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MRS. OLIVE SARBER DIES

Mrs. Olive Sarber, 89, died at 9:30 a. m. last Thursday at the home of her sister, Mrs. Charles Black, south of Mentone. Mrs. Sarber had been bed-fast for the past two and one-half years.

Mrs. Sarber was born in Sevastopol, Sept. 21, 1865, the daughter of George and Mary (Dunlap) Rickel, and had lived in Kosciusko county all of her life. She was married Sept. 17, 1883 to Edison Sarber. She was a member of the Seventh Day Adventist church at Indianapolis.

Survivors include one brother, Lloyd Rickel, Mentone; and one sister, Mrs. Black; three nephews and one niece.

Funeral services were held at two p. m. Saturday at the Reed funeral home with Rev. Daniel Slaybaugh, of Akron, officiating. Burial was in the Palestine cemetery.

EMMA GILL ENTERTAINS D. A. R.

The Anthony Nigo chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, held their January meeting at the home of Mrs. Emma Gill with Mrs. Helen Brown as assisting hostess.

The Ritualistic service was conducted by the Chaplain, Mrs. Emma Gill, followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the flag.

The business session was conducted by the vice Regent, Mrs. Annabelle Rathfon. Mrs. Omar Drudge was elected as delegate to the Continental Congress.

A very interesting article on "Our American Heritage—My Responsibility to Preserve It," was given by Mrs. Vera Kelly.

Mrs. Juanita Paulus announced the winner of our Good Citizenship contest as Miss Jeweldean Deaton, of Silver Lake. Other participants in the contest from six surrounding schools were:

Mary Constance Doyle, Mentone; Lura Adams, Beaver Dam; Ester Burke, Sidney; Marlene Kenzie, Claypool; Mary Helen Longenecker, Atwood.

Miss Marilyn Rathfon played two selections on the piano. One selection she has prepared for the district all-piano contest to be held in Warsaw.

Mrs. Agnes Rans was a guest. During the social hour the chapter held their auction after which the hostesses served dainty refreshments.

The chapter adjourned to meet in February With Mrs. Madeline Bybee.

MENTONE PTA TO SPONSOR MENTONE MINSTRELS

At a recent meeting of the Mentone Parent-Teacher Association, it was voted to sponsor a minstrel show. The entire proceeds from the Mentone Minstrels will go to the Mentone school music department, for the purchase of several new band uniforms, music for both chorus and band, and toward the purchase and repair of school-owned wind instruments.

Mrs. Robert Hoever, PTA president, appointed a committee to take charge of this project. It consists of the following members of the PTA: The music instructor, Dale Whitehead; Noah Tinkey, Mrs. Maude Romine, Mrs. Gilbert Griffis and Mrs. Del Nelson.

The committee has met several times and plans for the minstrel are progressing rapidly.

Mr. Louis (Peanuts) Breeding, of Warsaw, director of the well known Warsaw minstrel show for the past several years, is going to be the director for the Mentone Minstrels. With his past experience and the success of the Warsaw minstrel show to prove his ability, Mentone is very fortunate in acquiring him for director of their show.

The following committees were formed and their chairmen appointed: Chorus Director—Dale Whitehead. Ticket Chairman—Grace Lewis.

Costume Chafman — Mrs. Brooks Dawson, English and Speech instructor in the Mentone school, and Mrs. Elwyn Weiss, co-chairman.

Make Up Chairman—Miss Wreatha McFarren (School Instructor).

Stage Manager—Delbert Bunner with Elwyn Weiss as co-chairman. (School Instructors).

Publicity Committee—Noah Tinkey, and Mrs. Gilbert Griffis and Mrs. Monroe Romine.

The entire cast will be made up of PTA members, parents of school children and people from our own community.

Mr. Breeding met with the committee chairmen last week to "get the ball rolling." The first practice for the interlocutor and end men will be Wednesday, Feb. 2, at 8:00 p. m.

If you can carry a tune—without a basket—and want to have a real good time, and at the same time contribute to a worthwhile activity in your school, join the Mentone Minstrel Chorus.

PTA PANEL DISCUSSION FEB. 9

Have you wondered how an outside "job" affects a student's school work? Or how many age groups are participating in basketball? Or how much practice a student in band or chorus should have?

If you'd like to hear these and other questions concerning extra-curricular activities, discussed, come to PTA next Wednesday, Feb. 9, at 7:30 in the gymnasium. A panel of two parents, two pupils and two teachers will discuss questions which have been asked from time to time.

If you have not taken advantage of PTA to acquaint yourself with the teachers and other parents, we hope you'll be on hand for this fine program.

PARENTS OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Hatfield, Palestine, are the parents of a seven pound, two ounce son born at 1:59 p. m. Friday at the McDonald hospital.

POULTRY ASSOCIATION TO MEET

The February meeting of the Kosciusko County Poultry Association will be held at the Eskimo Inn at Winona Lake on Thursday evening, Feb. 10th, at 6:30 p. m. This will be a dinner meeting and visitors and members are urged to attend.

A manufacturer's specialist will be present to discuss the new water, spray and dust vaccines.

REVIVAL SERVICES

Rev. Carl Harbour, of Claypool, is the speaker for the services each evening through February 9, at the Palestine Methodist church. Special music each night. Services begin at 7:30. Everyone Invited. You are always welcome.

Miss Janet Reed, who attends Purdue University, is spending the mid-term vacation at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed. Her room-mate, Miss Jean Wilburn of Ft. Lauderdale, Florida, is her guest here during their vacation.

Phone or write Mrs. Monroe Romine, R. 1, Mentone, phone No. 44F21.

Remember these dates—March 29-30—for the "Mentone Minstrels."

SUICIDE VERDICT IN IVAN MILLER DEATH

Dr. Otis Bowen, Marshall county coroner, returned a verdict of suicide late Monday in the death of Ivan Miller, 56, of near Tippecanoe, who was found dead of a shotgun wound about nine o'clock Monday morning, in his car about four miles northwest of Mentone.

Miller, an employee of the Co-Op. Mill at Mentone, had left for work about six o'clock and it was determined that death occurred shortly thereafter. He was found by a bread truck driver, near the Noble Shaffer farm. The motor of his car was still running and the lights were still on. A 16 gauge shotgun was in the front seat of the car and the charge came out the back of his neck.

No suicide notes were found and members of his family knew of no reason for the act.

Mr. Miller was born March 14, 1898, on a farm near here. March 3, 1923, he was married to Mary Catherine Brandenburg, who died on August 7, 1940. He was a member of the Moose and Eagles lodges.

Survivors are two sons, Franklin, of Warsaw, and Charles, R. 2, Rochester; three stepchildren, Ernest Warren of Cutler, Gladys Walter of Rockfield and Ray Warren of Peru; five brothers, John of Bourbon, Ed of Akron, Joe of Tippecanoe, Everett of Plymouth and Melvin of Warsaw; three sisters, Mrs. Lola Overhault of Warsaw, Mrs. Mary Marshall of Mentone and Mrs. Julia Denny of Fort Wayne.

Funeral services were held at three o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the Mt. Zion Pentecostal church in Warsaw and burial was in the Tippecanoe cemetery.

CLUB CALENDAR

O. E. S. Monday Feb. 7-8, 8:45 p.m. Election of Officers.

J.O.Y. Circle meeting at the home of Mrs. Bernice Rush, Tuesday, Feb. 8, 9:00 a. m.

Mentone Home Demonstration Club, Thursday, Feb. 10, 1:30 p. m. at country home of Mrs. Opal Tucker.

Legion Auxiliary, Tuesday evening, Feb. 8, at 8 o'clock, at Legion Home.

O. E. S., Monday, Feb. 7th, 7:45 p. m. Election of officers.

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LOCAL FARMERS HELP DEVELOP NEW OATS

Local farmers have assisted in the multiplication of a new, improved spring oat variety, Clintland. It promises to be one of the leading varieties in the state because it is higher yielding than the now widely used Clinton 59 and is resistant to crown rust, often times called leaf rust.

Purdue University distributed the foundation seed for this variety on the basis of the number of acres of oats raised in the county; therefore, the heavy oat producing counties received larger allotments. The average oat acreage in this county is approximately 31,185 acres. The farmers who multiplied the new variety cooperated with the Seed Certification Service and produced seed which is classified as Registered 1 under the certification program. Certification inspectors carefully checked each multiplication field during the summer, and seed samples are now being analyzed to insure that the

Foundation seed which was planted has not become contaminated.

There is only enough Registered 1 Clintland seed to provide seed for one farm in ten in the state. However, certification officials report that there is enough Indiana certified, blue-tagged seed of other recommended varieties such as Clintafe, Clinton 59, Benton, and Mo. 0-205 to meet the needs of most farmers who are interested in using these improved varieties.

Local farmers who have aided in the multiplication of Clintland oats are: Howard Beer, R. 2, Milford; Raymond Cauffman, R. 2, Claypool; Lowell Leckrone, R. 1, Claypool; Ralph Long, R. 2, Etna Green; Leroy Norris, R. 1, Mentone; Prairie View Stock Farm, R. 2, Leesburg; Mrs. H. H. Tenney and Son, R. 2, Warsaw; Loren Thompson, R. 2, Claypool; Herman Weisses, Box 339, Milford; Harold Wilson, R. 2, Milford; and Dallas Wood, R. 2, Claypool.

COOPERATION PAYS

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NOTICE OF LETTING SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION CONTRACTS

Notice is hereby given that the Trustee of Harrison Township, Kosciusko County, having determined that school bus equipment is now available so as to permit free and open competitive bidding will (with the advice of the advisory board of such township) receive sealed bids until 7:30 o'clock p.m. on February 24, 1955, at the trustee's office located at Home for the transportation of school children on designated routes. Definite specifications, which describe the routes to be traveled, the equipment to be furnished and other conditions which will be required in the contract are now on file in the office of the township trustee and a duplicate copy thereof is on file in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

H. EARL BOGGS, Trustee
HARRISON Township F 9

Are your farm buildings exposed to the cold north and west winds? The forestry department at Purdue University suggests that a good pine windbreak on the north and west side will eventually reduce fuel costs and make the farmstead more attractive. Extension agents have tree order blanks and can also provide a copy of Extension Leaflet No. 294, "Ten Pointers on Tree Windbreaks."

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PALESTINE NEWS

Mrs. Edison Vandermark

The M.Y.F. of the Methodist church held a bake sale at the Chief Market in Warsaw, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Williamson, who has been spending a few weeks in Florida called on Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Gruenewald Sunday afternoon. Mrs. Gruenewald and Mrs. Williamson are brother and sister.

Mrs. Ada Brown has gone to Napoleon, Ohio, to spend a few weeks with her granddaughter, Mrs. Don Vance and family. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wiltrout took her to Kendallville, where the Vance family met her, Sunday afternoon.

Joe Stickler and Joe Leiter spent Thursday at North Manchester.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Eaton left Sunday for Florida, for several weeks vacation. They expect to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rickel at Wabasso, Florida.

Mrs. Albert Rider underwent surgery at the Woodlawn hospital at Rochester, Friday. She returned to her home, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Breeding, who live on road 15 north of Warsaw, called on Mrs. Edison Vandermark, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fidler, of North Webster, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Secor, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blackwell are ill with a virus infection.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bruner, Sr., called on Mrs. Edison Vandermark, Saturday afternoon.

Ralph Black, of South Bend, visited his mother, Mrs. Irene Black, Sunday.

Revival Services began at the Methodist church Sunday evening. Rev. Carl Harbour, of the Claypool parish, gives the message every evening, except Saturday. Services begin at 7:30 p.m. Everyone welcome. Come and bring someone with you.

Last Week's Items

Saturday overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Rose were: Mr. and Mrs. Miri Leek and daughters Cristy and Merla, of Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blackwell, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stickler and Catherine Stickler, of Warsaw, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stickler, Thursday evening. They enjoyed a Roose goose dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bruner, Jr., were entertained to a dinner Sunday evening by Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Redick, of Warsaw. It is an annual affair for all of their employees.

Mrs. Goldie Powell, of near Leesburg, visited with Mrs. Edison Vandermark, Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kehoe, of near Tippecanoe, spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Blackwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Reiner Mr. and Mrs. Dale Army, of Warsaw were Sunday afternoon guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Rose.

The M. Y. F. of the Palestine Methodist church enjoyed a very interesting meeting Sunday evening. After the meeting they enjoyed Barbecued wieners, potato chips, fruit salad, cookies and cocoa. Mrs. William Klaar is the counsellor and they are planning a food sale to be held at the Chief Market Saturday morning. They meet every

two weeks at 6:30 on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Keel and family, of Lansing, Michigan, spent the week end with Mrs. Keel's mother, Mrs. Sylvester Clark. On Sunday the Clark family had a reunion with a carry-in dinner. The afternoon callers were: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Warren, of Tippecanoe; Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Christenberry, of Atwood; Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Ludwig, of Elkhart and Mrs. Charles Nickerson, of Elkhart.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bruner, Sr., were Mentone callers, Monday morning.

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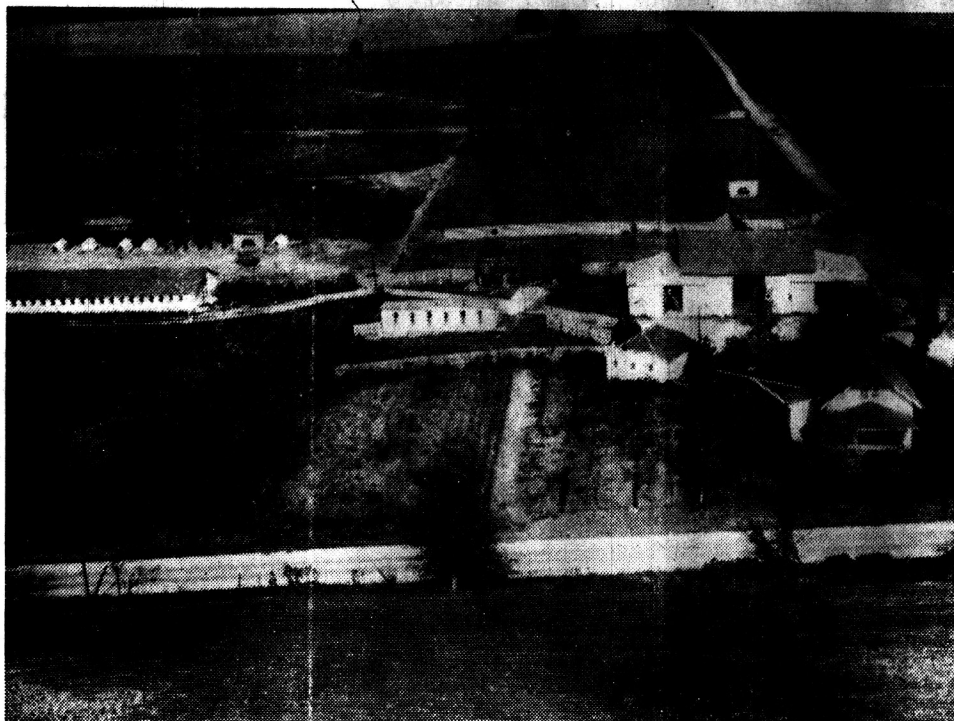
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The above is another picture in the second series of farm photos to be printed in the Co-Op. News.

The pictures were taken by the Zekan & Robbins photographers, Harlan, Iowa, and are all of farms in the Mentone trading area. The pictures are not identified and it will be up to the owners or neighbors to notify this newspaper office. The pictures were taken by airplane and not even the photographer knows one from the other. It will be interesting to see who is the first to identify the pictures each week. Phone Mentone 38. We will endeavor to publish the names of each person correctly identifying the pictures each week.

The farm owner will be given the original 5 x 7 mounted picture absolutely free of any cost. All we require is that the operator himself come to our office and give us a little information about the farm, its operation, etc. Additional prints, colored enlargements, etc. can be obtained by contacting this newspaper.

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The farm pictured in our last issue—the first in a new series of 52—was identified as the Mar-Fawn farm located three miles south and one and one-half miles west of Mentone, owned by Fawn and Mars Tucker. A son, Devon, his wife Wilma and son Larry live just east of the place pictured.

Mr. Tucker has been on the 160 acre farm for 40 years. General farming of crops and livestock takes most of Mr. Tucker's time.

The Tuckers also have a daughter, Mrs. Rex Parker, of Silver Lake.

Mr. Tucker was the first to call and identify the farm, with Dick Bogan-wright close behind. Another reader thought it to be the Joe Boggs farm, and we will acknowledge that these aerial photos do get confusing—especially to us who remain on the ground most of the time.

Who will be the first to recognize the picture printed on this page of the Co-Op. News?

Mrs. Monroe Romine was in a few

days ago and received her free photo of their farm, which was printed in one of our issues last July. The farm is located north of Mentone on Road 18, where the Romines have lived the past 34 years. There is 181 acres in the farm. Children of Mr. and Mrs. Romine are Gerald, Kenneth and Janet.

We have four or five other farm pictures, printed in our last series, that have not been picked up by the owners. We'd like to give them to the owners.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone who sent me cards and flowers. Also those who called on me at the hospital and since I have returned home.

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TOWNSHIP NEWS

Miss Sandra Jameson, of Fort Wayne, spent the week end here visiting her father, Claude Jameson.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove were called to Logansport Sunday by the death and funeral of Mr. Grove's brother-in-law, Jack Imler.

Miss Sarita Emmons, of South Bend, was a week end guest of her mother,

Mrs. Helen Emmons.

Mrs. Fred Safford, of Clyde, N. C.; Theodore Safford, of Charleston, S. C., and James Safford and son, Dave, of St. Petersburg, Florida, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove, Sunday evening, for a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Mentzer, of Mentone, spent Sunday afternoon here. Lavoy Montgomery attended the funeral of his uncle, Jack Imler, of Logansport, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Verde Brockey spent Saturday afternoon in Rochester.

Joe Duzan was a business visitor in Rochester, Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kale and family, of Rochester, were Sunday guests of Mrs. Kale's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Green.

The Talma Tigers basketball five will journey to Gilead on Friday night, where they will meet the Gilead five on the Gilead court. A large number of Talma fans are expected to accompany the Tigers on this night.

Plans have been completed for the annual Farmers Institute to be held on Wednesday and Thursday February 9 and 10 in the community building.

Herbert Myers who is confined to the Veterans hospital in Fort Wayne, is somewhat improved at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Srivier and family were Sunday evening guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sid Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Safford and Lowell, attended the funeral of Jack Imler, of Logansport, Sunday.

John Kalmbacher is being treated at the St. Joseph hospital, at Fort Wayne.

Jim Dick has returned home after serving as a page in the Indiana House of Representatives, at Indianapolis. He is a student in the seventh grade in the local school.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Chapin were business visitors in North Manchester, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Srivier attended the basketball tourney at Leiters Ford, Saturday evening.

Mrs. Cora Bryant was a dinner guest

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SCHOOL NEWS

Attendance Remains Excellent

Attendance during the third grading period remained at a high average. Mentone has been fortunate so far this year in escaping any sickness of epidemic proportions. Parents have co-operated very well in not keeping children out of school for shopping and other illegal excuses. It has not been necessary to call on the county attendance officer, Mrs. Riner, more than a couple of times this year. Tardiness remains a serious problem since the community went on daylight saving time. In spite of the fact that pupils are required to make up tardy time and often given other punishments, Mentone has had this winter more tardiness than during any other years in recent times. The percent of attendance for each grade follows:

- 1st—96.77%.
- 2nd (McFarren)—96.15.
- 2nd (Folk)—95.3.
- 3rd—98.23.
- 4th—98.63.
- 5th—97.30.
- 6th—97.55.
- 7th—97.13.
- 8th—98.63.
- 9th—98.24.
- 10th—99.38.
- 11th—97.35.
- 12th—96.26.

Mentone Loses to Silver Lake

After playing a close first half with the Silver Lake Ramblers last Friday evening at Silver Lake, the local varsity faltered badly in the second half to lose to the Kosciusko County champions by a score of 60-44. Hoover was high for Mentone, while Brandenburg and Kinsey did well for Silver Lake. The Mentone second team salvaged the other game, winning 40-33. Mentone returns to Silver Lake this Friday to

play the Claypool teams.

Eighth Grade Remains Undefeated.

The local eighth grade team won its eleventh victory of the season last Thursday evening against Burkett in the local gym. The Mentone seventh also won. The seventh grade now holds a 9-1 record. This Thursday the two teams will travel to Atwood to play the Atwood Junior High teams.

Senior Talent Show Well Attended

The Senior Talent Show held Tuesday evening in the gymnasium was well attended. Net profit amounted to \$121.50. A girls' quartet composed of Susan Briel, Martha Nelson, Madonna Nellans, and Danya Creviston won first prize in the junior division. A group of Cub Scouts — James Keirn, Steve Shirey, David Teel, Eddie Tridle, Gale Nellans, and Lyle Long—won second prize. Third prize went to Anita Kay Sweet. In the high school division, first prize went to Rita Olson playing "Deep Purple" on the piano, second prize to Carol Rathbun for her piano solo, and third prize to a quartet composed of Betty Griffiths, Janice Nelson, Rita Olson, and Sarah Urschel. Albert Henderson served as master of ceremonies.

Third Grade to Attend Shrine Circus
The third grade will attend the Shrine Circus at Fort Wayne on Friday, the guests of the Kosciusko County Shriners. Mr. and Mrs. Fuller and Mr. Loren Tridle will accompany the group.

Varsity to Attend Fish Fry.

The twelve varsity basketball players will attend the annual sectional tournament fish fry to be held at Piercetown on Monday evening. Mr. Hoogenboom, Mr. Kent, and Mr. Boggs will accompany the group.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tombaugh and son Dick, went to Indianapolis, Sunday

where they visited Lorin Burt in the Veterans' hospital. They report finding him in good spirits. Mrs. Burt returned home with them.
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith, Mr. and

Mrs. Glenn Claus and Mr. and Mrs. Bud Harshberger, attended the grand opening at the Hobby Ranch House, on Anthony Blvd., in Fort Wayne, Sunday.

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PALESTINE W.S.C.S. MEETS

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist church met Thursday for an all-day meeting, with

Mrs. Marshall Eaton. A delicious carry-in dinner was served at the noon hour. A short business meeting was held by the president, Mrs. Edison Vandermark in the afternoon and a very interest-

ing lesson, "The Family of Prayer," was given by Mrs. Ray Eckert and the meeting was closed by uniting in the Lord's Prayer by the group. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Floyd Blackwell on February 24.

LOCAL NEWS

Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Tessie Newton were Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Newton and family, of Burket, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newton and family, of Rochester.

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STITCH AND STIR 4-H MEETING

The Stitch and Stir 4-H club met at the home of Janet Romine on January 25. We had installation of officers, then the president, Janet Romine, took over and we said the pledge to the American and 4-H flags. The secretary's report was read and approved.

The Garden Books are coming along fine. We have sold twenty-four books and still have twenty-six books left so if you haven't yet bought your books, you still have plenty of time. The

price is still only one dollar.

Record books were handed out to thirteen members. We drew for "Secret Sisters." At the end of the year we will hand out gifts to our secret sisters at our picnic.

The Officers Training Meeting has been postponed until a later date. The next meeting will be at the home of Pam Hammer on February 16, at 7:00 p.m.

—Donna Eaton, reporter

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Ina Davis and family called on Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Adams of Argos, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Leedy and children, Betty and Jerry, and Kathleen

Morphey, of Warsaw, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Myrtle Davis.

Russell McFadden, of New Haven, was a Sunday guest of Dr. and Mrs. O. L. McFadden and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hatfield spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter A. Hatfield, of Star City.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Floor and daughters visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Nelson and family.

Get a full case of Tide with one of those new Speed Queen Washers at Baker's Jewelry and Appliance Store.

If you want to save extra pigs at farrowing time, the agricultural engineering department at Purdue University suggests that you write for a copy of Extension leaflet 318 entitled "Save

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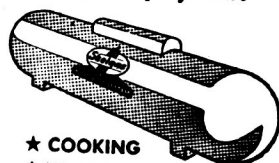
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LIONS CLUB MEETS

Leroy Cox, vice president, presided at the regular meeting of the Mentone Lions Club, Wednesday evening. Lion President James Rodibaugh, and other Mentone Lions, were attending the charter night program at Burket, where a new club is being established.

Officers of the new Burket club are: Guy S. Baker, president.

Dwight Bechtol, 1st vice president.

Riley L. Parker, 2nd V. P.

Rodger Phillips, 3rd V. P.

Virgil R. Haupt, secretary.

Bob Tucker, treasurer.

Alden Jones, Lion tamer.

Albert Rider, tail twister.

Russell Day, Donald Kuhn, Marshall Parker and George Duff, board of directors.

Other charter members are: Carl Thomas, Francis Hutchens, Paul Newcomb, Harry Watkins, Jr., Clifford Eherenman and Delford Nelson.

PRODUCE GOOD EGGS
TO GET MORE MONEY

Lafayette, Ind.—Many poultry raisers are not receiving what they should because they are not making the effort to produce the kind of eggs that will bring more money. Dave Jackson, extension poultryman, Purdue University, offers some suggestions which, if followed, will bring Hoosier farmers more money for their eggs. Quality eggs can be produced almost as easily as ordinary eggs. To produce quality eggs the grower should purchase chickens that are bred to lay eggs of good size and shape, as well as have good interior qualities. These characteristics are largely influenced by heredity. After

starting with the best stock available it is up to the grower to produce the kind of market eggs that consumers prefer.

To do the job, farmers find that it is not difficult if they will use a deep, dry, built-up litter in the laying house. Welded wire under the roosts to keep the hens out of their droppings, and non-spill water fountains should be used. At least one nest for every five hens should be provided and the nests should be kept filled with deep, dry, frequently replaced nesting material. A sack of this material should be hung near the nests for convenience and to

save time when cleaning nests. It is much easier to keep eggs clean than it is to clean dirty eggs.

Eggs should be gathered frequently, at least three or more times daily using wire baskets. Eggs should be cooled soon after laying and held at a temperature of 50 to 60 degrees F. Moisture content of the air should be high and this can be done by adding extra moisture so as to keep a 70 to 80 per cent relative humidity. Empty egg cases, fillers and flats should be precooled and moisturized. Cool eggs should be packed daily with the small end down and marketed at least once

each week. It is also a good practice to confine the entire flock to the laying house once they are housed, that is, if the producer is serious about producing quality eggs.

Tips on Tots

While adults welcome sleep as a relief from fatigue, children regard it only as an unnecessary interruption in their life. No matter how late the hour, they will beg to stay up "just a little while longer. Mommie, please!" The child who doesn't protest against going to bed either isn't feeling well or is already asleep on his feet.

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FOR SALE—Purdue No. 202 yellow pop corn, shelled, cleaned, and ready to pop. 10c per pound. I will deliver. **Duane Eckert**, phone Burket 2231. F16p

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A NOTEWORTHY BIRTHDAY

We salute the Boy Scouts of America on its forty-fifth birthday, to be observed during Boy Scout Week, February 6 to 12.

Since its founding in 1910 the organization has enriched the lives of over 22,750,000 boys and adult leaders. Truly Scouting represents a living cross section of American life.

Boys of every race, religion and economic background are attracted to Scouting. Today we find 2,700,000 boys in its ranks. Add to that impressive figure the 960,000 adults of good character who give generously of their time and talents to serve as leaders of units, Merit Badge Counselors and in many other capacities. There is hardly an American family that has not felt its influence.

Dr. Arthur A. Schuck, the Chief Scout Executive, a leader in the organization since 1913, feels that it is of vital importance to train the boys of today to be ready for positions of leadership as they grow to manhood.

"Strong character, participating cit-

izenship and physical fitness," he says, are needs of our boys and young men who are served by the program of Scouting in cooperation with the home, the school, the church, and all other community institutions, actively interested in training our future citizens."

Scouting's purpose, stated in the Federal Charter granted by Congress in 1916, is to promote the "ability of boys to do things for themselves and others, to train them in Scoutcraft, and to teach them patriotism, courage, self-reliance and kindred virtues."

Every member of the nation's 95,000 Scouting units is indeed "having some kind of experience that is adding to his equipment to meet the problems of adult life."

It is that training that we heartily endorse on this noteworthy birthday.

Miss Ima Taylor is spending a few days with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Verl Taylor, R. R. Claypool.

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SCOUTS OBSERVE 45th BIRTHDAY



OFFICIAL BOY SCOUT WEEK POSTER

Boy Scout Week, Feb. 6 to 12, marking the 45th anniversary of the Boy Scouts of America, will be observed throughout the nation by more than 3,660,000 boys and adult leaders. Since 1910, more than 22,750,000 boys and men have been members.

"Building for a Better Tomorrow" is the birthday theme. Members of 95,000 Units, through demonstrations and exhibits, will dramatize the purpose of Scouting and the rich heritage it has in this country.

Boy Scout Week marks the completion of the first year of the National Conservation Good Turn the organization has undertaken at the request of President Eisenhower. Units which have qualified will receive National Conservation Good Turn Certificates of Merit awarded jointly by the Secretaries of Agriculture and the Interior, Ezra Taft Benson and Douglas McKay, respectively.

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Woodlot owners with trees earmarked for farm building construction will want to sharpen their axes and saws for some immediate action. Trees cut now and properly piled for air seasoning will be ready for use by early spring.

If you are planning a building timetable on the basis of home grown timber, E. J. Lott, Purdue University Extension forester, says seasoning time necessary depends on species. Ash and elm will season in 60-120 days; poplar and basswood, 40-60 days; beech and maple, 120-200 days; and oak, five to six months.

Why use seasoned lumber? Lott says you'll have less warping and that means tighter construction. In addition, seasoned lumber holds nails better and it is easier to paint.

Lott likes to point out to farmers how they can save money by using Indiana's durable, native hardwoods for farm buildings. An outstanding example, he believes, is the story about how Marvin Williams, a Parke County farmer, used home grown timber to build a 3,200-bushel corn crib and a 42 ft. x 60 ft. tool shed for nearly \$1,600 less than a contractor's estimate for the same job.

Williams saved \$300 alone by cutting eighteen black locust poles from his own woods. Otherwise he would have had to use pressure treated poles to obtain equal durability. He also harvested sixteen trees which yielded more than 6,000 board feet. These trees were converted into studding, rafters and siding at a cost of \$36 per thousand board feet.

Lott reports that Williams used tulip poplar, red elm and basswood for siding, white oak for studding, and sugar maple for rafters. Some of these trees had been tabbed for removal anyway, as a part of Williams' woods management practices, and the net result was a better woodlot in addition to low-cost construction.

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Dale Peterson, Superintendent

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Youth Fellowship 6:30
Worship Service 7:30 p. m.

Foster Chapel

Charles Hands, Supt.

Sunday School 10 a.m. EST

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Mentone, Indiana

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Denton Abbey, Church School Supt.
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SUNDAY:
Worship Service 9:30 a. m.
Church School 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY:
Boy Scouts 6:30 p. m.

THURSDAY:
Junior Choir 3:30 p. m.
Adult and Youth Choir 7:00 p. m.
Board and Committee
meetings 8:00 p. m.
Special and monthly meetings an-
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TALMA CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Talma, Indiana

Delbert A. Ruberg, Pastor
S. S. Supt. Leslie Grubbs.

Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
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Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Junior Bible Study, Tues. evening at
7:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

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Albert Elder, Pastor

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Morning Worship 9:30
Church School 10:30
Palestine:
Church School 9:30
M.Y.F. 6:30
Evening Evangelistic Service at 7:30,
Rev. Carl Harbour, evangelist.
Burket:
Church School 9:30
Morning Worship 10:30

BURKET E. U. B. CIRCUIT

Joe F. Bear, pastor

ALL SERVICES E. S. T.

BEAVER DAM:
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Ronald Malott, Supt.

No Worship service.

Adult Fellowship Thursday, 7:30

BURKET:
Sunday School 9:30

Everett Swick, Supt.

No evening service.

Adult Fellowship Tues. 7:30 p.m.

FAIRVIEW:
Sunday School 9:30

Ray Swick, Supt.

Revival Service begins 10:20 a.m.

and will continue to February 6 nightly

except Saturday 7:30 p.m.

**TIPPECANOE
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Gordon Rooze, Pastor

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Morning Worship Services 9:30
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Sunday Evening Services 7:30
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"Hour of Power" Prayer Meeting
Thursday night 7:30
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NEWS — PHONE 38

ETNA GREEN

Evangelical United Brethren Church

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Sunday School 9:45
James Sommer, Superintendent
Morning Worship 10:45 World Service
Day.
Revival Services February 6-20 each
evening 7:30
Evangelist, Rev. Jay Taylor, Pastor of
Lakeville E. U. B. Circuit.
COMMUNITY SINGSPIRATION, Sat-
urday, February 13, 7:30

HARRISON CENTER

Evangelical United Brethren Church

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Sunday School 10:30

Roy Haney, Supt.

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4-H CLUB CHATTER

By Ruth Snellenberger

Dear 4-H Members and Friends,

Some time ago I discussed division one of the Home Improvement project. In this week's column I want to briefly outline requirements for division two. By so doing I hope some members may be influenced directly or indirectly to participate in this project.

While division one is limited to care of a bedroom, more often than not the girl's own bedroom; division two is broader in scope. A club member may be enrolled in this division for seven years, taking a different sub-division each year. The subdivisions are lettered "A" through "G" but do not have to be taken in alphabetical order. The work in this division may be done in any room in the house.

Each subdivision (1) has a particular job to be done in some room in the house (See list below), (2) requires a certain number of things to be done listed in a specific group I and so many in a group II as shown in the project record book, (3) requires regular care of any room in the house for two months, and (4) requires a notebook, including the record book.

The particular job that is different for each subdivision is as follows:

Subdivision A—plan and select a wall treatment for a room,

Subdivision B—rearrange living room or a room that might be made into a combination study and guest room,

Subdivision C—refinish a piece of furniture,

Subdivision D—provide a business center in the kitchen,

Subdivision E—plan and arrange a cleaning equipment closet,

Subdivision F—arrange a porch as a summer living room,

Subdivision G—refinish woodwork, or floor (or both).

Are you curious about what things are listed under "Things To Do"? In Group I, sixteen things are listed, of which some are "make a dressing table" "modernize an old piece of furniture" "remove old finish and paint a piece of furniture" "make a rug," "make curtains," "make drapes," and so forth.

In Group II of "Things To Do," nineteen things are listed of which some are make two matching pillows for the davenport for the living room, make seat slips for straight chairs in bedroom or dining room, select lamps or lampshades, select new flower bowl or flower container, select pictures, make or select book shelves, select one or more pieces of bedroom furniture, and so forth.

The number of things required to be done in each group of "Things To Do" varies somewhat with the subdivision in which the member enrolls, but usually is one, two, or three things in each. In my opinion, the requirement is very reasonable for a fifteen year old girl (you may recall a girl must be 14 years old to enroll in division one).

If there are any questions regarding this project from any one I would be happy to try to answer them. Every Friday afternoon I am in the county extension office. Actually I'm in the office irregularly at other times but one may be sure to find me there definitely on Friday afternoons. If one would prefer to write me regarding this project or any other 4-H matter do so by addressing communications to me at the County Extension Office, Warsaw.

A question I would like to ask of home improvement project members and their mothers is what kind of help or information, if any, is desired for participating and completing this project? May I hear from some of you?

Next week I'd like to describe the point system for 4-H trip awards now in use in the county.

By now you've probably all learned the County 4-H Officers' Training School had to be postponed again until early March. Too many conflicts on the February fifth date were encountered.

'Bye now.

Ruth R. Snellenberger

TIMES

ROCHESTER

SUN., MON.

FEB. 6-7

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VAN HEFLIN
IN COLOR CINEASCOPE

TUE., WED., THUR.

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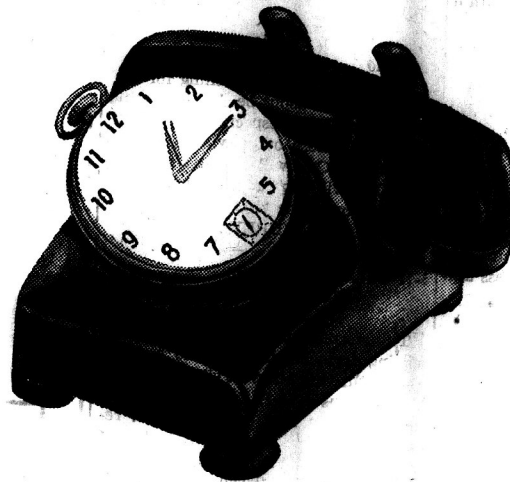
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S. AND E. LADIES MEET

The S. and E. ladies of the New-castle Township Farm Bureau, met in the home of Mrs. Victor Tobey, Thursday afternoon.

The meeting was opened with the president, Mrs. Clarence Mikesell, in charge. Community singing was led by Mrs. Clarence Hinton, followed by prayer given by Mrs. Amos Sanders. The members answered roll call and the secretary-treasurer's reports were given and approved.

The president explained the program for the new year and a bill of \$7 was allowed for the fruit plates given to the sick at Christmas time. A vote was also made for the club to donate \$10 to the polio fund. The members enjoyed a bible quiz and Mrs. Lavoy Hoffman and Mrs. Clarence Horn were in charge of a program consisting of readings and contests.

Mrs. Raymond Sanders gave a reading entitled, "Treasures of Snow."

Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting by the hostess and her assistant, Mrs. Clarence Horn.

PSI IOTA XI MEETS WITH MRS. MERVIN JONES

Tuesday evening sixteen members of the Psi Iota Xi sorority met with Mrs. Mervin Jones at Peterson's Lunch for our regular business meeting.

The meeting was opened with our usual opening.

A donation was made to the School for Retarded Children. Mrs. Forrest Miner won the door prize.

The next meeting will be February 15th at Mrs. Arthur Kendall's.

The meeting was closed with the usual closing.

Those present were: Mrs. John Boggs, Mrs. James Rodibaugh, Mrs. Jack Pritchard, Mrs. Joe Boggs, Mrs. Iris Anderson, Mrs. Harold Utter, Mrs. Ralph Ward, Mrs. Curtis Riner, Mrs. Cecil Long, Mrs. Forrest Miner, Mrs. Lyman Mollenhour, Mrs. Kenneth Simcoe, Miss Annabelle Mentzer, Miss Jackie Blue, Miss Barbara King, and the hostess, Mrs. Mervin Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Pryor, of Huffman Lake, called on Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linn, Sunday afternoon.

MENTONE READING CLUB MEETS

The Mentone Reading Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. Wayne Tombaugh on Wednesday evening, January 26. Mrs. Max Nellans was co-hostess.

During the business meeting the following officers were elected for the coming year: president, Alice Mollenhour; first vice president, Arvilla VanGilder; second vice president, Harriet Abbey; secretary, Miriam Shinn, and treasurer, Bess Manwaring.

Mrs. Richard Manwaring was in charge of the program which dealt with The Legitimate Theatre. She gave a brief history of the theatre of Grecian times and then played several recordings as examples of bits from the modern theatre. They were Florence Eldridge and Frederick March in "Years Ago" and "Skin of Your Teeth;" Helen Hayes in "Victoria Regina," and John Gelgand in "King Richard."

The February meeting has been changed to the 16th, at the home of Mrs. Harold Nelson. Response to roll call will be a quotation from Shakespeare.

SPECIAL NOTICE

I will have another clothing drive for Goodwill Industries in the near future and I want to remind everyone to keep saving their used clothing for this drive. It will soon be housecleaning time, which is an especially good time to sort out those outgrown clothes. So don't forget Goodwill Industries. If you need Goodwill bags at any time, please write me or phone 2389 Tippecanoe.

AUDREY MILLER.

4-H FILM AVAILABLE FOR FREE DISTRIBUTION

Transformation of a sleepy, slow-moving farm community into a wide-awake, thriving Midwest village through the stimulus of 4-H Club work is documented in a new color film just released.

The twenty-eight minute motion picture, titled "The Town That Came Back," was produced by Ford Motor Company for free nation-wide distribution.

It tells the story of how the reactivation of a 4-H Club revived the little community's almost-dead spirit. Parts in the 16 mm sound-color film are played by the actual persons who participated in the true-life community project.

"The Town That Came Back" was previewed at the National 4-H Club Congress at Chicago in December and in Washington before members of Congress and officials of the U. S. Department of Agriculture which cooperated with Ford in production of the film along with the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, Inc.

The film is one of twenty-nine produced by Ford for free distribution to schools, churches civic groups and oth-

er similar organizations throughout the United States. Films produced by Ford have won 17 first place or grand awards in documentary motion picture competition in the past five years.

Approximately 24,000,000 persons saw Ford films in 1954, exclusive of television showings.

Company pictures may be obtained by writing Ford Motor Company film libraries at 16400 Michigan Avenue, Dearborn, Michigan; 15 East 53rd Street, New York City, or 1500 S. 26th Street, Richmond, Calif.

LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller called on Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller, Monday evening.

Dixie Parker, of Bourbon, is visiting this week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Schooley.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Brown, and Marilyn and Yvonne Rathfon, called on Mrs. Nora Severns, Sunday evening.

The operators of the telephone office had a chilisupper at Mrs. Frye's apartment, Monday evening. The hostess and co-hostess were Mrs. Barbara Smith and Mrs. Georgiana Teel. Others present were Mrs. Pearl Horn, Mrs.

Gertrude Hill, Mrs. Frye, Mrs. Lois Hunter and Mrs. Shirley Nicodemus. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hoffman, of Akron.

Mrs. Letha Klingenhagen was entertained in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert McKeighan, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Austin Borton is a patient at the St. Joseph hospital in Fort Wayne. Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown have moved from their home on North Franklin street to their property purchased recently from the Lyons estate. They have sold their property to Dale Stiffler.

Don Lyons, of Arcola, was a Mentone visitor on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Deloris New and baby of Franklin, Ind., a buddy of Dick Boganwright, called on Dick Sunday. Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and son were Mr. and Mrs. New, Dick Boganwright, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boganwright and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Davis and daughters.

Dancing — round and square, Sat., Feb. 5, at Conservation Club at Silver Lake. Will continue every Saturday night. Everybody welcome. F9p

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Teel spent Sunday with Mrs. Alfred Teel.

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MRS. LAVINA McMILLEN DIES

Mrs. Lavina McMillen, 70, died at 9 a. m. Sunday at her home in Akron of complications following an illness of several years.

Born July 21, 1884, the daughter of Erwin and Rebecca (Steele) Smith, Mrs. McMillen was a life-time resident of the Akron community. She was married in 1930 to George McMillen. She was a member of the Akron Methodist church.

Survivors include her husband; three daughters, Mrs. Joe Bolley of Akron, Mrs. Ray Smith of Mentone, and Mrs. Edgar Igo of Warsaw; two grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Dessie Lelew, Mrs. Maude Grandstaff and Mrs. Scott Phillips, all of Warsaw; three brothers, Gernie Smith and Herbert of Warsaw and Vernon Smith of Peru.

Funeral services were held at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Moyer-Haupt funeral home, Akron, with Rev. D. L. Slaybaugh officiating. Burial was in the Akron cemetery.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

On February 2, little Jacque Pritchard was guest of honor at a birthday party held at Peterson's lunch room. Jacque was four years old.

Those present to help Jacque celebrate were: Rita King, George and Rosemary Rodibaugh, Vickie and Debbie Bowser, Rex Bowser, Debbie Blue, Debbie Cooper, Cindy Grant, Stevie and Kenny Dale Simcoe, Jr. Smith, Dixie Parker, Carolyn and Susie Boggs, Candy Shinn, Pam Abbey, Cindy and Peggy Whetstone, Bert Miner, Toni Wowk, David Smythe and Jeri Pritchard.

BABY GIRL

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wagner, of 1124 E. Lewis St., Fort Wayne, are parents of a seven pound, fifteen ounce girl born February 4, at the Parkview hospital, in Fort Wayne. Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wagner, of Mentone are the grandparents of the little Miss.

SOLDIER ADDRESS

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Fort Leonard Wood, Mo.

CAROL EATON WEDS KENNETH CRAWFORD

Miss Carol Lee Eaton became the bride of Kenneth E. Crawford on Saturday at Angola.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Devon Eaton, R. 5, Rochester, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. Crawford of South Bend.

The bride is a graduate of the Talma high school and is now a member of the nursing staff of Memorial hospital at South Bend. The groom is a graduate of Central high school at South Bend and since his discharge from the U. S. Marines, he is employed by the Indiana and Michigan Electric company of South Bend.

After a short honeymoon the couple will reside at 404 Lincoln Way, South Bend.

ASPHALT IN CITY WATER

Recently it was reported that small flakes and junks of a black substance was found in the Mentone city water. The substance had the appearance of tar, but it was not known how it found its way into the water lines.

The usual regular water samples were submitted to the State Board of Health—some from the same faucets in which the tar was found. The samples were not contaminated from a health standpoint.

The only answer found so far is that some of the asphalt base paint used to preserve the inside of the city water supply tank is flaking off and getting into the lines.

Water department employees are flushing fire hydrants in an effort to get the tar out of the mains, and the storage tank is scheduled to be drained and cleaned very shortly. In the meantime, any householder finding these black specks in the water should let the water flow until they are not present. As they are lighter than water, they seem to float to higher levels and form concentrated groups. One home may encounter it while a neighbor does not.

Gasoline, or similar cutting agents, will remove the specks from wash basins, tubs, etc., but extreme care should be taken when washing clothes.

The water officials are sorry that this has occurred and are making every effort to remedy the situation at once.

FOUND!!!

One interlocutor and six end men, practicing for the Mentone Minstrel Show, which will be held Tuesday and Wednesday, March 29 and 30, 7:30 p.m. at the Mentone Gym.

The Minstrel Show is a Parent-Teacher Association project. All the proceeds from the show will go to the music department of the Mentone school for band uniforms, music for the band and chorus, and purchase and repair of school-owned instruments.

The "stars" of the Mentone Minstrels are: Rev. David Gosser, interlocutor, and the six end men—

Harold Nelson
Jack Shinn
Everett Besson
Mac McKinley
Dale Wallace
Gerald Romine.

The first chorus practice will be held Tuesday, Feb. 13, 7:30 p. m. at the Mentone school music room. Any gentleman in the community, who likes to sing, is invited to join the chorus. You may call or write Mrs. Monroe Romine, R. 1, Mentone or phone No. 44F21. The only requirements are that you be able to carry a tune and enjoy singing—and be at the first practice Feb. 15.

On Feb. 22 the chorus and end men will practice together with the director of the show, Louis (Peanuts) Breadring of Warsaw, who has directed the Warsaw minstrel show the past several years.

The chorus director is Mr. Dale Whitehead, the school music instructor.

Remember to keep these dates — March 29-30—reserved for the Mentone Minstrel Show.

CLUB CALENDAR

Mothers of World War II, Unit 106 will meet at the home of Bernice Rush on Monday evening, Feb. 14 for their regular meeting, at 7:30. On Friday evening, Feb. 11, the group will meet with Mildred Fawley to fix Valentine plates.

Mentone Reading Club Wednesday, Feb. 16, 7:30, with Mrs. Harold Nelson. Merry Mollys Home Ec. Feb. 14, 7:30 p.m., at the home of Helen Creviston. W.S.C.S. Thursday Feb. 17, 7:45, at the home of Mrs. Herman Olson. Call 51 for transportation.

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DAUGHTER DIES

The infant daughter of Dale and Marjorie Sinclair, of east of Mentone, died at 7:10 a. m. Saturday at the McDonald hospital where she was born prematurely at 11:27 p. m. Friday.

Graveside services were held Monday afternoon at the Mentone cemetery. Rev. David Gosser officiated at the service and the Johns funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

STUDENTS RATE SUPERIOR AND EXCELLENT

Joy Rider, Mary K. Miller, Marita Tucker, Marylin Horn, Sandra Ballenger, Carol Rathbun, Carol Ann Dick-ey, Wilberta Lattimer, Barbara Hoover, Dorothy Kendall, and Jeryln Craig are the students of Maude Snyder entered in the piano and vocal contest. They rated superior and excellent.

SUPER MARKET TO OPEN HERE NEXT WEEK

Myron Berkheiser and Conda Holloway, of Rochester, who recently purchased the grocery store formerly operated by Roy Hoover, announce that their new and modernized Mentone store will be opened for public inspection starting next Thursday, Feb. 17th. See their announcement elsewhere in this issue.

The two men have the Berkway Market in Rochester.

BANKS TO CLOSE SATURDAY

All banks in the county will be closed Saturday for Lincoln's birthday.

SEEKS DIVORCE

Carl Blackburn, Harrison township, has filed a divorce complaint in circuit court against Sarah Blackburn.

CONTENTMENT

"Contentment is the last abode on the Highway of Progress which runs from Sunrise to Sunset. You reach it after you pass the steep grade of Steady Effort—at the junction of Toll and Drudgery. It sets on the little knoll of Good Cheer, County of Clear Conscience, and is in the State of Mind. A fine place to put up."

NOTICE OF LETTING SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION CONTRACTS

Notice is hereby given that the Trustee of Franklin Township, Kosciusko County, having determined that school bus equipment is now available so as to permit free and open competitive bidding, will (with the advice of the advisory board of such township) receive sealed bids until 7:30 o'clock P. M. on February 21, 1955, at the trustee's office located at my home for the transportation of school children on designated routes. Definite specifications, which describe the routes to be traveled, the equipment to be furnished and other conditions which will be required in the contract are now on file in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

LAWRENCE BUTTS, Trustee
FRANKLIN Township

Farmers who want seed of some of the new corn, oats and soybean varieties should see their county extension agent for a list of certified seed growers, says the agronomy department at Purdue University. Varieties approved for certification are those best suited to Indiana. When buying certified seed, purchasers are assured of good germination, trueness to variety, and freedom from noxious weeds.

A tip from the agricultural engineering department at Purdue University warns farmers not to forget to change the transmission lubricant of the tractor. And, it is also suggested, that farmers may want to consider installing a tractor radio so that they can receive weather and market reports while working in the field.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the Trustee of Franklin Township, Kosciusko County, Indiana, will on February 21, 1955 receive sealed bids for the purchase of a 48 passenger bus and chassis at the office of said trustee.

All bids are to be on file by 7:30 P.M. o'clock of the aforesaid date.

Definite specifications for said purchase are on file in the trustee's office and may be examined before said purchase. A used bus and chassis to be considered in this transaction.

The trustee reserves the right to reject any and all bids.

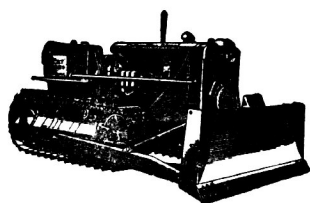
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Signed: LAWRENCE BUTTS
Township Trustee
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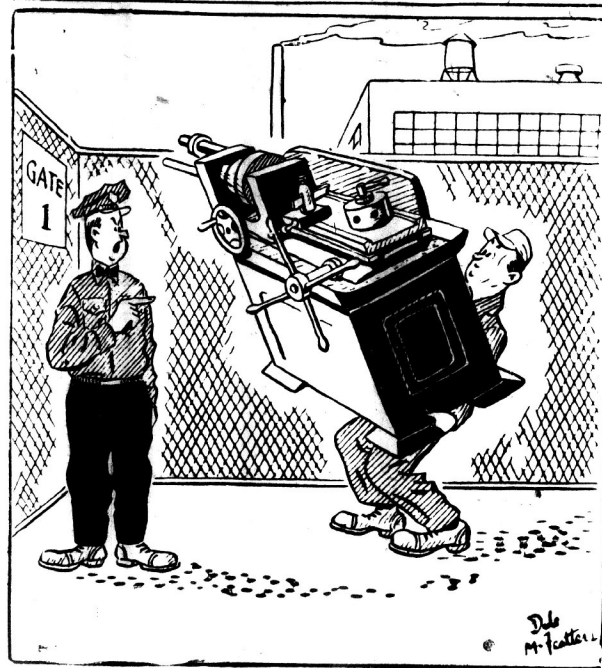
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Lafayette, Ind.—Consistent pest control is necessary for profitable orchard operations. A good program of pest control includes both proper orchard sanitation and a sound spray schedule. Because of variations in weather conditions, insect abundance and plant spray severity, no spray schedule can be expected to always give satisfactory results. Spray schedules can, however, serve as guides to be changed when circumstances require.

According to Purdue University agricultural extension specialists, more spraying failures are caused by improper application than by the spraying materials. For good spraying, it's important to prune properly, to give frequent and complete spray coverage, and to apply "top-off" sprays to apple scab

susceptible varieties during critical periods. To aid orchard growers, these specialists have prepared spray schedules for commercial apple, cherry, peach, plum, grape, raspberry and strawberry plantings in Indiana.

These schedules are contained in a new bulletin which also has valuable information about the more important fruit insects and their control, insecticides, important fruit diseases, and a table showing the comparative cost of fruit spray materials, including many of the new insecticides and fungicides. Some of the newer fungicides such as phygon, glydon, stanofide, zineb, and vancide are also discussed and show promise of controlling apple scab.

The bulletin containing this information is Purdue University Extension Bulletin 310, "Pest Control for Indiana Fruits," and is available from your county extension office or by writing

to agricultural publications office at Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana.

• Today good will may starve to death. Keep it alive with customer courtesy and careful advertising

Clarence Brown, Adam Bowen and Boyd Blue, attended the funeral of Mrs. Harry Brown, at Fort Wayne, last week. Harry Brown is a son of William M. Brown, of this city.

NOTICE OF LETTING SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION CONTRACTS

Notice is hereby given that the Trustee of Harrison Township, Kosciusko County, having determined that school bus equipment is now available so as to permit free and open competitive bidding will (with the advice of the advisory board of such township) receive sealed bids until 7:30 o'clock p.m. on February 24, 1955, at the trustee's office located at Home for the transportation of school children on designated routes. Definite specifications, which describe the routes to be traveled, the equipment to be furnished and other conditions which will be required in the contract are now on file in the office of the township trustee and a duplicate copy thereof is on file in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools.

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HARRISON Township F 9

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LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Frances (Clark) Carter is in the Woodlawn hospital in Rochester.

Mrs. Mirabel Riewoldt has been absent from school this last week, due to a cold.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith started for Florida Sunday on a two weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kuhn, of near Akron, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and son, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Walthers, of Silver Lake, went to the Mayo clinic Monday where Mr. Walthers is going for a check-up. Mrs. Walthers is the mother of Bob Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Teel, of Fort Wayne, and Mrs. Walter Craig, of Butler, Indiana, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Alfred Teel. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Driesback, of Burket, called in the afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Watkins, of Millwood, returned last Wednesday from a fishing trip at Houton Lake in Michigan, where they spent two days fishing and the rest of the week they were at their cottage at Arbutus Lake, Michigan.

Mrs. Myrtle Davis had as her Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Davis and daughters.

Mrs. Marjorie Halterman and daughter Joan, of Fort Wayne, spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Besie Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones were in Millwood Saturday evening, where Robert clerked the sale of his brother's Grocery store.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Yazel, Eddie Jones, Miss Mary Jane Busenburg and Suelen Shepler, attended the Shrine circus in Fort Wayne, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boganwright went to three Oaks, Michigan, Sunday afternoon to visit their son, Donald Boganwright, and family. They returned home Monday morning.

Mrs. Harry Vernet, Mrs. Pearl Horn and Mrs. Esther Sarber were in South Bend Monday.

Mrs. Lottie Berry spent the week end with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross, of near Palestine.

Mrs. Lillie Jones, Mrs. DeCamp and Mrs. Miles Koiser spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Jones, of near Burket.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones spent Friday evening with Mr. and Joseph Fisher. They celebrated Mrs. Fisher's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Clinker, of Akron, Indiana; Mrs. Beulah Meredith, of Santa Monica, California, and Tessie Newton were visitors at the home of Mrs. Earl Meredith, Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grubbs and family, of Warsaw; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker and family, of Bourbon and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Reichard were guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Schooley, Sunday.

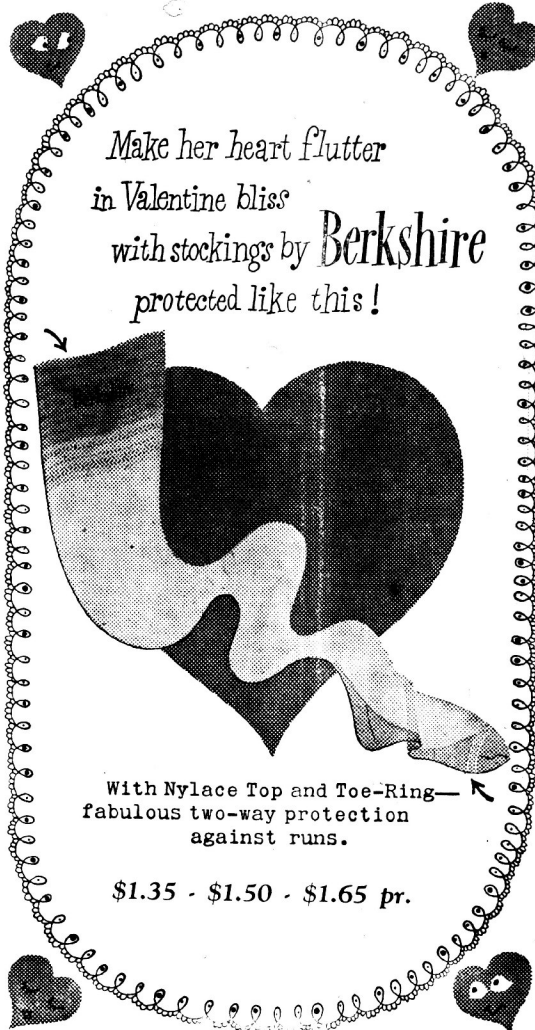
The telephone operators had a Valentine party at Mrs. Frye's apartment Monday evening. Mrs. Frye was hostess and Mrs. Pearl Horn was co-hostess. Others present were: Mrs. Ruth Davis, Mrs. Eleanor Wagner, Mrs. Shirley Nicodemus and Mrs. Gertrude Hill.

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4-H CLUB CHATTER

By Ruth Snellenberger

Dear 4-H Club Members and Friends,

Working with wool fabrics is my chief topic today. (Comments about the point system will come later.) Because wool fabrics may be used in the clothing project beginning with division four and because the project bulletin gives no information on the subject, I hope I can give a little help in this column.

Wool material should be pre-shrunk. If it is not you should either have it shrunk at a tailor's shop or a dry-cleaning establishment, or shrink it yourself. To do this, lay the material out flat and straight on the ironing board and press thoroughly with a steam iron or use a damp cloth and an ordinary iron. Do be sure to press on the wrong side of the fabric. If the piece of fabric is large to handle it can be folded in half placing selvages together and with the right side inside. As with any other material the ends of the material should be on the straight of the goods.

Careful pressing gives the "finished" look to a wool garment well constructed. In other words, perfect sewing on a garment can be lost if the pressing isn't properly done to show it.

A good rule to follow is to press each seam, dart or fold thoroughly before crossing with another seam or fold.

Another good rule is that wherever construction has been made to fit a curved portion of the figure, that portion of the garment should be pressed on curved (padded) pressing equipment. Pressing on a flat ironing board will undo just what you've tried to accomplish in the sewing process. The structure of the wool fiber—a series of interlocking scales that close together when moisture and heat is applied—is such that it shapes readily with application of moisture and heat to the shape on which it is pressed. For example, consider the shape of a felt hat. (Felt being matted wool fibers.) Ever try to press one flat? It can be done. Cut from brim to center top; apply a well dampened cloth and iron until dry. See what I mean about wool taking shapes of that on which it is being pressed?

Let's consider pressing the darts at the waistline in the back of a wool skirt being made. The darts are there to allow for curvature in the hips of the figure and yet have the waistline smaller. If pressed flat the area will be flat. It should be pressed over a tailor's ham or tailor's mitt.

This brings up the problem of pressing equipment. Our home agent, Miss Reba Pyle, has a pattern for making a tailor's ham. A half yard of heavy duty muslin, twill or sailcloth is sufficient. Fill with clean sawdust or wool scraps. A tailor's mitt can be purchased at many notion counters. Two ladies

recently told me they had seen on television a demonstration using a turkish towel, folded firmly, for use as an improvised tailor's mitt.

Other equipment helpful in working with wool fabrics, especially in tailoring suits, is a padded sleeve board or a roll pressing cushion, a point presser, pounding block and a tailor's pressing board.

A pounding block, or beater, is used to make sharp edges on collars, cuffs, and coat fronts, and to flatten pleats, seams, and hems on resilient fabrics. Apply steam, remove the iron and flatten with the wooden block. Do you remember my comments above about heat plus moisture causes felting? This is not desirable in a garment. Use of the pounder allows us to give needed weight to the moistured fabric to achieve desired results. A beater, or pounder, can be made from a piece of heavy wool with rounded ends about twelve inches long, two and one-half inches thick and tapering from about four inches to two and one-half inches.

Anyone interested in the other equipment I will be glad to give needed information on inquiry.

Another point about pressing wool is to press on the wrong side and always with a steam iron or a pressing cloth and an ordinary iron. If the material is likely to get shiny use two press cloths—one of wool and one of heavy cotton or linen. You will be less likely to have shiny surfaces re-

sult if you will lift the iron up and then set it down on a new area—don't push it along. In addition you might stretch it out of shape. Let material dry thoroughly before you move it, too, so it won't wrinkle unnecessarily.

If there are parts which need to be pressed on the right side—as pockets, front edges and lapels to make them lie flat—lay a piece of your wool fabric (this is very necessary for hard twisted fabrics like gabardine) face down on the part to be pressed. Then cover with the wool and cotton press cloths, dampen, and press lightly. If by chance your material is shiny from pressing, rub lightly with a piece of your gabardine or use one of the commercial products that remove shine.

More about working with wool fabrics next week.

'Bye now.

RUTH R. SNELENBERGER

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SCHOOL NEWS

Music Students Rate Well in Contest

Seven Mentone High School students competed in the solo and ensemble contest at Kokomo, last Saturday. Of the seven, four were rated superior and are eligible to compete in the state finals on February 19. Those accorded superior ratings were: Marita Tucker, voice; David Gosser, voice; Sheila Fitzgerald, cornet; and Sarah Urschel, flute. Joyce Eller was judged excellent on the clarinet. Others rated excellent were: Dorothy Kendall, vocal, and a clarinet quartet composed of Jalaine Smythe, Joyce Eller, Janet Romine, and Beverly Tinkey. Mr. Whitehead and Mrs. Urschel served as accompanist for the various numbers.

Sutula Studios Take Group Pictures

On Tuesday, Mr. Sutula, of the Sutula Studios of Elkhart, took group pictures for the school annual, The Bulldog. Pictures were taken of the band, choruses, basketball teams, yell leaders, student council, Mentonette staff, Bulldog staff, speech club, FHA, and several other individuals and groups.

Tables And Chairs For School Library

On Monday thirty-five new chairs and five new tables arrived for the new Lawrence D. Bell School Library. The new furniture has been unpacked and placed in the library. Thus far, about 450 new books have been placed on the shelves. A number of others have been ordered. It is planned to hold an open house for the new library sometime in April.

Milford to Play Here Friday Night

The strong Milford teams will be guests of the Mentone Bulldogs on Friday evening of this week. The Milford varsity is at the top of the county standings, having lost but twice this year. This will be the final home game of the season. Last Friday evening the Claypool Knights proved too strong for the locals defeating the varsity 54-38. The Mentone second team won easily. The 7-8 teams added two more victories at Atwood last Thursday evening. This Thursday the 7-8 plays North Manchester in the local gym, beginning at 4:00. This Saturday afternoon, the junior high teams will engage in a four team tourney on the local floor, involving Etna Green, Atwood, Lees-

burg. The opening game will start at 1:00.

Like many of the other schools of the state, the senior class plans to attend sessions of the General Assembly at Indianapolis, probably on Thursday of this week.

Mr. Witham was absent from school on Tuesday, due to sickness. Mrs. Keever, of Warsaw, served as substitute.

NEWS — PHONE 38

Mr. and Mrs. Logan G. VanDorn, Mrs. Steve Dzuba and son Johnny Thomas and daughter Nancy, all of Warsaw, called at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bowen, Sunday afternoon.

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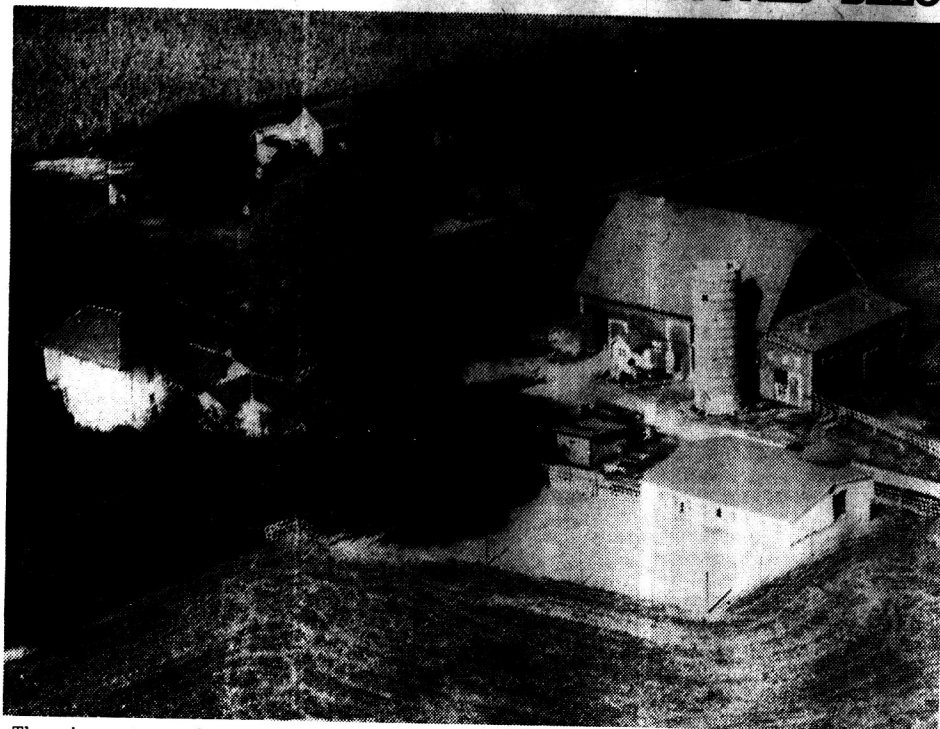
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The farm owner will be given the original 5 x 7 mounted picture absolutely free of any cost. All we require is that the operator himself come to our office and give us a little information about the farm, its operation, etc. Additional prints, colored enlargements, etc. can be obtained by contacting this newspaper.

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The farm picture printed in our last issue was the Russell Ring farm, located 7 miles east and two miles south of Mentone, on "Union Street." It is just south of the Earl Boggs corner on Road 25 east. A son, Roger Ring, lives on the 120 acre farm which was purchased from John Hale in 1946.

Roger, his wife Dorothy and three daughters, Renita Jo 8, Donna 6, and Bonnie Jean 7 keep 1200 laying hens and in addition to extensive farming operations keep a number of hogs.

Roger and his brother, Donald, who lives on a neighboring farm, now have 65 brood sows and a total of about 360 swine. These two farms, and the Russell Ring farm, comprise 57 acres, which is a pretty good sized farming operation. They farm another tract of 76 acres for a total of 533 acres.

Although the Rings' mailing address is R. R. 1, Claypool, the two older daughters attend the Burket school.

Mrs. Ivan Jones and Mrs. Verl Taylor correctly identified the farm.

PURDUE SOIL TEST RECOMMENDATIONS ARE EXPLAINED

R. D. Bronson, Purdue agronomy department, explained the new Purdue soil test recommendations at the recent Annual Agricultural Conference at Purdue University. He pointed out that advances in fertilizer technology and changes in the economics of farm operation have brought up new problems in making fertilizer and liming recommendations based on soil tests.

More than 250 farmers heard Bronson explain that today's efficient fertilizer usage hinges on a set of conditions which is seldom the same for any two farms or farm operators. The new soil test report will give fertilizer recommendations in pounds of nitrogen, phosphate, and potash needed. This will enable the farmer to take advantage of the variety of mixed and straight fertilizer materials and the different types of fertilizer application equipment available.

Soil test report sheets, a simplified table of fertilizer analyses, and supplementary information entitled "Fertilizer Recommendation Pointers" make up the new material. As before the original copy of the field record sheet will be returned with the report.

All information concerning a sample will appear on one sheet. Included will be sample identification, crop fertilizer recommendation, lime requirement, and the soil test results upon which the recommendation is based.

"Fertilizer Recommendation Pointers" will give the additional information to lend adaptability for different situations. The Purdue soil testing laboratory will begin issuing the new reports on February 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Babcock were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones.

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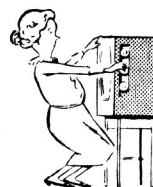
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36 gallons for a bath
½ gallon daily for drinking
5 to 8 gallons for each toilet flush
20 gallons to shave (with running tap)
30 gallons to wash one meal's dishes (with tap running)
45 gallons for 9 pounds of laundry in a machine

All told, you may use 8 to 110 gallons daily. Your share of water for all purposes (municipal, industrial, agriculture) amounts to a staggering 1100 gallons a day. And that's a lot of water.

Check house plants for insects during the winter months, says the entomology department at Purdue University. Aphids, leafhoppers, mealybugs, scales, white-fly and mites often build up in large numbers on house plants. These insects stunt growth, render the plant unsightly and may even kill the plant. If insects are discovered, spray plants at weekly intervals with nicotine sulphate plus soap. For each gallon of water use one and one-half teaspoonfuls of 40 percent nicotine sulphate plus one-half ounce of laundry soap. If a sprayer is not available, the plants may be dipped in the solution.

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OUR DEMOCRACY——by Mat

FROM THE GROUND UP

AT THIS TIME OF YEAR, AS THE LAND "RESTS," THE FARMER KEEPS A CLOSE EYE ON THE STORAGE OF SUB-SOIL MOISTURE. COME SPRING, IF HE HAS AN ADEQUATE RESERVE BEHIND HIM, HE WILL FEEL BETTER ABLE TO TAKE A CALCULATED RISK IN EXPANDING HIS FARMING OPERATIONS.



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Prayer and Bible Study.
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Mentone, Indiana
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SUNDAY—
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Worship 10:45 a.m.
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Rev. Paul Trombauer, Pastor
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Dale Peterson, Superintendent
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Foster Chapel
Charles Hands, Supt.
Sunday School 10 a.m. EST
Worship Service 7:30 p. m.
Summit Chapel
N. E. of TIPPECANOE on IND. 10
Mr. Hazzard, Supt.
Sunday School 9:45 (EST)

BURKET METHODIST PARISH
Albert Rider, Pastor
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Morning Worship 9:30
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Thurs. eve. Prayer Service 7:30 p.m.

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SUNDAY:
Worship Service 9:30 a. m.
Church School 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
MONDAY:
Boy Scouts 6:30 p. m.
THURSDAY:
Junior Choir 3:30 p. m.
Adult and Youth Choir 7:00 p. m.
Board and Committee meetings 8:00 p. m.
Special and monthly meetings announced in the News item.

TALMA CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Talma, Indiana

Delbert A. Ruberg, Pastor
S. S. Supt. Leslie Grubbs.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Junior Bible Study, Tues. evening at 7:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

ETNA GREEN
Evangelical United Brethren Church
F. H. Pflugh, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45
James Sommer, Superintendent
Morning Worship 10:45
Youth Fellowship 6:30
Revival Services February 6-20 each evening 7:30
Evangelist, Rev. Jay Taylor, Pastor of Lakeville E. U. B. Circuit.

HARRISON CENTER
Evangelical United Brethren Church
F. H. Pflugh, Pastor
Morning Worship 9:30
Sunday School 10:30
Roy Haney, Supt.

BURKET E. U. B. CIRCUIT
Joe F. Bear, pastor

ALL SERVICES E. S. T.

BEAVER DAM:
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Ronald Malott, Supt.
Worship Service 7:30 p.m.
Adult Fellowship Thursday, 7:30
BURKET:
Sunday School 9:30
Everett Swick, Supt.
Worship Service 7:30 p.m.
Adult Fellowship Tues. 7:30 p.m.
FAIRVIEW:
Sunday School 9:30
Ray Swick, Supt.

TIPPECANOE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Gordon Rooze, Pastor
Dale Grossman, Supt.

Morning Worship Services 9:30
Sunday School 10:30
Youth Training Union 6:45
Sunday Evening Services 7:30
Thurs. eve. Choir Practice 7:00
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
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Tuesday night at 7:30

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our friends and neighbors for the acts of Kindness, flowers and cards of sympathy extended to us following the passing away of our sister and aunt, Mrs. Olive Sarber.

Mr. and Mrs. LLOYD RICKEL and family
Mrs. CHAS. BLACK and family

Clean and disinfect farrowing pens at least one week in advance of farrowing schedule, says the animal husbandry department at Purdue University. Pen sows 2 or 3 days before farrowing date in order that they will be accustomed to new, draft-free quarters.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Floor and daughters and Miss Julia Nelson called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson, of near Sidney, Sunday afternoon.

Jackie Julian, of Warsaw, spent the week end with his grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Julian and on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Adams and daughter, of Warsaw, were dinner guests.

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PALESTINE NEWS

Mrs. Edison Vandermark

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bruner, Jr., spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Redick, of Warsaw.

Billy and Jimmy Beeson, of Knox, spent several days the past week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stickler. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Beeson, spent Sunday here and the boys returned home with them.

Mrs. Orval Secor and sons, of Warsaw, spent the week end with Mrs. Secor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Estlick.

Mrs. Edison Vandermark called on Mr. and Mrs. Henry Secor, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fletcher have been on the sick list with the flu the past week.

The Hubert Shilling family had a celebration of several birthdays in the family at the Shilling home, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bruner, Sr., were dinner guests of Mrs. Edison Vandermark, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Clark, of Winona Lake, spent Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Fanny Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Estlick and family, of Columbia City, spent Sunday with Mr. Estlick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Estlick.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rose and son,

James Allen, spent Sunday evening in Warsaw with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Eckert and daughter, Sandra, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Norman Wolfe, who live near Warsaw on road 15 South.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stickler spent Sunday with Mrs. Stickler's father, Joe Leiter, who lives in the Mt. Pleasant community.

Mr. and Mrs. Con Hipsher, of Mishawaka, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Hipsher.

HOME SERVICE GROUP MEETS

The new Home Service Committee of Red Cross in Kosciusko County, headed by Mrs. W. H. Brooks, of Warsaw, met Wednesday evening at the Red Cross office in Warsaw.

The present Home Service Policy of the chapter was reviewed. Plans were made for a class for Social Welfare aids, beginning in September.

The next meeting of the committee will be March 8, at the Red Cross office. Those present besides Mrs. Brooks and Mrs. William Long, Executive Secretary, were: Mrs. Owen Frey, Silver Lake; Mrs. Carlton Jones, Claypool;

Mrs. Charles Heckman and Mrs. Amer Koontz, Sidney; Miss Nancy Matchett, Pierceton; Mrs. Arthur Anglin, Prairie Township and Mrs. Eva Eherman, Burket.

Others on the committee but not present Wednesday, were: Mrs. Paul Warner, Syracuse; Milford Chairman, Arch Baumgardner; Mrs. T. R. Cunningham, also of Milford; Mr. Fred Anglin, Leesburg and Rev. E. C. McCance, Warsaw.

NO "BEAVER VALLEY"

Movie fans have searched maps in vain for the location of "Beaver Valley," the title of a recent Walt Disney nature film.

After several telephone requests, the Chicago Motor Club's Touring Bureau discovered it had no record of a "Beaver Valley," either. Finally, the Disney Studios supplied the answer—"Beaver Valley" is four places.

Disney took films of beavers in Grand Marais, Minnesota; Anaconda, Montana; Naha Falls and Kodiak Island, Alaska. Put them all together, they make a busy little fictitious animal community called "Beaver Valley."



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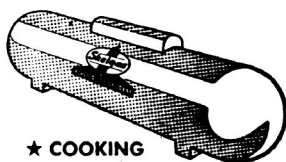
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J. O. Y. CIRCLE MEETS

The members of the J.O.Y. circle met at the home of Mrs. Bernice Rush for their February meeting.

Devotions were taken from the Upper Room and were presented by Mrs. Ruth Urschel and Mrs. Dora Whetstone.

During the meeting several items of

business were discussed and decided upon. A new leader of the group, the finishing of the church kitchen project, and the decision to have a Chili Lunch on February 26th in the church basement were the most important topics. Mrs. Lois Davison, Mrs. Dorothy Herendeen and Mrs. Dora Whetstone are the committee in charge of food and publicity.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Herman Olson, on March 1. Transportation will be provided for members having none.

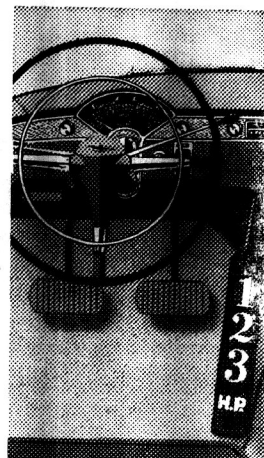
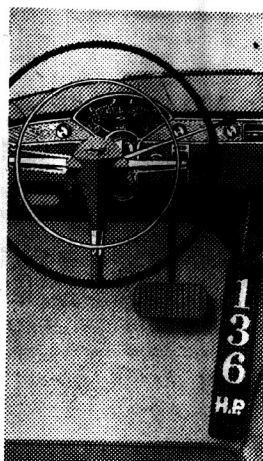
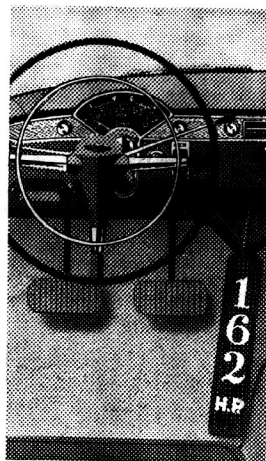
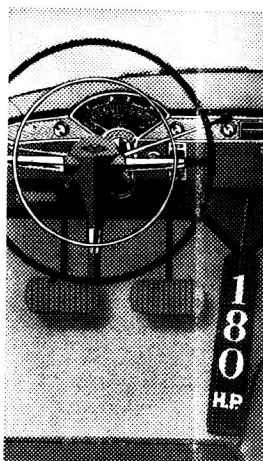
LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blue and son, of Elkhart, visited Mr. and Mrs. Rex Yazel and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Blue, Saturday afternoon.

Dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Earl Meredith Thursday were: Mr. and Mrs. John Laird and Mrs. Tessie Newton and Mrs. Lottie Berry. In the afternoon, Mrs. Mary Barkman called.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meredith and daughter, Marcia, took supper Friday evening with Mrs. Earl Meredith, of Mentone.

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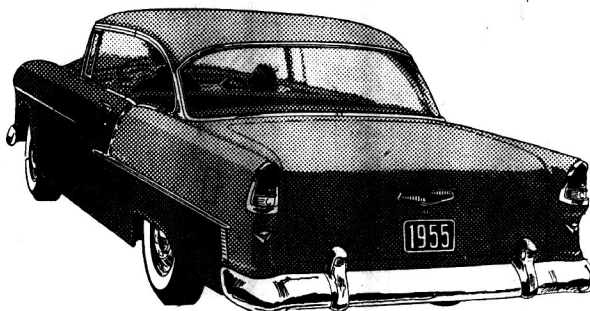
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NEWCASTLE
TOWNSHIP NEWS

Carl A. Dick, of South Bend, spent Sunday here visiting his father, W. A. Dick and Mrs. Dick.

The Talma Tigers basketball five journeyed to Gilead on Friday evening February 4 where they met the Gilead Wildcat basketball five. The Tigers clawed the Wildcats to the tune of 53 to 33. The last game of the season will be played on the Tigers' home floor on Tuesday evening, February 15, when they will meet the Kewanna Indians.

Lavoy Montgomery, of this place, and Herman Alber, of Rochester, spent Wednesday evening in Delong in the interests of the local Rod and Gun club.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove spent

Wednesday and Thursday in Logansport, visiting Mr. Grove's sister, Mrs. Jack Immler.

Harold Smith, who has been on the sick list, has returned to his studies at the local high school.

Sheldon Mikesell, of Indianapolis, spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mikesell. Mr. and Mrs. Sid Dick and son Jim spent Wednesday in Indianapolis.

Mrs. Cora Bryant spent Monday afternoon in Rochester. Harry Sriver spent Saturday at Purdue.

Pat Waltz, of Purdue, spent Tuesday here visiting friends. Mr. Waltz is a graduate of the local high school.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS MEET

The Royal Neighbors were entertained in the home of Mary Borton last Tuesday evening. The pledge to the flag was given and Oracle Snowden Halterman conducted the regular

business meeting. Neighbor Clara Parker, of Bourbon, installed the officers for the new year. The mystery package was won by Neighbor Davis. The meeting closed with the divine blessing by Neighbor Borton.

Crazy Bingo was played. The winners were Neighbors Parker, Cook and

Dillingham. The next meeting will be with Neighbor Davis.

Sandwiches and coffee were served by the hostess.

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PUBLIC SALE

As the tenant, Donald Smalley, has bought a farm and is leaving this farm, we will sell at public auction the following described property at what is known as the J. W. Swick farm, located 3 miles north of Akron on Road 19 then east 2 miles, or 6 miles south of Mentone on Road 19 then east 2 miles, or one-half mile east of Beaver Dam School, on

TUESDAY, FEB. 15

STARTING AT 12 NOON (EST)

50 HEAD OF CATTLE — MOSTLY GUERNSEYS

19 Cows, ranging in age from 3 years to 9 years old; 2 Cows, fresh, with calves by side; 1 Springer Cow, to freshen Feb. 27; 5 Cows to freshen in April; 3 Cows, milking, to freshen in May; 2 Cows giving milk, to be fresh in June; 1 Cow, milking good, to freshen in Aug.; 3 Cows, giving good flow, to freshen in September; 1 Cow to freshen in October; 1 Open Cow. — This is a good producing herd with a test of 5 percent.

4 Guernsey Springer Heifers; 5 Guernsey Heifers, to freshen in July and August; 5 Heifers, 18 months old, open; 13 Guernsey Heifers, ranging in age from 4 months to yearlings; Guernsey Bull Calf, 3½ months old, eligible to register. — All heifers calfhood vaccinated. Cattle all T. B. and Bang's tested. (In case of bad weather, cattle will be sold inside.)

103 HEAD OF HOGS.

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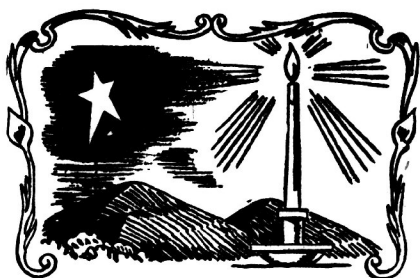
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CREEP FEEDING PRODUCES FAST ECONOMICAL GAINS

Creep feeding of suckling pigs is becoming increasingly popular among Hoosier swine producers as a means of growing fast economical gains, says J. H. Conrad, Purdue animal husbandryman.

Four keys for stimulating creep consumption include correct placement of creep, providing sufficient water, providing nutritious and palatable feed, and starting to creep feed early.

Available data indicates that pigs will consume at least three times more feed from a creep located inside the house adjacent to the sleeping area than from one located outside the house.

Water should be provided twice daily or continuously from the time pigs begin to eat dry feed. Up to five weeks of age, an average litter of eight pigs will consume one-third gallon of water daily, and from five weeks until weaning they will drink over one gallon per day.

An 18 per cent crude protein ration adequately fortified with vitamins and antibiotics will increase gains. When given a choice, pigs prefer a ration containing ten per cent sugar in contrast to a ration with no sugar. Experimental data shows that sugar aids in stimulating early consumption. It is recommended that pigs be given access to a creep ration by the time they are seven days old.

In a recent Purdue University creep feeding trial all these factors were combined and as a result pigs 56 days of age averaged 45 pounds, reports Con-

rad. Furthermore, each pig consumed 42 pounds of a creep ration before weaning at eight weeks.

More information on creep feeding rations may be obtained by writing to the agricultural experiment station mailing room, Purdue University, and asking for A. H. Mimeo 132.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hammon, of Kewanna, Indiana, called at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bowen, Saturday.

FOR SALE—Good used 6.00x16 Tires. Cox Motor Sales, Mentone.

Grass silage gives best results when fed in combination with hay, according to the dairy department at Purdue University. Five to seven pounds per cow daily in addition to all the silage a cow will eat gives good results. When cows are fed only grass silage they will generally not consume as much roughage (in terms of dry matter) as when both silage and hay are fed.

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OLIVE DILLE KNICKERBOCKER

Word was received by Mrs. Merl Boyer, of the death of her cousin, Mrs. Olive Knickerbocker, 86, who died recently at Iowa City, Ia.

Mrs. Knickerbocker was the former Olive Dille, of Mentone; and had lived at Cedar Rapids, Ia., most recently. She is survived by a twin brother, Oliver Dille, of Indianapolis; and Mrs. Boyer who was raised by Mrs. Knickerbocker's parents.

Funeral services were held Monday at Cedar Rapids.

NOAH EVERSELE DIES SUDDENLY

Noah Eversone, aged 59, died at 6:15 p. m. Feb. 16, at his home two miles south of Tippecanoe. The cause of death was Coronary Occlusion. He had suffered from a heart condition for four years. He was born April 9, 1895.

Survivors include his wife, Minerva (Mahoney); two sisters, Mrs. Esta Large of Tippecanoe and Mrs. Mary Ritenaur of Plymouth, and two brothers, Amos, of Chicago and Harry of Colorado.

No arrangements have as yet been made for the funeral.

MENTONE MINSTREL CHORUS PRACTICE

The first chorus practice for the Mentone Minstrel Show was held Tuesday night, at the school house. There were about 25 men who came to the Chorus practice. We hope that more will respond next week when the chorus practices with the Interlocutor and End men. Solo parts were assigned to several men. We didn't realize how much talent Mentone Community has.

The next practice is February 22 at 7:30 at the school. Anyone who likes to sing is invited to come. This is the last opportunity to become a member of the chorus.

The proceeds from the show will go to the music dept. of the school.

Remember the dates, Tuesday and Wednesday, March 29 and 30.

HAS MAJOR SURGERY

Brett Flenar, 4 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Flenar, returned home Sunday after submitting to an operation for the removal of his appendix on Thursday. He is doing fine.

Warrens to Celebrate Golden Wedding Sunday, Feb. 20th



Shown above is a picture of Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Warren who will celebrate their fiftieth wedding anniversary on Sunday, Feb. 20th, with open house from 2 to 4 at the home of a son, Ralph Warren, two miles north and one-fourth mile west of Mentone.

"Ma" and "Pa" Warren as their are so well known, have lived 44 years on their farm on Road 10, two and one-

fourth miles west of Road 331. Mr. Warren, who has not been too well of late, is 71 years of age and his wife is 69.

The Warrens have three sons: Ralph of near Mentone, Russell of Tippecanoe township, and Roy of Lake City, Michigan. There are also 19 grandchildren and 24 great-grandchildren.

One of the requests of the Warrens is that there be no gifts.

ASKS DAMAGES FOR SON'S DEATH

Raymond Burke of Disko has brought suit for \$15,000 damages against Jack D. Burke of Akron because of the death of his son, James, in an auto-truck collision December 18, 1954. Young Burke and Jerry Patrick, riding in a car driven by Jack Burke, were killed on Road 19 north of Akron when the Burke car collided with a truck driven by Raleigh T. Sellers, of Etna Green.

CLUB CALENDAR

W.S.C.S. Thursday Feb. 17, 7:45, at the home of Mrs. Herman Olson. Call 165 for transportation.

The Beaver Dam Home Ec. Club will meet at the Akron Library, February 23 at 1:30. Mrs. Louise Swick and Mrs. Winifred Summe are the hostesses.

The J. O. Y. Circle will meet at the Mentone Methodist Church February 26, a noon lunch will be served. Be sure to see next weeks issue for time and menu.

BERKWAY MARKETS NOW OPEN FOR VISITORS

The new Berkway Super Market opened officially today under the management of George Holloway.

The former Hoover Market building has been completely remodeled and entirely new fixtures installed to make it a very nicely arranged market.

Dean Meyer, of Rochester, has charge of the meat department, and two of the regular full time clerks are Mrs. Kenneth Mollenhour and Mrs. James Meredith, of west of Mentone.

Mr. and Mrs. Holloway have two sons, Jeffry, aged 8, and Randall, 2. They expect to move to Mentone as soon as they can find a home. The Meyer family also expects to move to Mentone.

Every individual connected with the new firm appear to be mighty fine people and a friendly welcome is extended to them. The addition of another fine business establishment in the community will help to make Mentone an even better trading town.

SARAH KING DIES WHEN CAR IS HIT BY TRAIN

Sarah Irene King, 26, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewey King, R. 2, Rochester, met instant death at 2:15 a. m. Friday when the auto which she was driving was hit by an eastbound freight train at a grade crossing in Tippecanoe.

Miss King, who was employed at the Bendix Corporation, South Bend, had delivered a fellow worker to her home when the accident occurred.

The crossing in Tippecanoe has a slight raise and investigating officers presumed that Miss King may have skidded on the icy highway and momentarily lost control of the car, skidding into the freight. Ice and snow returned to this area Thursday and driving was dangerous everywhere.

The deceased was born in Marshall county Feb. 12, 1928.

Survivors are the parents; two brothers, Charles of Bourbon and Tommy at home; one sister, Mrs. Isabelle Vanderweele, Argos; and her grandmother, Mrs. Ella King.

Funeral services were held at two o'clock Sunday afternoon at the Community church in Tippecanoe with Rev. Gordon Roose of Tippecanoe and Rev. Chester Doden of Mentone, officiating. Burial was in the Summit Chapel cemetery, Tippecanoe.

MARLENE STITES WEDS

ROSCOE DAVIS JR.

Miss Marlene Stites became the bride of Roscoe E. Davis Jr. on Saturday, February 5th at Ft. Wayne.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loral Stites of Orangeville, Illinois, and the groom is the son of Mrs. Roscoe Davis of Mentone.

The bride is a graduate of Orangeville High School and is now employed as a beautician in Fort Wayne. The groom is a graduate of Mentone High School. He is employed by the General Truck Sales Corp. as a salesman, also in Fort Wayne.

After a short honeymoon the couple is now residing at 1027 Lake Avenue, Fort Wayne.

RUSH

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Rush, of Beaumont, Texas, are the parents of a daughter born on Tuesday, February 15, according to a telegram received by Mrs. Bernice Rush, the paternal Grandmother.

TO BUILD LIQUID FERTILIZER PLANT

Plans are now underway to construct a new liquid fertilizer plant in this vicinity, it was announced today by Jay Shue, operator of Shue Spray Service, of Winona Lake.

The plant to be constructed this summer, will manufacture balanced liquid fertilizer which has recently been introduced and is in use by farmers of Southern Indiana, Ohio and Illinois.

Liquid fertilizer will be available to farmers in this area March 1. Bulk storage tanks are now being installed at the Shue Spray Service on King's Highway, Winona, to accommodate trucked in shipments of liquid fertilizer now being manufactured in the southern part of the state. Farmers will be serviced from these bulk storage tanks until the new manufacturing plant is completed, Shue explained.

COLD 50 YEARS AGO

Howard Kohr called up Thursday and said that 50 years ago that day it was 18 degrees below zero. The cold remained for four or five days and the ground was frozen nearly two feet down. Howard said his mother died at that time, which is one of the reasons why he remembered the extreme cold weather.

START JURY TRIAL

Mrs. Howard (Lorene) DeWitt, of northeast of Culver, is plaintiff in a damage complaint against Donald and Howard Hudson, of near Mentone, for which a jury was selected Tuesday morning in circuit court.

The case is based on an accident which occurred August 26, 1952 on a Harrison township road. Jurors for the trial are Charles Gilliam and Ruby Rusher, of Warsaw; Hescall Kitson, Sam Searfoss, Helen Koontz and Eli Shock, Syracuse; Imogene Menzie and Mrs. Paul Beezley, North Webster; Lon Walters and Ora Smith, Mentone; Melvin Hoffer, Nappanee, and Merris Vanderveer, Milford.

PSI IOTA XI

Tuesday evening the Psi Iota Xi Sorority met with Mrs. Arthur Kendall for a bridge party. Mrs. Curtis Riner and Miss Annabelle Mentzer won the door prize.

Lovely refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Jack Pritchard, Mrs. Cecil Long, Mrs. Harold Utter, Mrs. Maude Snyder, Mrs. Curtis Riner, Mrs. John Boggs, Mrs. Iris Anderson, Mrs. Mott Bryan, Mrs. Ralph Ward, Mrs. Forrest Miner, Mrs. Kenneth Simcoe, Mrs. Mervin Jones, Mrs. Paul Quinn, Mrs. Joe Boggs, Mrs. Dale Cook, Miss Annabelle Mentzer, Miss Barbara King, and the hostess, Mrs. Arthur Kendall.

The next meeting will be at Mrs. Forrest Miner's on March 1st. It is important that all members be present for the business meeting.

JOLLY JANES CLUB

The Jolly Janes met Monday night at the home of Leona Eber, with Martha Ellsworth as co-hostess.

The lesson "one dish meals" was given by Reba Pyle of Warsaw. The next meeting will be held March 4th.

SALVATION ARMY EXTENDS THANKS FOR HOME SERVICE

A letter of thanks has been received from the Salvation Army, Warsaw, for the fine response given by citizens of Harrison and Franklin townships in the Home Service Appeal recently. Mr. Raymond Lash was chairman of the Franklin township group, raising \$99, and Mr. Carroll Eiler was chairman for Harrison township, raising \$326, an increase of \$191.55 over last year.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Ray Dillingham has been sick this week.

Mrs. Clarence Lieninger is ill and has been confined to her home.

Charles Bruner of Peoria, Illinois, called on Mr. and Mrs. William Cook Saturday night.

Mrs. Edith Dart is bed fast with a blood clot. Mrs. Rosa Krutch of Tippecanoe is caring for her.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Grubbs of Warsaw are the parents of a 7 lb 6 oz. son at the Murphy Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William Schooley called on Mrs. Gouchenour in Elkhart Sunday afternoon.

Susie Sullivan and Monabelle Ross were Friday evening dinner guests of Marilyn Horn and they attended the basket ball game at Larwill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Davis and family of Silver Lake and Phyllis Bolt of Pierceton, were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Myrtle Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boganwright Dick Boganwright and Mrs. Emory Davis called on Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sanners of Tippecanoe, Sunday evening.

Mrs. Howard Hudson of near Etna Green called on Mrs. Ray Linn Wednesday afternoon and on Thursday afternoon Mrs. Carl Metheny of near Bourbon called on Mrs. Linn.

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Blesch of Akron were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meredith and daughter, Marcia and son, John Meredith who is in Purdue University and his friend, Miss Molly Hanger, of near Akron. The occasion was a Birthday dinner for Mrs. Roy Meredith and son John.

Mr. and Mrs. Emory Davis and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and son were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Boganwright. Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Boganwright, Dick Boganwright and Mrs. Emory Davis attended the funeral of Miss Irene King.

Mrs. Lu Robbins spent Saturday afternoon with Mrs. Bessie Robbins.

Mrs. Marie Coleman is in the Mayo's Hospital in Rochester, Minn.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack VanGilder left on Wednesday morning for a vacation trip to Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Moore of Rochester, had an auto accident Sunday, but were not injured seriously.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hoffman of Akron.

Mrs. Emma Meredith called on Mr. and Mrs. Nora Severns Thursday afternoon.

Junior McClarn and Mrs. Ellen Hogle called on Mrs. Bessie Robbins Sunday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Orville McFadden and daughters visited with relatives in Ft. Wayne Sunday afternoon.

Dr. and Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Velma Shaffer attended the funeral of Miss Irene King Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clipp and family of Elkhart, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Horn Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kudena, of Circle, Montana, and Manual Seidel of Badger, Minnesota, are visiting at the Artley Cullum home.

Mr. Junior McClarn of LaPorte and Evelyn McClarn of Mentone were called to Peru Sunday where their mother is in the hospital very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Mentzer are enjoying a California vacation. They left Chicago last week and made the trip by train.

Saturday dinner guests at the E. E. Wagner home were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Warren and family of Elkhart.

Mrs. Pete Blue and Mrs. Rex Yazel and daughters spent Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Slabaugh of Bourbon.

Mrs. Nellie Julian spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Beeson and family and Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Julian of Warsaw called on Mrs. Julian.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fawley were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Milo Fawley. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fawley and daughters of Etna Green called in the afternoon.

Sunday visitors at the E. E. Wagner home were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wideman Jr. and family of Warsaw, Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Wagner and family of Burket, Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Wagner and family, Mr. and Mrs. Mervin Wagner and Mrs. O. C. Vandermark and daughter of Mentone.

HOME GROWN TREES EXCELLENT SOURCE OF FENCE POSTS

Lafayette, Ind.—With spring thaws not too far away, Indiana farmers who plan to build fence in the spring should be thinking about posts, says E. J. Lott, extension forester at Purdue University.

Red Cedar and black locust are predominantly used for posts on Indiana

farms, remarks Lott, but hedge, white oak, sassafras, catalpa and mulberry are also used. Of these listed, hedge black locust and red cedar are the most durable.

If a farmer doesn't have any of the naturally durable species available for posts, native hardwoods can be treated to improve durability. The object is to make the post last as long as the estimated life of the wire.

Probably the easiest-to-use, safest, and one of the most effective post preservatives is "penta". This chemical comes in two types—ready to use—penta and penta concentrate. One gallon of penta concentrate should be mixed with 10 gallons of fuel oil or kerosene. This surface cannot be painted over, but surface of posts treated with the somewhat more expensive, ready to use penta can be painted.

Lott says to peel the posts after cutting and allow them to season 30 to 60 days. Posts should be put in a tank of penta solution for a period of 48 hours. Two 55 gallon drums welded together make an excellent tank for this purpose.

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FARM WOMEN'S CONVENTION PLACE CHANGED

Women of the Indiana Farm Bureau will convene for their twenty-fifth annual conference February 22 and 23 in a new location, the Indiana Roof of the Indiana Theater Building, in downtown Indianapolis, according to an announcement by Mrs. Paul Flinn, Franklin, state director of the social and educational department. About 2,000 women are expected to attend the conference. The meeting had been held for many years in the Murat Temple. Plans for the vent include addresses, entertainment, and awards presentations. Out-of-state speakers will include: Mrs. Raymond Sayre, Iowa, former national leader of Farm Bureau women and for six years president of the Associated Country Women of the world; Mrs. Eugene Jones, Oklahoma, southern regional director of the American Farm Bureau Women; Dr. Herbert E. Scotts, professor of sociology of religion, Iliff School of Theology, Denver, Colorado, and Cecil R. Crews, representative of the Michigan Credit Union League.

Musical entertainment, a style show, and a recreational demonstration will add variety. Awards will be made to winners of a state essay contest, to county organizations with the highest scores, to ten rural churches which have shown the most improvement during the past year, and to three winners of the Vote-For-America contest, conducted by the Hoosier Farmer magazine. This is a new endeavor to stimulate voting in rural communities. A winning Rural Youth club will be awarded a trophy; and the three best public speakers, competing from among the women, will be given cash awards.

This conference is the high point of the year for the farm women of Indiana, who will travel by auto and chartered bus to the capitol city for the two-day event.

CRUSADE FOR "FREEDOM SKY-DROP" FEBRUARY 19

At noon on Saturday, February 19, more than 1,000 airplanes will shower 200 American cities with Crusade For Freedom materials as a climax to national "Freedom Week" ending February 22. Four Indiana cities have been selected for the project, South Bend, Fort Wayne, Indianapolis and Evansville.

Operation "Freedom Sky-Drop" is sponsored jointly by The American Legion and the Civil Air Patrol on behalf of the Crusade for Freedom, a project of The American Heritage Foundation.

The materials tell the story of Radio Free Europe and the Crusade's balloon operation which are fighting Communism in the Soviet backyard. Radio Free Europe and the balloon-borne leaflets regularly pierce the Iron Curtain, bringing truth from the free

world to the prisoners of Communism. These projects are supported solely by contributions of the American people through Crusade for Freedom.

The materials include "Freedom Scrolls" for individual signatures; reprints of the January, 1955 Reader's Digest article "Ballons Over the Iron Curtain;" envelopes in which contributions can be mailed and souvenir "Freedom Bell" medallions typical of those dropped in the captive countries.

Operational planning is in the hands of the State Commanders of the Legion and Wing Commanders of the

Civil Air Patrol. State and Local Crusade for Freedom committees will assist.

The Crusade for Freedom is headed by Henry Ford II, chairman of the board, and Walter Bedell Smith, president.

Chinese Superstition

Superstitious? Many of us today tote a good luck charm secretly in purse or pocket. But the ancient Chinese told the world. They decorated their camels with embroidered halters hung with strings of blue beads to ward off evil.

TALMA ROD AND GUN CLUB TO MEET

The members of the Talma Rod and Gun Club will hold their February meeting on February 22, at 7:30 p. m. in the high school Gym. (old). Claude Jameson, the Vice-president will be in charge of the meeting. Refreshments will be served to the group after the meeting.

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B. Y. 7:00 p.m.
Evening Service 8:00 p.m.
Prayer and Bible Study.
Thursday evening 8:00 p.m.
Informal Gospel and Song Service.
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Mentone, Indiana
Leslie Grant, Minister

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Bible School 9:45 a.m.
Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
THURSDAY—
Devotions and Bible Class 7:30 p.m.
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BOURBON METHODIST CHURCH

Rev. Paul Trombauer, Pastor
Talma Methodist Church
Dale Peterson, Superintendent
Sunday School 10 a.m. EST
On Feb. 20 at 2 p. m. the M. Y. F. Youth of the Talma Methodist Church will register at the Etna Green Methodist Church. Dr. R. H. Miller of N. Manchester College will bring the message and also will show pictures.
Foster Chapel
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Sunday School 10 a.m. EST
Worship Service 11:00
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Raymond Cooper, Lay Leader.



SUNDAY:
Worship Service 9:30 a. m.
Church School 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY:
Boy Scouts 6:30 p. m.

THURSDAY:
Junior Choir 3:30 p. m.
Adult and Youth Choir 7:00 p. m.
Board and Committee meetings 8:00 p. m.
Special and monthly meetings announced in the News item.

TALMA CHRISTIAN CHURCH

Talma, Indiana

Delbert A. Ruberg, Pastor
S. S. Supt. Leslie Grubbs.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Junior Bible Study, Tues. evening at 7:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

ETNA GREEN
Evangelical United Brethren Church
F. H. Pflugh, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45
James Sommer, Superintendent
Morning Worship 10:45
Revival Services February 6-20 each evening 7:30
Evangelist, Rev. Jay Taylor, Pastor of Lakeville E. U. B. Circuit.
Mid-week Service Thurs., 7:30
Youth Fellowship, Wednesday 7:30

HARRISON CENTER
Evangelical United Brethren Church
F. H. Pflugh, Pastor
Morning Worship 9:30
Sunday School 10:30
Roy Haney, Supt.
Revival Services, Feb. 27 — March 13

BURKET E. U. B. CIRCUIT
Joe F. Bear, pastor

ALL SERVICES E. S. T.
BEAVER DAM:
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Ronald Malott, Supt.
Worship Service 7:30 p.m.
Adult Fellowship 24 Feb. 7:30p.m.
BURKET:
Sunday School 9:30
Everett Swick, Supt.
WORSHIP 10:30
Adult Fellowship 22 Feb. 7:30p.m.
FAIRVIEW:
Sunday School 9:30
Ray Swick, Supt.

TIPPECANOE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Gordon Roose, Pastor
Dale Grossman, Supt.

Morning Worship Services 9:30
Sunday School 10:30
Youth Training Union 6:45
Sunday Evening Services 7:30
Thurs. eve. Choir Practice 7:00
"Hour of Power" Prayer Meeting Thursday night 7:30
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Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

BURKET METHODIST PARISH

Albert Rider, Pastor

Cooks Chapel:
Morning Worship 9:30
Church School 10:20
Palestine:
Church School 9:30
Burket:
Church School 9:30
Morning Worship 10:30

ATTENDS MOODY

FOUNDERS WEEK

Christian leaders and laymen from across the nation and a number of foreign countries met in Chicago recently for the 49th annual Founder's Week conference of Moody Bible Institute.

The conference marked the 118th anniversary of the birth of the Institute's founder, Dwight L. Moody. Since it was established 68 years ago, Moody Bible Institute has trained some 56,000 men and women for Christian service. Among the registered guests at the conference was Chester A. Doden of Mentone.

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Sprinkler irrigation is catching on fast in Indiana. Latest reports indicate more than 450 farmers are now irrigating an estimated 25,000 acres of crop and pasture land. Four years ago, 164 Hoosier farmers were irrigating just a little more than 5,000 acres.

Donald R. Sisson, Purdue University extension agricultural engineer, says Indiana farmers are tapping lakes, streams, ponds and other surface sources for about two-thirds of the irrigation water they use. Wells are filling the remainder of their irrigation needs.

Corn is still king when it comes to amount of acreage under irrigation. Surprisingly enough, however, more irrigation systems are currently in use on vegetable crops than corn or any-

thing else. Indiana farmers last year also irrigated pastures, hay fields, tobacco, small fruits and nursery crops.

Many farmers will be irrigating for the first time in 1955, and to answer their various questions, Sisson and Purdue agronomist G. G. Williams have prepared a mimeograph on "Sprinkler Irrigation." This publication, Mimeo AE-27a, is available by writing to the county extension agent or by writing to agricultural publications office at Purdue University. Questions on the kind of pumps and power units required, the size pipe to use, and the cost of irrigation systems are answered in this mimeograph.

Milk at breakfast time helps prevent mid-morning fatigue—often accompanied by headache or muscular tremor. A child who has had little or no breakfast becomes tired and restless in mid-morning. Miss Lois Oberhelman, extension food and nutritionist at Purdue University, explains that such mid-morning fatigue makes it impossible for a child to give his undivided attention to his school work.

Now is the time to plan for poultry pastures, says the poultry department at Purdue University. For growing pullets, good pasture can be worth as much as \$50.00 per acre in terms of feed saved. A permanent pasture such as ladino is the most satisfactory for poultry, but it must be planned a year in advance. Temporary pastures such as oats or rye grass can be seeded in early spring and give good forage for a number of weeks, but they cannot be depended on to make a thick sod or stay succulent during the summer.

Food Sale at Lemler's Market on Saturday, February 19 at 9 o'clock. Sponsored by O.E.S. F16p

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Notice is hereby given that the Trustee of Franklin Township, Kosciusko County, Indiana, will on February 21, 1955 receive sealed bids for the purchase of a 48 passenger bus and chassis at the office of said trustee.

All bids are to be on file by 7:30 P.M. o'clock of the aforesaid date.

Definite specifications for said purchase are on file in the trustee's office and may be examined before said purchase. A used bus and chassis to be considered in this transaction.

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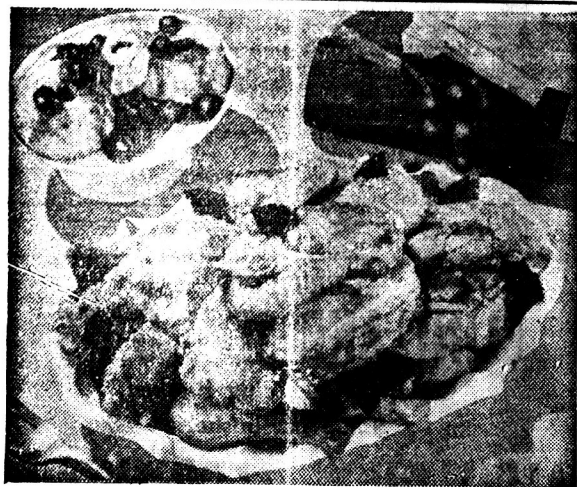
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Two great American industries, the producers of broiler-fryer chickens and the growers of cherries, suggest that "a great American dinner for the greatest people on earth—your family and friends—on a great American's birthday" features fried chicken and angel food cake with cherry sauce.

Fried chicken is great for such an occasion, for it has "Special-occasion" deliciousness as well as ease and speed of preparation. That adds up to giving the hostess more time to spend with her guests, plus confidence that the dinner will be a success. Whether pan-fried on top of the range or in an electric skillet, deep-fat fried, or oven-fried, chicken has the same taste-pleasing combination of tender meatiness and slightly-sweet crispness. The coating which makes this crispness,

whether of flour or other mixtures, keeps the meat from drying out during cooking and causes uniformity in the tempting golden brown color.

To test for doneness, the thickest pieces should be fork-tender. If special equipment is used, follow the manufacturer's directions. Chicken should be well-done for better enjoyment. A 1 1/4-pound to 3-pound broiler-fryer should cook in 30 minutes to one hour, depending upon size.

A great dessert for Washington's Birthday dinner consists of miniature angel food cakes served with cherry sauce. Sour red pie cherries are thickened with cornstarch to sauce consistency and sweetened to taste. Reminiscent of colonial days when sponge-type cakes were popular, the cakes (shown in photograph) are baked in the new tube pans. A standard angel food recipe or mix (1 1/2 cups egg whites, 1 cup flour) will make 18 cakes. Each cake constitutes a serving.

Delicious

Chicken dipped in milk, then in flour, and fried in deep, hot fat has a delicious golden brown color.

Cleaning Furniture

An easy way to clean carved furniture is to dip an old toothbrush in furniture polish and rub over it

SAVE TIME IN FLOOR CARE WITH MACHINE

Lafayette, Ind.—In 1955 homemakers can have bright and shiny floors in one-tenth the time, says Miss Gertrude Monhaut, extension home management specialist at Purdue University. The average homemaker spends about 102 hours per year scrubbing and waxing floors. Such work is not only time consuming but extremely fatiguing.

Studies show that many homemakers do not realize the advantages of a floor waxer-polisher because less than five percent own one. Another survey pointed out that women listed a polisher eleventh among 19 appliances which they would like to own. Homemakers have accepted the menial labor of mopping, scrubbing and manual waxing, but now can select a machine to do these jobs. If she is careful in selecting a waxer-polisher, she can get a machine that will do the job of scrubbing, buffing, applying and even sanding floors. This will reduce the time and energy necessary for floor care.

Several companies are manufacturing floor waxer-polisher machines which sell at a popular price. Three different types of polishers are being manufactured, one, two and three-brush models. Traditionally, the two-brush models have been the most popular machines because of the ease of operation. One-brush models have been

improved to perform equally as well as the two-brush models.

Most hardware-appliance stores and department stores have different types from which homemakers can make a selection. The price of all brands will be nearly the same.

The hotbed should be prepared during February for planting cabbage, cauliflower and head lettuce seed, according to the horticulture department at Purdue University. Cool season vegetables should be thoroughly hardened in time for transplanting in the garden.

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GROW CORN WITHOUT TILLAGE?

Imagine a crop of corn growing right out of heavy quackgrass sod, just as tall green and heavy-eared as corn right next to it on ground fitted and cultivated in the usual way.

That's just what onlookers saw last summer when scientists of the Dow Chemical Company lifted the curtain on current research with chemical weed killers.

Of course, the quackgrass sod was dead. It was knocked out with a potent new chemical, Dalapon, sprayed on last fall and again last spring.

Then the corn was planted with regular equipment right through the dead stems and roots. When the corn was coming up, it got a spray to kill broad-leaf weeds.

That's all that was done to raise this patch of corn.

Wheat, flax, and other crops were also grown without tillage. Most looked good. An exception was soybeans which are very sensitive to the weed killers used.

"Research on growing crops without tillage might have made little progress," reported Capper's Farmer, "if

it hadn't been for the discovery of Dalapon."

It's a systemic killer that gets into plants through foliage as well as the roots, so it does a good job whether soils are waterlogged or dry, said the farm magazine.

Dalapon has proved it can knock the quack right out of old sod-bound asparagus fields. It is selective enough to stop invasions of downy brome, bluegrass, quack, and Johnson grass in alfalfa with scarcely any setback of the alfalfa.

It has given good control of annual grasses in flax and sugar beets. With care it can be used as an interrow spray in cotton, and even in corn which is a grass itself.

Maybe we will never see the day when farm crops will be grown without tillage. This thing is still in the early experimental stages.

But we do know that: (1) Dead sod is a good medium in which to grow crop plants, (2) subsequent weed growth can be kept in check with chemicals alone and (3) it doesn't take prohibitive amounts of chemical killers to do this job.

MENTONE P. T. A.

A panel made of students, Connie Doyle, Frank Manwaring, and Bill Nelsons, parents, Mrs. Gosser, Mrs. Anderson and Mr. Hoover, and teachers, Mrs. Hoffman, Mr. Kent, Mr. Hoogenboom, and Mr. Whitehead, was the feature of the P. T. A. meeting last Wednesday evening. Mrs. Urschel served as moderator in the discussion of extra curricular activities in our school. There were many interesting ideas

brought out in the discussion. One of them was that nearly every student could participate in some activity.

Preceding the discussion, Mrs. Hoover had led the group in the pledge to our flag. Mr. Dale Kelley presented the devotion from Joshua I. Mrs. Nelson gave a report on the plans for the P. T. A. Ministral to be given on March 29 and 30.

Refreshments were served in the cafeteria following adjournment.

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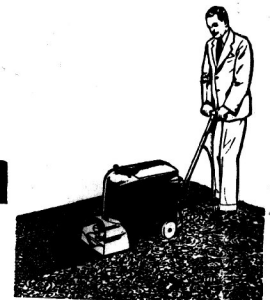
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It is a typical Saturday in Stockholm. The sun is bravely shining as it hangs just above the horizon. The air is crisp and invigorating. The streets are filled with people—some headed for business appointments; some shopping bound; some pleasure bound.

Regardless of who they are or of what profession, it is a fair assumption that most of them can be counted among the 250,000 odd persons who belong to the various shooting clubs in the city. It is also a fair guess that many among them will be headed for the very excellent municipal range built in the heart of the city where they will spend the day at Sweden's favorite sport—rifle shooting.

There will be others, too, who drive to the military range at the officers training school, some 35 miles outside the city. There, in groups of ten, they will successively engage the various targets that appear at the eight or ten different firing points they come to as they follow a two-mile path through the woods and fields on the reservation.

At both of these ranges, the majority of rifles will be the service rifle, and the ammunition will be part of the annual training allowance provided by the government to practically every male citizen of military age. More often than not, there will be a picnic basket as well as a rifle, and the shooters will be accompanied by their wives and children. The day at the range is an outing for the entire family; a day of sport, and a day of preparedness; a day of fun that contributes directly to the nation's welfare.

This scene is not limited to Sweden alone. It is depicted again and again in all of the Norse countries and in Switzerland; perhaps even in East Germany and in other areas behind the Curtain.

The governing authorities in each of these countries are not unmindful of the potentials of nuclear warfare, or of the destructiveness of mass artillery fire, or of the effectiveness of armor. On the other hand, they have not overlooked the fact, as some nations have been prone to do, that the rifle is still the final 'arbiter' in battle, and that the odds are with that side whose men have been best trained to use it. They know, too, that a man who has been properly trained in marksmanship is better prepared to serve—and to live—than one who has not. So in each of these countries we find a system of universal marksmanship training that is economical to operate, that provides a measure of training for all men of military age, and that is a vital and an integral part of the national defense structure.

The essential elements of such a program are relatively few, communal ranges accessible to all the citizens of the country; organized rifle clubs which provide qualified instructors and proper administration; availability of service weapons, and a modest annual allowance of service ammunition for

training and qualification firing.

In most of these countries the law requires that every young man be given his basic marksmanship training by the local shooting club at his community range before he is called up for his period of active military service. Since this training is given in a home environment and over a considerable period of time, the boy is better trainer than he ever would be if such training were delayed until he had donned the uniform. Also, of course, the two or three weeks that would otherwise have to be devoted to basic marksmanship instruction in the recruit camp can be spent profitably in more advanced types of training that could not possibly be carried on at home. The law also provides that after his active duty tour is completed and he has been assigned to a reserve status, each man shall re-affiliate with his local club and shall re-qualify annually on his club or municipal range so long as he has a reserve obligation to fulfill.

This system of universal marksmanship training has paid many dividends. It was a primary factor in maintaining Sweden's neutrality in World War II. For the first three months of the Finnish-Russian War of 1939-1940, the marksmanship of the individual Finnish soldier effectively held up the Russian advance and inflicted tremendous losses on the invader. For almost a century and a half, Switzerland's 'nation of marksmen' has deterred every erstwhile conqueror from crossing her borders. The system is responsible in no small measure for the relative standing of nations in the recent world championship rifle matches in Caracas. Compare our standing in these matches with the standing of the nations having a system of universal marksmanship training.

For over 50 years, the United States of America has had the framework for implementing such a system of nation-wide marksmanship training on a voluntary basis. In 1903, the Congress created the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice within the Department of the Army for this very purpose. It reiterated its belief in the program in the National Defense Act of 1916, and in certain Acts cognate thereto of 1924 and 1927. The tragedy is that the plan has never yet been given a real opportunity to prove itself.

The law is so worded that every young man in this country could be trained and qualified in basic marksmanship before he becomes eligible for service at 18½ years of age. In most every instance such instruction would be given through junior rifle clubs affiliated with the National Rifle Association of America, on ranges constructed by the voluntary donations of time and money of loyal citizens who belong to the NRA. The instructors would come from that same group, voluntarily giving of their time and experience as a public service.

Because of these factors, the cost to the government of conducting the

program would be negligible compared to its potential value. Besides the price of the allowance of training ammunition (which would be just the same whether the boy is in uniform or mufti) it is estimated that the National Board would expend less than \$1.30 per year per boy in administering the program compared with the more than \$200.00 which it costs the Armed Services to feed, clothe, house, and take care of that same boy over the 70 odd hours presently devoted to basic marksmanship training after he has donned a uniform. Experience clearly indicates that the boy will be just as well or better trained on his home range before induction into the service as he will be at the recruit depot after induction. Once such a program is effective nation-wide, the two-week period now required for basic marksmanship training at the recruit camps can be used for other and more advanced types of training to the advantage of everyone concerned—including the taxpayer who foots the bill.

Not only does the National Board program provide for pre-induction training; it has an even greater potential in maintaining the marksmanship proficiency of every man who has completed his active-duty stint but who still is eligible for service in time of war. The small expenditures involved would be negligible, indeed, compared with the end result of much greater national—and personal—preparedness.

The basic law requires the National Board for the Promotion of Rifle Practice to submit its recommendations annually to the Congress via the Secretary of the Army. After very careful consideration, it concluded that approximately two million dollars will be needed to carry out the basic program required by law during fiscal year 1956 and it recommended that the Congress be asked to appropriate that sum for that purpose. The Department of the Army and the Department of Defense concurred in these conclusions. Unfortunately, there is a small group of men within the Bureau of the Budget, which has elected to disregard the conclusions and recommendations of the agencies responsible to Congress in this matter, and who have arbitrarily reduced the requested amount to \$150,000 for the year. There are some who feel that the Bureau of the Budget, by its action has usurped the authority of Congress. Certainly the Congress is entitled to receive the recommendations which is has decreed by statute shall be submitted to it for consideration.

This is a matter of direct concern to every loyal citizen of this country. It is you, your sons, and your grandsons, who stand to benefit most from an adequate and nation-wide program of civilian marksmanship training. Either the ability to 'hit a mark' is of a value to you as an individual and to our overall national defense structure—or it is not. If it is of value, then Congress should appropriate sufficient monies to the National Board for the Promotion

of Rifle Practice so that it can carry out the function assigned to it by law. If it is not, then Congress should abolish the National Board altogether.

If you believe that civilian marksmanship training and the National Board serve a useful purpose and that Congress should provide sufficient funds to adequately support this defense activity, tell your Senator and your Congressman how you feel about it. Or if you believe this program of more than 50 years standing should be abandoned—your Senator and your Congressman would like to know that too. The issue is as plain as that. It is for you—the members of the National Rifle Association of America and the people at large—to decide!

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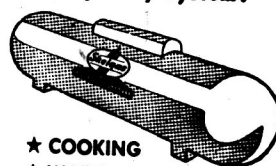
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By Ruth Snellenberger

Dear 4-H Members and Friends,

In giving more information about working with wool fabrics I will give suggestions about making a wool skirt first, followed with making a wool suit jacket.

The wool skirt is the simplest garment to be constructed by the 4-H girl. This year a skirt may be made in division four clothing project requirements. Assuming the material has been pre-shrunk, the ends straightened, pattern fitted and then laid on the material according to directions, garment cut out and all perforations marked, the skirt is then ready to put together. The darts are sewed first beginning at wide end and stitch to nothing. Actually the line of stitching makes the dart smaller and smaller so that the last few stitches are right along the fold. Press the dart toward the center over a curved surface.

Remember last week's discussion? Plain seams are usually used; occasionally lapped seams may be required. In sewing plain seams, begin at the bottom of the skirt and sew up toward the top or waist. Press in this same direction following directions given last week.

If you haven't already stayline-stitched the top of the skirt and the opening for the side pocket, do so before pressing. Then check fit of skirt before sewing in zipper.

In preparing the skirt waistband, you may wish to use an interfacing so that it will not wrinkle so readily when wearing it. Firm muslin, tailor's

canvas, pella, crinoline or belting are materials sometimes used.

The waistline looks more tailored if it is pointed and extends a little beyond the skirt back, secure fastening can be made in addition to the button.

If the skirt material is rather thick, the inside edge of the band can be pinked and laid over seam flat onto the skirt. Then machine-stitch along the bottom edge of the band on the right side catching the pinked edge on under side.

The hem of the wool skirt is very important in order to have it done so well that it is unnoticeable on the right side. Have the hem measured and then turned up as for any other garment. If the skirt is flared there will be fullness in the top of the hem. To take this out, stitch around the top edge of the hem with a large (long) machine stitch. Pull up the underneath thread as for gathering, until the top of the hem lies back evenly against the skirt. Match seam lines in the hem with seam lines in the skirt. Lay a piece of plain paper between the hem and the skirt, then shrink in as much fullness as you can, using a damp press cloth or steam iron.

Baste lower part of hem in place and finish shrinking in any fullness. Shape rayon seam binding to fit curve of hem. Baste and stitch to hem. Sew to garment using cross-stitch. Press thoroughly on wrong side, lightly on right side if needed.

If material is very firm the pinked

edge of the hem might be machine stitched and then secured to garment using the cross-stitch without attaching seam binding.

For 4-H Clothing girl in division VII who wishes to make a wool suit, I would suggest that she obtain copies of two U. S. D. A. bulletins from the county extension office. One is Miscellaneous Publication 591 "How to Tailor A Woman's Suit." The other is Home and Garden Bulletin No. 11, "Fitting Coats and Suits."

Another source of information outlined to help 4-H clothing members is the "Recommendations for 1955 4-H Home Economics Exhibits", a copy of which has been distributed to each adult leader. In it are not only suggestions for general garment construction but also some particularly about suits.

If several division VII clothing members would like some help with wool suits or coats, I will be glad to try to arrange time to give desired instruction. I would suggest that those interested should write me at the county extension office and suggest first and second choice dates when you'd prefer that help.

Bye now.

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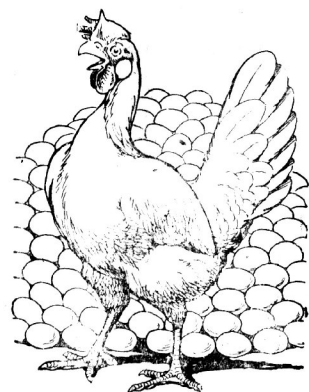
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SCHOOL NEWS

Bulldogs Lose Close One

A long one-hander by Hamilton in the last five seconds gave Milford a 51-49 victory over the Mentone Bulldogs last Friday evening in the local gym. The Milford five, leading the County standings with a 14-3 record, trailed throughout most of the game. At one stage in the third quarter, the local varsity led by 9 points, but failed as Milford staged a determined rally. The local second team lost their third game of the season 24-22.

Junior High Wins Four Team Tourney

The local junior high team added another trophy to the trophy case this week by defeating the Leesburg and Etna Green teams in the four team tourney held at Mentone last Saturday. The local team remains undefeated thus far this season. On Wednesday evening, the junior high teams will entertain the Beaver Dam teams in the local gym, games starting immediately after school. This Friday night Mentone high school teams travel to Gilead for the final regular games of the season. Since Gilead is on Standard time, the second team game will begin at 6:30 standard time or 7:30 Daylight time.

Sectional Tickets Go on Sale

This Friday

Tickets for the Warsaw Sectional will be placed on sale at the high school office this Friday morning. Ticket price is the same as last year—\$2.50. It is thought there will be ample tickets at Mentone, although the sectional is usually sold out. Tickets will remain on sale until next Wednesday.

Students Present Radio Program

Several students of the high school speech club presented the regular radio program Monday night over WRSW. Using the Valentine theme, the students read poems and sang songs in keeping with the theme. Those participating were Bill Nellans, Don Pfah-

ler, Albert Henderson, Marita Tucker, Jalaine Smythe, Janice Nelson, and Mrs. Brooks Dawson. These broadcasts have been sponsored by the Farmer's State Bank for the last four years.

Student Council Sponsors Unusual Event

This week in observance of Valentine Day the Student Council has set up a plan whereby the girls are requested to pay. Certain acts of courtesy such as carrying a boy's books, opening a door for a boy, etc. earn points for the girls. At the end of the week the points will be added and a winner declared.

Seniors Attend State Legislature

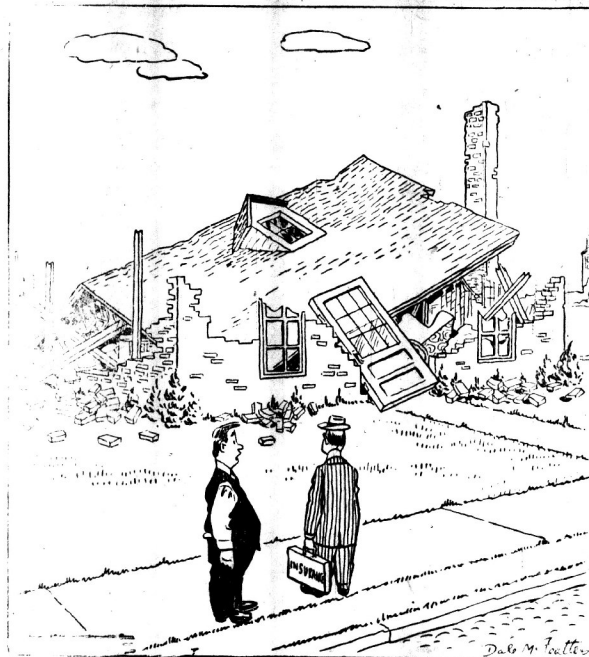
As part of their study of government the senior class, the sponsor, Mr. Bunnell, Mr. Kent and Mr. Boggs attended sessions of the General Assembly at Indianapolis last Thursday. Mr. Hedgington drove the bus which took the group to the Capital. The students saw both houses in action, visited the Supreme Court chambers, the governor's office, and saw other points of interest around Indianapolis. The junior class expects to make a trip to Indianapolis in the near future.

Mr. Weiss was absent last Wednesday and Thursday due to illness. Mr. Andrews of Sidney served as substitute teacher.

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P. B. Curtis reports that some 40 companies have registered nearly 100 brands of hormone feed after obtaining permission from Federal Food and Drug authorities to manufacture these feeds.

Curtis emphasizes that companies selling this feed must attach adequate warnings and feeding directions to each bag of their product. These instructions state that stilbestrol feeds must be fed only to fattening cattle weighing more than 600 pounds at a rate of two pounds per head daily. Breeding animals should never receive feed containing this hormone. It is necessary that farmers follow these directions exactly.

A tip from the entomology department at Purdue University suggests an examination of the backs of cattle for grubs. These pests damage hides and lower gains and milk production. Control can be obtained with rotenone. Use a 1½ percent rotenone cattle grub powder and rub well into the grub openings. Sprays and washes of rotenone can also be used.



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- State gasoline tax
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In Illinois the state gasoline tax is 5 cents a gallon. Thus, if you travel 150 miles each week, and get 15 miles to the gallon, you may deduct the 50 cents tax you pay on every 10 gallons of gasoline. In Indiana, the tax is 4 cents a gallon. Incidentally, the driver's license fee is \$1 in Illinois, and \$1.25 in Indiana.

An additional deduction allowed if you live in Illinois is the 2 per cent state sales tax you pay when buying an auto.

If you use your car in business, you also may include a proportionate share of the cost of gasoline, oil, repairs, garage rent, depreciation and other necessary operation and upkeep items. However, the Club added, if you drive for an employer, you may deduct these expenses only if you are not otherwise compensated for them.

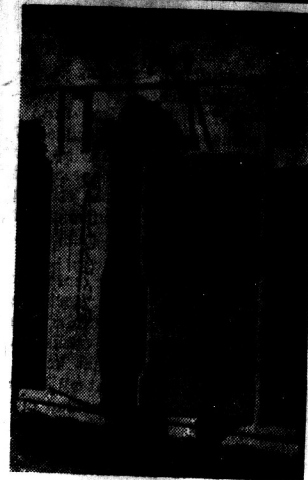
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BAPTIST NEWS

Youth Rally Saturday night at 7:30. This rally is sponsored by a group of Baptist churches of this area. There will be special music. Mr. Leonard Urchil of Winona Lake will be the speaker. We invite everyone of the community to come and share in the blessing of this youth rally.

The younger women of the church will meet in the home of Mr. Raymond Lewis on Friday evening for the purpose of organizing a new Young Women's Missionary Circle. The meeting will begin with a pitch-in supper to be served between 6:30 and 7:00. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy this evening of Christian Fellowship.

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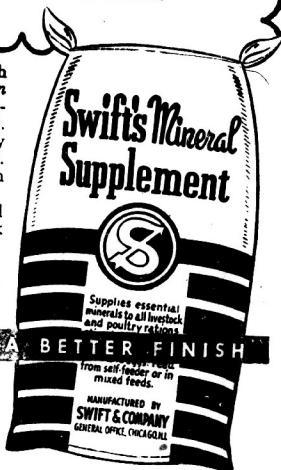
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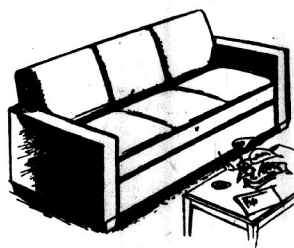
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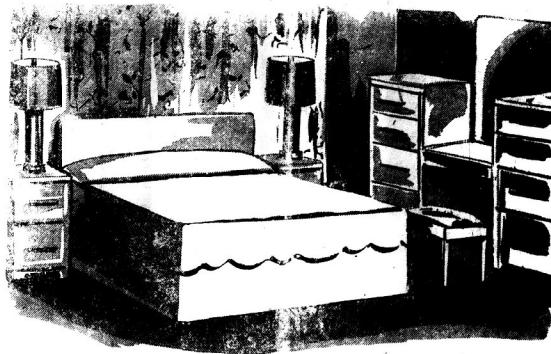


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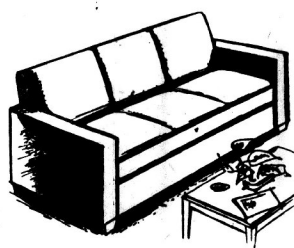
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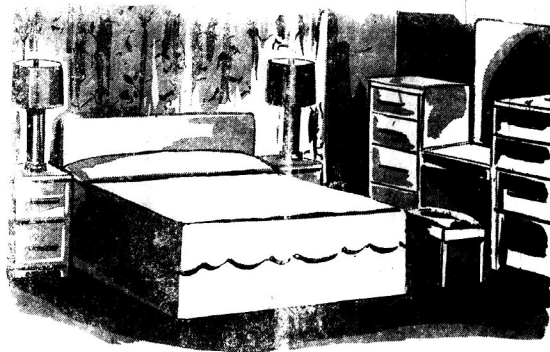


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"FORGOTTEN PATIENT PROJECT"

Mr. Russell Smith, President of the Kosciusko County Association for Mental Health, has appointed Mrs. Donald Poulson of Etna Green, to serve as chairman of the Forgotten Patient Project, one of the four main projects of the newly-organized Association. This project to remember state hospital patients from our county who have no family or friends to visit or write to them. The purpose is to find a friend for each such patient. The Forgotten Patient Project was established first by the Vigo County Association for Mental Health and is being adopted by a growing number of county mental health chapters. Forgotten PATIENTS are those who have had no letters or visitors for a year. Often they are patients who for many years have had little, if any, contact, with the outside. Patients without families, patients whose families have moved away, patients whose only living parents or relatives may now be too elderly or bedfast to visit or write to them any more.

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There are some 18 forgotten patients in Kosciusko County. It will be the duty of these members working on this project to contact clubs and organizations asking if any members will adopt a "forgotten patient". "Adopting" is defined to mean that the adopter agrees to send cards and letters to the patient on all appropriate occasions, Easter, Birthdays, to send local newspapers, magazines, and other minor personal items. Visitors for these Kosciusko county people will also be provided if possible. If there are relatives of patients from this county who because of illness or infirmity can't visit their own patients, this committee may be called on to do so for them.

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The farm owner will be given the original 5 x 7 mounted picture absolutely free of any cost. All we require is that the operator himself come to our office and give us a little information about the farm, its operation, etc. Additional prints, colored enlargements, etc. can be obtained by contacting this newspaper.

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Sixteen members of the Friendly Neighbors Home Demonstration Club were present at the regular meeting at the home of Mrs. Frances Olsen.

Mrs. Rhoda Jones gave a reading "The Old Home Sulphur and Molasses", for meditation. The lesson on sewing shortcuts was given by Mrs. Mildred Greulich. Business was conducted by the president, Mrs. Fern Beeson. Games were enjoyed during the social period. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Maude Romine.

Mary Welch, Reporter

THANK YOU

Thank you dear Mothers of World War II for the Valentine plate of lovely fruit, cookies, nuts, candies, etc. I sure appreciate your gift.

May God Bless every one of you.

MARTHA E. WELCH

NOTICE OF THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF THE NORTHERN INDIANA COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

You are hereby notified that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association will be held at one thirty o'clock p. m. on Monday, March 7, 1955, in the Harrison Township High School building, in the town of Mentone, Indiana, at which meeting will be received the reports of the business of the Association for the year ending December 31, 1954, and for the purpose of electing two directors for a term of three years to fill the vacancies caused by the expiring terms of Frank Nellans and Leroy Norris; for the distribution of dividends and for the consideration of any other business that may rightfully come before this meeting. All holders of common voting stock are urged to come and take part in this meeting.

The foregoing constitutes legal notice to stockholders as provided in the By-Laws of the Association.

Dated at Mentone, Indiana, February 14, 1955.

NORTHERN INDIANA COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION
Leroy Norris, Secretary

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Mrs. Lulu Ritter, Dick Boganwright and Nora Tucker all called last week to identify the farm pictured in the Feb. 9th issue. All agreed that it was the Harold McIntyre farm, north of Sevastopol. Mr. Boganwright also said that the Rhoda Jones home, across the road, appeared in the picture.

Mr. McIntyre has not called for his free picture of the farm.

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Miner Mollenhour was the guest of honor at a birthday dinner Monday at the Rex Yazel home. Kathy and Sherry Yazel sang Happy Birthday to Mrs. Mollenhour who received many gifts and cards from her neighbors and friends.

Mr. Russell McFadden of New Haven spent Thursday and Friday with his son and family, Dr. O. L. McFadden.

Little Denis Feldman, son of Mrs. Linnie Feldman tripped and fell and had to have several stitches in his forehead last week.

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TOWNSHIP NEWS

There were a large number of people from this place attended the funeral of Miss Irene King at Tippecanoe Sunday afternoon.

Mr. A. E. Walker has returned to his home in Indianapolis after spending the past week here on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hatfield entertained at dinner Sunday; Mr. and Mrs. Estel Bryant of near Akron and Mrs. Cora Bryant.

There will be no P. T. A. meeting this month.

The Talma Rod and Gun club will meet on Tuesday evening, February 22 at 7:30 P. M. in the Talma High School Gym.

Rochester were the guests Wednesday Rochester was the guest Wednesday of Lavoy Montgomery.

Milton Kessler of Rochester is confined to the Woodlawn hospital at Rochester. Mr. Kessler is formerly of this community.

Harman Alber of Rochester called on friends here Wednesday evening.

Bud Walker of Evanston, Ill., was the Sunday evening guest in the home of his father, Mr. A. E. Walker.

Mrs. Ola Fleschland of Mishawaka spent Wednesday here visiting in the home of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Barr.

Mrs. Benie Shafer and son of Akron and Mrs. Rollie Surguy and family of near Warsaw spent Thursday here with friends.

There will not be a Farm Bureau meeting this month but will be held at its regular time next month.

Rev. and Mrs. Paul Trombauer of Bourbon spent Wednesday afternoon here.

CARD OF THANKS

Maggie Dillie, Pearl Harshbarger, Mildred Clark wish to thank the War Mothers for the lovely Valentine box.

Mrs. C. E. Carter is now at her home in Etna Green after being a patient at the Woodlawn hospital for several days. Mrs. Broda Clark, mother to Mrs. Carter, who had been spending the winter in Etna Green, returned to the George Clark home in Mentone.

Saturday evening guests at the Artley Cullum home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hall, of Anderson, and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Harman and son of Etna Green. The Hall and Harman families became acquainted while the men were stationed at Ft. Sill, Oklahoma.

Lt. and Mrs. Malcolm Long, who are stationed in Michigan, are spending a 30 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Truman Long. Malcolm is recovering from a back injury in a fall on the ice, which caused a cracked vertebra.

MENTONE H. D. CLUB MEETS

The Mentone Home Demonstration club met at the country home of Mrs. Royse Tucker with Mrs. Cloice Paulus as her co-hostess.

The meeting was held on Thursday p. m. with 15 members present and 2 visitors and one baby. Vice president Mrs. Howard Horn presiding.

The subject of the lesson was serving short cuts and was given by leader Mrs. Harry Vernet who emphasized the careful choosing of fabrics-careful measurements and alterations of the pattern. The size of ready made garments is not a safe guide as to the size of pattern.

Study the pattern and leave out only the prices to be used.

Fold Material wrong side out and notch out instead of in were two good suggestions.

Good sharp scissors at least 7 1/2 in. long and non-rustable pins are essentials to good sewing.

Meditation was given by the co-hostess, Mrs. Paulus who read an article from the Fort Wayne Journal entitled, "Let Perfect Love of God Conquer all Your Fears." and also a short poem "We must Share".

The president, Mrs. Elmer Sarber, took charge of the business.

An auction was held with Mrs. Harry Vernet, Mrs. Elmer Sarber, Mrs. Cloice Paulus, Mrs. Agnes Rans, Mrs. Bertha Meredith and Mrs. Nora Teel being the high bidders.

Mystery package won by Mrs. Leroy Cox and a birthday gift was presented to Mrs. Agnes Rans.

Our guests were a sister and the daughter of the hostess.

Mrs. Tessie Newton, Mrs. Lottie Ross and Mrs. Earl Meredith took dinner Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Barkman of Mentone.

Floyd Dorsey is back on the job at the Co-Op. News after receiving his separation papers from the army. Floyd spent his entire time at Fort Bliss, Texas, where he was stationed as a radar technician.

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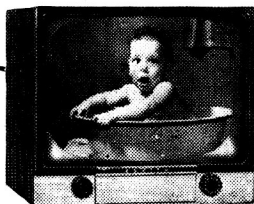
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HOLLIS BAUM

Hollis E. Baum, 83 of near Mentone, died at 7 p. m. Saturday at the Murphy Medical Center where he had been a patient for the past three weeks. He had been in ill health for the past three years.

Born in Claypool, June 5, 1871, the son of Henry and Sophia (Gill) Baum, Baum had lived in Kosciusko county all of his life and was a farmer. He was married December 21, 1899 to Orville Dick who died in 1944. He had resided with a granddaughter, Mrs. Firman Sensibaugh of near Warsaw, for several years.

Survivors include one son, Cloyse Baum, of Chicago, Ill.; four grandchildren, Mrs. Sensibaugh, Mrs. Charles Hunter and Royal and Doyle Baum, all of near Mentone; four great-grandchildren; one brother, Charles Baum, one sister, Mrs. Anna Engle, both of Warsaw.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Johns' funeral home, with Rev. I. E. Longenbaugh officiating. Burial was in the Palestine cemetery.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license has been issued to: Harold Fisher, son of Mrs. Lucille Fisher, Warsaw; and Madeleine Holt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Bogawright.

MENTONE LOSES FIRST**SECTIONAL GAME**

The Mentone basketball team opened the sectional tournament at Warsaw Wednesday evening, and lost to Milford 32 to 34.

Milford took an early lead in the game and scored ten points before the local boys managed to hit. Mentone was still quite a ways behind when the first half ended, but gradually decreased Milford's lead until the score was tied at 32-all with only two minutes left in the game. Milford's Sonny Hamilton pulled another last-second shot that gave his team a 32-34 win.

LOCAL STUDENTS RATED**AT STATE MUSIC MEET**

The state music meet was held at Butler University at Indianapolis last Saturday, and local students and their ratings were:

David Gosser, Jr., vocal, and Sarah Urschel, flute, superior. Marita Tucker, vocal, and Sheila Fitzgerald, cornet, excellent.

**PRODUCERS TO HOLD
ANNUAL MEETING**

Donald "Red" Blanchard and Dolph Hewitt, radio stars heard regularly on WLS, Chicago, and seen and heard on television programs, will provide special entertainment at the annual meeting of the Mentone Branch of the Producers Marketing Association. Voris Zartman, Chairman of the Mentone Market advisory committee announced the meeting will be held at the Mentone High School Gymnasium, Monday, February 28th, starting at 7:30 p. m. (Fast Time).

A short business meeting will be conducted to elect members to the branch advisory committee and to present reports on the 1954 operations of the market. Patrons and friends of the market are invited to attend. Mark the date on the calendar so you don't miss this meeting.

CLINGENPEEL—HORN

On Saturday evening, February 19th, 1955, at 8:00 o'clock, Diana Clingenpeel of Warsaw, was united in marriage to Billy Dean Horn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Duane Horn of Mentone, Ind., by Justice of the Peace C. O. Eller, at his home on West Harrison Street in Mentone.

Mr. Merrill Peterson of Mentone and Miss Sharon Nagler, of Warsaw, attended the couple.

SULLIVAN

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Sullivan, of Denver, R. R. 1 are the parents of a daughter, born Friday at the Peru Dukes hospital. The mother is the former Mary Anne Gamblee, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Norris

**MISS JANICE KINDIG WEDS
CLARENCE MILLER FRIDAY**

Miss Janice Colleen Kindig, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Kindig, and Clarence Eugene Miller, son of Mrs. Louise Timmons, of Warsaw, were united in marriage at seven o'clock last Friday evening at the Mentone Methodist church.

Rev. David Gosser, pastor of the church, performed the double-ring ceremony before an altar lighted with candles.

Miss Kindig wore a grey suit with brown accessories and a corsage of red roses for her wedding. Her attendant was Miss Mary Lou Doering, of Akron. Gene Dirck, of Warsaw, attended the groom as best man.

A small reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, following the ceremony.

The newlyweds will reside at 123 Arthur street, Warsaw. They are employed at the Blue Bell plant, Warsaw.

FUNERAL HELD SATURDAY

Funeral services were held at the Reed funeral home Saturday for Noah Eversole, 59, who died Wednesday evening of last week at his home south of Tippecanoe. Rev. Richard McIntosh of Tippecanoe, officiated, and burial was in the Tippecanoe cemetery.

REV. SLAYBAUGH TO RETIRE

Rev. D. L. Slaybaugh, who has been pastor of the Akron Church of God since 1931, has announced that he will retire from his pulpit next Sunday. The Slaybaughs are well known in this area.

MARRIAGE LICENSE ISSUED

A marriage license has been issued to Francis D. Rickel, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rickel, Palestine, and Judy Ann Rodocker, daughter of Mrs. Esther Kinney, Route 1, Etna Green.

CLUB CALENDAR

J. O. Y. Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. Herman Olson Tuesday March 1, contact Mrs. Margaret Linn for transportation. Phone Mentone 93F3.

The Royal Neighbors will meet next Tuesday evening with Mrs. Myrtle Davis.

W. S. C. S. Thursday, Feb. 17, 7:45 at the home of Mrs. Herman Olson. Call 51 for transportation.

**SPECIAL SERVICES AT
TALMA CHRISTIAN CHURCH**

Rev. John Fasano, D. D. of Winona Lake, Indiana, will conduct two weeks of evangelistic meetings at the Talma Christian Church, Talma, Indiana. The Services will begin this Sunday morning, February 27 at 10:30.

Featured at each evening meeting will be a boys' and girls' roundup with special songs and illustrated messages along with the main message by evangelist Fasano. There will be special music and singing at all meetings with Rev. and Mrs. Fasano as well as local talent, and other special features from night to night.

The public is cordially invited to attend these services.

FILES FOR DIVORCE

Ruby E. Shinkle, Beaver Dam lake, has filed a suit for divorce from Roscoe N. Shinkle, alimony and division of property. Married July 9, 1954, the couple separated Sunday.

COMMUNITY SINGSPIRATION

The Silver Creek Church of God will be host to the community singspiration on March 5 at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is welcome to attend and enjoy an evening in music and song.

REVIVAL AT BURKET

Rev. Joe F. Bear announces that revival meetings will begin at the Burket EUB church Sunday evening and continue nightly at 7:30 p. m. until Mar. 6.

GENERAL TELEPHONE TO CELEBRATE 25th ANNIVERSARY

General Telephone Company of Indiana, Inc., Indiana's second largest telephone utility, celebrates its 25th anniversary this year.

The company with main offices at Lafayette, was formed February 5, 1930, with the consolidation of 11 companies.

General of Indiana is the largest of the independent (non-Bell) telephone companies in the state. There are about 275 independent telephone firms in Indiana and more than 5,000 in the U. S.

Independent telephone people invented many of the items we take for granted these days: automatic dial systems, handset telephones, and selective ringing on party lines. The first dial system was worked out by a mortician in Kansas City, Missouri, and the first commercial dial exchange was an independent one installed in 1892 at LaPorte, now one of General's exchanges.

In 1932, two years after it was formed, General Telephone began statewide operations with 27 exchanges serving 41,032 telephones.

After depression inertia, wartime standstill, and postwar acceleration, General's telephone total zoomed upward. In 1946, General served 64,000 phones. Latest figures show the utility's lines going to 130,000 telephones.

General of Indiana has spent \$25,000,000 on equipment and other additions since 1946.

The General family is divided into five districts in the northern two-thirds of the state. The districts are made up of 69 exchanges in 223 communities with Bristol, near the Michigan border, the most recent purchase. Its 500 telephones, bought last November, are of the old hand-crank (magneto) type. Only four per cent of the company's telephones were of the hand-crank type at the start of 1955.

Telephony is a fascinating business with an inter-company cooperation seldom found in other industry. Bell handles nearly all long distance phone calls originating on General telephones but there is a dividing of long distance revenue by the two utilities.

Despite its phenomenal growth since World War II, General Telephone is not making money hand over fist, according to its officials. The fact is, they affirm, the more telephones that are connected, the more it costs the company for installation and maintenance. Each new phone has to be connected to all the rest. It's about the only business where increased volume does not reduce unit cost.

The name of General is not too

well-known as yet, but that's understandable. It was adopted only three years ago when all member companies of the General Telephone Corporation put "General" in their titles. The Indiana company's previous name was Indiana Associated Telephone Company.

The corporation consists of 16 companies in 21 states and serves more than 1,700,000 telephones from coast to coast. The California company is the largest of the 16.

MERRY MOLLY'S MEET

The regular meeting of the Merry Molly's was held at the home of Mrs. Heston Creviston with Mrs. Everett Welborn as co-hostess. In the absence of the vice-president, the entire meeting was presided over by the president, Mrs. Carl W. Whetstone. The lesson, "Sewing Short-Cuts" was very ably presented by Mrs. Glen Mellott and Mrs. Herschel McGowen. Cheerio Pal gifts were received by Mrs. Gene Sarber and Mrs. Donald Horn. Mrs. McGowen won the door prize.

After the business meeting, games

were played and refreshments in keeping with Valentine's Day were served by the hostess.

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4-H CLUB CHATTER

By Ruth Snellenber

Dear 4-H Members and Friends,

Answers to a variety of questions will be the content of today's CHATTER.

Does every girl in 4-H have to enroll in a home economics project? No, the girl's 4-H Policy Committee makes this statement about enrollment: "Every girl in 4-H work should be encouraged to be enrolled in at least one home economics project." As I recall the discussion about this, it was felt that every girl is a future homemaker; thus home economics project participation would help prepare a girl for this. Also, participation in home economics projects would assure a mother of help in the house as well as be easier for the girl to do without adding extra jobs or work.

Are local clubs responsible for making their own program books? Yes, for the last several years mimeographed copies have not been available. Often

club members who are taking typing in school type them for the club for practice. You may know other ways to do them.

Who may be assistant junior leaders? To answer this let me first say that a 4-H member enrolled in at least his or her third year of club work and who is or will be 15 years of age any time during the calendar year is eligible to be a junior leader. Younger members—that's younger than 15—enrolled in third year or higher in club work and who show promise of leadership, according to the discretion of the adult leader, may qualify for assistant junior leader. Enrollments should be made as soon as possible even though the deadline is June 1st. The same enrollment card is used as for junior leaders, just check in the proper square on it for assistant junior leader. No application sheet is required this year.

May a 4-H member enroll in just the junior leader project? No, the member must be enrolled in at least one 4-H project before he or she qualifies to enroll in the junior leader project. Also, the member is required to com-

plete a project in order to also complete junior leader project.

Is there a knitting project? No, as such, there is none. However, knitting is included in the craft project. Also knitting of accessories can be done in division VII of the clothing project. In fact there are two state fair classes for knitted or crocheted articles for members in that division of clothing. A member who is interested should see her leader regarding state fair classes.

Speaking of enrollment cards it is necessary that the proper subdivision letter be entered for divisions where ever there are subdivisions. The fifth divisions of baking, of food preparation

and of food preservation have lettered subdivisions; also second divisions of home improvement and of the electric project have lettered subdivisions.

A clarification of the craft project I'd like to make. In writing of 4-H home economics projects I have included the craft project. Actually it is not just a home economics project; it is for agriculture club members too.

Plans are being completed for the annual County 4-H Officers' Training School Building. Awards will be made to each officer of those clubs who have 100 per cent of their officers present for the training.

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SCHOOL NEWS

Mentone Defeats Gilead

Mentone closed out the regular basketball season last Friday night with an easy win over the Gilead team. Although off to a slow start, the local boys managed a 20-20 tie by half time and won going away, 56-39. The Mentone second team also won, 32-21. All members of the team had a chance to play as Mr. Hoogenboom substituted freely. Mentone meets Milford in the opening game of the Sectional tourney at 6:00 on Wednesday evening. The variety record now stands at 6 wins and fourteen defeats.

Junior Class Visits State Legislature

On Tuesday the Mentone Juniors went by school bus to Indianapolis to visit sessions of the Indiana General assembly and sight-see around the state capital. Mrs. Dawson and Mr. Hoffman accompanied the students. Mr. Baumgartner drove the bus.

Plans Completed For Junior High Tourney.

The draw for the annual junior high tourney will be held this Saturday. The Junior High Tourney will be held at Pierceton this year. It begins on Tuesday, March 1 with additional sessions on March 2, 4, and 7th. The

Mentone Junior High team has not been defeated thus far this year.

Several Pupils Withdraw from School

Moving time has forced several pupils to withdraw from the Mentone School. Tommy and Maynard Johnston left this week for Warsaw, where their parents plan to reside. Mr. Johnston formerly taught Veteran training in agriculture at Mentone. Jeanette Wood withdrew from the fifth grade last Friday. Jeanette is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wood. Thursday of this week will be the last at Mentone for Herbert and Steven Ross and Jeanetta Greathouse. They will transfer to Leesburg School next week.

Mrs. Buck, first grade teacher, was absent due to illness on Friday and Monday. On Friday Mrs. H. V. Johns served as substitute. On Monday Mrs. Bundy Keever taught.

Thursday will end the first grading period of the second semester. Report cards will be distributed on Wednesday of next week.

Sophomores To Sell Magazines

On Tuesday of next week the members of the Sophomore class will start the annual magazine subscription campaign. This is the only money-making enterprise which the sophomore class engages in. In order to gain the greatest value from the selling campaign, the sales work is correlated with the

sophomore class in occupations. Sophomores will not only have an opportunity to earn money toward the senior trip, but can gain practical job experience in selling as well. Mr. Hoffman is the Sophomore's sponsor.

Students Enjoy Assembly Program

On Monday morning, Mr. Kelley brought his Aunt, Mrs. Morris, to school to visit and speak to the students about her experiences in Africa. The interesting details of her African trip held the student's attention for over an hour. Mrs. Morris formerly taught at Asbury College.

CARD OF THANKS

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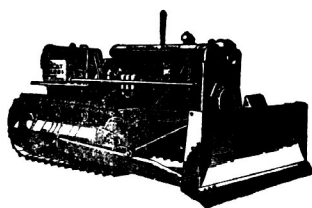
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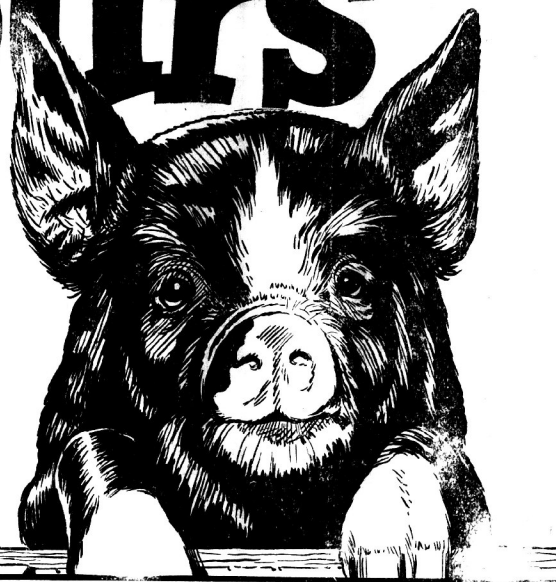
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WANTED TO RENT—Corn and bean ground. **Don A. Baker**, phone Tippecanoe 2395. M16c

FOR SALE—200 Bales Good Clover hay, no rain, 65 cents per bale. **Art Kendall**, Mentone 83F12. One mile west and one mile north of Mentone. tfc

FOR SALE—White potatoes — good cookers—two grades. Yellow globe onions. White and yellow popcorn. **Whit Gast**, Akron, Indiana. M23p

FOR SALE—200 bales Alfalfa and 300 bales clover, alfalfa and brome mixed hay. **Beeson Egg Farm**, Mentone. 1p

FOR SALE—2 male pigs 200 pounds. Phone Mentone 176F2. **Burt Holloway**. 1p

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FOR SALE—German police pups, can be weaned by 15 of March. **Max Montel**, four miles east of Burket. ph. 2190 Burket. 1p

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FREE—Individual Pyrex covered casserole with purchase of each 2 quart covered casserole at regular price of \$1.50. This offer good February only. **Coopers' Store**.

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FOR SALE—Oats, also 10x12 Hog houses. **Charles Shoemaker**, one mile south and one-half mile west of **Burket**. F26p

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Lafayette, Ind.—Properly used, poultry manure can be worth as much as an extra one and half cents per pound on the selling price of broilers. To the egg producer it is worth an extra dozen eggs per hen for the year.

Joe W. Sicer, Purdue extension poultryman, and Dr. S. A. Barber, Purdue agronomist, pointed out these facts in a new bulletin, "Extra Fertility for Crops." According to the authors, poultry manure is richer in plant food than any other farm manure since fowl eat more concentrated grain and less bulky forage than most livestock.

One hundred hens void, in their manure, of a 13-16-7 commercial fertilizer. A thousand broilers, in 10 weeks, will void the equivalent of 2000 pounds of a 10-8-6 fertilizer. The manure from a thousand broilers scattered on an acre of land will more than return the amount of nitrogen removed by a 100 bushel crop. In addition, an abundance

of phosphorus and some potash will be left over to build up the available level of these two plant foods in the soil.

As much as 60 to 70 per cent of the nitrogen content of poultry manure can be quickly lost by improper handling, state the authors. The loss is especially fast in dropping pits or in damp caked litter. The smell of ammonia in the poultry house is mute testimony to an appalling loss of nitrogen. The loss can be reduced in dropping pits by scattering two pounds of a 20 percent superphosphate per 100 birds over the previous night's droppings. Loose, dry absorbent litter is also effective in reducing nitrogen losses.

Poultry manure is best used on crops such as corn and vegetables that are heavy feeders on nitrogen. Permanent pastures respond with increased yields to lighter top dressing in winter or early spring.

This new bulletin contains tables showing the amounts of plant food nutrients produced by different kinds of poultry and the amounts used by various crops. These tables can serve as a

guide in the use of poultry manures. Copies of the bulletin are available at county extension offices.

A tip from the agronomy department at Purdue University says that nitrogen fertilizer as a top dressing for winter wheat, applied in early March in southern Indiana to late March or early April in northern Indiana, should prove quite profitable. During eight years of demonstration trials, application of 25 pounds of actual nitrogen has given an average increase of five to six bushels per acre.

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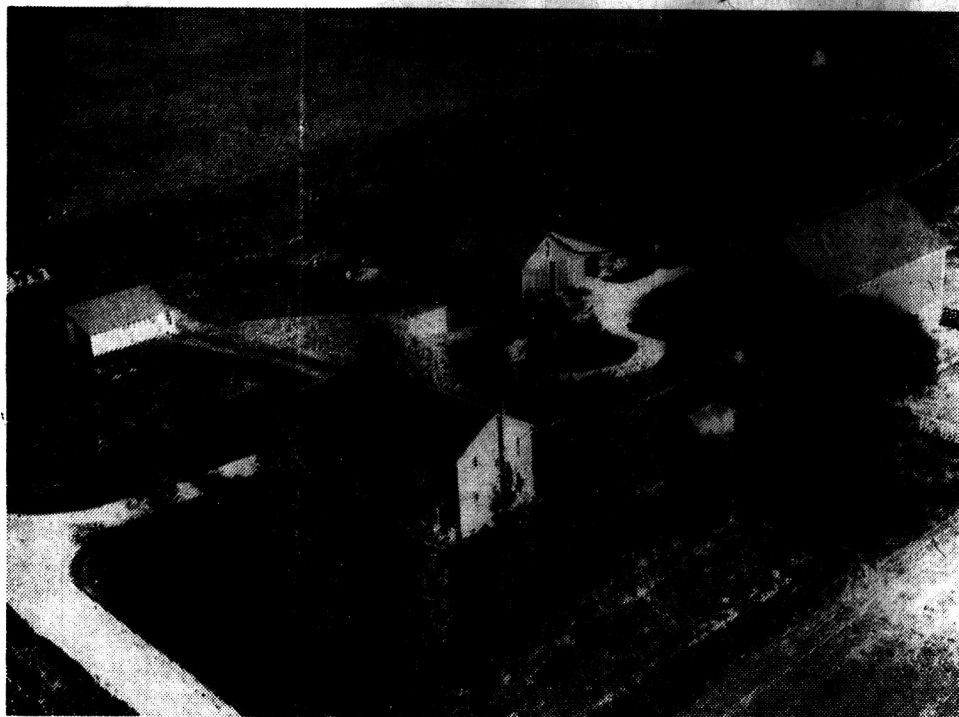
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DO YOU RECOGNIZE THE FARM PICTURED BELOW?



The above is another picture in the second series of farm photos to be printed in the Co-Op. News.

The pictures were taken by the Zekan & Robbins photographers, Harlan, Iowa, and are all of farms in the Mentone trading area. The pictures are not identified and it will be up to the owners or neighbors to notify this newspaper office. The pictures were taken by airplane and not even the photographer knows one from the other. It will be interesting to see who is the first to identify the pictures each week. Phone Mentone 38. We will endeavor to publish the names of each person correctly identifying the pictures each week.

The farm owner will be given the original 5 x 7 mounted picture absolutely free of any cost. All we require is that the operator himself come to our office and give us a little information about the farm, its operation, etc. Additional prints, colored enlargements, etc. can be obtained by contacting this newspaper.

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The farm pictured in our February 9th issue was that of Harold and Mary Ann McIntyre, who live three and one-half miles southeast of Mentone, where they have resided the past 13 years. The Maple Lawn farm contains 103 acres and in addition to general farming, they raise cattle, hogs and chickens.

The picture in our last issue showed the Charles and Mabel Miller 42-acre farm located four miles west and a quarter mile south of Mentone. They have been on the farm for five years. They raise small grain, cattle, hogs and chickens.

The Millers have two children: Karen, aged 15 years, and Dennis, who is 10.

We heard a few comments from readers who thought they recognized the farm picture last week, but no one called to properly identify it. Can you recognize the one printed above?

MRS. WILVIN LONG HOSTESS TO COUNTRY NEIGHBORS CLUB

The meeting was opened by our President, Mrs. Joe Peterson by singing in unison, "The Battle Hymn of the Republic", followed by repeating the pledge to the flag and the collect.

Meditation was presented by Mrs. Clarence Pfeiffer giving an article entitled, "Keep Thy Heart", also Scripture, "Keep thy heart with all diligence: for out of it are the issues of life." (Prov. 23). Our physicians tell us that our health, happiness, and our hopes depend almost entirely upon our hearts. We find this to be true spiritually as well as physically. How is your heart?

The safety lesson—Easier Way To Lift, The Safe Way—was given by Mrs. Howard Chamberlin. The safe weight for mento lift is 50 pounds and 25 pounds for women. The use of lifting conveyances were stressed, also lifting with back kept in upright position thus putting the strain on the leg muscles.

Roll call was answered by interesting quotations and happenings of Lincoln and Washington. Many new and interesting accounts of their life were given.

During the business meeting the president urged each and every member to attend the county lesson to be held at Talma March 2 at 7:30 p. m. A donation was given to the heart fund.

Plans were made for our anniversary High bidders for auction were Mrs. Wilbert Utter, Mrs. Earl Zent, Mrs. John Teel. The prizes given by the program committee were won by Mrs. Leroy Norris. Secret Pal gift was received by Mrs. Peterson. Door prize went to Mrs. Utter.

Delightful refreshments were served to eleven members and two guests, Mrs. Samuel Leech and Butchie Teel by our hostess, Mrs. Long.

Our next meeting will be our 10th anniversary party to be held at the home of Mrs. Robert Hoover. We urge all guests and members to come and have an enjoyable evening together.

NOTICE OF LETTING SCHOOL TRANSPORTATION CONTRACTS

Notice is hereby given that the Trustee of Seward Township, Kosciusko County, having determined that school bus equipment is now available so as to permit free and open competitive bidding, will (with the advice of the advisory board of such township) receive sealed bids until 7 o'clock p. m. on March 15, 1955, at the trustee's office located at Burket, Indiana, for the transportation of school children on designated routes. Definite specifications, which describe the routes to be traveled, the equipment to be furnished and other conditions which will be required in the contract are now on file in the office of the township trustee and a duplicate copy thereof is on file in the office of the County Superintendent of Schools.

The right is reserved to reject any and all bids.

FRED BLACKBURN, Trustee.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Learell attended the beautiful wedding of Miss Pauline Bontrager of Bristol and Mr. Alex Sellers of Misham, Oklahoma, on Friday evening in the beautiful St. James Episcopal Church in Gasher and the Reception in the Parish Hall of the Church, and spent the week end at the Paul Bontrager home, of Bristol. The Bride is a niece of Mrs. Leavell.

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NOTICE OF THE REGULAR ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCKHOLDERS OF THE NORTHERN INDIANA COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

You are hereby notified that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association will be held at one thirty o'clock p. m. on Monday, March 7, 1955, in the Harrison Township High School building, in the town of Mentone, Indiana, at which meeting will be received the reports of the business of the Association for the year ending December 31, 1954, and for the purpose of electing two directors for a term of three years to fill the vacancies caused by the expiring terms of Frank Nellans and Leroy Norris; for the distribution of dividends and for the consideration of any other business that may rightfully come before this meeting. All holders of common voting stock are urged to come and take part in this meeting.

The foregoing constitutes legal notice to stockholders as provided in the By-Laws of the Association.

Dated at Mentone, Indiana, February 14, 1955.

NORTHERN INDIANA COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION
Leroy Norris, Secretary

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NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION No. 7149

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF KOSCIUSKO COUNTY, INDIANA:

Notice is hereby given that Andrew E. Sarber, George Black, and Earl F. Sarber was on the 14th day of February, 1955, appointed Administrators with the will annexed of the estate of Olive Sarber deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not now due, must file the same in said court within six months from the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Warsaw, Indiana, this 14th day of February, 1955.

N. PAULINE JORDAN
Clerk of the Kosciusko Circuit Court
JAMES E. RODIBAUGH, Attorney
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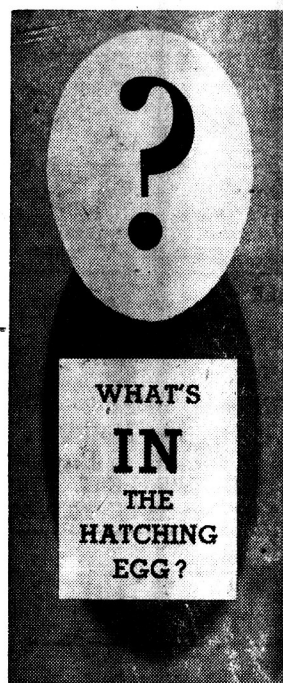
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LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Nelson of Sidney, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Floor and daughters and Miss Julia Nelson of Mentone were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Nelson and family of Marion.

Dr. and Mrs. Orville McFadden and daughter were in Fort Wayne Sunday afternoon where the Dr. called on his father at the Veteran Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and son were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller.

Mr. Cletus McFadden of Rantoul, Illinois field base spent the week end with Dr. and Mrs. Orville McFadden and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. George Grubbs and family of Warsaw, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Parker and family of Bourbon and Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Reichard were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Schooley.

Mr. and Mrs. William Cook spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Kathryn Bickel and daughter Bonnie of Goshen.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Yazel and daughters entertained at Sunday dinner honoring her mother's birthday, Mrs. Pete Blue. Others present were: Mr. Pete Blue, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Blue and son of Elkhart, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Slabaugh and daughters, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Baker and family of Bourbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller were guests Thursday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Miller and son.

TO DRAIN WATER SUPPLY TANK

Officials of the town of Mentone received a telegram from the Pittsburgh Tank and Tower Co. Wednesday afternoon, stating that their inspection and repair crew was scheduled to arrive in Mentone Monday to inspect the city water pressure and supply tank.

To drain the horizontal tank located in the town building, it is necessary to maintain water pressure by the pressure actuated pump located at the southwest edge of the city. For the protection of water lines, heaters, etc. a pressure relief valve is used on the water lines. However, the friction of the water within the mains is enough to require a maximum pressure near the well to maintain a minimum of pressure at the furthestmost point.

At this writing it is not known just what day or night the tank will be drained, but it will likely be before this newspaper will again have the opportunity of stating definitely.

BENEFIT BASKETBALL GAME TO BE HELD AT ATWOOD

The Atwood Lions Club is sponsoring a polio-benefit basketball game at the Atwood gym Friday evening, Mar. 4th. The Etna Green Lions will be the opponents for the Atwood Lions in the "feature" game at 8:00. A grade school preliminary will start at 7:00.

There will be no admission charge, but a free-will offering will be taken.

NEWS? PHONE 38

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Howard and daughter have returned to the United States from Germany where he has been in service for several years. They called on Mrs. Emma Gill Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Goshert and family and Mrs. Etta Halterman spent Tuesday in South Bend visiting with Mrs. Daisy Enyeart.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brugh and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cole called on Mr. and Mrs. Garrie Rose Sunday afternoon.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY—

FOR SALE—Good, 1951 Ford Custom Deluxe 4 door Sedan, Radio and Heater. Cox Motor Sales, phone 65W. 1c

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"A Poultry Co-operative With Something to Crow About"

by T.A.G. Hungerford

photographs by Neil Murray

(The following article is printed with the thought that it will be interesting to know how things are done in other nations. It is even interesting to note some of the word spellings that appear peculiar to us, but are likely just right to the folks of Brisbane. The material was furnished this newspaper by the Australian News and Information Bureau, New York City.)

The Red Comb Poultry Farmers' Co-operative Society, in Brisbane, is one of the largest co-operatives in Australia. Beginning operations 32 years ago in a bulk store basement with the object of supplying only poultry farmers' needs, it has grown into a vast business with interests in groceries, hardware, farm machinery, poultry and stock foods and most recently the milling of flour. It owns large premises in Brisbane and other parts of the State. Its original capital of £A514 has grown to £A710,500, and its yearly turnover from 9,920 to nearly £A2,000,000.

The Society's premises in Brisbane are shown below. The concrete silo is 130 ft. high and has a capacity of 60,000 bushels.

Walk down Roma Street, Brisbane, any morning of the week between 6 land must have sent tribute to the and 9 a.m. and you feel that all Queensmarkets.

Its vital and lively atmosphere is the home, spiritual and physical, of the Red Comb Poultry Farmers' Co-operative Society, whose substantial premises rise like a cliff from the froth of the street. This Society is no absentee landlord; it lives by and for the primary producer, and conducts its affairs right where the high tide of primary produce daily washes past its doorstep.

The air is split and stitched with the

revving of motors, the screech of brakes and the complaint of horns; trucks back in and pull out, interweaving like performers in an intricate square-dance; men with barrows thread their way through the melee, men with leather aprons, pencils behind their ears, cornsacks over their shoulders and calculations written plainly on their faces.

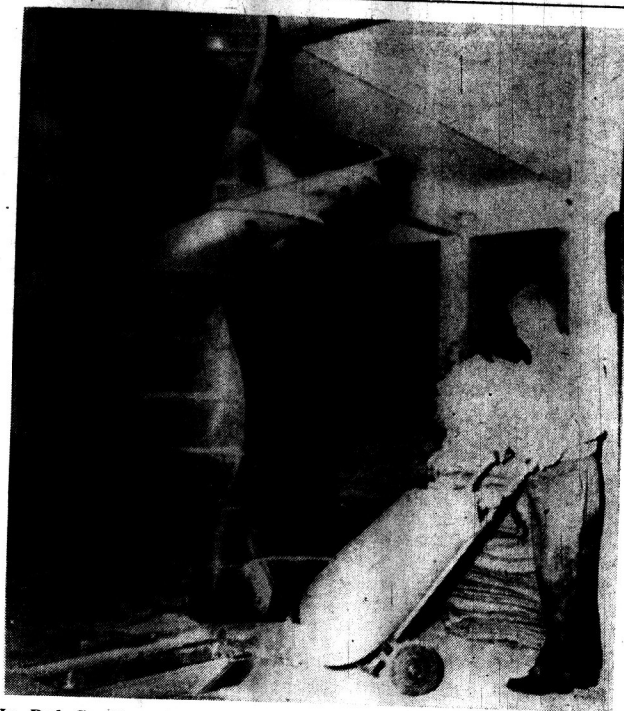
Here and there, not many in this mechanical age, a quiet horse stands at the kerb, harnessed to a venerable country turnout, and chomps at his breakfast, oblivious of the turmoil, head buried in a capacious nosebag.

There are heaps of golden pawpaws and pineapples, carpet squares of scarlet strawberries in neat punnets, mounds and pyramids of apples, green and red, sun-splashes of oranges and bananas, and live ducks, chickens and turkeys which stridently bewail the remembered sanctuary of country barnyards. City-wise sparrows and pigeons make the most of the occasion for rich pickings, and citizens, inured to the confusion, ignore it on their way to work.

The history of the co-operative movement in Queensland is one of the spectacular achievement. In all, 60 co-operatives are registered under the Co-operatives Societies Act; in 1921 they had 3,833 members, a share capital of \$30,085 and a yearly turnover of \$297,918. By 1952, these figures had rocketed to 33,801 members, share capital of \$1,450,765, and yearly turnover of \$11,703,087.

Add to that the figures of the 124 co-operatives registered under the primary Producers' Co-operatives Association Act, and the totals for Queensland are 84,293 members holding \$7,786,940 share capital with a combined yearly turnover of \$68,991,167.

The important thing about the co-operative is that the customers own it. Although anyone may shop at its



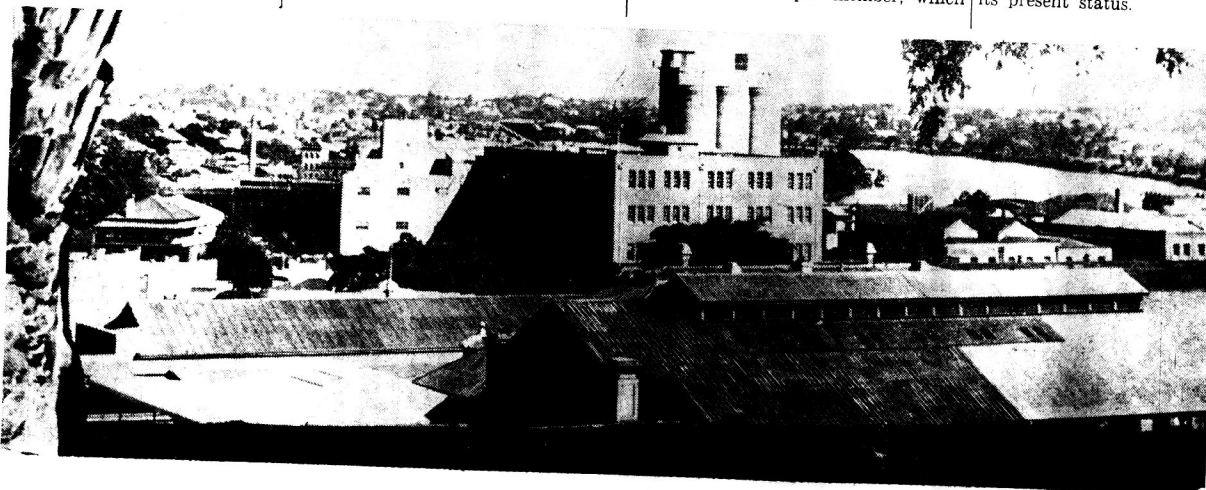
In Red Comb's extensive plant of grain cleaning, crushing and mixing machinery, second to none in Australia, ancillary elevators, conveyors and chutes eliminate, as far as possible, man-handling of the bags between floors.

markets most of the people who do so are members, and therefore part owners of the business. In effect, they are buying from themselves, and it pays dividends. Most Australian co-operatives pay about 5 per cent interest on their shares.

Moreover, in an ordinary company the individual with 500 shares has 500 votes and the man with 10 shares has 10 votes; in the co-operative, there is only one vote per member, which

means that no one man or small group of men can gain control of a huge enterprise.

At regular intervals, members meet, hear detailed reports, and act on questions of policy. From among themselves they elect a Board of Directors who meet frequently to supervise the business. It is on this sound foundation that the Red Comb Co-op. of Brisbane was built and has risen to its present status.



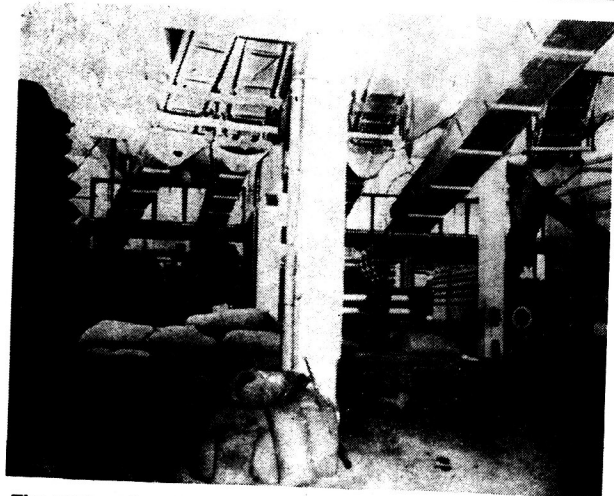


The bag repair department at Red Comb House is well equipped to handle the hundreds of thousands of bags used each year. This specially designed vacuum suction plant cleans all bags before re-use.

When business began 32 years ago in the basement of a bulk store in Little Roma Street there were 83 members and the first month's transactions added up to 28 bags of wheat. Now there are around 15,000 members and a yearly handling of over 1,000,000 bags of wheat, only one aspect of the Society's operations. The original capital of \$1,157 has grown to \$1,598,625, the annual turnover from \$22,320 to

near \$4,500,000, and the store basement to an impressive accumulation of real estate.

Red Comb House, the nerve-centre of the organization, is a five-story building in Roma Street; adjoining it is a four-story building around the corner in Markerson Street. Both buildings are dominated by the co-operative's towering 60,000 bushel wheat silo, one of the landmarks of the city.



The stock and poultry foods, which begin processing on the top floor of the five-storey building, work their way down through cleaners, crushers and mixers to the delivery bay on street level. Bags are shown being loaded onto the Society's trucks for delivery.

I WONDER? WANTA BET!

A well groomed gentleman—the kind with that slick finish—was in our office one day recently and wanted to know if we had a live-wire Lions club. Which we did, of course, but I've long since learned to speak slowly even on things I'm sure until I find out where the hook is buried in the bait. He wondered if they might be interested in putting on a minstrel show.

Of course, I told him the PTA was putting on one March 29 and 30 and that practicing was progressing nicely.

And as I hadn't had such an opportunity for some time, I "innocently" stated why I knew the Lions wouldn't be interested in a minstrel show. I merely said they had tried it once and it blew up in the middle. One of those gyp outfits came in and then started "selling" advertising all over the country and making our local boys look like a bunch of two-bit grafters.

There weren't many more remarks—although my guard was on the alert. Still wanta bet?

SHUFFLEBOARDING IN FLORIDA

A letter from Robert Taggart of No. Ft. Myers Florida says that Delemer White of Mentone and Floyd Swihart of Lagrange are in second place in the shuffleboard tournament. They are representing Mentone.

We hope to have more of this story later on.

THAT'S TOUGH

A note from Mahlon Mentzer, who is visiting at Riverside California, stated that it got too hot and he had to take off his "longies." A clipping enclosed, taken from the Los Angeles Times, reported the temperature reached 83 that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Mentzer expect to be back in Mentone about the first week of March and they hope the winter is pretty well gone by then.

Dan Urschel and K. A. Riner left Friday afternoon for Florida. They made the trip in Dan's private plane.

There is a modern grain buying and cleaning depot at Pittsworth, in the Darling Downs, Queensland's rich, red volcanic agricultural region, and the co-op is part owner of a big stock foods factory in Rockhampton, second city of the state.

In the city premises is housed Australia's largest and most modern stock food plant, which each year supplies Queensland poultry raisers with over 500,000 bags of feed.

This huge output also grew from a modest beginning in 1924 when the first scientifically balanced poultry feed made in Queensland, a laying mast, was mixed with a shovel on the floor. That soon gave way to a mechanical mixer with accommodation for five bags at a mixing, and that in turn to the present modern plant which sup-

plies the feed requirements of the fowl from egg to oven, chicks, breeders and layers, as well as a variety of cattle foods. It is prepared by an extensive plant consisting of grain cleaning, crushing and mixing machinery, with ancillary elevators and conveyors to eliminate, as far as possible, manual labor.

The 60,000 bushel grain silo was built not to store grain, but to facilitate its rapid intake. The grain is fed into large hoppers, each capable of holding 1,000 bushels, and, by means of an elevator, from them to a separator where any foreign matter such as straw, dust or weevils is removed. The cleaned grain is elevated into the silo, and conveyed as required to the various grinding devices.

(continued next week)



Stock food and poultry food mixers. They are a far cry from the day when Queensland's first batch of scientifically balanced poultry food, a laying mash, was mixed by Red Comb workers with shovels on the concrete floor.

**"JUMP OVER THE MOON"
AT BEAVER DAM P. T. A.**

The Beaver Dam P. T. A. is giving a 3-act comedy, "Jump over the Moon," on Wednesday, March 2 at 8:00 p. m. in the school gymnasium. The play is directed by Mrs. Maynard Summe. The cast which is made from parents, teachers, students, and former students is as follows:

Louise Parker	Joie Tipmore
Cy Parker	Robert Sittler
The Delivery Man	Fred Haney
Vicki Parker	Sandra Summe
Herman Sherman	Ernest Heighway
Bob Parker	Mort Haney
Mimi Walker	Shirley Igo
Fran Johnson	Sally Shively
Mrs. Adele Walker	Lucile Harrold
Miss Julia Hatcher	Bonnie Whittenberger
Dr. Underhead	Leland Andrews

LOCAL NEWS

Mrs. Nora Severns' guests Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Severns and Mrs. Shuman of Bremen.

Mrs. Ina Davis and family spent Sunday in Argos as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams.

Miss Kathryn Bunch of Talma and Alta Mollenhour called on Mrs. Garrie Rose Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Marie Bartman of Plymouth spent Thursday with her mother, Mrs. Nora Severns.

Mrs. Howard Holbrook of Warsaw called on her mother, Mrs. Milo Griffiths Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman Teel of Rochester were Sunday guests of Mrs. Alfred Teel.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Linn and family of Elkhart called Sunday afternoon on Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linn.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith returned home Sunday from their vacation trip in Florida.

Glen Wathers of Silver Lake is now at Mayo's where he has had an operation. His condition is serious.

Foster Jones of Lakeville spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Lillie Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Griffiths and family were Sunday guests of Mrs. Jennie Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones called Sunday afternoon, on Mr. and Mrs. Glen Watkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Friesner spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. John Oswalt of Constantine, Michigan.

Miss Kathryn Bunch spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Miner Mollenhour.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Beeson and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Julian of Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Ora Tucker were Wednesday evening supper guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Tucker.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Miller spent Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Foster Hoffman of Akron.

Mrs. Rhoda Jones took dinner on Thursday with Mr. and Mrs. Clyd Jones of Warsaw.

Mrs. Gerone spent 3 weeks in Goshen caring for her granddaughters with the mumps.

Mrs. Clayton Goodwin is a patient at the Memorial hospital in South Bend, where she was taken Sunday afternoon. Mr. Goodwin and Rev. Gosser called on her Wednesday afternoon and report she is improved. Her room number is 243.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobert Stiffler spent Saturday night with Mrs. O. V. Jones.

Friday February 18, five members of unit 106 of the Mother's of World War No. II went to Logansport to attend the 2nd district meeting. Those who went from Mentone were Mildred Fawley, Maude Romine, Dora Whetstone, Ethel Wagner and Emma Cook. The state president, Mrs. Frances Ehrke of South Bend attended. Maude Romine was elected treasurer of district No. 2. This was for the next year. The next meeting will be held in Galveston, Ind. in May.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrl McFarland and Mr. and Mrs. Roy McFarland, of Mishawaka, were guests of Mrs. Mirabel Riewoldt Sunday.

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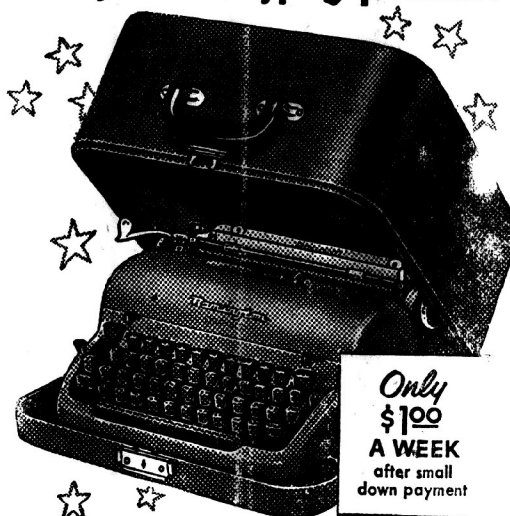
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SOIL SHOW—MARCH 3

Fertilizers, lime, drainage, and irrigation will be in the headlines on March 3 at the fairgrounds in Warsaw. County Agent Paul Jackson announces that plans are under way for an all day display of dry fertilizer spreaders, liquid fertilizer applicators, anhydrous ammonia applicators, irrigation equipment, drain tile and dry and liquid complete fertilizers and nitrogen.

The problem will get under way at 9:30 a. m. with talks on fertilizer and liming materials by Gilbert Walker of the Purdue Agronomy Department. Mr. Walker will discuss minor element needs—boron, manganese, magnesium, etc.; liquid fertilizers and their use, new forms and kinds of solid fertilizer; efficient use of phosphates; and fineness of limestone.

On the forenoon program also, Don Sisson of the Purdue Department of Ag. Engineering will discuss methods of drainage; design of the tile drainage system; how to obtain quality tile; maintenance of existing systems; and tile outlets and concrete spillways.

At noon there will be ample time to discuss exhibits with the exhibitors and to examine the displays. Lunch will be served by the county home demonstration chorus.

At 1:30 Professor Walker will discuss the place of nitrogen fertilizers, dry and liquid. He will explain the need for nitrogen materials; spray, broad-

cast, side dress, and plow under application; results of nitrogen on continuous corn and on rotations; and Indiana results of nitrogen use on small grains and pastures.

Don Sisson's afternoon discussion will include the need for irrigation; water supplies and amounts needed; pumps, power, distribution lines, sprinklers, costs, and results.

Paul Jackson says he thinks there is

valuable information on this program for every person who plows soil, and he cordially invites you to attend.

MISSIONARY CIRCLE MEETS

The Be-Abouts missionary circle of the First Baptist church, met and had a pot luck supper at the home of Mrs. Grace Lewis Friday night.

Election of officers, were Fern Bee-

son, Pres.; Vice Pres., Mrs. Rex Yazel; Sec., Mrs. Grace Lewis; Treas., Mrs. Mary E. Romine; Reporter, Joan Welborn.

Mrs. Jon Rouch of French Equatorial Africa was a guest. The next meeting will be held March 18th at the home of Mrs. Helen Creviston.

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Franco American

SPAGHETTI	2 cans	29c
APRICOTS	2 1/2 size can	29c
Burco COFFEE	1 lb. bag	79c
Bursley's Tin Coffee	1 lb. can	94c
FLOUR, Gold Medal.	10 lb.	99c
Kraft's DINNERS	2 pkg.	29c

TIDE	2 lg. boxes	49c
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LINCO BLEACH	1/2 gal. jug	19c
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BULK DRIED BEEF	1/2 lb.	39c
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ROUND STEAK, U. S. Good	lb.	69c
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Deerwood

SPAG. or MAC.	7 oz. box	10c
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FRUIT COCKTAIL	2 1/2 can	39c
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RITZ CRACKERS	lb. box	31c
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BISCUIT MIX	lg. 4 oz. box	29c
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Monarch

GRAPE JELLY	glass jar	19c
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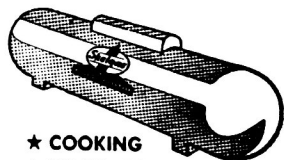
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TOWNSHIP NEWS

The following people attended the John Deere Day at the Times Theatre at Rochester Tuesday. Olin Wagoner, Mr. and Mrs. Buddie Snipes, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Griffis, Mr. and Mrs. John Dawson, Mr. and Mrs. Louie Johnson, Mrs. Pearl McGowen, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Drudge, Mrs. Orval Long, Mrs. June Miller, Amos Sanders, Mrs. Walter Safford, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Peterson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Leach, Wilvin Long, Morris Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Leiminger, V. C. Tobey, Mr. and Mrs. Ransford Peterson and Lavoy Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Good of Rochester was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good Tuesday evening.

Bud Walker of Evanston, Ill. and Dr. Rus Eckert of Marion, Ind. will spend the week end here visiting with friends.

Lou Grove spent Wednesday in Logansport visiting with his sister, Mrs. Lynne Imler.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Possey of Anderson spent the week end at their cottage.

Mr. Claude Jameson is enjoying a sight seeing trip to New York City.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Barr spent Tuesday evening in North Manchester as the guests of their son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph P. Chapman and family.

Miss Sarita Emmons of South Bend spent the week end visiting with her mother Mrs. Helen Emmons.

Mrs. Nadine Sriver and family spent Saturday in Rochester and North Manchester.

Sheldon Mikesell of Indianapolis spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mikesell.

Lavoy Montgomery spent Sunday afternoon in South Bend visiting with his Aunt Mrs. Orah Byrer and also his cousin Bea Berryman.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Barr and family of Hammond spent the week end here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Barr.

Mrs. Helen Coplen and Mrs. Fern Barr spent Thursday afternoon in Mentone.

Mrs. Eda Artet of near Akron spent Sunday here with her daughter, Mrs. Fred Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Jefferies of Macy plan to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary on March 6, with open house from 2 to 5 p. m. and from 7 to 9 p. m. The couple was born in Fulton County and Mrs. Jefferies is the former Lena Clifton. They have one son, Donald of Decatur, and one daughter, Mrs. David Kreig, of Muncie. They have five grandchildren. The Pleasant Hill W. S. C. S. will serve dinner to the family in the church basement. The couple are members of the church. They were married by the Rev. W. A.

Bender at his home in Akron. Mr. and Mrs. Jefferies were former residents of the Talma Community.

Mrs. Charles Hand and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Deafenbaugh and daughter of Warsaw spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kohr of Mentone.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McGowen had as their Sunday dinner guests, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis C. H. Kiser of North Webster.

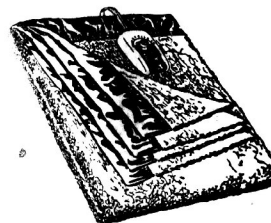
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METHODIST CONFERENCE TO START SUNDAY

By Warren S. Saunders

It is time for the last round of quarterly conferences among the Methodist churches of the Warsaw District. Beginning at Cromwell Sunday afternoon Rev. Thurman B. Morris, district superintendent, will conduct 50 fourth quarterly conferences by May 1.

The discipline of the Methodist Church requires that such a conference be held annually in every pastoral charge under the chairmanship of the superintendent. There are 50 pastoral charges in the district, most of them with one church, but there are 13 with two or more.

Election of local church officers will be the most significant action taken by most of the conferences. Among the officers are stewards, trustees, lay leader, lay delegates to the district and annual conferences, general superintendent of the church school, treasurer, financial secretary, members of the commissions on education, membership and evangelism, missions, and finance and members of the committee on pastoral relations. Most of those elected will be members of the official board,

which is the effective governing body of the local church. Terms of the newly elected officers will begin June 1.

There will doubtless be recommendations for the issuance or renewal of local preacher's licenses. Such licensing is done by the district conference, which meets at Mentone May 10.

For some churches it will be the last conference of which their present pastor will be a member. This will be true at Cromwell from which the Rev. Kenneth E. Maynard will be transferred March 1 to New Burlington in the Muncie District. The Cromwell church will have a supply pastor until a full pastor is appointed by the annual conference which meets in Muncie the last week in May.

Rev. Morris, who has been in the Indiana Methodist ministry since 1927 is a veteran of hundreds of such conferences. Since becoming a district superintendent he has presided over approximately 200. He is noted for the dispatch with which he handles the agenda and the good humor he injects into discussions, which sometimes get rather warm.

He enjoys a wide popularity among laymen as well as clergymen.

Next Tuesday the Bourbon church

will be host to the third settlement day for ministers of the district. Dr. Kermit A. Long, pastor of Trinity Methodist Church, Chicago, will lead a discussion among the ministers' wives. At a joint session in the afternoon Dr. Long will address the group on "The Parsonage Family."

W. S. C. S. MEETS

"New Ventures On Old Roads" was the theme of the lesson presented by Rev. David Gosser at the meeting of the W. S. C. S. on February 17 at the home of Mrs. Herman Olson. He also sang, "O Master of a Walking World".

Devotions based on Psalm 121 and Ephesians 6:10-18 were given by Mrs. Rea Ward.

Officers were elected for the coming

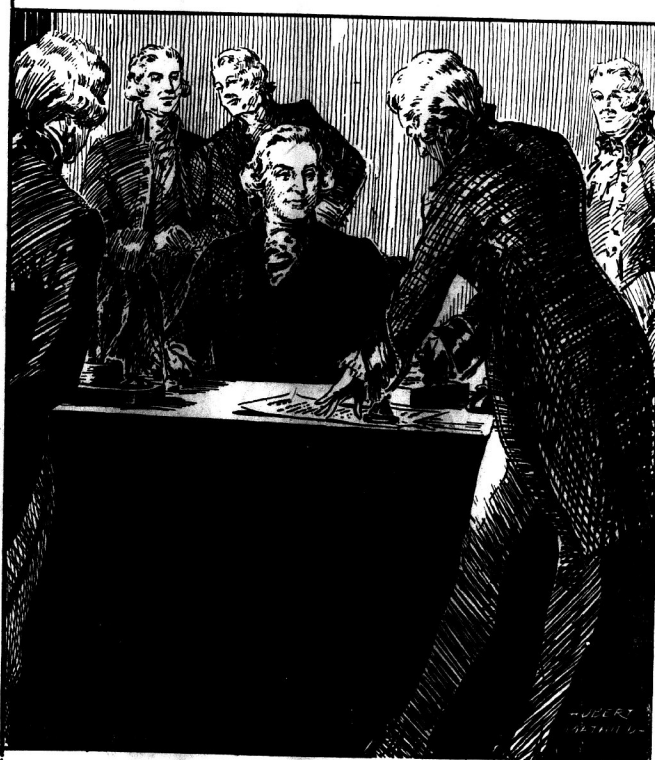
year as follows: President, Mrs. F. B. Davison; Vice-president, Mrs. Denton Abbey; Secretary, Mrs. Herman Olson; Treasurer, Mrs. Jack Vangilder; Sec'y of Promotion, Mrs. Harold Linn; Sec'y of Missionary Education, Mrs. Dan Urschel; and Sec'y of Christian Social Relations and Local Church Activities, Mrs. Harold Utter, with committee, Mrs. Ralph Mollenhour, Mrs. Allen Herendeen, and Mrs. Philip Blue; Sec'y Children's work, Mrs. Robert Hoover; Sec'y Spiritual Life, Mrs. Rea Ward; Sec'y Literature and Publications, Mrs. John Ellsworth; Sec'y Supply Work, Mrs. Bernice Rush; and Sec'y Status of Women, Mrs. D. L. Bunner.

Following the meeting a social hour was enjoyed with the hostess and her committee Mrs. Oral Welch, Mrs. Charles Manwaring, Mrs. Abe Whetstone, and Mrs. R. C. Greulich.

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Worship 10:45 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
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Devotions and Bible Class 7:30 p.m.
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WGI - 1250 Kc. - 1:00 p. m.
WFNR - 890 Kc. - 2:30 p. m.

BOURBON METHODIST CIRCUIT
Rev. Paul Trombauer, Pastor
Talma Methodist Church
Dale Peterson, Superintendent
Sunday School 10 a.m. EST
Youth Fellowship 6:30
Worship Service 7:30 p.m.
W. S. C. S. meeting March 3, at 1:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Deloris Carpenter.

Foster Chapel
Charles Hands, Supt.
Sunday School 10 a.m. EST
Summit Chapel
N. E. of TIPPECANOE on IND. 10
Mr. Hazzard, Supt.
Sunday School 9:45 (EST)
Worship Service 10:45 (EST)

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CHURCH OF GOD

Rev. Carter B. Cummins, Pastor
Ethel Cummins Supt.

Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
General Service 10:30
Youth Fellowship 6:45 p. m.
General Service 7:30 p. m.
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Church School 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

MONDAY:
Boy Scouts 6:30 p. m.

THURSDAY:
Junior Choir 3:30 p. m.
Adult and Youth Choir 7:00 p. m.
Board and Committee meetings 8:00 p. m.
Special and monthly meetings announced in the News item.

TALMA CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Talma, Indiana

Delbert A. Ruberg, Pastor
S. S. Supt. Leslie Grubbs.
Sunday school 9:30 a. m.
Morning Worship 10:30 a. m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Junior Bible Study, Tues. evening at 7:00 p.m.
Mid-Week Service 7:30 p.m.

ETNA GREEN

Evangelical United Brethren Church
F. H. Pflugh, Pastor

Sunday School 9:45
James Sommer, Superintendent
Morning Worship 10:45
W. S. C. S. Wednesday March 2, at the home of Mrs. Harold Gawthrop.

HARRISON CENTER

Evangelical United Brethren Church
F. H. Pflugh, Pastor

Morning Worship 9:30
Sunday School 10:30
Roy Haney, Supt.
Revival Services, Feb. 27 — March 13
Rev. Wilbur Workman, Evangelist

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Joe F. Bear, pastor

ALL SERVICES E. S. T.

BEAVER DAM:
Sunday School 9:30 a.m.
Ronald Malott, Supt.
Worship Service 7:30 p.m.
Adult Fellowship 24 Feb. 7:30p.m.
BURKET:
Sunday School 9:30
Everett Swick, Supt.
WORSHIP 10:30
Adult Fellowship 22 Feb. 7:30p.m.
FAIRVIEW:
Sunday School 9:30
Ray Swick, Supt.

TIPPECANOE COMMUNITY CHURCH

Gordon Rooze, Pastor
Dale Grossman, Supt.

Morning Worship Services 9:30
Sunday School 10:30
Youth Training Union 6:45
Sunday Evening Services 7:30
Thurs. eve. Choir Practice 7:00
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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
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THURSDAY:
Prayer and Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

BURKET METHODIST PARISH

Albert Rider, Pastor

Cooks Chapel:
Morning Worship 9:30
Church School 10:30
Revival Services at 7:30
Palestine:
Church School 9:30
Morning Worship 10:30
Burket:
Church School 9:30

TALMA W. S. C. S. TO MEET

The W. S. C. S. Ladies of the Talma Methodist Church will have their March meeting at the home of Mrs. Deloris Carpenter on Thursday afternoon, March 3 at 1:30 p. m.

The lesson title is as follows: The Young Girl Goes to the City. The program leader will be Mrs. Dale Peterson, Worship program will be conducted by Mrs. Lavon Mikesell and the Co-hostess will be Mrs. Nora Breckey. Roll Call will be answered by "Discussion of Working Girls' Problem."

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**THE STITCH AND STIR
4-H CLUB MEETS**

The Stitch and Stir 4-H Club met at the home of Pam Hammer on February 9.

The President, Janet Romine, opened the meeting by saying the pledge to the American and 4-H flags. The Secretary's report was read and approved. Roll call was called and we found that we still have a few Garden books left so you who still haven't yet received your Garden books, there is still time. They are still only one dollar.

Officers training meeting is Saturday, March 5.

National Enrollment Week has been set aside for March 5-12.

Those who are taking sewing this year, there has been a date set for you which is April 18, Garment Fitting Meeting.

We had two demonstrations. Sue Blackburn's was on Chocolate Chewy Marshmallow Cookies. Pam Hammer's was on Butterscotch Chews.

The game committee for the next meeting are: Janet Besson, chairman; Janet Rackeweg, and Linda Blackburn.

Refreshments were served and games were played.

The next meeting has not been decided as yet so watch for the announcement in the Club calendar in the Co-Op. Paper.

DONNA EATON, Reporter

A SURPRISE PARTY

A surprise farwell party was given by the neighbors to Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller with carried in refreshments. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Francis Kohoe, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Wise and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McGowen, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Martin and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Rae Ward, Mr. and Mrs. Art Kindall, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nellans and family, Mrs. Rosie Kinzie, Mr. Kenneth Kinzie, Mrs. Goldie Kesler, Miss Margie Lent, Bill Lent, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Warren and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hibschan and family.

A tip from the botany and plant pathology department at Purdue University says that chemical treatment of seed oats is recommended for smut control. Any seed from a crop in which smut was present or in which the smut infection is not known should be treated with a mercury containing chemical, such as, Ceresan, M or Panogen. They are available at farm stores and some drug stores. In many localities treating may be done by custom seed cleaners and treaters at the grain elevator or elsewhere. It can also be done on the farm in homemade equipment, such as the "Minnesota" type seed treater. Special care should be taken to follow the manufacturer's directions, because these materials are highly poisonous.



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HOOSIER 4-H GIRLS AND BOYS PLAN FOR BIG WEEK

Lafayette, Ind.—Hoosier boys and girls will organize their plans during National 4-H Club Week, March 5-13, to try to reach their goal of 85,000 members in 1955. This year members and leaders will stress the theme "Improving Family and Community Living," according to Harold B. Taylor, state club leader at Purdue University.

During this week the purposes and objectives of 4-H will be told through store window displays, news stories, radio and television talks, and programs at local gatherings. Helping the members will be volunteer local leaders, county agents, and home demonstration agents. These 4-H boosters will carry on local membership drives in order to try to push Indiana over the 85,000 enrollment mark in 1955.

Members of Hoosier 4-H clubs will be able to choose from among 37 projects in 1955. Last year the 79,669 4-H club members in Indiana enrolled in 72,915 agricultural projects and 97,387 home economics projects, an increase of 11,280 over 1953. The most popular agricultural projects during 1954 were: garden, 8,043 enrollments; electric, 6,704; swine, 6,185; corn, 5,515; dairy, 4,754; wildlife, 4,560; beef, 4,216; tractor, 3,998; and forestry, 2,899. The most popular home economics projects were baking with 32,297 enrollments; clothing with 27,827, and food preparation with 16,364.

In addition to seeking new members, more local leaders are also needed, says Taylor. During 1954 it took 1,601 men and 2,519 women as local leaders to help Indiana's 3,132 clubs. They were assisted by 3,900 boys and 5,561 girls as junior leaders. Taylor again emphasizes that the success of the community 4-H program depends in a large part on the efforts and assistance of local leaders.

Membership in the 4-H club program is open to any boy or girl between the ages of 10 to 20. Enrollment cards may be obtained from local club leaders or from the county extension office.

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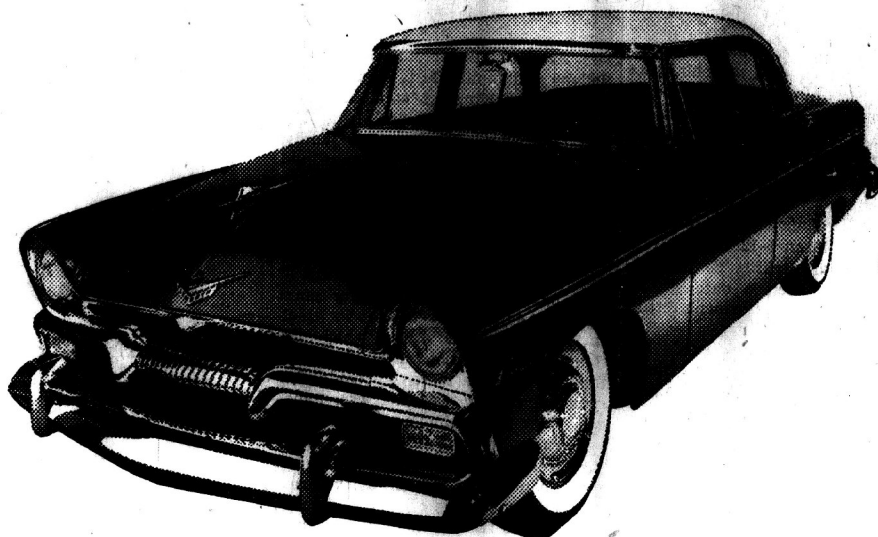
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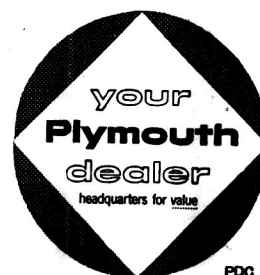
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**LEADING IN THE
NATION'S EGG CONTESTS**

The highest scoring pen of layers in all U. S. current egg laying contests as of January 31 was a pen of Honegger Leghorns in the Storrs, Connecticut Egg Laying Test, according to M. O. Bryan, owner of the Bryan Poultry Farm, Mentone. Mr. Bryan, who follows the various egg laying tests with keen interest, says that the Honegger Leghorns have outpointed all other entries in the Storrs Contest where the Honegger birds have averaged 93.4% production. This unusually high rate of lay and large egg size have given the Honegger birds the number one spot in the test during the first four months of the 1954-55 season.

F. A. Ryan, test supervisor for the University of Connecticut, reported in fact, that the Honegger pen at Storrs is now the highest entry in all current contests in the entire United States.

The Honegger Leghorns have virtually maintained an egg-a-day output level, laying off work only two days a month since this season's contest started in November of 1954. With nearly nine months of contest duties still ahead of them at Connecticut, the Honegger hens have already produced three times their weight in eggs, he added.

The Leghorns standing for the first four months of the 1954-55 contests sets an all-time record in the history of the standard egg laying tests, according to information which Mr. Bryan has received from Sam R. Honegger, head of the Honegger Breeder Hatchery, Forrest, Illinois.

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**SUMMER SQUASH CAN BE
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Home gardeners should start planning for the spring planting now, says W. B. Ward, Purdue horticulturist.

One plant not commonly thought of as a food product is the so called summer squash. When used in the immature stage, this fruit becomes a table delicacy. The fruits should be harvested when four to six inches long, or approximately seven to nine days after blossoming. The fruits in this young stage have not developed any seeds nor a thick, tough rind, and will bake thoroughly in a short time.

Bush or vine type Summer Straight or Crookneck, with a light yellow skin and salmon-orange flesh, have the best flavor and quality, says Ward. Similar fruits and varieties are used as squash such as the Cocozelles, Zucchini, the White Bush or Scallop, and Caserta.

Plants should be protected at all times from insects by spraying or dusting with a good pesticide at least once each week. Properly harvested fruits from a few plants will furnish a good supply for the summer.

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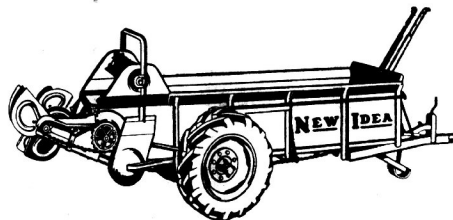
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**GARDENERS URGED TO GROW
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Gardeners who like quality lettuce are urged to try Bibb and Matchless varieties. These varieties are of the loose head type, dark green in color, and have thick, crisp, tender leaves. The heads will vary in size from four

to six inches in diameter.

According to W. B. Ward, garden specialist at Purdue University, seeds should be sown early, best in a hotbed or similar place, and transplanted to the garden, setting one plant every six inches in the row. When the seed is sown direct in the garden, the stand should be thinned to the suggested dis-

tance.

Lettuce is a cool season vegetable and, therefore, does best when planted early in the spring or as a fall crop seed in early August. These two varieties of lettuce, Bibb and Matchless, withstand low temperatures and often survive freezing weather.

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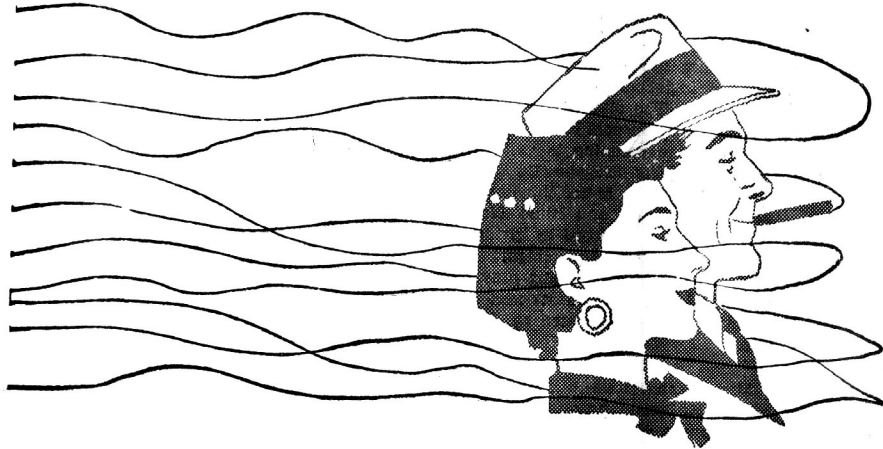
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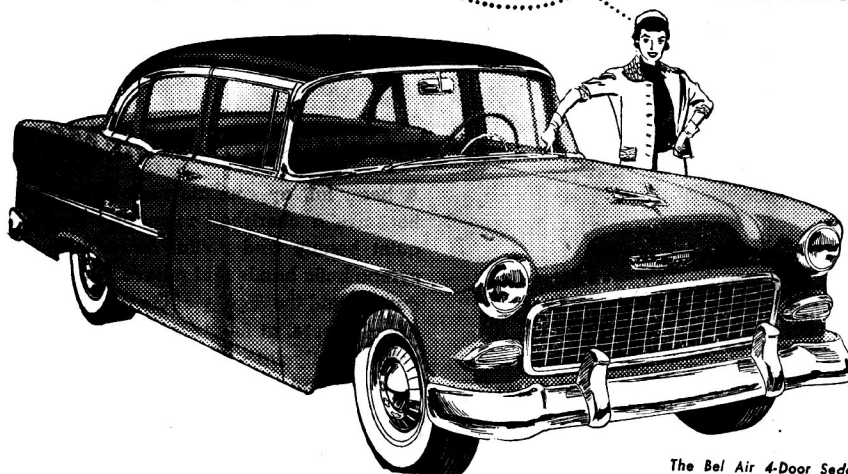
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The tour was called the Florida Sunshine caravan and was sponsored by Indiana Farm Bureau, Inc. The group of 160 people arrived by train in Jacksonville, Sunday evening and boarded our special sight seeing greyhound buses which was the beginning of 8 wonderful days. Our nightly hotel stops were Daytona beach; Miami Beach, Tampa and Orala, covering 1244 miles by bus.

Many places of interest such as Thomas A. Edison Home; Bok Tower; The Great Masterpiece; Cypress gardens; Silver Springs; St. Petersburg; and Florida State Fair for a few hours.

We really had a wonderful trip, saw so much beauty and met so many wonderful people, it seems we are back home in body but our thoughts are lingering behind.

Others from near by who were in the company were Mrs. Amos Sanders, and Mrs. Clarence Marsh of Akron, and Mrs. Wildermuth of Rochester.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank the Church of Christ for the cards, flowers, phone calls, and letters during my illness.

ALBERTA POULSON

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WAR MOTHERS MEET

Mothers of World War II, Unit 106, met at the home of Bernice Rush, Monday evening February 14, 1955. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mildred Fawley. The meeting was opened by presenting the flag. Pledging allegiance and singing the National Anthem, prayer was led by the Chaplain. 21 members answered roll call. The Secretary and Treasurer reports were read and accepted. Communications were read and placed on file. Lavera Horn, Cecil Tucker, Nora Tucker, and Edna Walters gave their birthday offerings. 15 members gave a 3 mo. donation. 9 members paid their dues. 4 members paid on household hint books. The district meeting is to be held at Logansport Friday, February 18. Some are planning to go. We are sending 2 voting delegates. Dora Whetstone and Bertha Meredith. Alternates are Lavera Horn and Ethel Wagner. The meeting was closed by giving the "Mother's Creed" and singing God Bless America and a closing prayer by the Chaplain. Refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by Frances Olsen.

Mrs. Sarah Ellsworth was a patient at the McDonald hospital last Saturday but was dismissed to the home of her daughter. She is now with her daughter, Mrs. Glen Secrist.

BETTER COWS INCREASE DAIRY PRODUCT PRICES

Lafayette, Ind.—Best way to offset lower dairy product prices is to have better, not more, cows, according to G. A. Williams extension dairyman at Purdue University.

Using information from one dairy herd improvement association when the record of the lowest producers was dropped from the yearly records of each 25 herds on test, production increased 785 pounds of milk per cow. When the two lowest producers were omitted, production increased 1663 pounds of milk per cow and the average of the association would have been increased 2699 pounds per cow if every dairyman had disposed of the three lowest producers at the start of the year.

Low producers are the least efficient, hence, the most expensive producers in the herd. Many cows lack the inherited ability to convert feeds into milk efficiently. They fail to make any profit for their owners, yet, they produce milk and butterfat which must be processed and marketed. Such production may, at certain seasons of the year, tend to create temporary over-production and reduce the general price level. Cows producing less than 6,000 to 7,000 pounds of milk are not likely to be money-makers today, says Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Devone Jones spent Sunday with Gaylord Jones of Syracuse.

T. H. E. CLUB MEETS IN THE HOME OF MRS. GEORGE DEAMER

The T. H. E. club met recently in the home of Mrs. George Deamer near Talma, with 18 members present and one guest, Mrs. Hammond of Osceola. Mrs. Walter Jordan was welcomed into the club as a new member.

Roll call was answered with the members giving quotations or sayings of Lincoln or Washington. The hostess read selections of the pioneer living conditions during Lincoln's boyhood days in Indiana.

Mrs. Howard Daniels, the president reported on the county presidents' meeting and presided over the other items of business taken care of. Following the business, Mrs. Daniels showed colored slides that she and her husband had taken during their trip to Florida. Also pictures that Mrs. Deamer had taken in Canada were shown.

The hostess served refreshments in keeping with the Valentine motif. Mrs. Verde Brockey received the lucky chair prize. The next meeting will be a joint meeting with the other clubs of the township at the Talma School house on March 2nd. The hostess will be Mrs. Robert A. Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Denton were in Marion Sunday visiting Glen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denton and Mrs. Glen Denton's mother, Mrs. Walter Bartel.

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