Mrs. Omer Holloway spent Sunday in Gary as a guest of her mother.

Elza Thompson spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

Loren Kramer and Thurlie Alber are putting new kitchen cabinets in the Talma Methodist church.

Clifford Morris is employed at the Paul Scott Body Shop.

Mrs. Lee Sheets called on Miss Alice Haines Monday evening.

Mrs. Delbert Hunter and Mrs. Kermit Biddinger have returned home after a business trip to Illinois.

Mrs. Dorris Holloway who underwent major surgery at Woodlawn hospital recently, is getting along as well as can be expected.

Trustee Charley Green was a business visitor in Rochester Friday.

Mrs. Della Emmons is spending some time with her daughter, Mrs. Olin Wagoner.

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ROYAL NEIGHBORS

The Royal Neighbors held their installation of officers in the home of Mrs. Katherine Teel Tuesday evening, with Mary Goodwin as installing officer. The following officers were installed: Oracle, Helen Mollenhour; Vice Oracle, Mae Borton; Chancellor, Lydia Rynearson; Recorder, Mary Teel; Receiver, Snowden Holterman; Manager, Georgia Teel.

There was also a shower given in honor of Patty Stutzman, who was recently married. She received many beautiful gifts. After the gifts were opened, Bunco was played, with first prize going to Lillian Witham, second to Mary Borton, third to Lulu Wise. The Guests were Lulu Wise and Delta Miller. Delicious refreshments of hot tenderloin sandwiches, pickles, pear salad and coffee were served by the hostess and her assistants.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, March 2, at the home of Mrs. Emma Cook.

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PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm, I am holding a sale two miles north of Akron, first house west on state road 19, six miles south of Mentone, 8 1/4 miles west of Silver Lake on the Clayton farm.

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Twenty head of shoats, approximately 100 pounds. Five gilts to farrow soon.

FARM IMPLEMENTS AND MISCELLANEOUS

One McCormick-Deering manure spreader, good; rubber tired wagon; 1 one-row corn plow, like new; 5-foot mower; corn sheller; spike tooth harrow; one set of dump boards; small cultivator; 130 cedar fence posts and some other posts; platform scales; shovels; forks and small tools; lard press; 2 sets of harness; 1 two-wheel cart; chicken feeders and waterers; weed burner; 1 oil burning tank heater; 60 feet garden hose; 1 fence stretcher, a good one; electric fence charger; five 50-gallon empty drums; post hole digger; barb wire; woven fence; 1 fifty-gallon cooker; 1 1/2 horse power motor, electric; 1 dump hay rack; some used lumber, 1x8 and 2x4.

Beauty gas range complete with fittings; 1 metal cupboard; safe-way oil burner; writing desk; davenport and chair; studio couch; General Electric sun lamp; Speed Queen washer; 1 Norge electric hot water heater, 52 gallons, new, never used; air tight heater; 40 feet of pipe and many other articles.

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FOR SALE—New 2-wheel trailer, with stock rack. Lawrence Elick, Mentone. F11p

VALENTINE—Candies, Greetings and Party supplies. Coopers' Store.

WANTED: A crib baby sized bed.—Phone 2362, Tippecanoe.

FOR SALE—A few Duroc male hogs, wt. around 190 lbs. Milo Swihart, 3 mi. northeast Tippecanoe. F11

WANTED—28" x 68" wooden door, varnished or unfinished. Truman Long. 1p

FOR SALE—1931 Chevrolet coach, good rubber. Bent Julian, Sevastopol. 1p

WANTED—Evaporator and buckets. Ralph Montel, Silver Lake. 1p

MENS—Coveralls, overalls, jackets and other clothing. Coopers' Store.

FOR SALE—Home grown Grimm alfalfa seed. Priced reasonably. Artie Miller, Mentone R. R. 1. F4p

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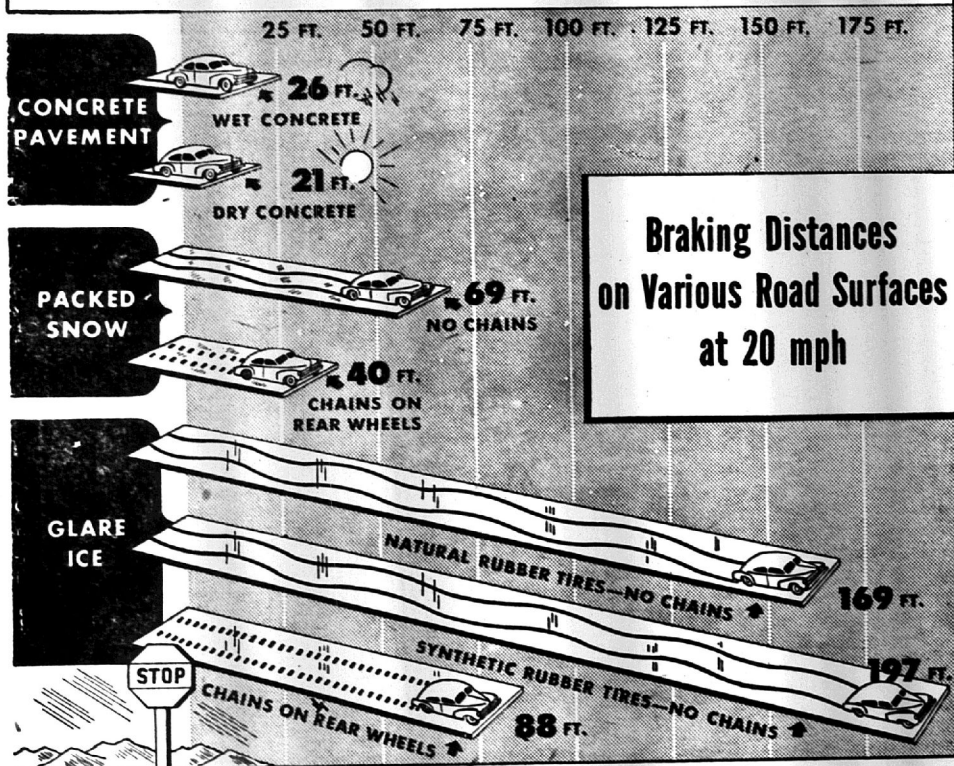
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FOR SALE: Green and white enamel range; 3 burner Perfection oil stove, cheap, used only a short time; day bed; porch swing; dining room table, 4 chairs and buffet; library table; good Atwater-Kent radio.—Mrs. George Heckaman, 409 Broadway, Mentone. (1p)

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FOR SALE: Duncan Phyfe dining table and 4 chairs, only 4 years old. Priced reasonably.—Ora McKinley.

INVITATION TO LIVE—THIS WINTER



New winter accident facts, based on research and tests by National Safety Council, reveal alarming increase of skidding and poor visibility crashes during snowy, icy weather. Authorities urge equalized brakes, using tire chains, windshield wipers, defrosters, good lights and lower speeds to minimize the added seasonal hazards of inadequate stop-and-go traction on snow or ice and reduced visibility.

FARM GROUPS INTERESTED IN SOCIAL SECURITY CHANGES

"Six million farm operators in this country have an interest in old-age and survivors insurance," Gerald Kelter, manager of the Elkhart Office of the Social Security Administration announced. "Many of them already are partly in the system because they work in industry for short periods of time, and pay premiums into the fund in form of social security deductions."

As a result of this personal interest in the program, the National Farm Groups are taking an active interest in the proposed changes of the present Social Security program.

These farm groups are of course interested in these proposed changes because of the effect such changes may have on their individual members. Individual farmers are interested because of their personal stake in the program. Lively interest has been shown recently by all farm groups in the over-all social security program.

Farm operators and farm hands who are 65 or over and who have worked at all in industry or commerce are invited to inquire about their own individual rights under the social security program by contacting the Elkhart Field Office in Room 222 of the Equity Building, either by mail or in person. "If a farm operator or farm hand worked in industry or commerce, and has died, his survivors should contact the Elkhart Office to see whether benefits might be payable," Mr. Kelter explained.

Mrs. Amanda Inus, of Tippecanoe, remains very ill with a cold and is confined to her bed and not able to be up and around as reported last week.

Calling all outdoorsmen

By JIM MITCHELL

At the risk of being bombarded with verbal brickbats—and maybe the real thing, too—we'd like to put in our two-cents worth about upland game bird hatcheries. We don't believe that hatcheries are the answer in better gunning, and endorse the reasoning that if the same money expended on hatcheries was spent in improving the habitat we'd have more birds. Give the pheasants or quail or grouse a better habitat, more food, and a little protection, and natural propagation will take care of the rest.

Too many young birds taken from pens into a wild habitat fail to get by the weather and other elements that annually take a huge toll. And when you figure that the cost of thousands of birds against only a few hundred that fall to hunters' guns, the cost is almost prohibitive.

"Back to the land" might be a slogan worth following, with "hatchery" funds directed towards better farmer-sportsman cooperation, establishing feed patches and protective cover and improved farming policies.

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animal is the best swimmer? We'll name the polar bear; they've been seen swimming as far as 200 miles from land in the open ocean... The oldest recognized record for a fresh-water fish is the yellow perch. Back in 1867 Mr. C. C. Abbott caught one that weighed 4 pounds, 3 1/2 ounces and it stands today as the tops for the species.

A GOOD SPORTSMAN: Most hunters come under the classification of "good sportsman" and it is only a few whose acts give a black eye to the hunting fraternity. A "good sportsman" makes these rules as much a part of his gear as the rifle or shotgun:

- 1—Observes the game laws and assists in their enforcement.
- 2—Is careful and does not jeopardize the life of others.
- 3—Does not leave a wounded animal in the woods to die.
- 4—Does not waste wild meat.
- 5—Respects the rights, privileges and property of others.
- 6—Does not let his match, campfire, or warming fire start a blaze and thus destroy the homes of our wildlife.
- 7—Leaves a clean camp and a dead fire.

MRS. MARTHA IRWIN ENTERTAINS METHODIST LADIES

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met at the home of Mrs. Martha Irwin on Friday evening, January 28th.

Following the business meeting, conducted by the president, Mrs. Zoa Ward, the THEME for 1948—"That Thy Way May be Known Upon Earth" was discussed By Mrs. Arvilla Van Gilder, after which the Theme Hymn "The World's Astir!" was sung in unison.

Mrs. Ruth Urschel read the Theme Scripture, the 67th Psalm, and as Devotional Leader gave an interesting talk based on this scripture, using "Thy Saving Health" as her topic.

This being the first meeting of the year, the president, as leader in presenting a program of Faith and Dedication suggested a pause to take a "check" on things. As several members of the society and other local officers gave them, Mrs. Trella Tombaugh listed "Assets" and "Liabilities" on a blackboard for the group to see and evaluate.

After the benediction hymn, a period of fellowship was enjoyed as refreshments were served by the assisting hostesses: Mrs. Stella Emmons, Mrs. Effie Personett, Mrs. Neva Carper and Mrs. Miriam Shinn.

The next meeting is to be held with Mrs. Helen Mollenhour on Wednesday, February 25th.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

We will hold a penny supper in the basement of the Methodist church, starting at five o'clock, Saturday evening, February 7. Everyone invited. Come and eat with us.

YOUTH FELLOWSHIP

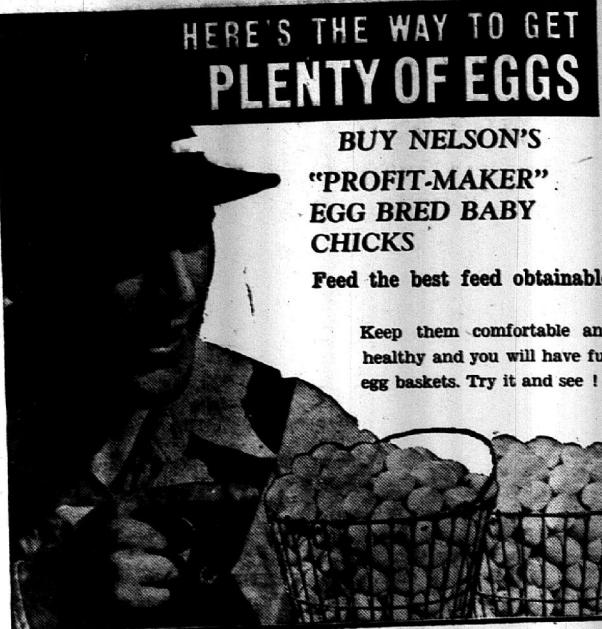
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Every student of church history is fully aware that infant baptism has, with very few exceptions, been practiced in the Church from apostolic times. In order that we may fully (not partially) understand what the Scriptures teach we must start with some basic propositions. What is the nature of baptism?

It is the initiatory rite into the New Testament Church, and is a sign and seal of that spiritual covenant to which aforetime circumcision had stood thus related. As a sign, it represents the poured out and cleansing influences of the Holy Spirit, which constitute the great promise of the Christian dispensation. And as a seal, it is on God's part a visible assurance of His faithfulness to His covenant stipulations; and on our part a pledge by which we make ourselves parties to the covenant, promising to fulfill its conditions, and claiming our right of inheritance in its truth, mercies, and hopes.

WHO ARE THE PROPER SUBJECTS OF BAPTISM?

It is clear from the whole of the New Testament, and it is not disputed, that Christian baptism, when administered to adults, ought to follow their repentance and confession of faith. Such is now the practice of all sections of the Christian Church in non-Christian lands, where persons are in the position of the first converts. Upon their professing Christ and becoming Christians, now, as in the days of the Apostles, we say, Believe, and be baptised." We believe that the children of Christian parents are also entitled to this sacrament, and that those thus baptised in infancy should not necessarily again be baptised when they become adults.

From the commencement of the Abrahamic covenant to the subversion of the Jewish nation, infants, by the appointment of God, were admitted to a share of its benefits, and therefore received circumcision as its sacramental sign and seal (Gen. 17:10-13). Being circumcised, they were placed under covenant with God, and thus frequent renewal were openly acknowledged as under the bond, and entitled to the privileges of the covenant (Deut. 29:10-13; Josh. 8:35; II Chron. 20:13). They were made, and acknowledged to be, part of the Church of God, the children of God by adoption, and graciously entitled to take God as their God. (To be continued).

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The Talma Basketball boys were given a free airplane ride Sunday by Frank Meredith in his Aeronca plane. The ride was given to the boys for their winning ability over Mentone.

"A BOOK OF ART"

I have a beautiful painting
It's stored in my memory book,
And as I open its pages,
I bid you take a look.

Some pages are bright with color
While others are stained with tears
Others are finger printed
And a few are dark with fears.

This book of beautiful paintings
I treasure it with loving care
For it's a fifty-five year record
Of my grandparents life, to share.

I know that God is keeping
Each painting filed away.
For He likes beautiful paintings
He's proven it every day.

Fifty-five years in colors
Fifty-five years of toil
Each page a painting of beauty
I must handle with care and not soil.

Here's a page I love most dearly
Four little girls are painted there.
When left without home, as orphans
"Come Unto Me," Our home and love
we'll share.

Just one little page from life's paint-
ings
A door with a "Welcome" sign
It opens and bids us enter
To see what we can find.

Some pages are blurred with age
Some are as bright as a gem
But wait!! it says—"To be continued"
So by far it's not the end.

Happy fifty-fifth Wedding Annivers-
ary
To two people I hold most dear
I must close my book of memory
paintings
To be opened again next year.

In loving remembrance of my grand-
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Classes for all ages, including a nursery for the babies.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Young People's Fellowship 6:30 p.m.
Nellie Christian, President.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Informal Gospel and Song Service.
Thursday Evening 8:00 p.m.
Prayer and Bible Study.

We are here not be ministered unto but to minister. May we be of help to you?

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Mentone, Indiana

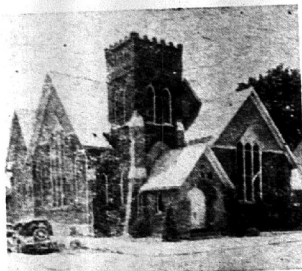
Lloyd A. Boyll, Minister

Sunday—
Bible Classes 9:30
Morning Worship 10:30
Evening Service 7:30
Thursday, Bible Study 7:30
February 12, Old Testament Studies.
Lesson 24: "In Babylonian Captivity".
References: Daniel 1: to 6:22; Jeremiah 29: and Psalms 137:.
"Come thou with us, and we will do thee good" (Num. 10:29).

METHODIST CHURCH

Mentone, Ind.

Elizabeth Blue, Church Secretary
D. L. Bunner, Church Treasurer



Promptness and faithfulness will bring success.
Unified Service 10:00 A. M.
(Worship and Study)

OUR CHURCH DOOR

To all who mourn and need comfort, to all who are tired and need rest, to all who are friendless and want friendship, to all who are lonely and want companionship, to all who are homeless and want sheltering love, to all who pray and to all who do not but ought, to all who sin and need a Saviour, the Mentone Methodist church opens wide its doors and in the name of Jesus the Lord, bids you Welcome.

TIPPECANOE METHODIST CHURCH
E. E. De Witt, Pastor
C. C. Sarber S. S. Superintendent

The Sunday School at 9:30.
The Worship at 10:30.
We invite you to all of our services.



"Now we know that God heareth not sinners: but if any man be a worshipper of God and doeth his will, him he heareth.

—John 9:31

YOU CANNOT FIND IT!

In the days of the apostles (and for hundreds of years thereafter according to history) the church did not employ instrumental music in worship. They just sang as the Bible directs. (Col. 3:16; Eph. 5:19). Start searching in the New Testament for an example of the church using instrumental music in worship. It isn't there. They simply didn't use it.

Martin Luther said: "The organ in worship is an ensign of Baal" and John Wesley said: "I have no opposition to the organ in our chapel provided it is neither seen nor heard." Adam Clarke, a distinguished Methodist scholar made the following statement: "I am an old man, and an old minister; and I here declare that I never knew them (musical instruments) productive of any good in the worship of God; and have had reason to believe that they were productive of much evil. Music as a science, I esteem and admire; but instruments of music in the house of God I abominate and abhor."

Where in the New Testament does it authorize us to use instrumental music in our worship? You cannot find it. Churches of Christ are endeavoring to do only what the Lord has authorized in the New Testament. It is truly our rule of faith and practice. Will you make it yours?

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Morning worship, 10:30.
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MANY DRIVERS HAVE DEFECTIVE NIGHT VISION

More than two-thirds of all traffic fatalities occur after dark during the winter season of shortened daylight hours, Charles M. Hayes, president of the Chicago Motor Club, reported to-

day.

Although the increased flow of traffic during the extended period of darkness is an important factor, Chicago Motor Club tests administered to students of driver training in high schools also disclose that many drivers with good daylight vision have defective night vision, the motor club executive said.

Many motorists are abnormally vulnerable to headlight glare and are slow in their vision recovery from glare, the tests indicate. Observations also indicate that the normal driver overdrives his headlights, at speeds exceeding his visibility and stopping range under conditions of night traffic.

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SPORTS NEWS

By Rosco Davis

Mentone upset Beaver Dam by a score of 45-29. It was a close game in the first quarter and then Mentone pulled ahead in the second quarter and was never headed. Junior had the high score for the evening with 14 points, with Bowser and Butts getting 13 each.

Scoring

	Last Game	Total
Bowser	13	216
Emmons	14	127
Molebash	8	92
F. Dunnuck	9	87
Johns	4	76

Free Throws

	Last Game	Total
Grubbs	0-0	4-4
Cooper	0-0	1-1
Molebash	4-5	26-51
Bowser	3-5	50-86
Vandermark	1-2	18-35
K. Dunnuck	4-6	17-33

Predictions

My predictions raised to .779. Predictions for this week are as follows:

TUESDAY—

Etna Green over Tippecanoe.

WEDNESDAY—

Milford over LaPaz

Beaver Dam over Atwood (at Mentone.)

Silver Lake over Pierceton.

FRIDAY—

Akron over Mentone.

Warsaw over Bluffton.

Silver Lake over Sidney

Claypool over Burket

Etna Green over Syracuse

Chester over Pierceton

No. Webster over Leesburg

SATURDAY—

Silent Hoosiers of Indianapolis over Claypool.

IN CHICAGO HOSPITAL

Friends will be happy to know that John Knecht is recuperating nicely following an operation performed last Saturday. At that time a cyst was removed from the base of the spinal column. He has also been receiving injections to explode fatty tumors on the spinal column.

The real reason for the Knechts' return from China was to enable John to receive skilled treatment for a kidney infection, which is still under observation and tests.

It is planned to bring the patient home Monday.

Friends may write to John at the following address:

John Knecht
Room 429
Presbyterian Hospital
1735 West Congress
Chicago, Illinois

"OUTDOOR INDIANA" SEEKS WAY TO END THE BIG DEER PROBLEM

Indiana has "run headlong into a grade A deer problem," according to the February issue of "Outdoor Indiana," published this week.

The Indiana Department of Conservation's official publication features an article by John M. Allen, a wildlife research expert who has devoted years to the study of the white-tailed deer. Allen points out that the deer population in Indiana has increased from zero in 1934 to 4,000 in December, 1947, with a new crop of fawns due within three months. After a doe produces her

first fawn, she usually delivers twins thereafter, so the deer, "Indiana's problem child," may soon get out of hand.

There are three possible paths for state authorities to follow, the author contends:

(1) "We can imitate the ostrich and ignore the problem."

(2) "... pay farmers for damage to their crops."

(3) "... open season."

Allen obtained statistics from other states indicating strongly that crop damage payments are not advisable,

which leaves the open season as the only alternative. "Admittedly this solution is oversimplified," Allen writes, but he feels something must be done to ease the pain for farmers, and he has plenty of supporters in Southern Indiana, where the white-tail is the thickest.

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**HARLAND M. RAILSBACK IS
VICTIM OF HEART ATTACK**

Harland M. Railsback, 74, life resident of Marshall county, died Thursday afternoon at 3:30 at his home west of Talma on the county line. He suffered a heart attack about an hour before his death.

Born November 29, 1873, Mr. Railsback was the son of David and Laura-da Railsback. On April 14, 1896, he married Gertrude Warren, who survives. He was a farmer all his life, and was a member of the Church of God on North Michigan Street in Argos.

Other survivors are two daughters; Mrs. Telma Billett of Indianapolis and Mrs. Muriel Snyder of Kalamazoo, Michigan; a son, Donal, at home; a sister, Mrs. Mott Swihart of near Argos; two brothers, Charles of Los Angeles, and John of Charleston, Illinois; and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Grossman Funeral Home in Argos at 2:00, by the Rev. Ernest Treber. Burial was made in the Reister cemetery.

**FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME
ECONOMICS CLUB MEETS**

Mrs. Ernest Studebaker Thursday afternoon at 1:30, entertained the Friendly Neighbors Home Economics Club.

The meeting was opened by singing America, The Beautiful. A meditation was given by Mrs. Studebaker of George Washington's Vision. History of the song, Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes, was read by Mrs. Corlyss LeCount. A report was given in story form by the president, Mrs. Frank Hudson, on her trip to Purdue January 2. A collection was taken for contribution to the March of Dimes. Delicious refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Gerald Ballenger, Chester Ballenger, Everett Rookstool, Ernest Studebaker, William Hudson, Glen Snyder, Everett Beeson, Oral Welch, Frank Hudson, Alden Jones, Corlyss LeCount, Kenneth Drudge.

CLUB CALENDAR

Lions Club. The regular meeting has been cancelled.

Mentone Home Economics Club. The regular February meeting has been cancelled.

HEAVY DAMAGE IN BLAZE

A two hour fire at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wenger near Talma resulted in \$1200 damage Thursday afternoon.

The Rochester rural fire department answered the first alarm at 2:00 and at 2:15 a second alarm was sent to the Mentone fire company, which made the run to help fight the fire. Cause of the blaze was a chimney spark on the roof. Nearly all of the household goods were removed from the house.

Mr. Wenger said the loss was fully covered by insurance. Mr. and Mrs. Wenger are making their home for the present at the home of her brother, George Coplen.

**NORMA JEAN NELLANS IS
WINNER IN D.A.R. CONTEST**

Norma Jean Nellans, daughter of Dean Nellans, was selected by the judges as winner of the Good Citizenship Pilgrimage for Kosciusko county.

Norma Jean is a senior in the Mentone high school, and in winning the county award becomes one of the 99 county D. A. R. winners. Of these, one will be chosen to represent the state at the National D. A. R. convention in Washington this spring.

Mrs. Walter Fenstermaker is regent of the local Anthony Nigo Chapter of the D. A. R. and Mrs. John Beall, of Terre Haute, is state D. A. R. chairman in charge of the Good Citizenship contest.

HOME FROM JAPAN

Glen Blue arrived home Sunday after a year in Japan with the U. S. army.

Glen called home folks from California last Thursday, so his arrival wasn't a surprise.

JOLLY JANES HOME EC CLUB

The Jolly Janes Home Economics Club met at the home of Mrs. George Mollenhour on Monday evening.

Meditations were given by Mrs. Raymond Cooper. Following the business meeting, which was conducted by the president, Mrs. Harold Utter, a lesson on Pressure Cookers was given by Mrs. Wayne Bowser.

The assisting hostess was Mrs. John Ellsworth.

BAN ON ALL PUBLIC MEETINGS

Dr. T. S. Schultdt, county health officer, has asked that all public meetings including theatres and churches, be cancelled. This move was made as precaution against the spread of hemorrhagic smallpox, following the sudden death of Roy O'Connell, Pierceton farmer, last Wednesday from this rare disease.

So far, this is the only case. Students in the various schools, who have not been vaccinated for smallpox within the past five years, are being asked to take the vaccinations.

The Mentone ministers announce that they have cancelled their Sunday services, and also the Baptist minister, Rev. Mason, states that there will be no prayer meeting this Thursday evening.

Your editor has always been highly in favor of any move to prevent the spread of any disease, and there have been times in the past when we were practically tearing our hair out and wondering why the health authorities didn't take some action. Smallpox is a terrible disease—a fact which experience rather indelibly stamped in my mind—and every precaution should be taken to protect every citizen. However, peculiar circumstances appear to be mingled with the present activity. We're always glad to assist in any just, reasonable and worthy endeavor, political or otherwise, but time alone will reveal whether or not the question mark in the present affair is a fact or a mirage.

FIRESTONE—HISCUTT

A pretty wedding at the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. E. DeWitt on last Friday evening at 8:30, united Harry James Firestone of Larwill, Indiana, and Miss Janis Wilda Hiscutt of Columbia City, Indiana. Special guests of the evening were the mothers of the couple, and Miss Phyllis Firestone, a sister of the groom. The young people both have positions in Columbia City and plan to make their home in Larwill.

NEW BAKERY DEPARTMENT

Smith's IGA store has recently installed facilities to handle fresh baked goods on Saturdays and elsewhere in this issue will be found an advertisement listing the opening day's specials.

**CHILD REMAINS IN
CRITICAL CONDITION**

Henry Lockridge was in the office Wednesday noon and gave us some information about their youngest daughter, Rita.

Rita, who is 3½ years old, was taken to the Riley hospital Saturday evening after being stricken suddenly on Friday evening. Her illness was diagnosed as influenza meningitis. When taken to the hospital the small patient was unconscious and was running a temperature. She was placed in the isolation ward. Mrs. Lockridge and Marjorie are with her.

Although Rita is now conscious, eats some, and has no temperature, the doctor told Henry not to build up too much optimism as she is still in a critical condition.

**COUNTY MEN HONORED
BY SEED CORN COMPANY**

Samuel Norris of Mentone attended a state Awards Banquet at the Claypool Hotel in Indianapolis on Wednesday, January 28. Awards were made to the four farmers of each county who had the highest yields of corn in the national DeKalb Selected 51Acre Corn Growing contest for 1947. The following Kosciusko county men were honored for their yields with DeKalb corn. Ralph Montel, Percy Swick, Charles G. Reck, Vern Hazen.

The state champion was I. A. Whitlatch from Milan, Indiana. His yield was calculated at 128.8 bushels with DeKalb Hybrid 638. The national winner of the 1947 contest was Harold Lenhardt, Fort Morgan, Colorado. The national champion's field was irrigated and his yield was 165.84 bushels with DeKalb 410.

Dr. R. R. St. John of Champaign, Illinois, corn breeder for the central and southern corn belt, delivered the main address. Dr. St. John was for many years one of the outstanding hybrid corn breeders at Purdue University.

ROMINE

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SOIL STRUCTURE

Spring floods and summer drouth in 1947 showed Midwestern farmers the advantage of soils that have good physical structure, asserts Dr. N. J. Volk, associate director of the Purdue University agricultural experiment station at Lafayette. Where crop rotations held high the organic matter returned to the soil, rains soaked in quickly and a minimum ran-off. These soils, because of their improved structure, held water that cut down the effect of the midsummer drouth.

On soil that was poor in structure and tight, the water ponded or ran off,

carrying with it valuable top soil. When drouth struck, these soils had little water reserves to tide over the crops growing on them.

Year in and year out, says Dr. Volk, soils that are well managed to maintain organic matter will give higher and more profitable yields than soils that are mined of their organic matter and are tight and hard to work. And in years of unfavorable weather, such as 1947, the difference is wider in favor of soils with good structure.

If farmers are to improve the structure and tilth of their soils they must grow more pasture and forage crops, especially the tap-rooted legumes, al-

falfa and sweet clover, asserts Dr. Volk. These tap-rooted legumes, grown with grasses, will open the soils as deep as two feet or more adding organic matter which improves the soil structure, making possible the more efficient use of the fertilizers that are available.

The organic matter from the grasses and legumes will loosen the soil and provide space for water to soak in and through it. With its structure improved, the soil will soak up and hold more water for use of crops during periods of light rainfall. Good soil structure permits plant roots to spread to much greater distances in search of plant nutrients and water. Thus crops can use more effectively the fertility and water in the soil.

Soils with good structure resulting from added organic matter have ample air space to furnish oxygen to the crop roots. Roots of most crops will die very quickly without oxygen.

Soils that have good structure from plenty of organic matter can make possible more effective use of the plant nutrients they carry. Some tests show that 4 to 6 pounds of nitrogen are needed to make one bushel of corn on soils of poor structure compared to 1 1/4 to 2 pounds on soils with plenty of organic matter and good structure.

Erosion is more easily controlled on soils with good tilth. Tests at Purdue

University have shown that soils high in organic matter will lose less soil and with it less plant nutrients than soil that is low in organic matter and tight.

Dr. Volk points out that it is not the total amount of organic matter in the soil at any one time that is important, but the constant adding of ample amounts of organic matter during each rotation. Organic matter must be used up if it is to build soil structure and aid in crop production. Only as it decomposes will it build the soil. Thus, it must be added regularly in the rotation.

Legume-grass mixtures in the rotation will do their best work in improving soil structure if they have a full feed of plant nutrients especially phosphates and potash.

One rat can eat 50 pounds of grain a year and waste three times that much. The rat population in the United States is estimated to be approximately the same as the human population. Every year rats destroy as much as 200,000 farmers can produce; yet a few simple, inexpensive control measures can keep these rats in check. Information on control can be obtained from the Fish and Wildlife Service at Purdue University.

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HEALTH FACTS FROM YOUR STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

"How to acquire and maintain doctors, dentists, nurses and other health specialists is just one aspect of the rural health problem," according to Malcolm Mason, health education specialist of Purdue University Extension Service.

"Sanitation, disease control and the promotion of good health in a rural community can be improved by the establishment of local public health services," Mason pointed out in describing the rural health program being developed by the extension service in connection with the State Board of Health.

"Modern diagnostic facilities and the establishment of hospitals of good standing are essential to good rural health. Many rural communities need physicians. These physicians need ready access to modern facilities in order to practice effectively.

"In addition, it is going to be necessary to provide opportunity for professional advancement of all medical personnel and bring together the services of general practitioners and specialists through effective cooperative working arrangements.

"The extension service has become interested in rural health in recent

years," said Mason, "Because it is the agency to which so many rural people turn for help in solving their farm and home problems. More and more they are calling upon their county agriculture and home demonstration agents for similar help in solving their health and medical problems."

COLD HOMES FEARED IF FUEL OIL ISN'T SAVED

Every Indiana owner of an oil burner must save a little fuel if there is to be enough for all during the remainder of the winter.

This serious warning was issued by A. W. Groves, State Fuel Co-ordinator, who pointed out that the extreme severity of the weather in January depleted reserve stocks of fuel oil. He added that the supply - and - demand situation likely will be even more acute in February.

Hardship cases are increasing in Indiana, and the stark fact remains that many Hoosier homes may be without heat during February and March if the current unprecedented demand for fuel oil continues.

"The real solution of this serious problem lies in the hands of the public," Groves declared.

He said this decision was reached after numerous discussions with oil industry leaders, heads of civic organiza-

tions and city, county and state officials.

"If every user of fuel oil—householder, factory owner, business man and farmer—will conserve, everybody will have enough. Otherwise, some homes will be without heat before spring arrives. Remember, YOUR home may be the one," Graves stated.

The following simple methods of conserving fuel are suggested: (1) keep room temperatures not more than 70 degrees in daytime, and below 60 at night! (2) keep doors and windows tightly closed; (3) shut off rooms not in use; (4) draw shades at night.

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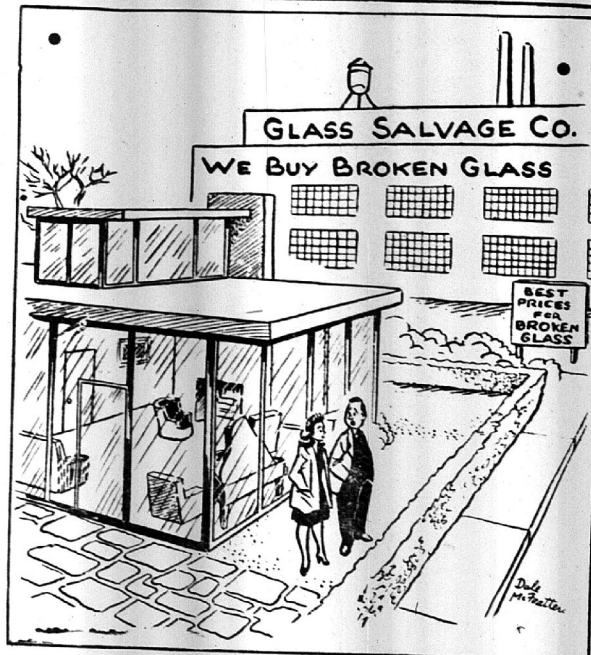
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JANUARY WEATHER FINDS HOOSIERS WEARING THEIR EARMUFFS; SO DOES FEBY

A cold wave hit Indiana smack between the eyes during January, in case you didn't know it

Figures released by the Indiana Department of Conservation show the mercury started downward on the 13th of the month and remained with the small numbers for an average of 5.5 degrees below normal. Most streams became ice-covered and all lakes in the northern section of the state were frozen over to an average thickness of 14 inches by the end of the month. Maximum thickness measured was 18 inches.

Heavy rains on the first two days of the new year caused near floods in several counties, but later precipitation consisted of light snow, and the monthly total fell below normal.

Reports based on 79 gauging stations revealed lake levels averaged an increase of less than one foot, rising during the first days of the month as a result of rain and sleet storms, and dropping during the last three weeks. Water levels generally rose following the lowest stage of the annual cycle which occurred in December. Levels in several observation wells climbed six feet, but in areas of heavy groundwater pumpage the net rise was erratic in January.

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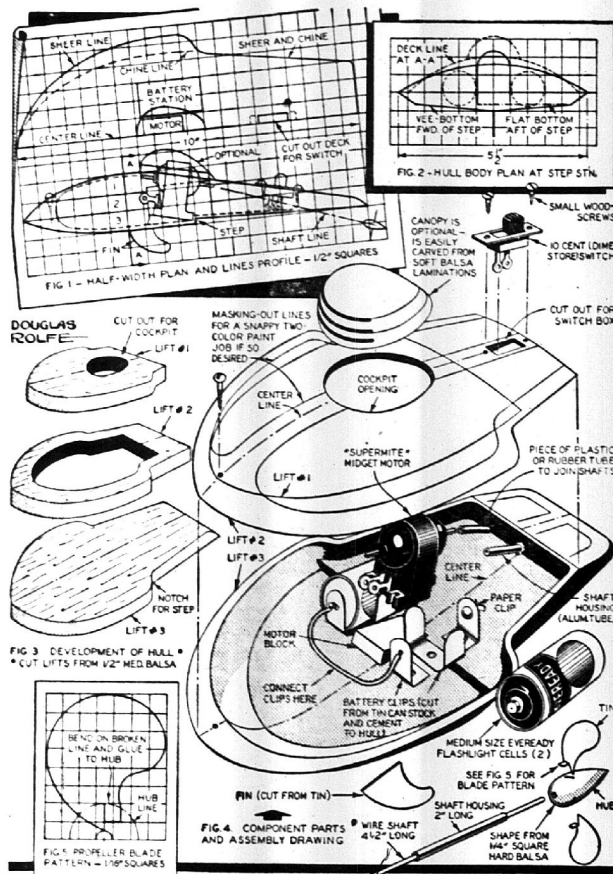
which begins with this week's issue of the Co-Op News will be a regular

monthly feature of this newspaper. Pages 1, 2 and 3 contain photo stories of Rural America. Pages 4 and 5 feature "Better Calves for Better Profits" in the Modern Farming section; and pages 6 and 7 are devoted to recipes

for Valentine's Day and Washington's Birthday by Susan Lowe, famous home economist.

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shaft. Make the propeller as shown in Figs. 4 and 5 and mount it on the shaft with cement. Hook up the propeller shaft to the motor shaft with a short length of plastic or rubber tubing.

Next cut out the fin and press it into the bottom just ahead of the step station. Later it can be cemented in place; but first sand down the entire hull with very fine sandpaper. Give the whole works a coat of sanding sealer (costs 10¢) and sand down again.

The paint job is up to the builder. Masking-out lines are indicated for a two-tone desk paint job; but this is not essential. Nor is the motor hood or canopy, also indicated; but this detail improves the appearance of the boat and seals it against water damage to the batteries. Check any tendency to turn off course by bending the fin as needed and... let her go.

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ANIMAL HEALTH COLUMN...

By R. A. MARRIOTT

An ingenious lifesaver for little pigs—as simple as it practical—is the result of an accident in Kentucky. The results were so fortunate that the Extension service is recommending the method widely as a good method to increase efficiency in meat production.

The accident was a failure of the foundation in a farrowing house. This let down one side of the floor and caused it to slant. The slanting floor proved to be a lifesaver for the little pigs born in the pen a few days later. Now the general recommendation is for slanting floors in farrowing houses—a slope of 1½ inches to the foot works well.

8th sned idea in swine husbandry takes advantage of two simple facts in porcine behavior:

1. On a sloping floor, a sow prefers to lie down with her back to the high side.
2. Clumsy little pigs stagger a bit during the first few days, and even on a slightly sloping floor, tend to tumble to the low side.

The lifesaving is as simple as that. When the mother pig is ready to lie down, she is likely to choose the high side of the pen, and the little pigs are likely to be bunched on the low side. Thus the mother is not so likely to

lie down on them and crush one or several of the pigs.

To slope the floors of existing farrowing houses, some farmers are finding it practical to block up one side of the house a few inches, giving a life-saving tilt to the floors of the farrowing pens.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Saemann and children have moved to Phoenix, Arizona, where they plan to make their home.

Max and Jerry Blackburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Blackburn, are confined to their home with the measles.

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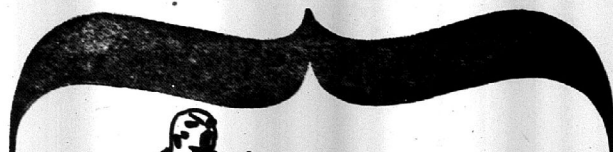
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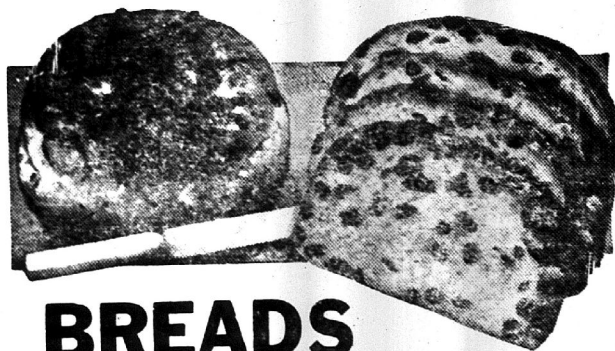
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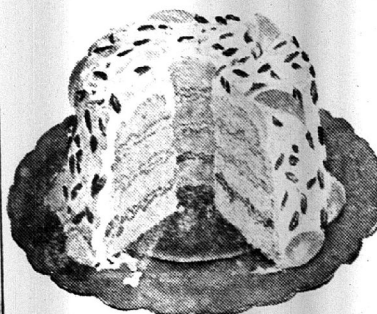
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Smith's IGA Store

LOCAL NEWS

Valentine cards. All kinds. — Denton's Drug Store, Mentone.

Mrs. Leroy Norris is convalescing at her home following a minor operation performed at the Woodlawn hospital last Thursday.



HOWDY FOLKS! You heard the old one about the football referees who blew their whistles during the game so much they had to call time out to catch their breath.

One feller said that man was the greatest invention on earth, and woman was just an improvement on man. I guess all these guys standing on street corners looking at the gals are just looking for improvements.

Cops stopped Henry Jones the other day and asked him why he didn't fix his headlights when they told him to. He told 'em it was so dark at night he couldn't see to fix 'em. Cops asked why he didn't fix 'em during the day. Henry says, "Heck, don't need 'em in daytime."

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Robert K. Kinsey, who is attending Indiana University, visited at the E. H. Kinsey home from Wednesday of last week until Monday.

Philca radios \$19.95 up. — Baker & Brown Jewelry & Appliance Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rhodes and son have moved into the Nottingham apartment, coming here from Plymouth. Mr. Rhodes is manufacturer of the "Baby's Joy" safety chair.

Mrs. Earl Meredith has moved from her farm home north of Akron to the former Earl Smith place in Mentone, which she bought last fall. The Meredith farm was purchased by a Mr. Biddinger.

Old fashioned horehound drops, 39c pound.—Denton's Drug Store, Mentone.

Those from here who enjoyed the DePaur Negro Chorus at North Manchester on last Thursday evening were Mrs. Dan Urschel and children, Mrs. F. B. Davison, Mrs. Denton Abbey, Annabel Mentzer, Mrs. Walter Lackey, Rowena Lackey, Mr. and Mrs. Artley Cullum and son.

Bendix washers, ironers, dryers. — Baker & Brown Jewelry & Appliance Store.

Local people who went to South Bend Sunday to hear "Spike" Jones and his band were: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Utter and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Wilvin Teel and son, Mr. and Mrs. Conda Walburn and daughter, Mrs. Walter Fenstermaker and daughter and Wreatha McFarren.

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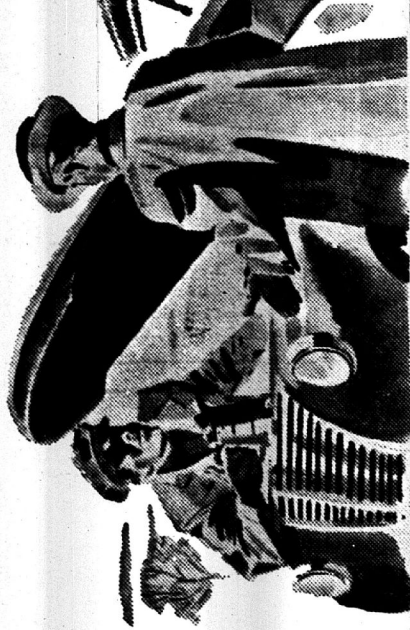
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By JIM MITCHELL

The other day we received a metal plaque from the South Bend Bait Company with this inscription on it: "The Angler's Prayer—Lord, give me grace to catch a fish so big that even I, when talking of it afterwards, may never need to lie!"

Naturally, the message brought out a hearty laugh, for no truer words were ever written about a fisherman. Then we got to thinking about the prayer—in reverse. Members of the fishing fraternity are unique; they are given elastic liberties with the "truth" and still not branded as liars as devotees of other sports are for stretching a point here and there in talking of their accomplishments.

When talking of football or golf or hunting, facts are facts and if they don't add up according to Hoyle, you are a liar in the opinions of your listeners. But in fishing, everyone knows that a three-pound bass weighs five pounds, and that rainbow trout will measure several inches longer on a stream bank than in a sporting goods store. So, Mr. Fisherman, you might as well go ahead and stretch the truth to its full measure for your listeners will trim a few pounds or inches off the description you give.

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FOREST FIRES: If every sportsman, tourist or what-have-you would be careful with matches, campfires, lighted cigarettes, etc., the annual loss in wildlife, timber and other perishable items would be cut a hundred fold. That is the first step. New and improved fire-fighting methods and equipment is the second step. So it was with interest that we read recently of experiments with airborne fire extinguishers, equipped with a war-developed proximity fuse, that might be used in combating forest fires. The proximity fuse employs a radar principle (exploding a shell as it nears a target) and could be adapted to fighting forest fires by bursting a fire-extinguisher bomb at a desired height above a blaze. This way, fire-smothering material could be sprayed effectively over the burning area. If the bomb does not explode until it hits the ground, much of the material remains in the crater and is sprayed over a much smaller area.

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PEND OREILLE: I guess we're a little hepped on the Kamloops Rainbows of Idaho, and we still are looking for a few backers in our campaign to have the name of these trout changed. But the reason for this item, mainly, is to warn New York State that we have

to include it with Idaho. We just noticed an item which showed that 21-pound rainbow (an all-time record east of the Rockies) was caught last season in Keuka Lake in New York. If these New York rainbows grow a few more pounds, they will rival the Pend Oreille "whales" with a record 37-pounder.

CLASS SOCIAL

February 19, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Utter will entertain the members of the Worth While Class of the Talma Methodist church. The meeting will be in charge of the president, Mrs. Ed Staldine. Mrs. Utter's assistant hostess is Mrs. Verde Brockey, and the entertainment committees are Mrs. Loren Kramer and Mrs. Dale Peterson. The meeting will start at 8:00 P. M.

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My sincere thanks to all the neighbors and friends who helped me move to Mentone, and to the ladies of the Church of Christ, who served the dinner at the minister's home.

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FOR SALE—A few Duroc male hogs, wt. around 190 lbs. Milo Swihart, 3 miles northwest Tippecanoe. F-18p

FOR SALE—Four room, semi-modern home in Mentone and 1½ lots. Immediate possession. Reasonably priced. Phone 7on115. Willis Cowen

FOR SALE—Model A 1930 1½ ton truck, good grain bed and stock rack. Sherman Bybee. Phone 8on176 Mentone.

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FOR SALE: Maple coffee table; maple dinette set, 4 chairs; child's spring coat, 1 year old size; 2 lady's wool dresses, size 12; tenor banjo. — Mrs. Dale Wallace. (1p)

FOR SALE: Model A Ford, or will trade for good rubber tired wagon. —C. Cotey, R. R. 1, Mentone.

JUST RECEIVED—shipment of 7-way Floor Lamps. Only \$9.95 up.—Argos Furniture Store. Open Wednesday and Saturday nights. Phone 962.

LOST: Pair of bifocal glasses. — A. D. Tossell. (1p)

FARM LOANS A SPECIALTY — My prophecy came true. The other day I was in an abstract office and the abstractor said, "John, is money getting a little tighter?" I told him, "No, why?" He said a certain banker was in the office and said they were bearing down on the amount to loan on farms. Also, the rate of interest was 5 - 6%.

I just want to say I make the best farm loans there are to be made, with the best provisions with no expense whatever. 20 year loan at 4%. It costs you not a penny to get this money. We examine your abstract without any cost to you and give you year as much as you want to pay, the privilege of paying after the first. In case you sell the farm and the fellow would have the cash, we would accept the money after the

first year. I take pleasure in submitting this proposition to you farmers. You are the ones who are borrowing the money.

If we make you a loan and you want to pay \$500.00 on the principal and in case you had a little hard luck, you don't have to pay anything for the next 4 - 5 years. I want you to remember that. Furthermore, we will not raise the rate of interest for 20 years. It will always be 4%. We are glad to dot that. We have to keep this money out. If you are interested in a farm loan, it doesn't take long to come see me, or write me a letter, or phone N. 65, and I will drive to your place.

Also, for your consideration, we are in the market to buy from 40 acres up. As I always said, it is a good time to sell. I would be glad to have the pleasure of meeting you and talk this matter over. — John Isenbarger, North Manchester, Ind. 2-14-21-28

SEE OUR large selection of beds, mattresses and springs. All reasonably priced. — Argos Furniture Store, phone 962.

FOR SALE: Alfalfa hay, baled with twine.—Marcus Burkit, one mile west of Mentone on Highway 25. (1p)

WANTED: To buy a 16-inch tractor plow, pull type; 6 foot tandem disc.—C. Cotey, R. R. 1, Mentone.

FOR SALE: Good baled timothy hay and baled wheat straw.—Fred Rush, three miles east and ½ mile north, phone 12 on 172, Mentone. (1p)

FOR SALE: 10x14 brooder house, insulated circle roof. A good one. — N. T. McClane F-18-p

FOR SALE: Some nice pups from a Cocker-Spaniel mother, probably part terrier. Beginning to catch rats now.—Sam Norris, Mentone. 1p

JUST RECEIVED—shipment of metal Utility Cabinets. In single or double door style.—Argos Furniture Store, phone 962.

FOR SALE: 300 bales of timothy at 60 cents per bale, and 100 bales of alsike and timothy, more or less.—John F. Laird, Mentone. (1p)

FOR SALE: Model B, A.C. tractor, good condition. One row cultivator. Two 12-inch plow, like new. Five foot tandem disc, like new.—Otto Baldwin, two miles east of Burket. 2-18-p

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our beloved wife and mother, who passed away four years ago February 10.

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SPORTS NEWS

(By Roscoe Davis)

Akron defeated Mentone 52-43 in a thrilling game. The score was tied at the end of the first quarter, 10-10, but Mentone was ahead 24-22 at the half, and the score was tied again, 32-32, at the end of the third period. Emmons scored 17 points to pace the Mentone attack.

Scoring	
Last Game	
Bowser	9
Emmons	17
F. Dunnuck	12

Molebash	6	98
Johns	12	88
Friesner	2	67
Free Throws		
Last Game		Total
Flenar	1-1	1-1
Cooper	0-0	1-1
Grubbs	0-1	4-5
Bowser	1-4	51-93
Emmons	1-3	33-58
F. Dunnuck	0-0	10-19

THE EVERFAITHFUL CLUB

Fourteen members spent a very enjoyable afternoon February 5, at the home of Nora Tucker.

Since the president and vice president were vacationing in Florida, the

afternoon was spent socially.

Several games and contests were played, prizes going to Othello Huffman, Alice Brugh, Roselyle Nellans, Frances Marshall, Georgia Nellans and Vera Black.

Dainty refreshments of red and white, in keeping with the season, were served.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mabel Nellans.

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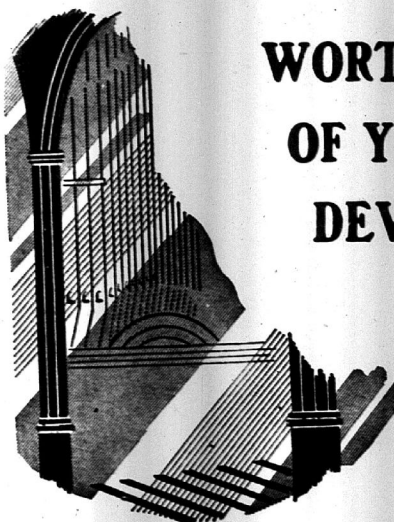
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MANY FARMERS GETTING AID IN MANAGING OF WOOD LOTS

A total of 323 farmers in 35 north and central counties received woodlot management and planting assistance during the last six months of 1947, it was announced by John H. Nigh, director of the Indiana Department of

Conservation.

This assistance is given by farm foresters in five forestry districts under a program administered by the State Division of Forestry in cooperation with the United States Forest Service.

The work consisted of the application of good cutting practices and marketing assistance to the extent of 63,000

board feet of standing timber. This represented a stumpage value of \$26,500 to the farmers benefited, according to State Forester Ralph F. Wilcox. These farmers owned over 6,000 acres of woodland.

The project has been in operation for the past two years as a part of Gov. Gates' expanded forestry program. Conservation officials state that, due to the effectiveness of this type of forestry work, interest of farmers is increasing.

Similar work now is being carried on in the remaining six forestry districts operated entirely by the state. Because of the increasing importance of conserving Indiana's wood supply the extension service at Purdue University also is carrying on an aggressive forestry educational program with extension foresters in five districts.

Any farmer interested in obtaining information regarding this service may write State Forester Wilcox at the Indiana Department of Conservation in Indianapolis, or contact his county agricultural agent.

IF ABE LINCOLN LIVED TODAY

Former Governor of Kansas Henry J. Allen recently had the following comment to make about Abraham Lincoln, according to the "New Mexico Freeman":

"Had Abraham Lincoln been living today: The Rotary Club would supply him with a set of books. The Lions Club with a good reading lamp. The Cosmopolitan Club with writing equipment. The Kiwanis Club with a wooden floor for the cabin. He would have the protection of child labor law and government old-age insurance. A kindly philanthropist would send him to college with a scholarship. Incident-

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Invocation Rev. Johnson
Music Girls Sextet
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Young People's Fellowship 6:30 p.m.
Nellie Christian, President.
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Informal Gospel and Song Service.
Thursday Evening 8:00 p.m.
Prayer and Bible Study.

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Paul I Irwin, Minister

Mentone, Ind.

Elizabeth Blue, Church Secretary
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There is abundant evidence that the children of converts to the faith of Gospel were actually baptised along with their parents, in the time of the apostles and the apostolic churches. (Nor is this view of the subject weakened by repentance and faith being required as antecedent qualifications for baptism, in such passages as Acts 2:38; Mark 16:16; for all such passages were addressed to adults from whom repentance and faith required by Jewish proselytes prior to their circumcision. And not only a profession of faith, but actual faith was required from Abraham before he was circumcised: for before he was circumcised he believed God, and it was counted unto him for righteousness; and thus "he received the sign of circumcision," etc. Rom. 4:11. Yet, notwithstanding this requirement of faith from him as an adult before he was circumcised, his progeny were required to be circumcised before they could either repent or believe. The truth is, that both baptism and circumcision presupposes a state of grace, which adults, being sinners, cannot have without repentance and faith. But infant children require no repentance, having committed no actual sin; and they require no faith because, as their fallen state is involuntary and brought upon them by another, so is their salvation involuntary and absolute, through the undertaking of Christ; and being already in a state of grace, and in God's covenant, baptism does but recognize in infants already the same state of grace as that into which adult believers are brought by repentance and faith.) In Mark 10:13-16, our Lord explicitly declares young children (brephol, infants) to be subjects of His Kingdom—partakers of its privileges and blessings; and are we to believe that He, at the same time, cuts off all such from any external sign of connection with the kingdom He was establishing? that He declares them partakers of the blessings of the promise, and yet forbids the outward token of such participation to be any longer administered to them?

(To be continued)

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Mentone, Ind.



"And whatsoever we ask, we receive of him, because we keep his commandments, and do those things that are pleasing in his sight."

I John 3:22

THE NEW TESTAMENT CHURCH

When Christ declared "Upon this rock I will build my church," (Matt. 16:18) his church was yet in the future—beyond his own natural life. He lived and taught and died under the old covenant based upon God's promises to Abraham; and this old covenant—"the letter that kills"—stood in full force until Christ, by the shedding of his blood, "blotted out the handwriting of ordinances," and "took it out of the way, nailing it to the cross" (Col 2:14). He became the end of the law, by introducing, through his apostles, the "living way."

Paul taught by an allegory (Gal. 4:21-51) that the old covenant has given way for the new: the mediator Moses for the mediator Christ; the Jewish institution for the New Testament church; the gospel of the earthly inheritance for the gospel of the heavenly; the earthly Caanan for the heavenly; the birth of the flesh for the birth of the spirit; the old testament for the new. "Cast out the bondwoman and her son" (4:30); that is, the old covenant and the old institution. It is, then, a new covenant, new promises, a new people, new institutions, new laws, new terms of communion, a new inheritance.

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Mentone, Indiana

Lloyd A. Boyd, Minister

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Morning Worship 10:30
Evening Service 7:30
Thursday, Bible Study 7:30
Wayne Porter of Henderson, Tennessee, will speak at the Sunday morning and evening services.

February 19, Old Testament Studies, Lesson 25: "The First Group of Jews Returns to Jerusalem." References in Ezra and Esther.

"Come thou with us, and we will do thee good" (Num. 10:29).

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TOWNSHIP NEWS

The following from this place attended the swine show at Rochester Friday: Mr. and Mrs. Devon Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mollenhour, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Montgomery and Lavoy, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Tobey, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Drudge, Mrs. Morris Hibbs, Mrs. John Alber, Mr. and Mrs. Ransford Peterson, Herbert Myers, Clarence and Calvin Mikesell, Don Pfeiffer, Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hunter and Mrs. Everett Beddinger, and Mr. and Mrs. Verde Brockey.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barr of Donovan, Illinois, spent Saturday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arter.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Ritter and daughter Marica Ann of Plymouth were recent guests of her mother, Mrs. Maude Kinsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good and family spent Sunday in Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Emmons and family spent Sunday in South Bend.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller have purchased the Fred Barr property and will move into it in the very near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Green and family attended the basket ball game at Grass Creek Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yeazel and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griles and family of Rochester were Sunday guests of Trustee and Mrs. Charley Green.

Mrs. Raymond Bowers is confined to her home because of illness.

George Coplen is spending some time in Douglas, Arizona, as the guest of his sister, Mrs. Estil Fish and family. Mr. Coplen will return about the first of April.

Jim and Rosie Good of South Bend spent the week end here as guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Overmyer and family were called to Rochester Friday to attend the funeral of his grandfather, Harvey Overmyer.

Lavoy Montgomery spent Sunday afternoon in Rochester.

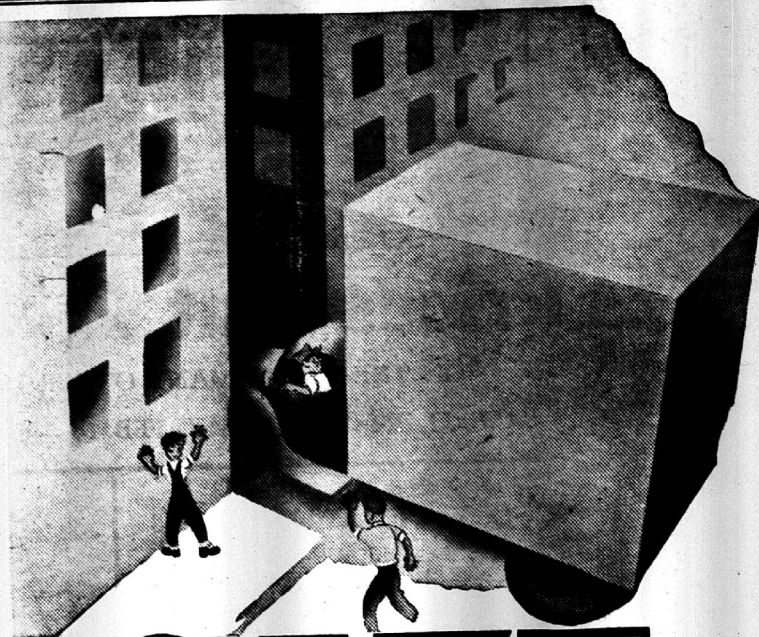
Loren Kramer and Thurl Alber have just completed putting new cabinets in the kitchen of the Talma Methodist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Utter and son spent Friday afternoon in Rochester.

Howard McGowen spent Friday in Rochester.

Georgia Lumber Boom

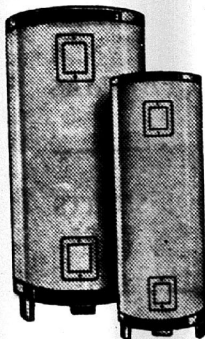
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Indications are that a similar situation developed out at White Bear Lake, Minn. (Mentone's Henry Mill's roosting area) when they put on an ice fishing contest. There were 2,196 fishermen waiting for the starting gun. All of them headed for the lake at once and started chopping holes thru 28 inches of ice. The picture in the current issue of TIME magazine looked about like the Notre Dame football field on a busy day. The winning catch was a 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ -pound Walleye Pike.

SORORITY MEETS

Mrs. Max Nellans presided at the business meeting of the Beta Epsilon chapter of the Psi Iota Xi sorority for which Mrs. Lyman Mollenhour was hostess Thursday evening. Definite plans were made to assist with the hot lunches, served at the school, and also with the Red Cross drive. The amount of \$5 was given to the infantile paralysis fund and it was decided that the sorority will collect clothing and supplies for a needy family.

Mrs. Elery Nellans received the door prize and Mrs. Mollenhour was high bidder in the auction.

Others present were Mrs. Glenn Weatherbee, of Argos, Mrs. Howard Shoemaker, Mrs. Wilvin Teel, Mrs. Delford Nelson, Mrs. M. O. Bryan, Mrs. DeVon Hirschman, Mrs. Earl Anderson, Mrs. C. J. Riner, Mrs. William Hudson, Mrs. Harold Utter and Mrs. T. J. Clutter.

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FEBRUARY 11, 1946

Rural Grains
ROTO SECTION



AN IMPORTANT CHORE in winter is to provide shelter and food to our feathered friends. Charles Short, (kneeling) game protector for Adams County, Ohio, and K. C. Duncan, holding the same office for Summit County, have demonstrate to a group of 4-H Club boys the correct way to construct a shelter and place the most suitable food correctly.



4-H CHAMPS. Dolores Risse, Sagola Michigan, state potato growing champion, shows old and new types of potatoes to Marian Plumm, West Bend, Wis., Lawrence Gregory, Aurora, Ill. and Norma Range, Lytton, Iowa.



CORN KING Walter Harpel of Shonnoodale, Indiana, shows some of the corn that won him the title.

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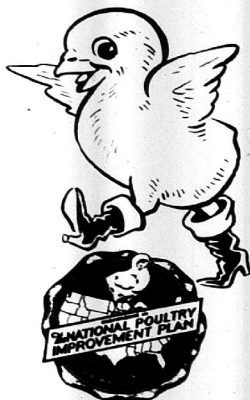
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WINTER SPORT. Skiing on a hill in Dane County, Wisconsin.



SHEARING CHAMP. Roland Burkhart, 35-year-old southpaw from Pandora, O., who won the 1947 professional shearing championship. Burkhart shears more than 14,000 sheep a year and as many as 200 a day, uses less than 75 strokes per sheep, charges thirty-five cents each.



BEST COOKS. The six 1947 champions in Food Preparation look over a model kitchen. Left to right: Mildred Perkins, Tennessee; Catherine Wilson, New Jersey; Mary Elder, Indiana; Jean Howland, Kansas; Mary Elaine Ely, Colorado, and Willie Joe Brandon, Mississippi.



USING ELECTRICITY on the farm is the specialty of these three, Howard Mills of Indiana, Laura Sperry of Montana and Kenneth Bosley of Maryland, who are here examining a new radio gadget, the "talking lamp".



SPEED PILOT VISITS ILLINOIS FARM. Gene May, who broke all existing speed records as pilot of the Douglas Skystreak, comes home to relax in Mercer County, Illinois. Here he looks over Dick Carroll's plane prior to a trip around the state.



HOG FEED, believe it or not! Mike Kepper nets three tons of shad in a gravel pit near Lacon, Illinois, where fish are fed to brood sows, selling at about \$30 a ton.



NATIONAL DAIRY PRODUCTION CHAMPIONS are these six boys. Front row, Hobart Roberts, Port Jervis, N. J.; Raymond Powers, Colorado Springs, Colo.; back row, Allen Rohlf, Fairgrove, Mich.; Clifford Jurgens, Sun Prairie, Wis.; Dewey Harwood, New London, N. C.; and Frederick Fry, Gaithersburg, Maryland.



FIELD CROPS experts, three of the Country's top six, are Robert Hoffman, Wilson, N. Y.; Harold Karner, Luther, Okla. and Albert Moerkke, Custer, Mont.

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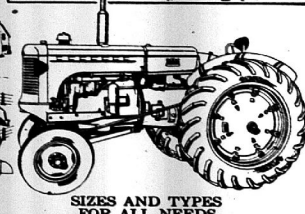


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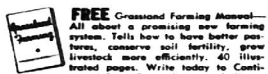
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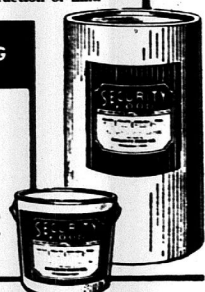
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After four weeks calves get no more milk. At this age their ration can be changed to one part of commercial calf ration to two parts of farm grain, self-fed along with plenty of good quality mixed hay, block salt and water. This is a good ration to feed up to four months of age.

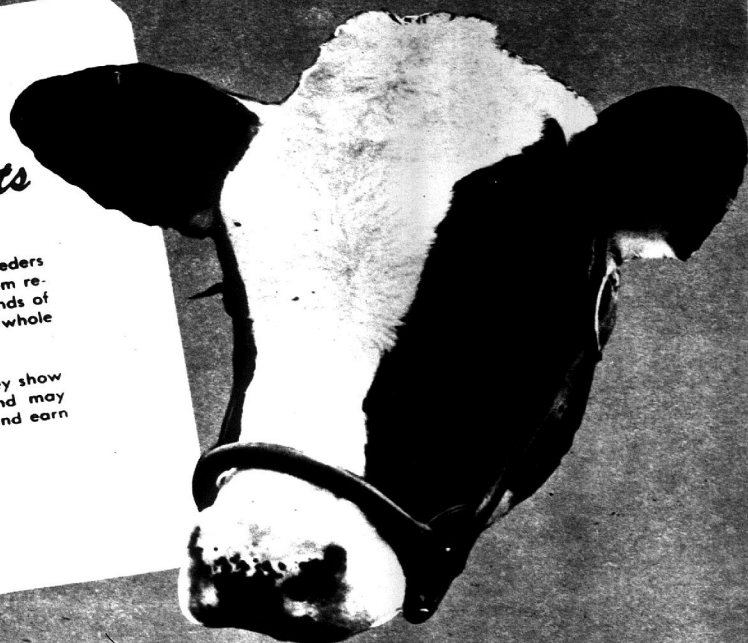


After four months feed a good mix of one part commercial ration to four parts of farm grain. At this mixture dairy calves increase in weight rapidly, and at four months are ready for market.

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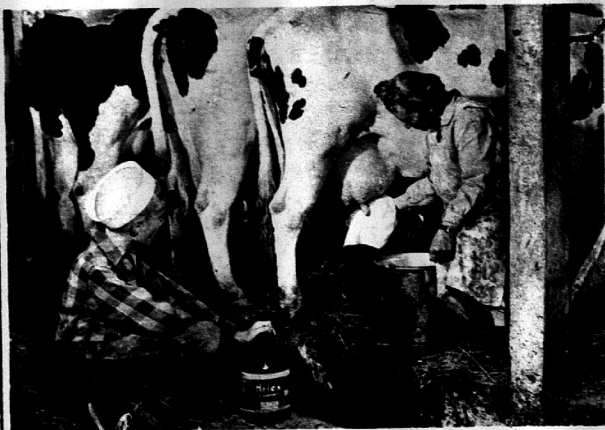
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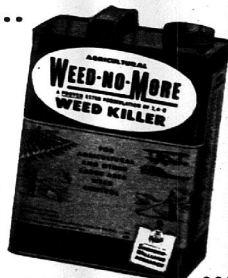
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Hearts and Hatchets

Hearts, hatchets, cherry trees and miniature log cabins mark the trail of the social whirl in February as party after party is chalked up on the calendar of 1948. Valentine parties, Washington's birthday banquets, Lincoln luncheons, guest days, gentlemen's night, afternoon teas, offer a sparkling interlude just as winter begins to seem drab and dull.

But to top these affairs effectively, we must come up with interesting party foods—dishes new and delightful, that portray the spirit of the occasion. Tables must be set with dash and color—foods must follow suit.

Distinctive refreshments may take the form of heart-shaped sandwiches and tarts or even a Valentine-shaped Strawberry Jam Cake set upon a lace doily. Or you may choose to honor the Father of Our Country by serving Tricorn Cookies with cherry-red filling. In fact, any cherry dish will do the trick—Deep Dish Cherry Pie, Cherry Charlotte or Cherry Torte topped with cherry sauce and whipped cream. Recipes for any of the foods mentioned here may be obtained if you will write Susan Lowe, Rural Gravure, in care of this newspaper.



CHERRY CHARLOTTE

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| 1 tbsp. plain gelatin | 1 tbsp. lemon juice |
| $\frac{1}{2}$ cup cold water | $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sugar |
| 1 No. 2 can sour pitted cherries and juice | 2 egg whites |
| $\frac{2}{3}$ cup sugar | 6-10 lady fingers, vanilla wafers or sponge cake strips |
| 2 egg yolks | 1 cup whipping cream |

Soften the gelatin in cold water. Combine in a double boiler the $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sugar, cherry juice, slightly beaten egg yolks and lemon juice. Cook until slightly thickened. Then add gelatin and cherries. Remove from heat and chill until thick, but not stiff. Fold in egg whites beaten with the $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sugar; also the whipped cream. Line a mold or pan with the lady fingers and fill with the gelatin mixture. Chill thoroughly and serve garnished with some of the cherries reserved for this purpose. Serves 6-8.



DEEP-DISH CHERRY PIE

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|---------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1 tsp. grated lemon rind | 1 quart canned sour pitted cherries |
| $\frac{1}{8}$ tsp. nutmeg | $3\frac{1}{2}$ tbsp. corn starch |
| 1 tbsp. melted butter | $\frac{1}{4}$ tsp. salt |
| 1 cup dark corn syrup | $\frac{1}{2}$ tsp. almond extract |
| | 1 tsp. lemon juice |
- 1 recipe pastry

Drain cherries and reserve juice. Combine $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of the cherry juice with corn starch (saving remaining cherry juice to use in a sauce, fruit drink or gelatin dessert). Add remaining ingredients; blend well. Pour over cherries. Line 9-inch deep pie pan with pastry. Prick with fork. Cut heart-shaped pastries with remaining dough. Pour cherry mixture into pie shell. Heart shaped pieces may be placed on top and baked with pie or baked on separate cookie sheet and placed on pie after it has been baked.

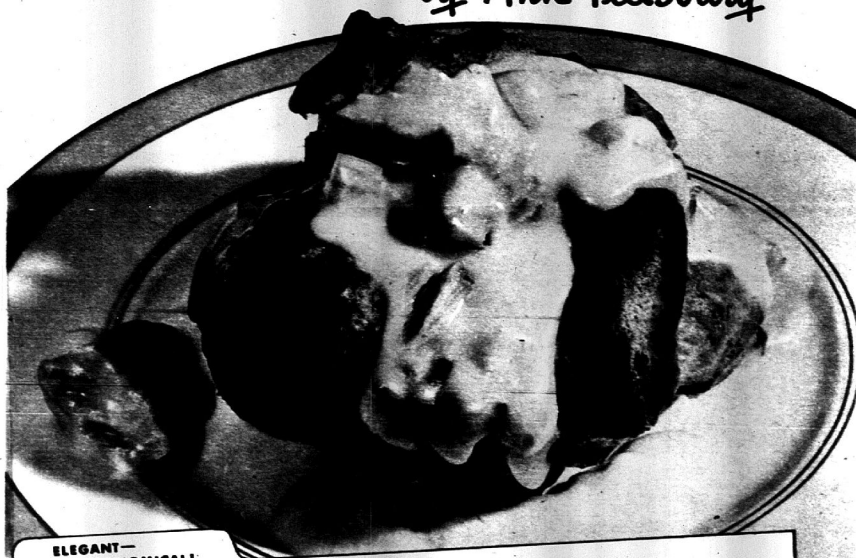


TARTS OF HEARTS

Cut tart or pastry dough into two sizes of hearts; bake. Spread larger heart with jelly, jam or preserves and press smaller tart on top. Men will devour these by the dozen.

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- Cut opening in top of puff and fill.
- Sift together $\frac{1}{2}$ cup sifted Pillsbury's Best Enriched Flour
 $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon salt
few grains pepper
- Melt $\frac{1}{4}$ cup shortening in $\frac{1}{4}$ cup boiling water over direct heat.
- Add 2 tablespoons chopped pimiento, 2 tablespoons chopped green pepper to boiling liquid.
- Add dry ingredients, all at once, stirring constantly.
- Cook until mixture leaves sides of pan in a smooth compact ball, stirring vigorously. Remove from heat; cool 1 minute.
- Add 2 eggs one at a time, beating vigorously after each addition until mixture is smooth again.
- Drop by rounded tablespoonfuls $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches apart on greased baking sheet.
- Bake in hot oven (450° F.) for 10 minutes, then at 400° F. for 20 to 25 minutes.

whatever you bake! With your favorite seafood tucked into it, you have a savory, satisfying meal. Pleasant to make and polite to your purse—an all-around Pillsbury's Best triumph. Here's how:

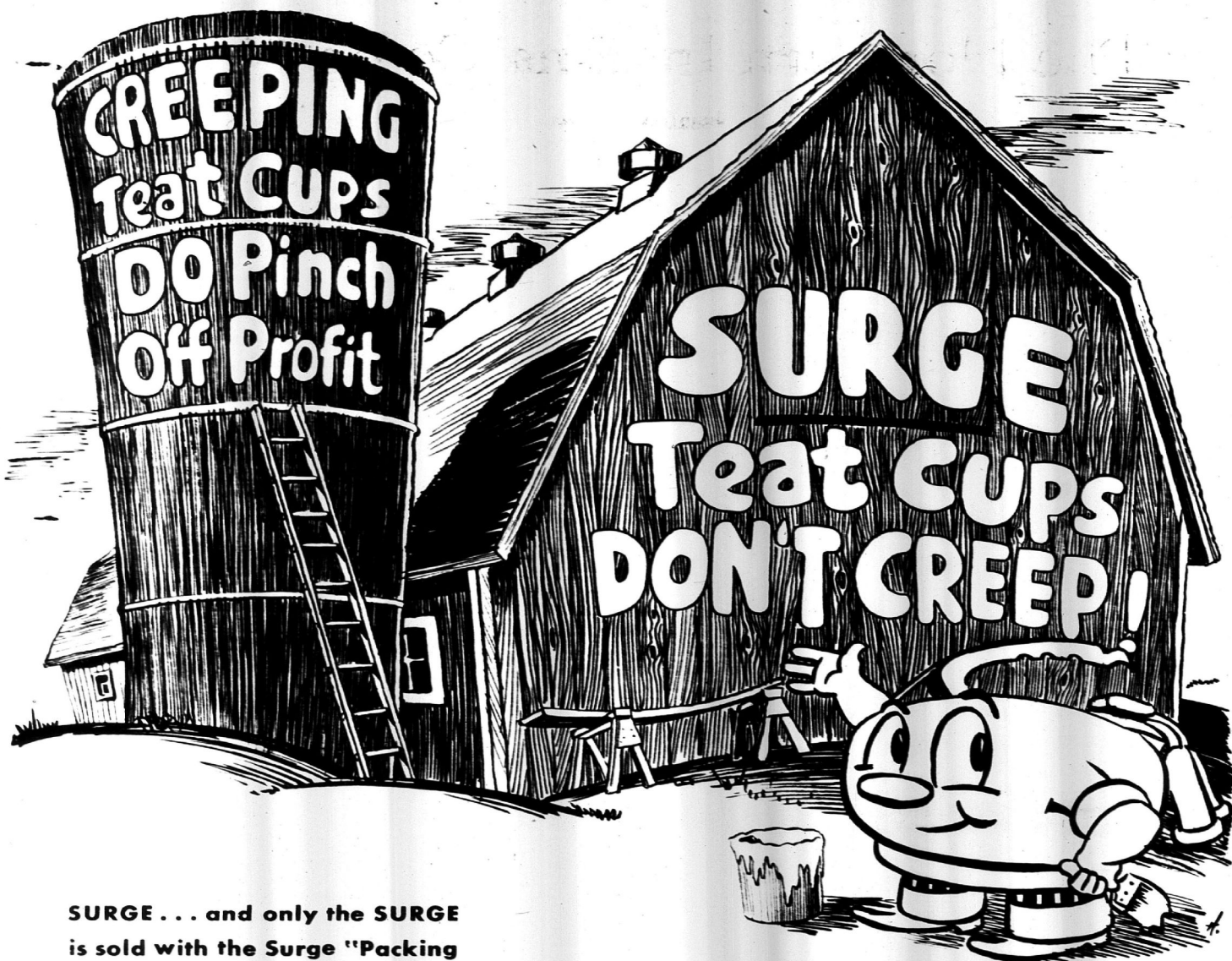
Creamed Salmon Filling Pan fry $\frac{1}{2}$ cup chopped celery, 1 tablespoon chopped green pepper and 1 tablespoon chopped pimiento in 1 tablespoon shortening. Melt 6 tablespoons shortening in top of double boiler over direct heat; add 6 tablespoons flour and mix well. Add gradually 3 cups milk, stirring constantly. Cook until thick and smooth. Place over hot water. Add 2 cups (1 lb. can) flaked salmon, 1 teaspoon salt, $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon pepper and the celery mixture. Cook for about 5 minutes or until vegetables and fish are thoroughly heated.

Note: Tuna, shrimp, or any seafood combination may be used in place of salmon. Make extra puffs and fill with salmon salad for lunch.



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JAMES GILL, 73, OF MENTONE,
DIES AT McDONALD HOSPITAL

A serious illness of three weeks, due to a stroke of apoplexy, resulted Saturday night in the death of James E. Gill, aged 73, well-known resident of Mentone. He had been a patient at the McDonald hospital for two weeks.

Mr. Gill, a retired farmer, had served as trustee of Franklin township. He had resided all of his life in the vicinity of Mentone and Silver Lake.

He was born March 3, 1874, the son of James and Martha (Rowland) Gill. In 1894 he was married to Adella Ingalls, who died in 1929. In 1943 he married Emma Pontius, who survives.

The deceased was a member of the Mentone Methodist church and was affiliated with the Masonic lodge in Mentone.

In addition to his wife, the surviving relatives include: three daughters, Mrs. Helen Goble, of route 3, Warsaw; Mrs. Jessie Tucker of Angola; Mrs. Ethel Leech of Bloomington; two brothers, John D. Gill of Warsaw, and Elmer Gill of Cromwell; three grandchildren and two great grandchildren.

Due to the ban on public gatherings, a private funeral service was held Tuesday at the Reed funeral home in Mentone. Rev. E. E. DeWitt officiated and burial was in the Mentone cemetery.

TO STAGE AMATEUR NIGHT

The Beaver Dam P. T. A. plans on putting on another amateur night program.

This contest will be held in the gym at the Beaver Dam school on next Tuesday evening, February 24, at 8:00. It is open to anyone who wishes to enter, providing they are not a professional.

There will be three classes of competition, according to age—first, all children from the first to the seventh grades; second, all remaining ages through the upper grades and high school; third, all others above high school age. There will be prizes for the winner of first and second places in each class.

Come out and enjoy this program!

CLUB CALENDAR

MENTONE READING CLUB: Tuesday evening, February 24, at the home of Mrs. Mary Shirey. Bring home-made valentines.

BAN ON MEETINGS IS OFF
AT MIDNIGHT THURSDAY

As no new cases of smallpox have developed and the incubation period of from one to eighteen days will be up on Thursday at midnight, the ban on public meetings will be lifted at that time.

CHURCH NOTICES

The Baptist church will hold prayer services Thursday evening at 7:30.

The Church of Christ will hold their prayer meeting on Friday evening.

NOW IN MOVIES

Linda Lou, lovely daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lukens, of Rochester, recently took a part in commercial movie which is now being shown in the midwest areas. The movie is in technicolor and is a farm safety film sponsored by the Sinclair Oil Co. entitled "Miracle in Paradise Valley." The male star in the picture is Kirby Grant and the comedian is Kirby Parks. Linda Lou plays the part of Betty Preston, who with her sister is sent to an orphanage when their mother is burned to death by pouring kerosene on a fire. The movie was made last June in Chicago. Linda Lou got the role by auditioning with many other little girls. The movie was shown Thursday night at the Newcastle Township Farmers Institute. — Rochester News-Sentinel.

Linda Lou will be remembered by many for her tap-dancing at our July 4th celebration last year and for her various appearances in ads in several well known magazines.

EDUCATIONAL MOVIES

HERE SUNDAY EVENING

Everyone is invited to see the movies "And Now I See" and "Make Way for Youth" which will be shown at the Methodist church this coming Sunday evening, February 22.

These movies are produced by the National Social Welfare Assembly to combat prejudice and racial and religious intolerance, and should be seen by all young people and their parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Edison Tucker and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Valentine and son have returned home from Florida, where they spent two weeks.

MARRIED 48 YEARS

On last Thursday, February 12, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Julian celebrated their forty-eighth wedding anniversary. Both Mr. and Mrs. Julian have spent their entire lives in our community. (Mrs. Julian moved here from Ohio when very young) and derive a great deal of satisfaction in looking back over those years with their varied experiences and friendships made. One cannot live in a community for that many years without developing a feeling that the families therein form one large family, and their heartaches and happiness become a part of on's own life.

The Julians have three children: Neva, who is Mrs. Lester Bruner; Lela, who is Mrs. Earl Besson; and Clarence, who resides in Warsaw.

Eli hopes that he and Mrs. Julian can take a vacation next year. For the past seven years he has been in charge of the poultry owned by Elmore Fenstermaker.

SHOEMAKER—AULT

On Saturday afternoon at the Church of God in Akron, James Shoemaker, son of Ted Shoemaker of near Burket, was united in marriage to Mary Lou Ault, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Ault of Beaver Dam. Rev. D. L. Slaybaugh performed the ceremony.

THANKS TO "BOOMIE" AND H. V.

We want to thank "Boomie" Nellans for the interesting clipping and photographs sent from Colorado Springs, Colorado, showing the derailed cars of a passenger train, which had been swept from the track by a snow slide.

Also, thanks to H. V. Nellans, who sent us the February 10 edition of the Tampa Morning Tribune giving an account and pictures of the annual Gasparella Pirate Invasion. It must be a real celebration.

HIGH SCHOOL B. B. GAMES

The Burket team will play our local high school team here on Saturday evening, February 21.

On Monday evening, February 23, on our floor, we will play the Claypool team.

MANWARING-NAPIER

In a lovely, candlelight ceremony Saturday afternoon at four o'clock, Bess A. Napier, daughter of Sgt. and Mrs. Charles Napier of Claypool, became the bride of Richard Manwaring, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Frank Manwaring. The single ring ceremony was performed by Rev. E. E. DeWitt in the living room of the new home of the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Shinn were the attendants.

Two tall candelabra with white candles and two baskets of Picardy gladiolus and iris made a lovely background for the bridal party.

The bride was attired in a street length, two piece, white wool dress, having a narrow peplum at the waist and a row of tiny silver buttons down the front. Her corsage was of American Beauty roses. Mrs. Shinn wore a blue suit and a corsage of gardenias.

The music preceding the ceremony was "Always," "Because," "The Lord's Prayer," and the "Wedding March."

Following the ceremony a reception for the members of the immediate families and few close friends was held, after which the newlyweds left for New Orleans and other points of interest. For traveling, Mrs. Manwaring wore a three piece grey suit.

Both of the young people have a host of friends in our community. Bess, who graduated from the Piercetown high school, has been in the office at the Manwaring Leghorn farm for over a year, and Dick has spent all of his life here, with the exception of three years in the air force, where he served as a fighter pilot. He is now associated with the Manwaring Leghorn Farm.

FATHER DIES

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Foster Funeral Home in Rochester for James Hubbard, 68, who had died last Friday at his home near Tiosa after a week's illness. Mrs. Dana Starr of Mentone is a daughter of the deceased.

HAVE NEW DAUGHTER

A new daughter, weighing 6 pounds, 6 ounces, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Bob Flenar Tuesday morning at the McDonald hospital. The new daughter has been named Martha Diane.

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total figure probably would be doubled. and we'd hesitate to estimate what the value would be in enjoyment, but it certainly would be much greater than the above.

FACTS 'N' FIGURES: The duck season is long passed in Minnesota, but this item was just brought to our attention—the killing of a mallard drake that was reported to have weighed more than six pounds. Now, we don't question that the mallard weighed six pounds, but we'll wager a new duck call gainst a penny that this particular mallard had been the inhabitant of some barnyard, getting fat, then joined a flock of wild mallards winging southward. Of course, it can be considered a "wild" duck under such conditions.

Several years ago, when it was legal to use live decoys we brought to town a bunch of mallards from a farm where they had been flying daily from the farm yard—and feed—to a pond a mile away. We put them in an open-topped pen, forgetting to clip their wings. When we approached the pen the next morning in preparation for a hunt the mallards let out a couple of quacks, then, en masse, took to the air and headed south on wings as strong and capable as their wild brothers. Probably these ducks fell to hunters' guns along the flyways, and

wherever they were bagged new records, probably, were set for weights—for these ducks were big from their force-feedings on the farm.

CONTENTMENT: What animal has the most self-satisfying existence? We will nominate the porcupine for top honors in this classification. No longer of much economic importance, he meanders his merry way through forests of the north, destroying tree, creating chaos in empty cabins, and in general, just making himself at home. He holds no fear of man, nor other animals, for his protective quills have taught others fear of him. Food is no problem and he has no competition in his field. He had reached a high degree of what man has been striving for for years—"social security." In return, he has sacrificed speed, agility, beauty, strength, intelligence and amiability—none of which, however, worries him.

Size of Train Crew

While the number varies, depending on the length of run and the character of the train, from 30 to 50 persons—such as conductors, enginemen and other members of the crew and pullman employees—are required in the operation of a passenger train between Chicago and the Pacific coast.



Did you ever stop to think what the wildlife resources of your state are worth in dollars? Chances are, the figures would surprise you, for the fish and game of most states come under the heading of "Big Business."

Recently Director R. M. Freeman of the Mississippi Game and Fish Commission made public figures showing his state's game birds and animals represent a capital investment of approximately \$21,000,000 with hunters annually harvesting game valued in excess of \$6,000,000. A breakdown of Mr. Freeman's figures shows:

Species of Game	Est. No.	Val.
Quail	3,750,000	\$9,375,000
Doves	2,200,000	5,000,000
Deer	25,000	2,500,000
Squirrels	2,000,000	2,000,000
Rabbits	1,750,000	1,750,000
Turkeys	6,000	130,000

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An average increase of \$19 worth of crops was produced for each ton of limestone used on Indiana acid soil experimental fields in livestock type cropping systems, according to G. P. Walker, Purdue University extension

agronomist.

These tests were conducted on 12 fields of various soil types over periods ranging from six to 20 years. The basis for the average return per ton of limestone used was an increase of five bushels of corn at \$1 per bushel; two bushels of soybeans and two and one-half bushels of wheat, both at \$2, and

one-fourth ton of mixed hay at \$20 per ton. Mixed seedings of clovers, lespedeza and timothy were used.

Each ton of limestone used in a straight grain farming rotation on the Purdue soils and crops farm produced average increases in crops worth \$25, the basis of which was an increase of 16 bushels of corn at \$1 and 18 bushels of oats at 50 cents per bushel, according to Walker. These were seven-year average increases obtained when sweet clover was plowed under for corn the next spring after seeding in oats, compared to yields where sweet clover was not used. Sweet clover will not grow on the soils and crops farm without the use of limestone.

At the present cost of liming per ton, which averages about \$3 including having it spread on the land, these increases show that the returns from liming give considerable profit.

Lime experiments conducted in Jennings county over a 26 year period shows that re-liming to hold down the acid content of the soil is profitable. Three tons of limestone per acre after 20 years cropping left the soil very acid; whereas re-liming after 13 years at two additional tons of lime per acre reduced the soil acidity to "slightly acid." Six year average yields for the 21st to the 26th years were substantially larger where the re-liming at two tons per acre was done. The average production on the fields where three tons per acre were used was 63 bushels of corn per acre, 22 bushels of wheat, and 1.6 tons of hay; while on the extra tow-ton limed areas, 73 bushels of corn, 25 bushels of wheat, and 1.8 tons of hay were grown per acre.

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"It is now possible for survivors of service persons who died overseas to file for social security benefits based on the deceased person's account," Gerald O. Kelter, manager of the Elkhart Social Security Administration Field Office, said. "The two years limitation for filing lump-sum death claims has been waived, and it is now possible for claims to be filed any time before August 10, 1948, on deaths which occurred outside the United States after December 6, 1941 and before August 10, 1946," Mr. Kelter explained.

"Not all survivors may be entitled to benefits, since lump-sum death ben-

efits can only be paid if the deceased was insured under the Social Security Act at the time of death.

"Reinterment expenses may be considered part of the burial expenses and claim can be filed against the deceased's account as a reimbursement basis. In no case can the reimbursement exceed the amount due on the deceased's account.

"All survivors of service persons who died outside the United States between the dates shown, and who have not previously filed a claim for this lump-sum are urged to contact the Elkhart Office of the Social Security Administration by mail or in person at Room 222 of the Equity Building," Mr. Kelter concluded.



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Heart disease took the lives of 11,230 persons in Indiana in 1947, excluding the month of December, according to figures released by the State Board of Health in observance of American Heart Week February 8-14. This represents an increase over the preceding year when 10,199 persons died of heart disease.

Heart disease is a convenient term

used to cover a multitude of different diseases, but the most common types are associated with infections such as rheumatic fever, syphilis, high blood pressure and diseases of the coronary arteries. Any type of infection may involve the heart and the heart may become exhausted in the fight against infection. However, cases of heart disease following communicable diseases are now being prevented by immunization or are being successfully treated with serums or drugs before they have a chance to weaken the heart.

Deaths caused by diseases of the

PUBLIC SALE

Having decided to quit farming and accepted a position in South Bend, I will sell on what is known as the Wynn farm, located 6 miles north of Rochester and 6 miles south of Argos on Road 31, and one mile west on the Richland Center Road on

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Milking herd consists of 10 cows. They are grade Guernsey, Ayreshire, Jersey and Brown Swiss. Solid Fawn Guernsey cow, 10 years old, with calf at side; four of these cows will be fresh from March 9th to March 20. Three year old Brown Swiss, should freshen by day of sale. Balance of herd will freshen in May and are milking good now. My herd test for the entire year of 1947 was 4:41. I have been careful in selecting these cows as heifers and raised and bred them myself and am proud to recommend them to farmers and dairymen. I have always used my own sire and vaccinated my cows at calfhood to prevent infection, but will have them all T. B. and Bang's tested by day of sale. Seven coming two-year old heifers that are bred for earlier than June calves. Two nine month old heifers.

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"By proper precautions in construction we refer to construction which will provide conditions unfavorable for termites," said Davis. These include full basements, the foundation extending 18 inches above the soil level or a solid block foundation. If it is a brick or hollow concrete block foundation, it should be capped with a four inch thickness of good concrete. No form boards should be left in the soil, and no wood supports or structures in the soil or in soft concrete flooring should be used.

Filled in porches should either be below the top of the foundation or a metal apron should be inserted between the concrete slab and the woodwork. These recommendations are based on the fact that termites have their nests in the soil, requiring the moisture of the soil, and that they gain entrance to the woodwork of houses either because wood is in contact with the soil, or opportunity is given the termites to construct tunnels from the soil nest to the wood-

work above, over foundation walls, or through spaces in the foundation.

In cases of infestations developing in buildings already constructed, the problem involves cutting off the soil nest from the woodwork above by reconstruction, treatment of voids in foundations, and soil treatment to provide a chemical barrier between the soil and the foundation wall. Details are given in the Agricultural Extension bulletin 225, available from county agricultural agents, or the Purdue Agricultural Experiment Station, Lafayette, Indiana.

CORRECTION

In last week's issue we erroneously stated that the farm home of Mrs. Earl Meredith was "purchased by a Mr. Biddinger." Mrs. Meredith still owns the farm, but rented it to William

Biddinger, who has been living in the Richland Center neighborhood.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother, Ida M. Blue, who passed away two years ago, February 11, 1946.

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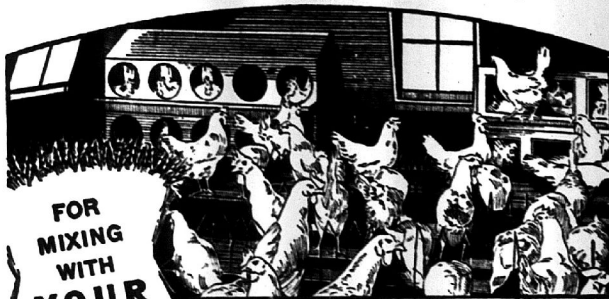
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SPORTS NEWS

(By Roscoe Davis)

Since Mentone didn't play this week there were no changes in the scoring. Next week I will predict who will win the sectional tourney.

Predictions FRIDAY

Milford over Metone.
Warsaw over Columbia City.
Claypool over Atwood.
Silver Lake over Burket.
Leesburg over Etna Green.
Bourbon over Pierceton.
Beaver Dam over Gilead.
North Webster over Cromwell.
Ligonier over Syracuse.

SATURDAY

Mentone over Burket.
Warsaw over North Manchester.
Leesburg over Sidney.

HEALTH FACTS FROM YOUR STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

BRUCELLOSIS

Preliminary reports of a survey of brucellosis (undulant fever) in Indiana conducted by the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry, Purdue University, P. S. Public Health Service and the State Board of Health reveal that of the cows tested 7 percent reacted positively.

It has been estimated that milk production of infected cows will decrease 20 percent. It has been further estimated that if the entire cow population were free of brucellosis, milk production would increase one percent. This may seem a small amount, but it meant a loss last year of 55.4 million pounds of milk, enough to supply 130,000 people with one year's supply.

In one area 80 percent of the human population was tested. One and one-half percent reacted positively. Wherever human reactors were found, animal reactors were kept on the premises. All human reactors drank raw, unpasteurized milk. These facts point once more to raw milk as the chief source of undulant fever.

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FOR SALE—A few Duroc male hogs, wt. around 190 lbs. Milo Swihart, 3 miles northwest Tipton. F-18p

JUST ARRIVED: A new assortment of stamped goods to embroider. — At Coopers' F18p

WANTED: Man with team to pick 12 acres corn. 2 1/2 miles west on road 25, 1/2 mile north, first house. 1p

FOR SALE: Several purebred Chester White fall boars. Weight 125 to 150 pounds. Your choice at \$60 if taken at once.—Chauncey Goodman, Mentone. F25p

A NICE SELECTION of buttons in new spring designs and colors. — Coopers' Store.

FOR SALE: Good used 1937 Terraplane coach.—Cox Motor Sales, Mentone. F18c

PUBLIC SALE: Kosciusko County Hampshire Hog Breeders' consignment sale, Warsaw, fair grounds, March 3, 1948, 1:00 P. M. 40 bred gilts, 3 fall gilts and 2 fall boars. All are Bang's free. For catalog see or write Leroy North, Mentone, Indiana. F25c

FARM LOANS A SPECIALTY — My prophecy came true. The other day I was in an abstract office and the abstractor said, "John, is money getting a little tighter?" I told him, "No, why?" He said a certain banker was in the office and said they were bearing down on the amount to loan on farms. Also, the rate of interest was 5 - 6 %.

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In case you sell the farm and the fellow would have the cash, we would accept the money after the first year. I take pleasure in submitting this proposition to you farmers. You are the ones who are borrowing the money.

If we make you a loan and you want to pay \$500.00 on the principal and in case you had a little hard luck, you don't have to pay anything for the next 4 - 5 years. I want you to remember that. Furthermore, we will not raise the rate of interest for 20 years. It will always be 4%. We are glad to dot that. We have to keep this money out. If you are interested in a farm loan, it doesn't take long to come see me, or write me a letter, or phone N. 65, and I will drive to your place.

Also, for your consideration, we are in the market to buy from 40 acres up. As I always said, it is a good time to sell. I would be glad to have the pleasure of meeting you and talk this matter over. — John Isenbarger, North Manchester, Ind. 2-14-21-28

LADIES, Brighten up your winter wardrobe with gay, printed handkerchiefs from Coopers' Store.

FOR SALE: 400 bales of second cutting alfalfa, baled with a Case slicer. — Phone 12 on 83, Allan Elzinger. 2-18-25 p

CERTIFIED Clinton seed oats. Have you tried this new, high yield, disease-resistant oats?—Gail Harrold, 3 miles south of Mentone on Highway 19. F18p

FOR SALE: 10x14 brooder house, insulated circle roof. A good one. — N. T. McClane F-18-p

FOR SALE: One coal burning water heater with 30 gallon range boiler, good condition.—K. A. Riner. F18c

PAPER HANGING. — V. Smith, two miles north of Palestine Christian Church. 1p

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FOR SALE: Model B, A.C. tractor, good condition. One row cultivator. Two 12-inch plow, like new. Five

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ARE YOU sleeping well? If not, see the Sealy Tuftless innerspring mattresses, \$49.50 up. Other innersprings as low as \$24.95 up. Argos Furniture Store, phone 962. F18c

FOR SALE: Estate oil burner, large size, with barrels and fittings.—Dan Smith, phone 2 on 23. 1c

FOR SALE: Baled alfalfa hay and wheat and oat straw. — Joseph A. Baker, Mentone 1c

FOR SALE: Maple coffee table; maple dinette set, 4 chairs; child's spring coat, 1 year old size; 2 lady's wool dresses, size 12; tenor banjo. — Mrs. Dale Wallace. (1p)

FOR SALE: 75 bales timothy hay and 200 bales alfalfa, first and second cuttings. — Phone Mentone 7 on 89. Royse Tucker. 1p

FOR SALE: 1 John Deere 2-bottom 14 inch 4B plow. Wanted: a 2-bottom 16 inch plow.—Frank Nellans, phone 5 on 71.

FOR SALE: 1936 Dodge coupe. All new tires. In good condition. Call after 4:00 P.M. Atwood 258.—Mrs. Helen Goble. 1p

FOUND: One leather key holder case. Owner may have same by paying for this ad.

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LIBRARY NEWS

The pupils of the first and second grades came to the library for their story hour again this week. Mrs. Jack Van Gilder told the stories, "Blaze and the Forest Fire" and "Blaze and the Gypsies." The children thoroughly enjoyed these stories of a little boy and his pony. Their close attention was proof of their interest.



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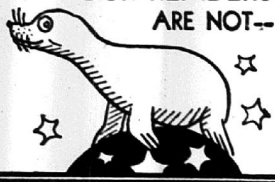
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PINK AND BLUE SHOWER

Miss Ilene Kercher was hostess at a pink and blue shower at her home Tuesday evening, honoring Mrs. Kenneth Shoemaker. The guest of honor received many lovely gifts.

Those present were: Elma Jean King, Mrs. Freda King, Marjorie Lockridge, Violet Friesner, Lois Gross, Mrs. Eugene Sarber, Mrs. Teel, Mrs. George Mollenhour, Jr., Mrs. Robert Blodgett, Mrs. Jack Shinn, Mrs. Earl Shinn and Mrs. Dove Kercher.

IN McDONALD HOSPITAL

Miss Alma Cattell, who has been at the Bair Nursing Home in Plymouth, is now in the McDonald hospital. X-rays showed that she is suffering from a broken hip.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank everyone for the gifts and cards for the baby.

MR. & MRS. CHAS. BLACKFORD

JAY SWICK IS ELECTED TO
HEAD GUERNSEY BREEDERS

Jay Swick of near Beaver Dam is the newly-elected president of the Kosciusko County Guernsey Breeders association, it was announced by representatives of the organization.

Other officers chosen at the business meeting were: vice president, Arden Warner of Silver Lake; secretary-treasurer, Leo Metzger of Sidney; directors, Arthur Smith of northwest of Warsaw, Raymond Helser of southeast of Warsaw and Harry Mishler of near Sidney.

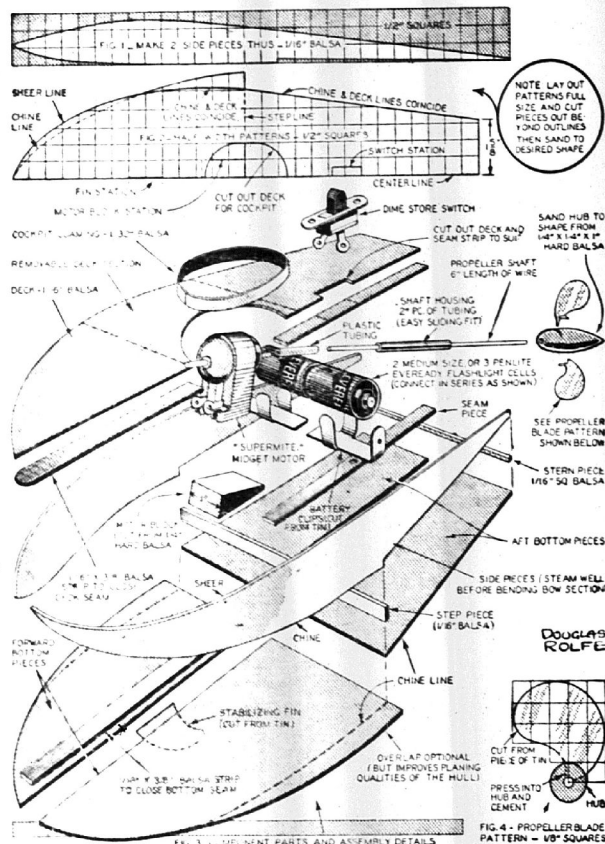
It was decided that an educational meeting would be held every three months by the association. Ed Wallace, field man at Purdue University, will be the speaker at the next meeting, which will be held in the near future. Motion pictures of interest to the breeders will also be shown.

Speed Queen washers \$99.95-\$119.95.
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Dear Dad:

A featherweight hull can be produced from the same plans by substituting 1/8" balsa for the 1/4" stock. The hull must be stiffened at the stern with pieces of 1/4" balsa.

Start construction by making up full-size patterns of the various hull members (see Fig. 1 and 2). Trace off these patterns on soft wood and cut out the hull outlines. Trim each piece with sharp sandpaper.

Soften the two side pieces and the deck and forward bottom pieces by boiling them for about 10 minutes. Bend to approximate shape and allow to dry before fitting and assembling the pieces. When dry, pin the parts together, first making the deck onto the top edge of the side pieces. Set all pieces in plenty of waterproof glue except at the hatch section, which must be removable in order to change batteries.

When the glue has set fast, remove all pins and put in the shaft and shaft hanger by pressing through the bottom and cementing the joint.

Make sure the shaft is lined up fore and aft before cementing.

Put in the motor block and the Eveready battery clips, cut to shape and bent from old tin can stock. Connect motor and propeller shafts with a short length of plastic or rubber tubing. Make the propeller as shown in Figures 3 and 4 and mount the propeller to the shaft with cement.

Connect Eveready battery, switch and motor terminals and oil the shaft in its tubular housing liberally. Motor can be either bolted down with small screws or held in place with rubber binders. The latter method is preferable.

Put in the stabilizing fin or fixed rudder exactly 3 1/2 inches from the stern, switch on the juice and watch her go.

Bottom pieces forward of the step may be flat, V-shaped or inverted V-shaped to suit. The featherweight hull with three Eveready Pen-Light batteries will give more speed, of course.

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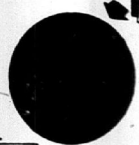


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One Guernsey, 7 years old, 6 gallon cow, freshen soon; Durham, 5 years old, 6 gallon, freshen soon; Brindle cow, 4 years old, 5 gallon, freshen soon; Holstein cow, 4 years old, 5 gallon, freshen soon; 1 Holstein and 1 Durham heifer, to freshen this spring. 3 coming yearling heifers. These cattle are all T. B. and Bang's tested.

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TERMS: Cash day of Sale.

Not responsible for accidents.

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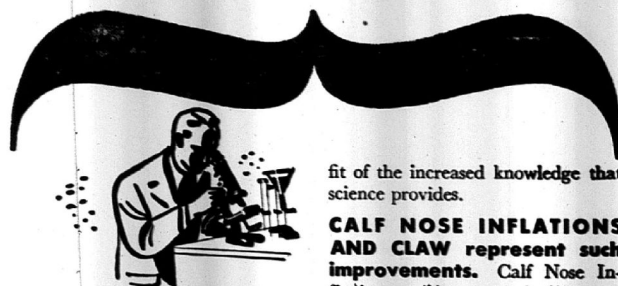
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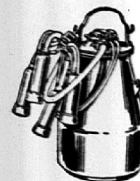


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Mentone, Ind.

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"Let us therefore come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need."

Hebrews 4:16

FAITH OR OPINION?

Faith or opinion, which? There is a big difference. Faith has been correctly defined as "belief of testimony." Where no testimony has ever been presented there can be no real faith. That would be an opinion. When testimony is presented and man believes this testimony, he then has faith. Paul so teaches in Romans 10:17: "So then faith cometh by hearing, and hearing by the word of God." If we walk by faith, then we must walk according to the testimony furnished by the Lord. According to the Apostle Peter in II Peter 1:3, God has furnished us all things that pertain to life and godliness. This we have in the New Testament scriptures.

Whenever we walk or act (religiously) exactly as the New Testament directs, then we are walking by faith. Religious authority comes in 3 ways; 1. Command, 2. Example, 3. Necessary Inference. For example, the New Testament furnishes us with the command to sing in our worship to God. (Col. 3:16; Eph. 5:19). There is neither command, example, or necessary inference for instrumental music in our worship. Therefore, to sing only is to walk by faith—to use the instrumental music is to walk by opinion. Likewise in the matter of baptism—there is no command, example of necessary inference in the New Testament for either sprinkling for baptism or infant baptism. Therefore to practice them is to walk by opinion rather than by faith.

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Morning Worship 10:30
Evening Service 7:30
Friday, Bible Study 7:30
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Lesson 25: "The First Group of Jews Returns to Jerusalem." References in Ezra and Esther.
"Come thou with us, and we will do thee good" (Num. 10:29).

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AND THE TRUTH SHALL MAKE YOU FREE!

In Acts 16:15, 31, 33, I Cor. 1:16, we are taught that the Apostles baptized "households" or families; and a man's house (oikos) most properly means his children, his offspring, his descendants, and is used to denote these exclusively. (See Ruth 4:12; I Kings 14:10-14, 16:3, 21:22; I Tim. 3:4, etc.) It should be noticed, too, that the baptism of families is mentioned in a way that indicates its being no extraordinary occurrence, but a thing of course. We are warranted, therefore, to assume that such was the usual practice.

Let it be further considered that we have no recorded instance of the baptism of any person grown to manhood that had been born of Jewish converts, or of Gentile proselytes, to the faith of Christ; nor have we, in any of the apostolic epistles, the remotest allusion to the reception of such children by baptism, into the Christian Church. Why? Because the children of the converts who composed the churches had been baptized with their parents, on their parents entering into the fellowship of the Church.

Nor should it be overlooked that infant baptism has been practiced in the Church from Apostolic times. Every Bible student should also be a student of church history. Tertullian, who lived about 200 years after Christ, was the first opponent of infant baptism of whom we have any account; and he opposed it, not as an innovation or departure from apostolic practice, but as being inconsistent with certain superstitious notions which he had become the advocate. His opposition proves that the baptism of infants was the general practice of the church in his lifetime.

(To be continued.)

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This school was one of a year-long series of such agents' training schools started by the Farm Bureau compan-

ies this year to give these agents the latest information on how to better service the insurance needs of the people in Indiana.

Last December, at the 1947 annual meeting of the American Institute of Life Insurance in New York, it was pointed out that this type of Agents' Training program, which the Hoosier Farm Bureau Companies have already in operation, is highly desirable and will lead to better servicing of all types of insurance protection.

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**STATE RECOMMENDS PLANTING
OF MORE TREES IN INDIANA**

Farmers and other land owners in the state are urged by the Indiana Department of Conservation to consider carefully the planting of young trees for forestry purposes.

Ralph Wilcox, state forester, stated that although the supply of several of the most popular varieties of trees raised in the Indiana state nurseries have been sold, there are still available large numbers of black locust,

shortleaf pine, Virginia pine, and red pine seedlings, and white pine transplants.

Shortleaf pine and Virginia pine seedlings should be planted only on land south of Indianapolis, Wilcox said.

In an effort to provide a continuous supply of black walnut timber for the future, the state forester recommended the planting of great numbers of "stratified walnut seed" each spring. These nuts should be planted in large openings in the woods where soil is

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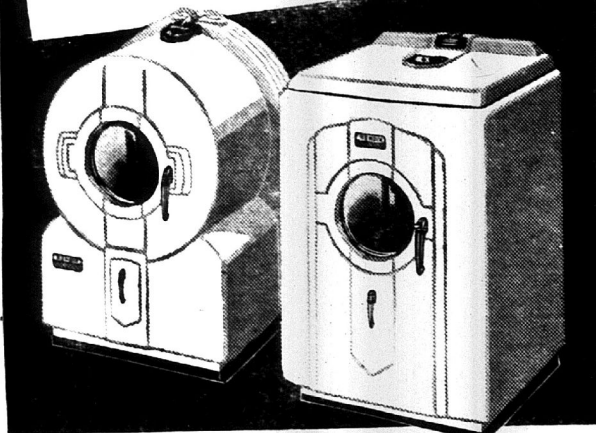
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"Walnut is a very valuable wood and we should start now to raise a continuous supply of this timber, both to maintain the veneer industry in Indiana and to provide for a possible supply of gunstock wood in the event of another war," Wilcox said.

A large supply of black walnut "stratified seed now is available in Indiana at state nurseries. These nuts were gathered by the nursery crews, and several hundred bushels were also

sent to the nurseries by member companies of the American Walnut Manufacturers' Association.

Persons interested in procuring trees for reforestation and windbreaks, and "stratified" walnut seed should contact their district or Farm Forester, County Agricultural Agent or the Division of Forestry, Indiana Department of Conservation, at Indianapolis. Planting instruction will be sent with each order.

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LOCAL NEWS

Aunt Emma Nellans is reported as quite low.

Mrs. Esther Borton is confined to her home by illness.

Waldman, New York City, is calling on old friends in our community.

William Fifer of Tippecanoe was a visitor in the Co-op News office Wednesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Blue spent Friday with Mrs. Peter Horn, her mother.

Mrs. Kenneth Cooper and her mother, Flossie Coplen, spent Friday with Mrs. Pete Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Coplen and Velma and Donnarae called on Mr. and Mrs. Pete Horn Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Slaybaugh, Etna Green and Jack Slaybaugh and family, Mentone spent Sunday in Elkhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Smith and Mr. Latimer of Warsaw were callers in Mentone Tuesday.

Mrs. Max Smith was dismissed last Thursday following major surgery at the Woodlawn hospital.

Bendix washers, ironers, dryers.—Baker & Brown Jewelry & Appliance Store.

Herbert Ross, who is associated with Kadans in New York City, is in our community calling on old friends.

Annabel Mentzer went to Memorial hospital at South Bend yesterday—Wednesday—for a minor operation.

The final report of Chairman H. V. Johns on the March of Dimes showed a total of \$342.27 from Mentone community.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Valentine arrived home last Tuesday by plane after a vacation in Florida.

Leonard Waldman, of Schlusell &

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Slaybaugh and

daughters were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Slaybaugh of Leesburg.

A letter from Mrs. Jennie Lyon tells us that she is back in Indiana after a three months visit in Oswego, New York, with her daughter, Mrs. Charles Davis.

Howard Snyder, of Storey, Wyoming, was a visitor last week at the home of his parents near Crystal lake, and Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Snyder of Mentone.

Walt Disney character rings, only \$1.20—Baker & Brown Jewelry & Appliance Store.

The first and second grade rooms are having quite a "Battle of the Measles," the attendance in both rooms being down to less than half for several days.

Mrs. Howard Kohr is back at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Hand, in Warsaw, after spending several days in the McDonald hospital for observation.

The first and second grades will not have school on Thursday and Friday because of such a great number being absent with measles. Parents are urged not to send their children back to school too soon following the measles.

Although little Rita Lockridge remains on the critical list, she has developed no new unfavorable symptoms. Mr. Lockridge and daughters spent Sunday in Indianapolis, although he was the only one who could see her.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manwaring and son Frankie returned from a months vacation in Florida last Wednesday evening. We understand that Uncle Chester Manwaring was Frankie's tutor while he was on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Mentzer attended the celebration of the fiftieth wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. John Shipley at Warren, Indiana, on Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Shipley are the parents of Mrs. James

Mentzer of Park Ridge, Illinois.

Just arrived! Waffle irons, toasters, corn poppers.—Baker & Brown Jewelry & Appliance Store.

Mr. and Mrs. Artley Cullum and children and Bonita Miner spent Sunday at Pokagon State Park, north of Angola. Pokagon is the ideal spot for anyone interested in winter sports, whether it's skiing, ice skating, or coasting. An added attraction is the 1800 foot toboggan. One can rent skis or toboggans at the inn.

We think we should let you folks in Florida, Arizona, and points south know that we're having some wonderful weather. Our snow is gone, the ice is fast disappearing, and the temperature (daytime) is around the spring-fever level. A robin has been seen, and any day now, I'm expecting to see my neighbor, Mrs. Rose, out talking to her still dormant flowers. Can honestly say, we're enjoying it,

after a long cold spell.

The Mentone Fire Department was called to the N. T. McClane home on Tuesday morning when a brooder house caught fire. Mr. McClane didn't think the fire department could get there in time to save it, but the alarm was phoned in from the house. The inside was blackened and charred by the burning litter but no extensive damage resulted. Mr. and Mrs. McClane were expecting their young chickens that day and they were getting the house warmed up for them.

H. V. Johns, Ora McKinley went to South Whitley Monday evening where they attended a zone meeting of Lions club officials. Mr. Johns is zone chairman for this area.

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JAMES K. MYERS, 79, DIES; FUNERAL ON THURSDAY

James K. Myers, aged 79, who resided most of his life southwest of Mentone, died at the Stansbury Nursing Home at Rochester at 5:30 A. M. on Tuesday. He had been ill for the past 18 months during which time he had suffered four strokes.

Mr. Myers, a farmer, was born in Ohio February 13, 1869, the son of Amos and Judy (Beck) Myers. In 1895 he was married to Mina Busenburg.

In addition to his wife, the surviving relatives include a daughter, Mrs. Nellie Grass of northeast of Mentone; a brother, Frank Myers of near Rochester; three grandchildren and two great grandchildren. A daughter, Mrs. Mazie Barnes, died two years ago.

Funeral services will be held at 2 P. M. Thursday at the Johns funeral home in Mentone. Rev. Silas Hill will be in charge. Burial will be in Sycamore cemetery, of which Mr. Myers was sexton for 17 years.

PARENTS OF TWINS

Mr. and Mrs. Justin Long of Ames, Iowa, are parents of twins, a son and daughter, born several days ago in a hospital in that city. Mr. Long is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Long of Mentone and formerly of this place.

JOHNSON

Mr. and Mrs. Kline Johnson of Mentone are parents of a daughter, born at 7:10 A. M. Monday at the McDonald hospital.

CLUB CALENDAR

THE FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME EC CLUB will meet on Thursday, March 4, at 1:30 P. M. at the home of Mrs. Corlyss LeCount.

THE O. E. S. will meet Monday evening, March 1, at 7:30. There will be election of officers.

MENTONE HOME EC CLUB
JOLLY JAMES HOME EC CLUB
MENTONE READING CLUB:

invited to attend the open meeting at the school building Wednesday evening, March 3, at 8:00 when Dr. Urschel will speak on diseases of the heart. (See articles elsewhere in this paper.)

LIONS CLUB: Wednesday evening, March 3.

PUBLIC INVITED TO ATTEND LIONS MEETING

The public is invited to attend a meeting sponsored by the Mentone Lions Club on Wednesday evening, March 3, at 8:00, in the high school assembly room.

Richard Manwaring, program chairman of the club, has announced that this meeting will be devoted to a discussion of heart disease. It will be under the direction of Dr. Dan L. Urschel, and will include a March of Time film on the heart, phonograph records of normal and abnormal heart sounds, and a short talk by Dr. Urschel on the general subject of heart disease.

Pamphlets prepared by the American Heart Association will be available for those interested. While this meeting is intended to stimulate interest in the fund-raising campaign of the Association, it is presented by the Lions Club as a public service feature, and there will be no effort to collect funds or subscriptions at that time.

Ora McKinley, club president, has extended an invitation to all area social and service clubs, and a similar invitation is extended to the public to come to this important meeting as guests of the Mentone Lions Club. There will be no admission charge.

D. A. R. MEETS

The Anthony Nigo chapter of The Daughters of the American Revolution met on Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Eldred Paulus, with Mrs. Frank D. Smith as assisting hostess.

The business session was conducted by the Regent, Mrs. Walter Fenstermaker. The President General's message was read by Mrs. Porter Williamson.

Mrs. Stanley Boggs gave a very interesting history of the National Society. She also mentioned some worthwhile projects our chapter had accomplished.

During the social hour the hostesses, assisted by Mrs. Cloice Paulus, served ice cream and cake.

The chapter will meet on March 23 at the home of Mrs. Walter Lackey. This will be a carry-in dinner and Mrs. Edna Carey will be assisting hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Bowser spent Sunday in Bloomington with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Anderson and son.

ASK STATE FOR NEW COUNTY LINE ROAD

Fulton and Marshall county delegations conferred with members of the state highway commission in Indianapolis today in regard to establishing a state road along the county line connecting roads 31 and 25.

The commissioners and attorneys of both counties, Oscar Scott, county highway superintendent, and a delegation of farmers from Mentone made the trip.

The project has been properly petitioned by land owners along the county line road. They are asking the state to take over the six-mile strip from Road 31 east to Road 25. The road west from 31 to Road 17 on the county line is state owned.—Rochester News-Sentinel.

SEWARD TOWNSHIP INSTITUTE MARCH 2 AND 3

The Seward Township Institute, which was planned for Feb. 17-18 but postponed because of the health officer's ruling, will be held on March 2 and 3.

The officers and committee members feel they have a mighty interesting program and invite everyone to come and enjoy the institute with them.

READING CLUB MEETS

The Mentone Reading Club met at the home of Mrs. Guido Shirey Tuesday evening for their post-poned Valentine party, with Mrs. Harold Nelson as assisting hostess.

The program was an informally planned discussion of the new book, "Stop Annoying Your Children," given by Mrs. Conda Walburn, Mrs. H. V. Johns, Mrs. D. L. Urschel and Mrs. Arley Cullum.

A novel feature of the evening was the exchange of home made valentines.

HAS NEW WRECKER

The Smith Bros. garage at Mentone now has one of the most modern service wreckers in this area. It is mounted on a new International chassis and has enough booms, pulleys, gadgets and controls to do almost anything one could imagine.

LOCAL BAND STUDENTS GET GOOD RATINGS

Twelve students from the Mentone Band went to Fort Wayne last Saturday, where they participated in the state music contest, which was held in the Harrison Hill school.

The ratings are marked by "S" for superior, "G" for good, and "E" for excellent.

The contestants, instruments, and ratings follow:

Martha Creighton, clarinet, G.
Jody Cullum, clarinet, E.
Norbert Darr, saxophone, E.
Bonita Miner, clarinet, G.
Richard Dillman, trombone, G.
Madeline Holt, sousaphone, S.
Patricia Hudson, baritone, G.
Dave Johns, cornet, E.
Betty Orcutt, saxophone, S.
Carol Peterson, cornet, G.
Charles Urschel, trombone, E.
Mary Louise Wilson, French horn, E.
The clarinet quartet, composed of Violet Friesner, Bonita Miner, Martha Sullivan and Jody Cullum rated an S.
Mrs. D. L. Urschel was accompanist for all the soloists.

TWO EXPENSIVE FIRES IN THIS AREA LAST WEEK

Fire took a heavy toll in this area last week when the Delbert Hunter barn and the Herman DeTurk home burned.

Thursday afternoon the Mentone fire department was called to the Wm. Deamer farm in Newcastle township, where the barn was afire. Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hunter are tenants on the farm and their loss was heavy. In addition to the large barn and milk house, 16 small pigs, eight bred gilts, 10 fall shoats, three registered heifers, one registered bull and one registered cow burned. Other animals have since died from the effects of the fire.

There is no way of knowing what started the fire as it seemed to be afire all over the main floor when first noticed.

Saturday about noon the Mentone department, as well as Burket and Silver lake, were called to the Herman DeTurk home, on the Anglin road, south of Burket, when the residence became engulfed in flames. Most of the furnishings were saved but the house was completely destroyed.

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HEALTH FACTS FROM YOUR STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

LEADING CAUSES OF DEATH

Heart disease, cancer, cerebral hemorrhage, automobile accidents and nephritis, or Bright's disease, were the five leading causes of death in Indiana in 1947, according to figures released by the Indiana State Board of Health.

Cardiovascular-renal diseases, including heart diseases, cerebral hemorrhage and nephritis accounted for 48.9 percent of all deaths, an increase of 2.2 percent over the figure of 46.7 percent for 1940. The gradual increase in percentage of deaths due to these causes

is closely related to the reduced number of deaths from other causes.

Tuberculosis deaths continued to decrease with the death rate dropping from 40.2 in 1940 to 27.8 deaths per 1000 population in 1947.

Deaths caused by childhood diseases showed a decrease with the exception of whooping cough which with 55 deaths showed an increase over the preceding year. In this group there were 22 deaths from rheumatic heart disease, 17 from diphtheria, 16 from poliomyelitis, 8 from measles and 7 from scarlet fever.

The typhoid fever death rates of 0.2 deaths per 100,000 population in 1945,

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1946 and 1947 were the lowest in the state's history. Eight deaths from typhoid occurred in 1947, the same number as in 1946 and two more than in 1945. Other enteric diseases, including diarrhea, enteritis and dysentery took 208 lives. The death rate from these causes, 4.4 per 100,000 population, shows improvement over the rate of 6.8 in 1940.

Among less common causes of death were four times from undulant fever, one from rabies, seven from Rocky Mountain spotted fever, six from pellagra, and eleven attributed to fungus infections.

The number of deaths caused by the various diseases are as follows:

Heart disease	12,447
Cancer	4,932
Cerebral hemorrhage	4,257
Nephritis	3,017
Accidental deaths, 3,063 with 1,139 resulting from automobile accidents, an increase of 11 percent over the preceding year.	

WARN THAT WEED KILLERS MAY POISON LIVE STOCK

Predicted widespread use of chemical weed killers on farms this spring has prompted a warning from veterinary authorities on the dangers of livestock poisoning. In a bulletin just issued, farmers are cautioned to "read

label instructions carefully" and to take steps to protect their animals if there is any possibility that the weed-destroying chemical employed is poisonous. At least one weed killer, 2,4-D, has been shown to be harmless to animals in the concentration ordinarily used for spraying weeds, but it is possible that certain other products may not afford such a high margin of safety, the bulletin pointed out.

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**OAT GERMINATION TESTS
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"Know what you sow" can well be applied to seed oats this year, A. S. Carter of the State Seed Laboratory at Purdue University, warns farmers. A summary of the germination tests in 670 oat samples tested in the State Seed Laboratory from October through January show that a large number of samples are unfit for seeding purposes with about 15 percent of the samples showing less than 50 percent germination.

While about three-fifths of the samples test above 80 percent, the large number of samples germinating in the lower brackets make it imperative for farmers who have not yet determined the quality of their seed to have it tested immediately.

It has been difficult for farmers to believe that seed that appeared so good could actually be dead or practically dead. Several samples were reported as having 100 percent dead seed.

Carter suggests that the farmer who buys tested and tagged seed takes one intelligent step toward assuring an oats stand. Fortunately much tested seed of the newer varieties, particularly Benton and Clinton oats, is available for seeding. Farmers who plan to sow seed grown by themselves should either test the seed themselves or get it tested. Buying untested seed indiscriminately, is never a good practice. The State Seed Laboratory can still test samples of oat seed. Representative samples of at least a pint of seed taken from several parts and depths of the bin can be sent to the State Seed Laboratory. County agricultural agents have been supplied with seed envelopes and will assist farmers in getting their seed tested.

**KOSCIUSKO COUNTY WILL
HAVE A FORESTRY TOUR**

Monday, March 1. Leave the court house at 8:45.

This will be a good opportunity to see what is being done in Kosciusko County on forestry and woods management work.

All tree minded people are urged to go on this tour.

This is the first planned tour for the county. James MacAllister, district farm forester and Arthur T. Parrish, district extension forester, will be on the tour to explain stops and answer any questions.

Stops:

1.—9:00 A.M.: Makemson tract on highway 13. Example of overcutting and poor farm management.

2.—10:00 A.M.: Homer Hiner's plantings near Webster. Plantings established approximately ten years ago.

3.—10:45 A.M.: Grayston Ruhl's south of Papakeechee Lake. Thinning and pruning work.

4.—11:30 A.M.: Gerald Bushong's woods. Good forest management. Area

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5.—1:30 P.M.: Leroy Goshert's woods. Good management.

6.—3:00 P.M.: Gochenour plantings on Sink Hole Road. Hardwood plantings.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond P. Lash are spending several weeks in Florida. During their absence Mr. Cooper is acting as superintendent of the Methodist Sunday school, and Mrs. Clayton E. Goodwin is teaching the "Go Forward" Class.

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LOCAL NEWS

Come see our new Telechron radio alarm.—Baker & Brown.

Mrs. Dora Taylor transacted business in Fort Wayne Wednesday.

Mrs. Bessie Bybee visited relatives and friends in Warsaw last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Fenstermaker and daughter Sue returned Monday from a vacation trip in the south.

Universal washers, Speed Queen, Bendix.—Baker & Brown.

Mrs. Ollie Sarber has moved back to her apartment in Mentone after spending a part of the winter with her sister.

Sunday afternoon callers at the Simon Snyder home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fields of Tipton, Indiana, and their son, Rev. Charles Fields, Jr., of New Mexico. Rev. Fields and wife will be remembered here as returned missionaries from Africa, who gave an illustrated lecture of their work, at the Methodist church here two years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Dawalt of Macy, Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Drudge and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor of Akron were Friday evening dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crume of Gilead. They also attended the Gilead-Beaver Dam ball game.

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BIRD, GAME SANCTUARIES**

Wildlife habitat areas in the state now total 1,123 with a combined acreage of 6,254, Indiana Department of Conservation officials have announced.

This project to provide food and cover for wildlife was started in 1941, and nearly every county in the state now has at least one of these refuges.

Indiana's Wildlife Habitat Restoration is directed by the Division of Fish and Game and operated under the Pittman-Roberston act, which furnishes federal funds derived from sales tax on guns and ammunition.

The Department of Conservation works in cooperation with farmers and Conservation clubs to advance this program of developing food and cover for birds and small game.

Small tracts of unused or eroded land are leased for ten years as wildlife habitat areas, and several farmers already have told conservation officials that they wish renewals when their present leases expire.

Each area is developed by planting prescribed trees, shrubs, and vines, to provide nesting areas, food and cover

required by quail, rabbits, pheasants, squirrel and small fur-bearing animals.

Although each refuge is a sanctuary for wildlife, hunting is permitted elsewhere on the farms outside the leased areas.

Delaware county, with 46, still leads all others in the total number of wildlife habitat areas. Close behind Delaware come Henry with 44, Kosciusko with 42, Warren with 41 and Jasper with 40.

Information concerning these game preserves may be obtained from conservation officers or the state project leader, H. P. Cottingham, at Room 11, Statehouse Annex, Indianapolis.

CARD OF THANKS

We extend sincere thanks to the Mentone and Rochester fire departments, the telephone operators, the REMC, and friends and neighbors for their efforts at our fire last week.

MR. & MRS. DELBERT HUNTER

Squaw Winter

Squaw winter is the first cold spell preceding Indian summer.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our kind friends and neighbors for their sympathy and assistance in our recent bereavement.

MRS. JAMES HUBBARD AND FAMILY

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Hill, Mr. and Mrs. James Watson and daughter, Linda, of Larwill, spent Monday evening at the Rev. Hill home.

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A South African inventor has received a patent on a radio that receives music only and automatically tunes in another station when a speaking voice interrupts the program for longer than one minute.

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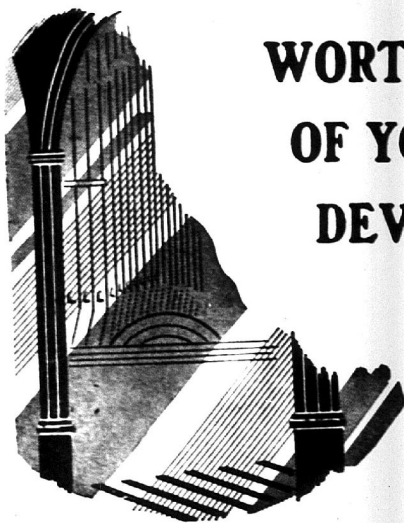
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**HOOSIER 4-H CLUBS PLAN
PROGRAMS FOR 1948**

Plans are under way to boost enrollment in Indiana 4-H clubs to 75,000 members in 1948, according to H. B. Taylor, state 4-H club leader on the Agricultural Extension staff of Purdue University.

Indiana people are proud of the fine work done by the 60,000 4-H'ers who enrolled in approximately 30 different projects in every county of the state last year. About 36,000 enrollees were girls and 24,000 boys. More than 100 boys and girls were named state achievement winners in various fields of endeavor. Some were awarded scholarships, others savings bonds, and several trips to the National 4-H club Congress in Chicago last December. A total of 28 delegates from Indiana attended the national meeting, and ten Hoosier 4-H Club members were named winners in national competition, making an impressive showing for Indiana.

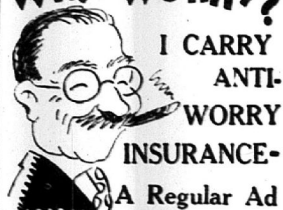
Creating better homes today for a more responsible citizenship tomorrow will be the objective of 4-H Club work in the state during 1948. Efforts will be made to improve the quality of work done by 4-H boys and girls, additional assistance given to leaders, and the drive for increased membership carried out, Taylor says.

More than 20,000 workers were enrolled in clothing projects, the most

popular among the girls, with baking and other home economics projects running a close second in popularity. The boys were busy with calf, pig, corn, and other crops and livestock enterprises, tucking their returns away for future use on a new tractor or a college education.

Guiding these thousands of boys and girls in their projects last year were 10,000 adult and junior leaders, who each year give encouragement, instruction and guidance. These volunteer leaders receive their recompense in the satisfaction of seeing a community enriched by capable boys and girls. 4-H'ers learn by "doing." They strive to fulfill the enlightened motto, "To make the best better."

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FOR SALE: South Bend Malleable range, ivory with nickel trim.—Elmer Dickey, R. R. Akron. M3p

FOR SALE: About 800 bushels good yellow corn. Also two wheel trailer.—Dow Epler, phone 7 on 83, Mentone. 1p

FOR SALE: Premier Duplex electric sweeper, good condition.—Phone 8 on 97. 1p

FOR SALE: 400 bales of second cutting alfalfa, baled with a Case slicer.—Phone 12 on 83. Allan Ezinger. 2-18-25 p

FOR SALE: Several purebred Chester White fall boars. Weight 125 to 150 pounds. Your choice at \$60 if taken at once.—Chauncey Goodman, Mentone. F25p

FOR SALE: 1933 Ford, priced right.—Roy Cox.

PUBLIC SALE: Kosciusko County Hampshire Hog Breeders consignment sale, Warsaw fair grounds, March 3, 1948, 1:00 P. M. 40 bred gilts 3 fall gilts and 2 fall boars. All are Bang's free. For catalog, see or write Leroy Norris, Mentone, Indiana. F25c

FARM LOANS A SPECIALTY — My prophecy came true. The other day I was in an abstract office and the abstractor said, "John, is money getting a little tighter?" I told him, "No, why?" He said a certain banker was in the office and said they were bearing down on the amount to loan on farms. Also, the rate of interest was 5 - 6%.

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Also, for your consideration, we are in the market to buy from 40 acres up. As I always said, it is a good time to sell. I would be glad to have the pleasure of meeting you and talk this matter over. — John Isenbarger, North Manchester, Ind.

FOR SALE: Fresh smelt, ready for the skillet.—I. G. A. Store.

We have a large selection of electrical materials, conduit, wire, etc.—Baker & Brown.

HOUSE FOR SALE: The Morrison home on East Main Street, one of the best locations in Mentone. House semi-modern, well constructed, 7 rooms, could be easily converted into a duplex.—Mahlon O. Mentzer

Mar 3 p

FOR SALE: Spotted Poland China bred gilts, to farrow in March and April. Also Clinton oats.—Ralph Lukens, five miles south and 2½ miles west of Mentone, Akron phone 3 on 113. 1p

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Jones and son Ken returned last week from a holiday in the southwest.

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TOWNSHIP NEWS

Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Gilliam of St. Joseph, Michigan, called on Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Gilliam was formerly of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Griles of Rochester called on her sister, Mrs. Charley Green Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Kramer were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lowe, near Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Paige of Chicago spent the week end at their home here.

Mrs. Ed Staldine has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. David Swihart called on Mrs. Helen Long of Mentone. She is confined to woodawn hospital at Rochester. Mrs. Long is formerly of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Kramer spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Green and family spent Saturday evening as guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gail Mathews of Inwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove and Mrs.

Charles Good spent Saturday afternoon in Rochester.

Mrs. Lee Sheetz called on Miss Alice Haines Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Tippy of Rochester are moving here to make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Ritter and daughter of Plymouth were guests of her mother, Mrs. Maude Kinsey Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Mathews and family of Inwood were guests of his mother, Mrs. Steve Mathews and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mathews.

Bob Kramer spent the week end in Plymouth as the guest of his mother, Mrs. Agnes Kramer.

Trustee and Mrs. Charley Green spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

Misses Bonnie Jean Hubbard and Mary Louise Green spent Wednesday afternoon in Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransford Peterson and Mrs. Daisy Barr attended a farm meeting at Rochester Thursday evening.

Clair Jones was returned to his home Saturday in the Zimmermann Bros. ambulance, from the St. Joseph hospital in Fort Wayne which he entered two weeks ago. He suffered a fractured hip January 12, 1947, in a tractor accident at his home, and was in a fracture bed five months. At the St. Joseph hospital the fracture was reset and new bone was grafted. He will have to remain in bed three months following removal from the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Smith and Master Rickey Zimmerman of Rochester were callers here Wednesday evening.

Miss Ruth Barr is not quite so well at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Holloway spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

Miss Bonnie Jean Hubbard spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hubbard of near Tiosa.

Mrs. Cora Bryant entertained the members of the T. H. E. Club at her home on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Gail Mathews and family of Inwood called on her mother, Mrs. Maude Kinsey, Sunday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Walters have

returned to their home after a sight-seeing trip through Florida.

Mrs. Charles Miller and family were guests of her mother, Mrs. Chester McCalla of Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Utter were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Walters.

Mrs. Esther Borton of Mentone has returned to her home after spending the past week with her daughter, Mrs. W. A. Dick.

Mrs. Robert A. Calvert, Mrs. George Deamer and Mrs. Elgie Vandermark spent Friday afternoon in Rochester.

Rev. Donald Koontz of Bourbon was a caller here Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dick spent Sunday in Crystal Lake as guests of Mrs. Dick's son, Earl Smalley, wife and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Green and family and Miss Bonnie Jean Hubbard spent Thursday afternoon in South Bend.

Mrs. Charles (Hap) Emmons has been confined to her home on account of illness the past week.

Steve, the small son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Walters, has been on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester White spent Thursday evening in Rochester.

Lavoy Montgomery spent Wednesday afternoon in Mentone.

Roy Dale Calvert has been confined to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Calvert, by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Verde Brockey spent Thursday evening in Rochester.

Skip Jameson of South Bend spent the week end here with friends.

Devon Eaton spent Friday evening in Laporte on business.

Jim Graver is assisting at the Paul Scott Body Shop.

June Barkman of Huntington spent Saturday here with her father, W. A. Dick and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Walters of Mentone were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clymer.

A large number of sport fans will attend the basket ball tourney at Winamac this week end.

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Classes for all ages, including a nursery for the babies.
Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Young People's Fellowship 6:30 p.m.
Nellie Christian, President.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Informal Gospel and Song Service.
Thursday Evening 8:00 p.m.
Prayer and Bible Study.

We are here not to be ministered unto but to minister. May we be of help to you?

METHODIST CHURCH

Paul I. Irwin, Minister

Mentone, Ind.

Elizabeth Blue, Church Secretary
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Promptness and faithfulness will bring success.

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Origen, who was contemporary with Tertullian, expressly declares infant baptism to have been the constant usage of the Church from the Apostles. (Bible students must also study their church history.) Cyprian, who wrote about 150 years after the apostles, gives fuller testimony to the fact. Nor is the slightest vestige to be found by which the practice can be traced to any origin on this side of the apostolic age.

Now, let all these things be taken together, and the conclusion will be forced upon us, that the children of converts to the faith of the Gospel are the legitimate subject of Christian baptism. To the very common demand of those who oppose infant baptism who say "Produce an express precept authorizing the baptism of children," we retort the demand, "Produce an express precept repealing and setting aside the ancient injunction and practice which existed under the same covenant of promise with that which constitutes the ground of fellowship in the Christian Church." And as to the objection that infants ought not to be baptized, because they cannot understand the nature and design of that sacrament, it applies with equal force against the circumcision of Abraham's male descendants. If infants cannot understand the nature of the sacrament, the parents can, and ought in the use of it to dedicate their offspring to God, claiming for them the grace which that sacrament symbolizes, and which God pledges Himself by that sacrament to impart.

WHAT ARE THE USES OF INFANT BAPTISM?

1. Infant baptism is a memorial of fundamental truths. It is emblematic of our need of regeneration. It brings before our minds the truth that little children are subjects of the spiritual kingdom of Jesus Christ. It is the sign and seal of the covenant of grace which secures and ratifies the provisions of salvation. On this ground we have far better reasons for the baptism of an infant than we can possibly have for the baptism of an adult. Baptism is administered to an adult because he professes to be a believer in Christ, and to have an interest in His redemption. But we can have no infallible certainty that such is really the case. In an infant there is no possibility of mistake.

(To be continued.)

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Mentone, Ind.



"This is the confidence we have in him, that if we ask anything according to his will, he heareth us, whatsoever we ask, we know that we have the petitions that we desire of him."
I John 5:14, 15

THEN AND NOW

The Bible reveals that there is an old and a new covenant. The first was in force until the death of Christ (Col. 2:14) and the new one became effective on Pentecost when the Church of Christ was established. People living before the death of Christ became members of the Old Covenant by being born into the family of Abraham. One of the first lessons which they had to learn was to know the Lord, because they entered the old fleshly covenant by an involuntary birth of the flesh. Being infants, they were totally ignorant both of God and His laws; therefore they needed to be taught to know God.

At this point, we find a very striking contrast between the Old and the New Covenant. The Hebrew letter points out that under the New Covenant, "They shall not teach every man his neighbor and every man his brother, saying, Know the Lord; for all shall know me, from the least to the greatest" (Heb. 8:9-13). Today when we voluntarily accept Him, there will be no necessity for teaching us to know the Lord for we will all know Him before entering this covenant. No one ignorant of the Lord can possibly be a member of it, "for he that cometh to God must believe that he is, and that he is a rewarder of them that diligently seek him. Heb. 11:4). With this agrees the Great Commission (Matt. 28:19-20; Mk 16:15, 16) and all the recorded cases of conversion in Acts. The New Testament order is: 1. Teaching 2. Belief 3. Repentance 4. Baptism. In this way we are "born of water and of the spirit" (Jno. 3:5), begotten of God by "the word of truth, that we should be a kind of first-fruits of his features." (Jas. 1:18).

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CHURCH OF CHRIST

Mentone, Indiana

Lloyd A. Boyll, Minister

Sunday—

Bible Classes 9:30
Morning Worship 10:30
Evening Service 7:30
Thursday, Bible Study 7:30
March 4, Old Testament studies, Lesson 26: "More Jews Return to Jerusalem." References: Ezra 7:6 to 10:11; Nehemiah.

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SPORTS NEWS

(By Roscoe Davis)

Mentone won two out of three games in four days. The loss was to Milford, 81-24. They defeated Burket 35 to 25. They defeated Claypool Monday 51-33. Mentone plays Burket in the tourney Thursday at 9:00.

Scoring

	Last Game	Total
Bowser	16	250
Emmons	16	177
Molebash	3	123
F. Dunnuck	6	113
Johns	7	112

Free Throws

Cooper	2-2	4-4
Grubbs	0-1	4-6
Emmons	4-5	40-67
Bowser	3-11	57-114

Predictions

Sectional Tourney

First Round

Columbia City over Atwood.
Leesburg over Pierceton.
Beaver Dam over Claypool.

Warsaw over Etna Green.
Mentone over Burket.
North Webster over Silver Lake.
Milford over Syracuse.
Larwill over Sidney.

Second Round

Columbia City over Leesburg.
Warsaw over Beaver Dam.
North Webster over Mentone.
Milford over Larwill.

Semi-Final

Warsaw over Columbia City.
Milford over North Webster.

Final

Milford over Warsaw.

WORTHWHILE CLASS OF THE
TALMA METHODIST CHURCH

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbert Utter delightedly entertained the members of the Worthwhile class of the Talma Methodist church recently. The meeting was in charge of the president, Mrs. Ann Staldine.

The meeting was opened with the singing of the class theme song, "Sing, Smile and Pray the Clouds Away." The secretary and treasurer's report was

read and approved.

Part of the evening was spent in playing games, in charge of Mrs. Dale Peterson and Mrs. Loren Kramer.

Dainty refreshments were served at the close of the social hour by the hostess and her assistant, Mrs. Verde Brockey.

COUNTRY NEIGHBORS

HOM EC CLUB MEETS

The Country Neighbors Home Economics Club held its February meeting at the home of Mrs. Della Shock.

Meditations were given by Mrs.

Shock. Discussion was held and a decision made to have a bake sale. Following the business meeting, conducted by the president, Helen Notz, the first part of the lesson on "Slip Covers" was given by Kathryn Teel.

One birthday this month helped to "swell" the sum in our Birthday Box. Prizes were won by Helen Shunk and Elnora Craig.

Delicious refreshments were served by Mrs. Shock and her assisting hostess, Ms. LaVera Utter.

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PROBATE WILL

The will of James E. Gill of Mentone, who died February 14, has been admitted to probate in Kosciusko circuit court. A daughter, Helen M. Goble of Warsaw, is administratrix. Mr. Gill left a personal estate valued at \$10,000 and real estate valued at \$15,000. His will bequeaths a sum of \$1000 to his widow, Emma L. Gill. He leaves all other estate, real, personal, or mixed, to his daughters, Ethel Gill Leach, of Bloomington; Jessie A. Tucker of Hamilton, and Helen M. Goble of Warsaw.

Premier, Universal, and Hoover Vacuum cleaners.—Baker & Brown.

Mrs. Mead Haimbaugh of South Bend, Captain and Mrs. Huston M. West and sons George and Tom were guests at the Obe Haimbaugh home on Tuesday.

Lindus Latimer was host to Ray and Hazel Linn at Sunday dinner served at Burket. The afternoon was pleasantly spent at the country home of Mr. Latimer, browsing among his various antique collections.

E. C. Johnson came on Tuesday to visit at the home of his daughter, Mrs. S. Hill. On Monday he plans to return to the State Soldiers Home at Lafayette, where he spends his winters.

Roy Cox attended a dinner of the Goodyear tire dealers in Warsaw Tuesday evening. The affair was held at the Camel Club and was sponsored by the Gas Fuel Service, county Goodyear dealers and distributors.

Perhaps, in our smallest type, we ought to say, "One swallow doesn't make a spring." My boasting words about our lovely spring weather had hardly gotten themselves into type, when the icy blasts descended. I'm wondering what happened to that robin. Anyway, it was (accent on the "was") a nice day, wasn't it?

Rev. John Knecht spoke at the morning service at the Claypool E. U. B. church on last Sunday morning. Mrs. Knecht spoke at the Elkhart Allbright E. U. B. church in the morning and in the evening at the Oakdale E. U. B.

church in Toledo, Ohio. On next Sunday morning Rev. Knecht will speak at Brook, while Mrs. Knecht will go to Tyner.

Shelia Meredith, daughter of Edwin Meredith of near Mentone, was accorded an "excellent" rating Saturday by judges of the solo, ensemble and vocal contest at Fort Wayne. Miss Meredith played a piano solo. The only rating above "excellent" is "superior."

Shelia attends school in Warsaw.

Glenn Denton, had the entire left side of his car damaged in a three-way collision in passing a truck on State Road 15, seven miles south of Wabash Sunday night. Name of the other car driver was not learned. The accident occurred as several cars were trying to pass an Allisbaugh truck operated by Carl Futrell of Hartford City.



SHREDDED WHEAT N. B.	2 boxes	36c
WHEATIES	2 8 oz. boxes	29c
L. E. TOMATO JUICE	46 oz. can	25c
RED KIDNEY BEANS, American Beauty can		15c
HAPPY HOME PEAS	2 cans	19c
MAXWELL HOUSE COFFEE	lb.	55c
JELLO, All Flavors	2 boxes	17c
SUGAR — Pure Cane	10 lb. 98c; 5 lb.	49c
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR	25 lb sack	215
JELLY FILLED ROLLS	pkg.	18c
PAN ROLLS	doz.	15c

Glazed Doughnuts, Long Johns, Cake Doughnuts, small and large Angel Food Cakes.

Fresh Fruits & Vegetables

LEAF LETTUCE	lb. 17c
WINESAP APPLES 3 lbs.	29c
Pk. Mt. GRAPEFRUIT 4 for 27	
Fresh PINEAPPLES ..	ea. 39c
HEAD LETTUCE 2 heads	25c
POTATOES	per pk. 69c
BANANAS	No Limit

FROZEN FOODS

Apple Sauce, Frozest 2 for	25c
PEAS, Frozest	box 25c
CHERRY PIES	each 69c
Sliced Peaches B. E. ...	box 35c
ROSE FISH, HADDOCK, COD.	
SEAL TEST ICE CREAM	
Package and Hand Pack	

— MEATS —

SLICING BOLOGNA ..	lb. 35c	PORK CHOPS	lb. 49c
BACON ENDS	lb. 39c	CLUB STEAKS	lb. 59c
SLICED BACON	lb. 59c	FRANKFURTS	lb. 49c

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FISH FRY LAKE TRAIL CAFE on FRIDAY, MARCH 5

Fish fried the way you like them . . . and your friends here for an evening of fun. Join us.