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## ALEXANDER MIKEL PASSES AWAY AT ROCHESTER

Alexander Mikel, aged 57 years, a lifelong resident of Harrison township, passed away at the Woodlawn hospital at Rochester Monday noon, of uremia. He was taken to the hospital Saturday.

The deceased was born June 24, 1884 to William and Elizabeth Mikel, who resided four miles north of this city. He was united in marriage to Dora Lechlitter Oct. 20, 1915, who, with four children, survives.

The surviving children are: Mrs. Emaline Habel, Mishawaka, and Flossie, Everett and Billy at home; the mother, of Etna Green; four sisters, Mrs. Pearl Heisler and Mrs. Dorothy Norton of Etna Green, Mrs. Lesta Cafner of Atwood and Mrs. Florence Bower of South Bend. One brother, Cloyd, resides at Alexandria, Ind.

Funeral services were held at the Harrison Center church Wednesday at 1:30 p. m., with burial in the cemetery adjoining.

The Johns funeral home had charge of the arrangements.

## SAVE YOUR CANCELLED POSTAGE STAMPS--D. A. R.

The Mentone chapter of the D. A. R. requests that everyone kindly save all cancelled postage stamps. They need not be removed from the envelopes and the ladies of the organization state that they will make an effort to collect them when they are notified that you have some for them.

## CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to all who offered sympathy and kindness in every way in the going away of our loving daughter, Gladys.

W. K. Borton and Family.

Harvey Arter, aged 50, Akron fire chief and owner of a variety store there, died in the Woodlawn hospital at 5:30 o'clock Tuesday morning at Rochester, of injuries he received the evening before as he fell from the fire truck that was speeding to the scene of an alarm.

## DRAWINGS MADE FOR COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Warsaw, Sidney and Syracuse, considered three of the strongest teams in Kosciusko county, found themselves in one bracket as a result of the county basketball tournament drawing held Monday evening at the office of the county superintendent. Atwood is also listed in the same bracket.

The strongest teams in the other bracket are Pierceton and Mentone. The drawings follow:

Mentone drew a bye.

THURSDAY, JAN. 15--Evening session--

1. 7 p. m.)--Silver Lake vs. Burket.

2. (8 p. m.)--Pierceton vs. Claypool.

3. (9 p. m.)--Atwood vs. Syracuse.

FRIDAY, JAN. 16--Afternoon--

4. (1 p. m.)--Sidney vs. Beaver Dam.

5. (2 p. m.)--Etna Green vs. Milford.

6. (3 p. m.)--Warsaw vs. Leesburg.

7. (4 p. m.)--Mentone vs. North Webster.

Evening Session--

8. (7 p. m.)--Winner game 1 vs. winner game 2.

9. (8 p. m.)--Winner game 3 vs. winner game 4.

10. (9 p. m.)--Winner game 5 vs. winner game 6.

SATURDAY, JAN. 17--Afternoon--

11. (2 p. m.)--Winner game 7 vs. winner game 8.

12. (3 p. m.)--Winner game 9 vs. winner game 10.

Evening Session--

13. (8 p. m.)--Winner game 11 and winner game 12.

## GLEN BLUE ILL

### WITH PNEUMONIA

Glen, 12-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Blue, was taken to Indianapolis Tuesday evening in the Johns ambulance. It was reported there were symptoms of paralysis but a careful examination at Indianapolis revealed nothing other than pneumonia. He remained at the capital city. The father, who is employed in Michigan, spent a few hours here after hearing of the serious illness of the son.

## SPECIAL MEETING AT METHODIST CHURCH

A special meeting for the members and friends of the Methodist church will be held in the church sanctuary on Thursday evening, Jan. 8, at 7:00 o'clock.

There will be very important business discussed and future plans made in which the cooperation of all interested people will be needed.

## MENTONE BOWLERS WIN THIRD IN TOURNAY

The Mentone Lions club bowling team placed third in the holiday bowling tournament held at Warsaw recently. They had a total of 2931 pins--fifteen behind the winning team, which we would term as a very close contest. The second place team knocked over nine more pins, or 2940.

## GAST--NEWCOMB

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gast are at home after their marriage at seven o'clock on the evening of Dec. 31 at the United Brethren church at Burket. Rev. Cornelius, of North Manchester, read the vows. Mrs. Gast was the former Jean Newcomb, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newcomb of Burket. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gast of Akron.

## YOU CAN DO YOUR PART

We are in war now and it is very necessary that each and every one put his shoulder to the grindstone and help keep things moving. You can do your part by helping your local Red Cross. Twenty-five hospital gowns were cut out besides those that were finished by the local Red Cross last week. Come!

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kesler entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of their grandson, Bob Kesler, who was to leave Thursday for marine training. Those present were: Obe Haimbaugh, Mrs. M. C. Carey, and Miss Bernice Kesler, of Mentone; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kesler and the guest of honor, of Warsaw, and Mr. and Mrs. John Holderman, Kay Ellen and John Frederick, Jr., of South Bend.

## W. S. C. S. MEETS

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist church held its regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Walter Lackey on Friday afternoon, January 2, with 22 members present.

The worship service was led by Mrs. Madelyn Hawley. The theme was "For the Facing of This Hour."

Mrs. Rae Ward gave the charge to the society urging all members to hold the organization and its elected officers by their prayers and attendance. A playlet, "The Dust of the Road," was ably given by several members of the society.

Rev. Collins, assisted by Mrs. R. Ward, installed the following officers for the ensuing year:

President, Mrs. R. Ward.  
Vice president, Mrs. W. Tombaugh.  
Cor. secretary, Mrs. C. Goodwin.  
Rec. secretary, Mrs. W. Bowers.  
Treasurer, Mrs. D. Banner.  
Secretary Students' Work, June Aughinbaugh

Secretary Young Women and Girls' Work, Retha McFarren.

Secretary Children's Work, Mrs. Glen Snider.

Secretary Literature, Pauline W. Borton.

Secretary of Supplies, Uda Maxwell.

Chairwoman Spiritual Life, Mrs. C. C. Collins.

Status of Women, Dora Taylor.

Secretary of Publicity, Mrs. B. Clark.

Secretary Fellowship, Cora Van Gilder.

A social hour, which ended with delicious refreshments, was enjoyed by all. The assisting hostesses were Rowena Lackey, Carol Rose Weissert, Pauline Weissert and Dorothy Herendeen.

The next meeting will be Friday afternoon, Feb. 6th, with Mrs. Geo. Rans as hostess.

## WAY SUGGESTED TO CON- VENIENTLY SAVE TIN CANS

Anticipating a government appeal to housewives to save all tin cans, it has been suggested that if both the top and bottom are cut from the cans they may be flattened to conserve storage space.



## HONOR ROLL

(This list is printed as frequently as space will permit and an effort is made to keep it as up to date as possible. However, we cannot have the list complete or totally accurate if additions or changes of address are not reported promptly. Ed.)

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### TWO FRONTS

The United States must fight on two fronts.

First, there is the military front. American soldiers, sailors and airmen are fighting and dying in the Pacific. They are living up to the highest traditions of this nation's military history. They must be given the finest battle equipment in the world, and they must be given it in lavish quantity. All the resources of this nation, human and material alike, must be used to that end.

Second, there is the home front. We have said, time and again, that we are fighting to defend and perpetuate freedom. That is true. But the defense of freedom at home, as on the war front, demands more than lip service. It demands straight thinking from all. It demands a people who will look squarely at the facts, no matter how unpleasant they may be. It demands the kind of national toughness that knows precisely what we are fighting for, and that will permit nothing to stand in the way of victory on the home front no less than the military front.

We will, of necessity, demand and accept a large measure of economic dictatorship during the war. Whether that dictatorship ends when the war ends, will depend upon the resolution and the understanding of the American people. The future of this country and this kind of government is in the balance. The people will decide which way the scales are tipped.

The free enterprise system is at stake in this war. Freedom of press, freedom of speech, freedom of religion. Anything which weakens and emasculates free enterprise is the enemy of the nation. We cannot have an ever-expanding bureaucracy and have efficiency.

There is nothing dramatic about these statements. They are simply homely truths. The winning of this war—and the winning of the peace that follows—will depend on how well the American people understand them.

There has never been such unity as this country has at present. Every American stands solidly behind the President in the pledge to wage war until international gangsterism is destroyed. The spirit of the nation is one of grim, uncompromising de-



termination. But let all remember that the home front is as vital to war and to the perpetuation of our way of life as the battlefield. There will be subversive influences on both fronts. Only an awakened, aware people can prevent their depredations.

We fight for freedom, then. And we must fight for it all the way—fight for it here in America, no less than in the broad reaches of the oceans and the lands beyond.

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### Nothing But the Truth

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PERSONAL

By BOB ANDERSON



The "Bulldogs" not being in action this week gives us an opportunity to look back and sum up what the boys have been doing in their first four months of basketball. It also gives us a chance to figure our chances in the coming county tourney.

At this time the "Bulldogs" have a record of seven wins out of ten starts. Eight of the games have been county tilts and all three of the losses have been to county squads. The "Pups" also have a record of seven wins and three losses, but only one of their defeats has been by a county second team. The first team has scored a total of 285 points to the opponents' 237, while the second squad has totaled 188 as against 145.

When total points were figured up, Tucker led with 99, Whetstone was runnerup with 54 and M. Igo was third with 42, being closely followed by Mosier and Horn with 38 and 37 respectively.

In the free throw department, Smith took top spot with 1000 on four tries. Mosier was second with 16 out of 22 for a percentage of .727, and Tucker with 33 out of 51 took third ribbon on a percentage of .647. Six squad members tied for next honors with 50-50 marks. Team totals showed 123 made out of the 249 foul shots attempted, or a percentage of .494.

The tourney drawings have been announced, and for the first time in about ten years, the Mentone boys drew a "bye." The Bulldogs play their first game of the classic Friday afternoon, January 16, at 4:00. They are matched with the North Webster Trojans. The Trojans are one of those "hot and cold" teams, and, although they do not have such an impressive record, they have upset both Atwood and Sidney. The winner of the Mentone-North Webster game will move directly to the semi-finals in the upper bracket. Atwood, Syracuse, Sidney and Warsaw will scrap it out in the lower bracket. I am going out on a limb to predict that it will be Mentone vs. Piercetown and Syracuse vs. Warsaw in the semi-

## IN MEMORIAM

In memory of our beloved husband, father, son and brother who passed away a year ago January 7th. I cannot say, and I will not say That he is dead,—He is just away! With a cheery smile, and a wave of the hand, He has wandered into an unknown land, And left us dreaming how very fair It needs must be, since he lingers there.

And you—O you, who the wildest yearn

For the old-time step and the glad return,—

Think of him faring on, as dear In the love of There as the love of Here;

Think of him still as the same, I say:

He is not dead,—He is just away.

Eileen and Cara Lynne.

Mr. and Mrs. John Fenstermaker and Family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Mollenhour and Family.

finals; with Warsaw carrying off the trophy.

The referees will toss up the ball at 7:00 p. m., Thursday, January 15, so to see the cream of the county squads be sure to take in the county tourney at Warsaw.

The Akron Flyers are paying us a visit next Friday, with the view of squaring up the bill after that close one at the first of the season. It promises to be a typical Mentone-Akron game so you don't want to miss it.

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## 19 YEARS AGO

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Erastees Emmons and family, of South Bend, came home Monday to attend the funeral of Mrs. James Warren.

Headline—"Miner Mollenhour and Family Have Auto Acciden." Luckily no one was seriously injured.

Mrs. James Warren passed away at her home in Mentone last Saturday.

Mrs. Lucina Wertenberger departed this life Dec. 31, 1922.

"J. E. Burkekt Buys the Lackey Grocery," (Headline). Invoicing done Monday. Took possession at once.

## 30 YEARS AGO

Taken from Tri-County Gazette  
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JANUARY 4, 1912

## A Christmas Party

A merry Christmas was spent by a large number of friends and neighbors at the home of Wm. Weirick. A fine dinner was served by Mrs. Weirick and the young people furnished music and recitations to add to the festivities and good times. The following guests were present: Bert Arch, wife and two daughters, Nappanee; Wm. Clemmer and wife; Geo. Whetstone and wife; Silas Fisher and his nephew, a son of Milton Fisher. Also a grandson of Mrs. Silsby and Clifford Weirick. A beautiful Christmas tree loaded with presents brought joy to the hearts of the little folks and all went home happy.

Grandma Arnsberger is celebrating her 84th birthday today. Her health is fairly good for one of that age.

Prof. S. A. Laird, wife and daughter Lenore, of Tippecanoe, took dinner with his brother, F. W. Laird, Wednesday.

Zachariah Griffis, of Warsaw, was calling on his Mentone friends yesterday. He is looking young and happy.

Mrs. Wm. Morgan went to Knox today to visit with her sister, Mrs. Geo. Sarber.

Mrs. Levisa Brown is visiting friends in Ashley this week.

Misses Hazel and Mabel Hudson made a holiday visit last week with Mrs. Fred Hildebrand and Misses Cleo and Edna Olinger, of Warsaw.

## 40 YEARS AGO

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JANUARY 2, 1902

J. W. Aughinbaugh and family visited his brother, Frank, near Silver Lake, last Sunday, who had a leg broken by a falling limb on Wednesday of last week.

Wedding bells during the holiday season—Charles Lee, of Warsaw, and Miss Clara Ellis, daughter of Albert Ellis.

Charles F. Blue and Miss Emma Shoemaker.

Mr. Albert Emmons and Miss Alice Borton.

A dressed 'possum was one of the dainty tid-bits which hung on the hooks at Shinn's meat market last week. These animals seem to be forcing themselves to the front again like they did back in the 50's.

Geo. Nellans and family attended a reunion at the home of his parents, near Argos, yesterday. Mrs. Doddridge accompanied them with her camera for the purpose of photographing the company at the paternal home.

Grandma Vantrees, who lived with her son William, west of town, died Tuesday after a lingering illness. The funeral occurs today at the Baptist church.

Miss Bertha Heffley came home from Valparaiso college a few days ago and will remain at home during the remainder of the winter.

How often, the fellow who turns over a new leaf finds a carbon copy on the next page. Every act, good or bad, leaves its imprint.



The January safety poster pictured above, now being distributed to schools throughout Illinois and Indiana by the Chicago Motor Club, urges children to "Teach Your Friends" to "Cross at Corners." Blue, black and white are the colors used.

This series of posters follows a plan of exaggerated proportions which makes children giants and streets and cars miniature. Comments indicate that both teachers and pupils like them better than in previous years.

# NEW SELECTIVE SERVICE REGULATIONS

Selective Service Regulations effective January 1, 1942, provide for the classification of registrants immediately following the examination by the local board examiner. Mr. Ben Eagler of the Kosciusko County local board, announces. This means, Mr. Eagler said, that all registrants not otherwise deferred will be placed in Class I-A following such examination and will be forwarded in due course to the Army examining board.

Thus, all registrants so forwarded will have been notified of their I-A classification prior to the examination by the Army examining board

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and all matters of appeal will be settled prior to their appearance before the Army examining board. This change in procedure will work out to the advantage of everyone concerned. Local boards will determine all matters of deferment prior to the physical examination as at present. Registrants not deferred will then be examined by the examining physicians of the local board, who determine which of these men are not obviously disqualified for military service. Men who have no disqualifying defects will then be classified into Class I-A by the local board and will receive their notice of classification at this time. Their right of appearance before the local board and right of appeal will be exhausted prior to their appearance before the Army examining board. The determination of fitness for limited military service or for general military service will be made by the Army examining board. There is no appeal on physical grounds from the determination of this board.

The new regulations provide that no registrant found acceptable by the Army examining board will have his classification reopened prior to delivery for induction except when there is a change in the registrant's status for which he is in no wise responsible, such as death or injury. In the past, according to Mr. Eagler, men forwarded to the Army examining board did not receive their notice of classification until after having been examined by this board.

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This procedure resulted in many last-minute requests for reopening of cases and appeals, with the consequent delay in mobilization of essential manpower. No new regulations concerning classification have been received by the local board other than the order directing the reclassification of men who had been placed in Class I-H by reason of age. In the future, no distinction will be made in classifying men over 28 years of age and men under 28 years of age, Mr. Eagler said.

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## Red Cross, OCD Look to Volunteers For Civil Defense

Washington, D. C.—To the question, "What can I do for America?" the Red Cross is providing an answer for hundreds of thousands of men and women who want to do their part on the civilian defense front.

For women, the Red Cross is providing an 80-hour training course to recruit a corps of 100,000 Nurse's Aides. It is the Red Cross' newest project, undertaken at the request of the U. S. Office of Civilian Defense to relieve the current pressure on nursing facilities.

With thousands of nurses being taken into military service with our armed forces, civilian nursing has suffered a direct blow, the Red Cross points out. Moreover, the defense program has created additional health problems which has heightened the need for civilian nursing.

Red Cross Nurse's Aides will serve as assistants to registered nurses, performing scores of important duties which will enable nurses to care for more cases. The Red Cross stresses that Nurse's Aides will not take the place of the registered nurse, but will serve in an auxiliary capacity.

On the more dramatic side of civilian defense, the Red Cross is gearing its far-flung disaster fighting machine to handle mass feeding, housing and clothing of exacuees under wartime conditions. In cooperation with the Office of Civilian Defense, chapters are strengthening disaster relief committees to cope with man-made disaster much on the same scale as relief operations following natural catastrophe. Organization along these lines include preparedness measures for fires, explosions and epidemics which may be expected to result from accelerated industrial activity incident to national defense or sabotage.

Strictly as a precautionary measure, the Red Cross is devising means of confronting emergency relief in the event of sporadic air or sea attacks, considered conceivable hazards in some coastal and boundary areas.

The need for First Aid in civilian defense has not been neglected by the Red Cross. Last year nearly 600,000 were trained in emergency treatment of the injured. This year the figure is expected to go much higher with special emphasis being placed on the formation of detachments which would serve as units in factories, office buildings, schools and other places where persons are concentrated.

Red Cross courses in Home Nursing and in Nutrition also are being expanded as a feature of the civilian defense program. It was pointed out. Mounting health hazards and the shortage of civilian nurses may at any time obligate the housewife—or even the man of the house—to assist in caring for the sick. Likewise, the Red Cross is placing greater emphasis on Nutrition courses designed to teach householders the art of purchasing and preparing well-balanced meals within the range of the family pocketbook.

## News of Mentone and Vicinity

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Chancey Emmons at the McDonald hospital at Warsaw last Friday.

Billie Cook, who is in military training, is enjoying a 16-day furlough with his parents.

Mrs. Kenneth Riner and young son returned to their home at Mentone Sunday.

Jesse Dean Grubbs arrived from Camp Shelby, Tuesday evening to spend a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Grubbs.

Rev. Fowler, whose family had been under quarantine with scarlet fever, was seen about our streets this week. Even with the extremely cold weather, I imagine he and the other members of his family appreciated release from their confinement.

Mrs. Mary Bidelman has been in Elkhart where she spent the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Bidelman and family.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Goodwin returned Tuesday afternoon after spending a very delightful Christmas with the "home folks" at Wanatah, Indiana.

Miss Dorothy Nottingham returned to her work at Indianapolis last week after spending her Christmas vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Nottingham.

In the list of selectees to leave for camp January 13, none were listed from Mentone. One, Carl Gochenour, teacher in the Mentone schools, is scheduled to go to Fort Wayne on Jan. 14th, for his physical examination before the Army examining board.

Don VanGilder, former Mentone dentist who is in the army medical corp, telephoned his brother, Jack, Saturday evening that he and Mrs. VanGilder are now at Carlisle, Pa.

Donald J. Smith, who is located at Camp Shelby, Miss. with the armed forces, is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Smith.

Mrs. Cloice Paulus, who underwent a major operation at the McDonald hospital at Warsaw last week, is improving as rapidly as could be expected.

Nina Clay, who had been spending her vacation in Mentone with her sister, Mrs. H. E. Nottingham, returned Sunday to her teaching at Steubenville, Ohio, where she is supervisor of history.

Jack VanGilder, of the Big Drug Store at Mentone, attended the meeting of the Kosciusko county druggists at Warsaw Monday evening. A banquet dinner was served at Hotel Hayes.

Cassel Smith and mother, of Falmingsford, Nebraska, are visiting their uncles, aunts and sisters, Mrs. Kate Romine, Mrs. Alice Losier, Mrs. Maude Seegar, Mr. and Mrs. Elias Smith, and other relatives and friends.

L. E. Collins, of Redkey, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Bridegroom, of Akron, enjoyed a turkey dinner at the Rev. C. C. Collins home Sunday. Mrs. L. E. Collins had been here visiting her sister, Mrs. C. C. Collins, the past week.

The regular meeting of the Palestine Conservation Club met Thursday evening of last week. The subject of the boys camp was discussed at length and solicitation for donations was to start immediately. The Robinson-Pittman Act was also discussed and one or two projects taken under advisement. C. O. Mollenhour, of Mentone, showed a number of pictures in connection with conservation work.

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wrapping in the wastefully lavish form we've become used to. When they cut down on paper use, they are cooperating with the government. This is just one more of the many ways retailing in all its branches, chain store and independent store alike, is serving the country now.

Every family can help in the conserve paper drive. Save all you can and turn it in when you reach a substantial poundage. The Army and Navy need it.

### CONSERVATIONISTS WILL MEET AT PURDUE FRIDAY

Hoosier conservationists will gather at Purdue University Friday (Jan. 16) afternoon and evening, for the annual Conservation program and the banquet at which Governor Henry F. Schricker will be the principal speaker.

Afternoon sessions, beginning at 1:30 o'clock in Fowler Hall, will include round-table discussions of club activities, junior conservation organizations, fish and game propagation, research programs, and the general phases of the Indiana conservation program. The session is open to all interested persons. Speakers in addition to representatives of the Department of Conservation and Purdue University will include: M. O. Steen, U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service; Dr. William Ricker and John Gottschalk of Indiana University; Frank N. Derr, Boonville; Chauncey Mollenhour, Mentone; Otto Grossman, Argos, and Francis Murray, Seymour.

The banquet will be served at 6:30

o'clock in the Purdue Union Building. The program, featuring the address by Gov. Schricker, will include talks by M. B. Allen of the Western Cartridge Company, and Mr. Barnhart, director of the Department of Conservation. H. J. Reed, director of the Purdue Experiment Station, will serve as toastmaster.

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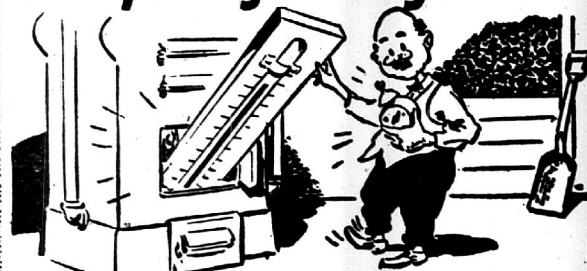
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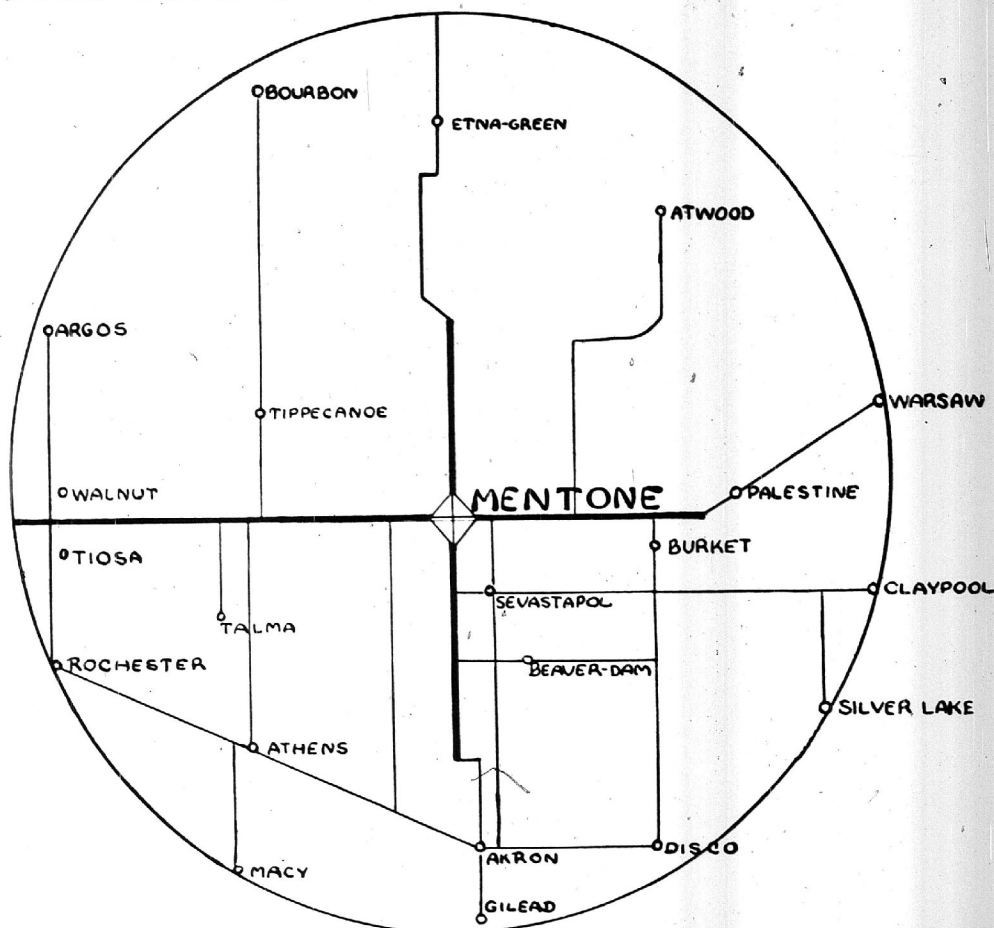
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Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.

Monday—  
Scouts ..... 7:00 p.m.

Thursday—  
Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.  
We invite you to our services.  
C. C. COLLINS, Minister.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH Palestine, Ind.

Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Service ..... 10:30 a.m.  
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Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
A cheerful welcome awaits you.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST Mentone, Ind.

Bible Classes ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Serv. .... 7:00 p.m.  
Bible Study (Thur.) ..... 7:30 p.m.  
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PERSONAL

By BOB ANDERSON



The Bulldogs peppered the basket with uncanny accuracy for sixteen minutes of play last Friday night, to roll up a lead that the Akron Flyers were never able to overtake, the game ending 32 to 24. During the entire game, of the seven players used, by the Bulldogs, only one failed to send the ball through the basket. Of those scoring, two scored three goals each and three score two baskets each, thereby splitting up the scoring. The Mentone boys lost their basket eye in the third quarter and the Akron team pulled up within three points of the leaders, but the tables were turned again in the final period as the home boys hit and the visitors could not. Tucker again carried honors of the tilt with nine points, making three out of three at the free throw line. Gast led for the Flyers with eight points.

The second team, suffering from some mysterious malady which caused them to miss twelve out of their fifteen charity line attempts, dropped their game by a score of 13 to 24. Joe "Kokomo" Boggs was high for the Pups with six points.

First team score by quarters:  
Mentone ..... 10 22 24 32  
Akron ..... 6 13 21 24

## BOX SCORE

MENTONE	FG	FT	P	TP
Horn	2	0	4	4
Igo	2	2	1	6
Tucker	3	3	4	9
Romine	2	1	0	5
Sarber	3	0	1	6
Whetstone	1	0	0	2
Smith	0	0	0	0

Totals ..... 13 6 10 32

AKRON	FG	FT	P	TP
Lantz	0	0	0	0
Leininger	2	1	3	5
McKee	1	1	2	3
Davis	1	1	0	3
Gast	3	2	3	8
Huffman	1	0	0	2
Utter	0	0	0	0
Hill	0	2	1	2
Burrows	0	1	0	1

Totals ..... 8 8 9 24

The basketball squad surprised Carl Whetstone Tuesday morning by presenting him with a duplicate of the sweater awarded him on graduation last year. Carl, who was star center on last year's team, lost his sweater in a fire some months ago. "Whet" made a short-short speech of acceptance and walked off the proud possessor of a gleaming, four-striped sweater.

WINTER SPORTS SEASON  
IS OPENED AT POKAGON

With Lake James frozen over and the toboggan slides in fine condition, the winter sports season has been inaugurated at Pokagon State Park. Light snowfall has prevented satisfactory skiing but skating and tobogganing have been enjoyed by scores of park visitors.

The double toboggan run, 1700 feet long, is a center of activity all through the winter while the ice-covered lake and the snow-covered hills combine to make Pokagon the winter sport center of the Hoosier state.

## Fluorescent Lamps

American fluorescent lamps are being introduced into Columbia.

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Way Back When—

## 30 YEARS AGO

Taken from Tri-County Gazette  
Published by C. M. Smith

JANUARY 11, 1912

Headline: "Mentone Defeats Warsaw." Score 16 to 11. Lineup: Jenkins, r. f.; J. Smith, l. f.; Capt. M. Smith, c.; Lackey r. g.; Ernsberger, l. g.

Jesse Smith, of Anderson, was fatally gored by three buffalos wintering in his barn.

Joshua Garwood writes us from Daytona, Florida, to send his paper to 498 S. Beach St.

The zero weather has been the predominating topic of discussion during the past week. The drop occurred last Wednesday night and has been down ever since. The lowest record was on Sunday morning when the thermometers registered 18 to 20 degrees below zero.

Mr. and Mrs. Corta Willard, of Akron, visited his aunt, Mrs. Albert Hatfield, of near Mentone.

## 40 YEARS AGO

Taken from Tri-County Gazette  
Published by C. M. Smith

JANUARY 9, 1902

## Not Yet Solved

The following problem was published last week, and although a long list of answers has been received, none are, as yet, correct.

A man goes into a cigar store and buys a cigar for 5c, throwing down

a Canadian quarter, the clerk informed him that a Canadian quarter is worth but 20c, and gives him 15c in change. After a little while the man comes back and lays down 5c saying, "Here is your nickel for the cigar, and give me my quarter back." The clerk takes the nickel and gives him his quarter. How much would the merchant have lost if he had given the man an American quarter instead of a Canadian quarter?

To the person handing in the first correct solution will be given a handsome bowl and pitcher. All answers must be in by Jan. 11, 1902. No answers taken from persons over 18 years of age. Write name and age plainly.

S. S. Mentzer &amp; Son.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Dunnick, of Bremen, spent Sunday with his mother at the old homestead east of town.

E. E. Jefferies, the new liveryman, of Burket, was in town Monday and gave this office a business call. Mr. Jefferies goes to Burket from Tippecanoe and will run a first class livery stable at that place.

The Mentone Automatic Telephone Co. is progressing with its work very satisfactorily. Construction will begin in a few days and it is expected that the line will be ready for use by Feb. 1.

Uncle Nathaniel Meredith, who suffered a stroke of paralysis some time ago, is not nearly so well today. His body is entirely paralyzed from the waist down.

## COME TO THE—

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QUAKER OATS ..... large pkg. 19c

Little Elf PRUNE PLUMS 2 large cans 33c

King Bee SALAD DRESSING ..... qt. jar 25c

OLD DUTCH CLEANSER ..... 3 cans 20c

BURCO COFFEE ..... 2 lbs. 43c

RICE KRISPIES ..... 2 boxes 23c

BANANAS ..... 4 lbs. 29c

PASCAL CELERY ..... 2 large bunches 25c

Texas GRAPEFRUIT ..... doz. 33c



# FARM MACHINERY REPAIR SCHOOL AT WARSAW JAN. 28

The farmers are going to school again. Not because they do not know how to repair farm machinery but that they may learn more efficient methods and find out what they may expect in the way of repair facilities during the present emergency.

The school, under the sponsorship of the county defense group, will be held in the high school auditorium on January 28th, starting at 10 a. m. and continuing until three in the afternoon. The extension department is to aid in giving information and many slides will be shown.

The limited production of farm machinery during 1942 will work a hardship on many and only through efficient methods of repair will the present equipment be able to care for the increased farm production.

# HARDY ANGLERS BRAVE BELOW ZERO WEATHER

Hardy Hoosier anglers have been braving near zero temperatures to enjoy their favorite sport of fishing through the ice since Indiana lakes have been frozen over. Hugh A. Barnhart, director of the Department of Conservation, reported this week.

While most of Indiana's half-million licensed fishermen confine their activities to seasons when the temperatures are more moderate, many anglers get their greatest thrill from fishing after the lakes have been coated with a thick layer of ice. Bundled in heavy clothing and using lanterns or other methods of keeping warm, they cut holes thru the ice and wait patiently for a bite. Fishing through the ice is like fishing at other times of the year, sometimes the angler gets fish and sometimes he doesn't.

The same regulations apply to ice fishing as to fishing at other seasons of the year. Anglers eighteen years of age and over must have a license; it is unlawful to buy or sell certain species of fish, including bass, bluegills, crappies and red-eared sunfish; bag and length limits must be observed and legal methods of taking fish must be followed.

In addition there are special laws governing fishing through the ice, making it unlawful for any person to fish through the ice in any lake or stream through more than two holes at one time, through a hole more than two and one-half feet in diameter, with more than one line to a hole, with more than one hook on a line or to fish within any house, shanty or structure which will obstruct a full view of such fishing.

"Sell it with a Want Ad!"

# FEDERAL CAR "USE" TAX STAMPS ON SALE TOMORROW

Motorists will pay their federal "use" tax on all types of motor vehicles at any first, second, third, or fourth class postoffice, according to an announcement of the Chicago Motor club. Revenue stamps costing \$2.09 will go on sale January 15th and will represent the portion of the tax due February 1 and covering the period to July 1, 1942. The full tax of \$5 per year will be due each succeeding July 1.

When motorists have purchased the stamp, they will be given a card to fill out and forward to the nearest office of the Bureau of Internal Revenue. Upon receipt of the card the bureau will check the motorist's name on the master list of all motor vehicle owners.

Failure to pay the tax may bring a penalty of not more than \$25 in fines, thirty days in prison, or both. Arrests will be made by federal officers.

A bill to repeal this tax has been introduced in congress, but will not be acted upon until the January session. Motor club officials throughout the nation are opposed to the tax

on the basis that its operation imposes considerable inconvenience, its enforcement is questionable, and its cost of collection is too high in proportion to the probable returns.

Miss Helen Long and Cecil Staddon, of Fort Wayne, were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Staddon.

Robert Reed accompanied the ambulance on three calls Tuesday when Mrs. Paulus, Miss Boganwright and Miss Horn were returned to their homes following hospitalization.

Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Carter started moving to Etna Green Monday. They recently purchased a home there and a new filling station and lunch room is being constructed.

# TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

WANTED TO BUY—40 to 50 acre farm. Will trade town property on it or will buy outright. Answer in care of Box 243, Mentone.

# 'Full Dinner Pail'

The "full dinner pail" slogan was a Republican slogan in 1900. It emphasized the prosperity of McKinley's first term and appealed particularly to the labor vote.

# NUGGETS FOR BEREANS

"Great is the mystery of Godliness."

1. "God was manifest in the flesh."
2. "Justified in the Spirit."
3. "Seen of Angels."
4. "Preached unto the Gentiles."
5. "Believed on in the world."
6. "Received up into Glory."

What a significant outline we have here of I Tim. 3:16. We have a head with six sub-topics. This makes seven, the number of Spiritual perfection. The six is the number of man. Our Lord had the two natures. In Scripture, a mystery is a secret that is hidden until a time of revealing. Here we have the story of God made flesh. This is also the story of John 1:1-4. Christ was declared just by the Spirit, for He was always just. His birth was announced to the Shepherds by the angels. He was proclaimed or announced to the Gentiles and Greeks sought Him (Jno. 12:20,21). Many believed on Him in the world and in John 17 we find what he calls those who had believed. He was received up into Glory and was seen there by Stephen, Paul and John in later years.

THE MYSTERY OF GODLINESS is the birth, death, resurrection and ascension of the Lord Jesus. "If Christ be not raised, your faith is vain." I Cor. 15:17.

# Underground Travel

There are three underground railways in Buenos Aires.

# MADRID THEATRE

Akron, Ind.

THURS., FRI., SAT., JAN. 15-17—Thursday is Infantile Paralysis Night. Buy a flock of tickets for this worthy cause.

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BREAD 3 16-oz. loaves 25c

2 20 oz. loaves 19c

WHITE CORN .... 2 No. 2 cans 23c

AMMONIA ..... qt. 10c

CAMAY SOAP ..... 4 for 25c

SWEET POTATOES..... 5 lbs. 15c

FLORIDA ORANGES ..... doz. 19c

PORK NECK BONES ..... lb. 10c

BEST LEAN BACON ..... lb. 29c

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## NELSON YATES WAS BURIED HERE TUESDAY

Nelson L. Yates, 79 and long-time resident of the county, died at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Blanche Walters, of Burket, of complications due to advanced age Sunday night at seven o'clock.

Mr. Yates was born Dec. 26, 1862, in Wabash county, the son of Solomon and Lydia Yates. He wed Julia Wideman on Jan. 11, 1882. She died Feb. 11, 1934. For many years he was part owner of the Shoup-Yates grist mill here. Leaving Mentone he lived in Texas for a while and served as postmaster there 12 years. He had resided with his daughter in Burket for the past three years. He was a member of the Mentone Methodist church. Surviving are the daughter and a brother, Wesley, of Silver Lake. A daughter, Mrs. Stella Mollenhour, died in March, 1913.

Eight grandchildren also survive.

Funeral services were held at the Johns funeral home at two o'clock Tuesday afternoon, Rev. C. C. Collins officiating. Burial was in the Mentone cemetery.

## MRS. ALLIE SLANE DIES AT OSSIAN

Funeral services for Mrs. Allie Slane, 67, who died at her home in Ossian Friday morning, were held on Sunday at 1:30 p. m. at the home and at 2 o'clock at the Prospect M. E. church, with burial in Oak Lawn cemetery, Ossian. She was born in Allen county and spent most of her life in Wells county. She was the widow of John Erwin Slane. Surviving are two sons, four daughters, including Mrs. Mary Becktell, Churubusco; 16 grandchildren; and two brothers, including George McKinzie, of Mentone.

## CECIL STADDON MARRIED

Cecil Staddon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Staddon, Mentone, and Miss Helen Long, of Fort Wayne, were married Thursday night at 9 o'clock at the Staddon home, C. G. Vincent officiating. Cecil is employed as a filling station attendant in Fort Wayne. The happy pair will live in Fort Wayne.

## TO SELL TAGS SATURDAY FOR INFANTILE PARALYSIS AID

The Mentone Girls Scouts will sell tags Saturday as their part in the annual benefits drives for medical aid to the victims of infantile paralysis.

The Lions club has been designated as the organization at Mentone to receive the contributions and all those who wish to contribute to this worthy cause who will not be in town Saturday are advised to mail or send it to Don Bunner, secretary of the Mentone Lions Club.

The tags to be distributed by the Girl Scouts Saturday have no numerical value but are merely to show you did your part. The amount of the contribution is dependent entirely upon the generosity of the donor.

## MENTONE READING CLUB

Mrs. Orpha Blue was hostess to the Mentone Reading Club on Wednesday evening. Fourteen members responded to roll call with articles about Rockefeller Center. Election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows:

Mrs. W. H. Tombaugh, president.  
Mrs. C. O. Mollenhour, first vice president.

Mrs. C. E. Walburn, second vice president.

Mrs. D. L. Bunner, secretary.  
Mrs. Orpha Blue, treasurer.

It was voted to give three dollars to the county chapter for Infantile Paralysis. Following the business session, a very enjoyable program was presented, as follows: Piano solo by Carol Rose Weissert, an excellent review of the book, "Random Harvest," by Mrs. Walter Lackey, and group singing of "God Bless America" with Mrs. Fred Lemler at the piano. The hostess, assisted by Mrs. E. G. Harrison, served refreshments.

## FAITHFUL MEMBER HONORED

Clark Ernsberger, who has failed to attend but one regular meeting of the Mentone Lions Club since the year 1935, and who passed his 80th birthday last week, was presented with a beautiful leather purse at the club meeting Wednesday evening.

## DELORES JULIAN RECOVERING

Delores Julian is recovering at the home of her parents following an illness of approximately three weeks from a rare nasal form of diphtheria.

The school children were checked over on Monday by Miss Sobaski and on Tuesday by Dr. Urschel. No other suspicious cases have been reported.

However, for the next week, any children with sore throats should be examined by a physician in order to prevent spread of this disease.

## GEORGE R. WALTZ KILLED BY TRAIN

Funeral services for George R. Waltz, aged 76, well known farmer of the Talma community who was fatally injured Saturday afternoon when his automobile was struck by a freight train one mile north of Rochester, were held Tuesday afternoon in the Bethlehem Baptist church in Newcastle township. The pastor, Rev. Arthur Harmon, officiated and burial was made in the Walnut cemetery. Mr. Waltz was born in Miami county, near Peru, Ind., Aug. 29, 1865, the son of David and Mandy Waltz, and on Nov. 27, 1887, he was married in Marshall county to Myrta O. Coplen. He had been a resident of the Talma community for 39 years, moving there from Marshall county. He was a member of the Bethlehem Baptist church.

Surviving are the widow; a daughter, Inez, at home; two sons, Omer F., Huntington, and Truman, Mishawaka; a brother, Harry M., of Peru, and two sisters, Mrs. Priscilla Jane Humbarger and Mrs. Caroline Dawson, both of Tippecanoe; seven grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

William Mahoney, 75, who was riding with Mr. Waltz when the car was hit by the train, remains in a critical condition at the Rochester hospital. Latest reports were that he had not regained consciousness.

Mrs. Ray Rush underwent an operation for hernia at the McDonald hospital at Warsaw Tuesday. Late reports were that she was recovering normally.

## MOLLENHOUR ATTENDS STATE CONSERVATION CLUB MEETING

C. O. Mollenhour, of Mentone, was at Lafayette last week where he attended the meeting of the State Conservation Department at Purdue University Jan. 16th.

A general discussion of all matters pertaining to conservation work was held. Mr. Gutermuth, acting director of fish and game, gave many interesting facts in his talk, according to Mr. Mollenhour. Some of the statistics he gave were: There are 905 electric brooders operated by the different conservation clubs in the state, 574 club fish hatcheries (35 of which are in Kosciusko county), 18 club brooder houses in the county. He also stated that the Fish and Game department had paid \$160,000 to the Indiana clubs for producing fish and game birds. There were 806,000 pheasants and 68,000 quail released during the year.

C. Gorden Ferdine, who is devoting his time to Wild Life and research work, was on the program.

Governor Schriker was the main speaker at the banquet which was attended by about 500 people. Nearly nine thousand were registered at the three-day meet.

Last year the Kosciusko County clubs released:

Blue gills (1½ in. and over)	442,468
Under 1½ inches	321,000
Total	763,468
Rock bass	5,300
Small mouth bass	960
Pheasants	2,843
Quail	490

Mr. Mollenhour, who gave a talk on conservation work and the club camp in this county, made the trip with Les Ball, Game Conservation Director.

Ned Witham, who suffered a compound fracture of his leg below the knee and severe scalp wounds when he rode his bicycle into the path of an auto last week, was removed from the McDonald hospital at Warsaw to the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Witham, this week.

Mrs. Rebecca Cox, of Elkhart, spent the week end in Mentone visiting her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Cox.



## TALMA NEWS

By Mrs. Jeff Stookey

Mrs. Mary Minars, of Logansport, visited her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Stookey, on Sunday.

Miss Fay Squire, of near Talma, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Miller of Bourbon, spent Sunday evening in South Bend.

A large number of people attend-

ed the funeral service for Charles Meiser at the Talma M. E. church on Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Charles will be greatly missed in his home and by his many friends. Our sympathy is extended to the family.

The Ladies Aid of the Christian church at Talma held a food sale at the First National Bank at Rochester. The proceeds were given to the Red Cross war fund.

Mr. Bob Squires spent Friday in South Bend visiting his aunt.

Mrs. John Engle, of near DeLong, died on Tuesday and burial was at Leiter's Ford cemetery on Saturday. Mrs. Engle was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Joe Meiser, Sr.

Quite a little excitement in this neighborhood Friday evening due to the chimney burning out at the William Squire's home. It burned for about 1½ hours. Neighbor men gath-

ered to keep the roof from catching on fire. The plaster around the chimney was cracked in the different rooms and the wallpaper was badly smoked. No serious damage was done.

This community received the shocking news on Saturday evening that Mr. George Waltz was killed when his car was hit by a train near Rochester. Mr. William Mahoney, who was riding with Mr. Waltz, is in a very serious condition at Woodlawn hospital at Rochester. Mr. Waltz body was taken to Zimmerman Bros. funeral home and funeral services were held Tuesday.

Mrs. Ada Bowman will have as her guests on Sunday her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. McKenney, of South Bend.

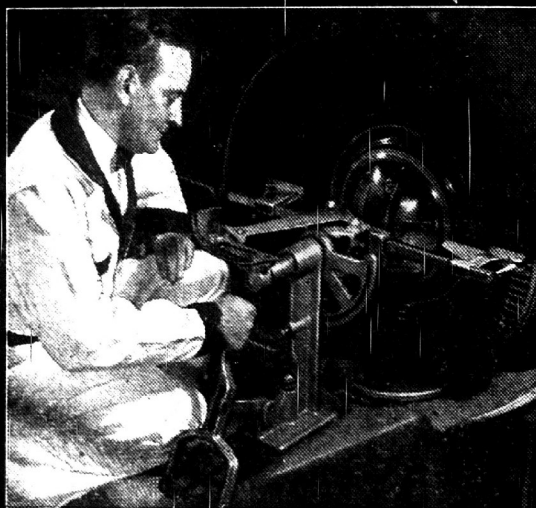
Shredding corn fodder at Mel McGowen's on Friday and Saturday. They ordered this weather for that.

The little daughter of Howard W. McGowen is making her home with her uncle, Cliff Bodys, at Culver.

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with 30% Molasses.	Kow Kare
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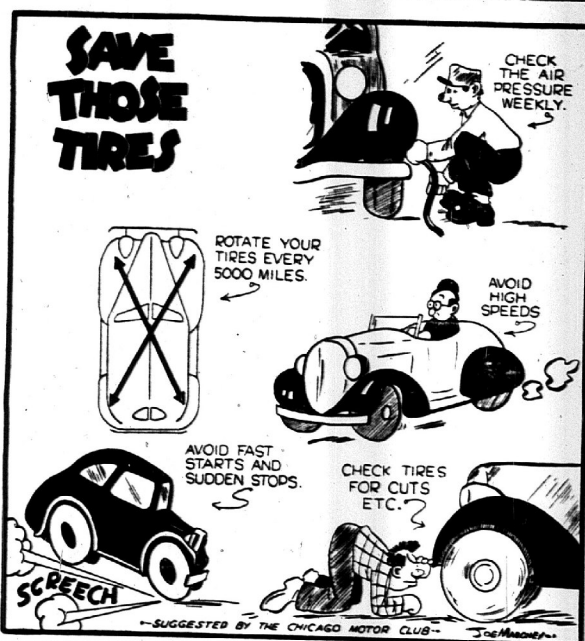
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Jeff Shoemaker, who has spent the past several months with his daughter, returned to his home in Montana Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bunner spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ovam of Warsaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner Boggs and son Donald, of east of Palestine,



season on Saturday, Jan. 20, on the home floor, with the South Whitley girls. About half of the team is made up of new players but through regular and persistent practice and coaching of the principal, Miss Bogges, they have had a fair workout and expect to hold their own.

Lineup is:

Centers, Erma Meredith and Eva Dille; forwards, Irene Lyon and Ruth Kizer; guards, Marguerite Dunlap, Velve Leavitt and Faye Jones.

Joe Evans, of Norwood, Colo., has been circulating among his Mentone friends the past week.

Virgil Nelson spent Friday night with Paul Newcomb, of Burket.

40 YEARS AGO

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Mrs. Oliver Dillie, who recently moved to Summitville, spent Sunday with Mentone friends.

The 20th answer to Mentzer's Canadian quarter quiz was the one which took the prize. It was sent in by Master Merl Smith, aged 13. The answer, which he gives is "15c and the cigar." Answers were received from all parts of the country, and from different states. One little boy of Wilmington, Ohio, sent a solution and wrote Mr. Mentzer a very nice letter. Moral: It pays to advertise.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Yates, Mr. and Mrs. Will Underhill, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Whetstone, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Mollenhour were at Warsaw Tuesday evening participating in the initiatory exercises of the Royal Neighbors.

spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Doran.

Lowell Smith, who is working with the Studebaker Corporation at So. Bend, was home over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mahlon Jefferies and daughter Leatha spent Sunday with Mrs. Hannah Baker.

30 YEARS AGO

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JANUARY 18, 1912

The girls high school basketball team will play their first game of the

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## FOUL WORDS

## NOTHING PERSONAL

By BOB ANDERSON



Another county tourney has come and gone and Mentone still has only one cup of the classic. As predicted, it was Warsaw's tourney with their only scare being furnished by a tough Etna Green club that refused to give up.

The best game of the tourney turned out to be the Mentone - North Webster tilt. At the end of the regular 32 minutes of play each team had piled up 23 points, and to make it even more complicated, Tucker, of Mentone, and Strombeck, for Webster, both sunk baskets in the overtime period to put the game into a sudden death period. Tucker ended the game with a beautiful long shot from mid-floor to give the Bulldogs a 27 to 25 victory.

Score by quarters:  
Mentone 2 11 18 23 27  
No. Webster 2 6 14 23 25

## BOX SCORE

MENTONE				
Name	FG	FT	P	TP
Igo	2	3	0	7
Horn	0	0	0	0
Tucker	5	1	2	11
Romine	3	0	2	6
Sarber	1	1	2	3
Whetstone	0	0	0	0

Totals 11 5 6 27

NORTH WEBSTER				
Name	FG	FT	P	TP
Strombeck	5	0	1	10
Baker	1	0	1	2
Armentrout	2	1	1	5
Vanator	2	2	2	6
Black	1	0	1	2
Wheeler	0	0	2	0

Totals 11 3 8 25

After three quarters of tight basketball, the Pierceton Cub's basket eye started working overtime and the Cubs walked off with a 33 to 20 semi-finals victory over the Mentone boys. Although outscored every quarter,

the Bulldogs did not drop more than four or five points behind the Cubs till the last four minutes of play. The Bulldogs will seek revenge for their trouncing this coming Friday when the Pierceton squad will pay us a visit.

## Score by quarters:

Mentone	4	7	14	20
Pierceton	5	9	18	33
Pierceton	5	9	18	33

## BOX SCORE

MENTONE				
Name	FG	FT	P	TP
Igo	2	0	2	4
Horn	0	2	0	2
Tucker	3	5	2	11
Romine	0	0	0	0
Sarber	0	1	1	1
Mosier	0	0	2	0
Whetstone	0	2	1	2
Smith	0	0	0	0
Tinkey	0	0	0	0
Mann	0	0	0	0

Totals 5 10 8 20

PIERCETON				
Name	FG	FT	P	TP
Menzie	0	1	2	1
Ringgenberg	4	0	2	8
Keener	3	2	3	8
Wertemberger	4	0	0	8
Rager	2	2	2	6
Robbins	1	0	2	2
Sellers	0	0	0	0
Schuldt	0	0	0	0

Totals 14 5 11 33

This year's tourney was unusual in the extra fine sportsmanship shown by the teams. Only one of the fourteen teams lost their control and that was when they found themselves unexpectedly behind their opponents. The officiating was the best seen in the last several years and the fans seemed to appreciate it.

The complete tourney scores were:

## Thursday Night

Silver Lake 31, Burket 15.

Pierceton 56, Claypool 27.

Syracuse 43, Atwood 33.

## Friday Afternoon

Sidney 44, Beaver Dam 15.

Etna Green 36, Milford 24.

Warsaw 53, Leesburg 33.

Mentone 27, North Webster 25.

## Friday Night

Pierceton 24, Silver Lake 19.

Sidney 32, Syracuse 29.

Warsaw 33, Etna Green 28.

## Saturday Afternoon

Pierceton 33, Mentone 20.

Warsaw 50, Sidney 33.

## Saturday Night

Warsaw 32, Pierceton 16.

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### KOSCIUSKO COUNTY RURAL ARE PEOPLE FED WELL

A recent report from the 1941 Hoosier Garden Club released from the County Extension Office, shows that this county is doing its part in seeing that its people get enough to eat, of the proper foods, and have a surplus to take us through the winter till garden time in 1942.

The average farm family, as reported to the office, has canned from home produced vegetables, on the average of 85 quarts. Of the home produced fruits an average of 136 quarts may be found stored in the average farm cellar. Besides this food, 70 quarts of fruits and vegetables which were purchased and then canned are being consumed by an average Kosciusko rural family this winter. But this is not sufficient. Kosciusko county homemakers think, for each has stored on the average 18 bushels of fruits and vegetables in the cellar, the outside pit, or in the frozen locker.

The following Home Economics Club members' reports show that they are eligible to the Bronze Hoosier Garden Club pin, a special recognition for having an average of 60 quarts of vegetables and 49 quarts of fruit canned per person in family from home grown produce:

Mrs. Ida Salaman, Claypool.  
Mrs. Ed. Goehler, Sidney.  
Mrs. Calvin M. Koontz, So. Whitley.  
Mrs. Erva Leckrone, Silver Lake.  
Mrs. Harry Chdester, Syracuse.  
Mrs. L. R. Vance, Warsaw.  
Mrs. Jessie Ferverda, Warsaw.  
Mrs. Pearl Summy, Warsaw.  
Mrs. Benjamin Gifford, Piercetown.  
Mrs. Wm. Dickey, Akron.  
Mrs. J. E. Baer, Warsaw.  
Mrs. Blanche Kline, Syracuse.

If every rural homemaker has prepared to feed her family as well as those reporting, the total report for Kosciusko county would look like this:

Quarts of vegetables canned

from farm garden ----- 286,450  
Quarts of fruit canned from the farm ----- 458,320  
Bushels of fruits and vegetables stored ----- 60,660  
Secretary of Agriculture, Claude R. Wickard, says "Food Will Win the War and Write the Peace."

The purpose of the Hoosier Garden Club is for each farm and home in Indiana to have a sustaining garden. The war situation makes it more imperative than ever to produce, can, store, and consume more home-produced fruits and vegetables. Every Home Economics Club in the county will have such a club in 1942. Any other organized group may enroll its membership by April 1st in this very worthwhile, thrifty effort to help preserve freedom in our country by building strong healthy bodies from foods in home gardens this year. This is another very effective way to cut rising food costs.

Mr. W. B. Ward, Extension Horticulturalist, will hold a leader's training meeting in Warsaw, March 24, when he will discuss the how, when, where, what and how much of gardening. Watch the paper for further announcement of this meeting.

Plan a Victory garden now.

### NUGGETS FOR BEREANS

The Son of God became Son of Man that sons of men might become Sons of God. How may they become Sons of God? "But as many as received Him, to them gave He power to become the SONS OF GOD," (John 1:12). "For as many as are led by the Spirit of God, they are the SONS OF GOD," (Rom. 8:14). Read also 1 John 3:1,2.

Christ cannot be explained on the ground of the natural, for He is supernatural. He does what He does because He is who He is. Thus was Peter able to confess, "Thou art the Christ, THE SON OF THE LIVING GOD," (Matt. 16:16). His purpose in this world is also not understandable

to the natural man. However, it is well expressed in 1 Tim. 1:15 where Paul says, "This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptance, that Christ Jesus came into the world to SAVE SINNERS."

The Formalism of the Pharisees could not cleanse from the filth of sin; neither can formalism today remove filth. All who have any hope in such are described in Prov. 30:12, "There is a generation that are pure in their own eyes, and yet is not washed from their FILTHINESS."

It takes more than water to cleanse the guilty. Man for years has been seeking an universal solvent, a cleanser that will remove all kinds of dirt. There is one, and only one, and it is nowhere to be found save in the Word of God. "The blood of Jesus Christ His Son CLEANSETH us from all sin," (1 John 1:7).

### EIGHTEEN LADIES BUSY

Eighteen ladies were busy last Tuesday making hospital gowns. There is still work to keep that many more going each Tuesday. This chapter has received more material. Let's surprise the leader of this group and each lady either knit a sweater or make a hospital gown this coming week.

### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the friends and neighbors for their kindness, assistance and sympathy extended us in our hour of sadness with the passing of our son.

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## Church Notes

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Mentone, Ind.

Bible School ----- 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship ----- 10:30 a.m.  
B.Y.P.U. ----- 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.  
Evening Service ----- 7:00 p.m.  
Everyone invited to our services.

H. A. FOWLER, Pastor

### METHODIST CHURCH Mentone, Ind.

Sunday—  
Worship and Study --- 9:30 a.m.  
Junior League ----- 6:30 p.m.  
Youth Group ----- 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship ----- 7:30 p.m.

Monday—  
Scouts ----- 7:00 p.m.

Thursday—  
Bible Study --- 7:30 p.m.  
We invite you to our services.

C. C. COLLINS, Minister.

### CHRISTIAN CHURCH Palestine, Ind.

Sunday School ----- 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Service ----- 10:30 a.m.  
Young People's Meeting -- 6:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship ----- 7:30 p.m.  
A cheerful welcome awaits you.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST Mentone, Ind.

Bible Classes ----- 9:30 a.m.  
Worship ----- 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Serv. --- 7:00 p.m.  
Bible Study (Thurs.) ----- 7:30 p.m.  
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# Modern Drama

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I imagine that when the old opera houses started closing their doors many wondered what they would do for entertainment. How could they go on without them? they likely thought. But the world moved on, unhampered, although possibly troubled for a time.

Legitimate plays blossomed, faded and died in almost constant regularity since that day. Continued failures gradually brought them nearly to the point of extinction—and then Olson and Johnson hit a winner. A sterile profession suddenly became fertile again.

Each year during the past twenty has seen the small towns of the Nation become smaller—small businesses grew less distinct upon the economic graph as the rays of the sun of time bore down.

And again, this time out of a bomber-infested sky, the pendulum of world trends and conditions swing back towards the things of the past—and with it comes a realization that although we are alert and informed on conditions throughout the world, our economic security, our social welfare, lies confined within our own little neighborhood. The proverbial greener pastures afar off are now beyond our reach, and it is almost blessed that we can drop the line of our sight into the bifocals of reality and see what is under our very feet.

Our past schedules may be disrupted, some of our privileges may be taken from us, but in their stead will come a closer relationship among the people of our own little community—our "nation" while we do our part for "the duration."

The business and professional people of Mentone invite your suggestions on how they may assist in acclimating our community to the conditions of 1942 that it might serve you more completely.

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ANNUAL MEETING OF  
COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

The regular meeting of the Common stockholders of the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association will be held at 1:30 p. m. February 2, 1942 in the Harrison Township High School building in Mentone, according to an announcement by Forrest L. Kesler this week.

At this meeting the officers will make their reports of the business of the association for 1941 and discuss other matters of importance.

All stockholders are urged to attend.

## YOUNG LAD ARRESTED

Police Tuesday morning placed Lewis Fawley, 21, truck driver for a milk route, under arrest when he was trapped rifling a cash drawer at the Sinclair Service station at the corner of Lake and Center streets in Warsaw. Shortage had been occurring in the cash drawer early in the mornings and Fawley had been suspected. Tuesday morning several bills were "marked" and an officer had secluded himself in the station. Fawley, it is alleged, entered the drawer while the station attendant was occupied and the officer accosted him as he was crawling back from behind a counter. The report stated three of the bills were found on his person.

## Useful Walls

Many kitchens have a bare unused wall that could be attractively transformed into recessed shelves.

## WANT ADS

**FOR SALE**—Used clarinet, complete in case. Completely overhauled. Phone 3-140, Walter E. Bowers.

**FOR SALE**—100 bales of clean wheat straw and a few tons of good clover hay. Mrs. Pearl McGowen, Rochester, Ind., route 5. 1c

**WANTED TO BUY**—Wagon with wide steel wheels. See Oliver Teel, Northern Indiana Coop. Ass'n., Phone 119, Mentone.

**FOR RENT**—Garage. Inquire Allen Nelson, east Main St., Mentone. Phone 5 on 112. 1p

**FOR SALE**—Rug loom, in good condition. Mrs. Ina Alspaugh, Phone 154, Mentone. 1p.

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## Battle of Bunker Hill

The Battle of Bunker Hill was fought on Breed's hill. The original Bunker hill was about 2,000 feet away.

## Importing Tea

Last year the United States imported more than 100,000,000 pounds of tea, one of the largest annual tea imports on record.

## Glossy Appearance

To give frosting which contains butter a smooth, glossy appearance place the iced cake in the oven for a few minutes.

## Coaches

Railway passenger cars are called coaches. The first cars were built in the style of coaches. Coaches took the name from Kocs, Hungary, where they were first made.

## Duty Free

Imported hand sewing needles are allowed to enter this country duty free. Shipments are averaging 1,500 needles a minute.

## Touches Many Republics

Brazil, larger than Australia, touches every South American republic except Ecuador and Chile.

Rev. Fowler made a business trip to Chicago Monday.

Mrs. E. H. Kinsey is confined to her bed with a severe cold.

Jack Shinn, of Bluffton, spent the week end in Mentone visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shinn.

Mrs. Dwight Bechtol, of Burket, had an appendectomy at the Murphy hospital on Tuesday morning.

Margaret Swick was taken ill at Rochester Tuesday night and was removed to her home.

A seven and one-fourth pound girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Haines Tuesday night.

Wm. Vernet has purchased the Don Ernsberger home and expects to move into town about March first, according to M. O. Mentzer, Mentone real estate agent.

Mrs. Clara Koetitz, of Circle, Montana, arrived Saturday for a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Artley Culum and family. She was on her way to Philadelphia to spend the winter with her mother.

Mrs. Rae Ward, Mrs. Will Vernet, Mrs. Homer Blue, Mrs. Nannie Irvine, Miss Maggie Teel and Mrs. Forrest Kesler spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Robert Everman, near Logansport, who was formerly Eloise Kesler.

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MARSHMALLOWS	lb. 15c
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BREAD, 16-oz. loaves, 3 for	25c
FLORIDA ORANGES	doz. 19c
Dr. Phillips TANGERINES, dz.	19c
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## INFANT DAUGHTER DIES

Betty Lou Haines, three-day-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Haines who reside one-half mile east of the Doran Station, passed away at 5:45 a. m. on the morning of January 23rd. The father, arising early, looked at the infant and saw that she was apparently in the best of health, and then went about building the fires. A short time later she was dead. The coroner stated that there was no other visible cause for her departure than that she had become entangled in her blankets and smothered.

Surviving besides the grieved parents are one sister, Margaret; two brothers, Chester and Russel, all at home; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Kirby Ahlins, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lainhart, Dreyfus, Kentucky.

Short funeral services were held at the home at two o'clock a Saturday afternoon with interment in the Nichols cemetery. Rev. C. C. Collins of the Mentone Methodist church, officiated. The Reed funeral home, Mentone, had charge of the arrangements.

## HELP MAKE THE THERMOMETER RISE

In the drug store window there is a thermometer which records the amount of money to be raised in Mentone for the Red Cross War Relief Fund. You can help to raise the total to the top.

Our quota for this special drive is two and one-half times as much as we obtained in the membership drive in November. This is for the special War Relief fund, from which President Roosevelt has asked so much.

There is a box in the drug store for your contributions. If you can't get there, and will get in contact with Wretha McFarren, Jean Manwaring, Emma Clutter, or Ruth Urchel, they will be glad to get your contribution.

We want Mentone to keep up with the neighboring committees which we hear have been going over the top.

Give as much as you can—and then give some more.

## RECEIVES CITATIONS FOR GALLANTRY OF WAKE DEFENDERS

Mrs. Jeff Stookey received a citation from President Franklin D. Roosevelt for the heroic defense of Wake Island from Dec. 8 to 22. Sergt. Walter A. Bowsher, Jr., son of Mrs. Stookey, was one of the defenders.

Mrs. Stookey also received a letter from Chief of the Army Air Corps, Lieut.-General H. H. Arnold, U. S. Army, in which he comments very highly the gallantry of all those who so bravely defended Wake during this trying period.

## ROYAL NEIGHBORS MEET WITH MRS. EMMA COOK

The Royal Neighbors held their monthly meeting at the home of Neighbor Emma Cook Jan. 20th. There was installation of officers with Installing Officer Mary Borton in charge. After the business of the meeting there was a mystery box which was won by Mrs. Mable Warren. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Cook, Mrs. Thelma Hibschman and Mrs. Warren.

The next meeting will be Feb. 3 at Mrs. Lydia Rynearson's with an old fashioned taffy pull.

## RED CROSS MEMBERS MAKING MANY GARMENTS

The Local Red Cross Chapter has completed nearly all hospital gowns. They are now working on wool dresses, size 40. These dresses are simple enough for a beginner to make, so let's see how quickly we can turn them out. Also, don't forget you who can knit to do so. Yarn will be delivered to you if we are informed that you would like some.

## ANNOUNCES POSTPONEMENT OF SPECIAL SERVICES

Due to the fact that our evangelist, Rev. Maxey, has been hospitalized, the meetings at the Baptist Church at Mentone have been postponed one week and are now scheduled to begin Feb. 1st.

H. M. Railsback, of west of town, was a business visitor in Mentone Wednesday.

## TO CELEBRATE GOLDEN WEDDING AND BIRTHDAYS

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Long will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary at their home at 210 North Broadway, in Mentone, on Sunday, Feb. 8th. The occasion will also be in remembrance of the birthdays of Mr. Long and son.

Refreshments will be served to the members of the immediate families at the noon hour, and in the afternoon open house will be held for relatives, friends and neighbors.

The only presents desired, says Mr. Long, is your presence. You are cordially invited.

## ATTEND PATRIOTIC RALLY

Friday evening Mrs. Pearl Lackey and daughter Rowena, Mrs. Don Bunner and Mrs. Ray Linn attended a patriotic rally held at the Shrine Auditorium at Fort Wayne. Bishop Titus Lowe was the speaker of the evening. Preceding the rally there was a half-hour's concert by the Fort Wayne Junior Symphony Orchestra, of which Rowena Lackey is a member.

## SHOWER FOR NEWLYWEDS

It was announced that a shower is to be held at the Lawrence Bunch home, six miles west of Mentone, on Wednesday evening, Jan. 28th, for the former Ruth Bunch and husband, Mr. Campbell, who were recently married.

## MANY MISS FREE AWARDS

Clark's store contributes five dollars each week toward a drawing held at their store each Saturday evening at nine o'clock, and last Saturday, with accumulated awards totaling \$40.00 only one lady was present when her name was called. The eleven others were not present. The award carries no restrictions other than being present at the time of the award.

Those whose names were drawn were: Robt. Heighway, Effie Personett (present), Mrs. H. Paxton, Albert Tucker, John VanGundy, Harry Witham, L. D. McIntyre, Myrtle Smith, Win Warner, Roy Ailer, Mrs. Geo. Hipsher, and E. E. Wagner.

## FEDERAL AUTO USE TAG MUST BE PURCHASED THIS WEEK

The Federal Use Tax sticker, costing every automobile owner \$2.09 and good until July 1, need not be on the windshield but may be placed on any conspicuous place on the car, Charles M. Hayes, president of the Chicago Motor Club, pointed out this week.

"Since the glue is on the back of the stamp, many motorists have been troubled, wondering how they could secure it to the windshield," he said. "The dashboard, the rear-view mirror, the rear window or any similar place is just as good, since Federal officers who enforce the law will not be looking for the stamps."

Each motor vehicle owner's name will be checked against a master list to see if he has paid," Mr. Hayes said.

On July 1 the Use Tax fee will be \$5.00, which will be good for the full fiscal year.

## GAS STATIONS OF COUNTY TO CHANGE CLOSING HOUR

Filling station operators of the county met at Warsaw Sunday and it was mutually agreed that they would join with operators in neighboring counties in closing their stations at seven o'clock each evening. They would open at seven in the morning and remain open for twelve hours each day. The new schedule is to take effect February first.

## WITH THE SICK

Glenn Mellott, who has been seriously ill with lobar pneumonia, is recovering.

Richard Meredith suffered a broken left forearm when he fell at the Beaver Dam school Friday.

Mrs. Everett Beeson had an appendicitis operation at Woodlawn hospital on Saturday night. She is getting along very well.

Another third grade pupil, Margaret Hodges, has diphtheria. She is getting along all right.

The school children are still being checked carefully to avoid any spread of diphtheria, if possible.

John Alber is a patient at Woodlawn hospital with an ear infection.



## MENTONE D.A.R. ENTERTAINED

The Anthony Nigo Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution were entertained on Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Stanley Boggs.

A lovely one o'clock luncheon was served to twenty members and the guests. Pink sweet peas, suggesting "spring in the offing," were used as a centerpiece for the luncheon, with pink rose buds on the smaller tables.

The program for the afternoon consisted of the group singing America. Mrs. Maude Snyder accompanied on the piano.

### WALLPAPER HANGING and PAINTING

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Mrs. E. B. Funk was the guest speaker. Her subject, "The American Indian," was very instructive and entertaining. Several selections of Indian music was included in the program. Mrs. Funk was attired in an Indian costume and displayed a number of Indian relics. Mrs. Boggs, also, had arranged an interesting display of Indian rugs and relics.

Mrs. Hazel Linn gave a short talk on "Defense."

Mrs. Linn was elected delegate and Mrs. Burns, alternate, to the National Congress at Washington, D. C., to be held the week of April 20th.

The guests of the afternoon included Mrs. E. B. Funk, Mrs. Dan Urschel, Mrs. Irvin Snyder, Mrs. Vance Johns, Mrs. Sherman Bybee and Mrs. Ernest Igo.

Mrs. Boggs was assisted in entertaining by Miss Rozella Ford, Mesdames Dora Taylor, Orpha Blue and Pearl Yackey.

The chapter will meet on Feb. 24, which will be observed as anniversary night.

Allen Blue, aged 86, underwent an operation at the McDonald hospital at Warsaw Wednesday morning.

Glenn Blue, who had been ill with pneumonia in an Indianapolis hospital, was to have been returned to his home in Mentone Wednesday.

### CONSERVATION HEAD OUTLINES WAR PLANS

Operations and activities of the Department of Conservation have been placed on a war footing, Hugh A. Barnhart, director, announces.

Members of the Conservation Officer staff have been placed at the disposal of Governor Schricker for any emergency duties which may be required of trained law enforcement agents. The organization of local forest fire fighting crews is being given special instructions in the handling of incendiary bombs and precautions to be taken against forest fires in the vicinity of defense plants.

Space in the Yellowwood State Forest has been made available for special training courses to be conducted by Indiana University, in the handling of incendiary bombs. Conservation Officers and other employees of the department on duty in the state parks, forests, hatcheries and game farms will work with other agencies in checking on plane movements.

The department will act as a contact agency for the more than one thousand active conservation clubs throughout the state in any special duties which this well-organized group can perform. Old equipment is being checked as a means of salvaging method and other war materials and special regulations are being prepared for the conservation of oil and other mineral resources.

### HUMOR

What kind of water won't freeze?  
Hot water.

Kate: I can't see any chicken in this soup.

Bobby Joe: Do you ever see horses in horseradish, or cats in catsup?

### NEW POULTRY BLUE BOOK CONTAINS BUILDING PLANS

The many Hoosier poultrymen who are planning on remodeling their laying houses or making home-made laying house equipment will be interested, says L. A. Wilhelm, Purdue University extension poultryman, in the 1942 Indiana Poultry Blue Book, which is now available.

The new Poultry Blue Book contains the recently revised poultry house plans, prepared by C. H. Reed, Purdue extension specialist in farm structures, and these plans are expected to prove particularly valuable to Indiana poultrymen.

The remodeling of existing poultry houses or other poultry structures is also emphasized in the booklet.

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### THE VALUE OF COOPERATION

In a letter to the president of the Dairymen's League Cooperation Association of New York, a pioneer marketing cooperative in its field, Secretary of Agriculture Wickard said:

"It is quite difficult to evaluate in monetary terms the value to dairy farmers of a cooperative such as yours. Those of us who have some experience and understanding of agricultural problems realize the force, intangible as well as tangible, that is exerted by cooperatives such as the League for the improvement of the welfare of producers."

It is probably true that the principal marketing cooperatives have

been doing and are doing more for agriculture than any other agency. They are owned and controlled by their members. They are not subject to the changing winds of politics. They work on, year after year, for fair prices, stabler markets, more profitable production methods.

Now, in war time, these co-ops are dealing with the immense new problems which have arisen. All agriculture benefits from their work.

## REMEMBER Way Back When—

### 19 YEARS AGO

Taken from Tri-County Gazette  
Published by Claude Taylor

JANUARY 25, 1923

Head—Who G. L. Those Cholera Chickens?

Last Thursday evening or Friday morning someone took eight of Miss

Dessie Blue's chickens from her chicken house and a few have been taken since that time. Someone surely got stung on this deal as this flock of chickens has been afflicted with a severe case of cholera for some time, and six of them had died two days before the others were taken. She also says that if the party who took them will return them, she will doctor them up again.

(Head)—Fiery Cross Burned at Mentone.

Robert Enyeart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Enyeart, of Warsaw, is spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Holterman.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ernsberger, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Mair spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Merl Smith.

### 30 YEARS AGO

Taken from Tri-County Gazette  
Published by C. M. Smith

JANUARY 25, 1912

The Culver police force has been instructed to stop all pool playing on Sunday; to see that all persons blanket their horses when left standing on the streets; to remove all gambling slot machines; require merchants to keep a fresh supply of chewing gum in their machines, and to prosecute all persons who use profane or ungentlemanly language on the streets.

Mina Bryant spent Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Squire Barr, of near Akron.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Laird spent Tuesday with their daughter, Mrs. Claude Barkman, near Big Foot. Mrs. Geo. Craft, of Chicago, is vis-

iting her brother, Henry Mills, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Anderson, Et-na Green, visited her mother, Mrs. Sarah Long, last Sunday.

(Corresponding Issue in 1902 not available, hence no "40 Years Ago" News this week.)

### Sunday School

The Sunday school is much more highly developed in North America than on any other continent.

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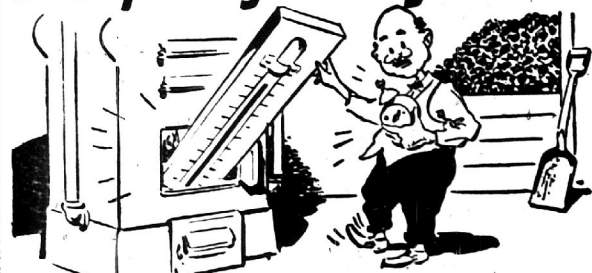
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FOUL  
WORDSNOTHING  
PERSONAL

By BOB ANDERSON



The Bulldogs proved they still had a few tricks in their hat by pulling a surprise on Pierceton last Friday night. The first half of the tilt was almost identical with the two team's county tourney game of a week ago, but in the third frame the Mentone defense program held the Cubs without a point while the home team gathered four baskets and a free throw to put them in the lead. In the final quarter the Cubs and Bulldogs matched each other point for point, and the third quarter (the only quarter in which Mentone outscored their opponents) decided the outcome, the score standing: Mentone 24, Pierceton 19. Wertenberger, county all-star guard, was high point man with nine points for the visitors, but Igo and Tucker were close behind with eight and seven points to their credit. Only four personals were called on the Bulldogs.

The second five overran the Pierceton seconds to such an extent that all of the subs got into the game in the final quarter. Fourteen Mentone players outscored ten Pierceton players 26 to 15. Mosier took the honors with fourteen points while McGraw was high for the visitors with eight.

First team score by quarters:

Mentone	5	8	17	24
Pierceton	6	12	12	19

## BOX SCORE

MENTONE	FG	FT	P	TP
Name				
Igo	3	2	0	8
Horn	0	1	0	1
Tucker	3	1	3	7
Romine	1	2	1	4
Sarber	2	0	0	4
Smit	0	0	0	0

Totals 9 6 4 24

PIERCETON	FG	FT	P	TP
Name				
Menzie	3	0	3	6
Huntly	0	0	0	0
Keener	0	0	2	0
Wertenberger	4	1	2	9
Ringgenberg	1	0	0	2
Rager	0	0	3	0
Robbins	1	0	2	2

Totals 9 1 12 19

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## HITLER AND THE DEVIL

(poem, selected by a boy in camp, printed in a neighboring paper and contributed for publication by a resident of the Mentone vicinity).

Hitler called to the devil,  
On the telephone one day.  
The girl at central listened  
To hear what they had to say.  
Is Old Man Satan home?  
Just tell him it's the dictator  
Who wants him on the phone.  
The Devil said "howdy." Then  
Hitler said, "How are you?  
I'm running a ell on earth,  
So tell me what to do."

Dear old pal of mine, it seems  
You don't need any help, you're  
Doing mighty fine.

Yes, I was doing pretty good  
Until a while ago, when Roosevelt  
wired me and said,

You'd better go more slow.  
He said to me, "Dear Hitler, we  
Don't mean to be unkind,  
But you've raised hell enough  
So you had better change your  
mind."

I thought his lend-lease bill was  
bluff

And he would never get it through,  
But he sure pu me on the spot,  
When he showed me what he could  
do.

My Dear Hitler, there is not much  
left to tell,

For Uncle Sam can make it hotter  
Than I can here in hell!  
I've been a mean old devil,  
But not half as mean as you,  
So the minute you get here  
The job is yours to do.  
I'll be ready for your coming,  
And I'll keep the fires bright,  
And I'll have your room ready  
When Uncle Sam begins to fight.  
For I can tell that your days are  
numbered,  
And there's nothing left to tell,  
So hang up your phone and get  
on your hat  
And meet me here in hell.

## Sauropod Dinosaurs

Recent discoveries show that sauropod dinosaurs existed in Texas for centuries after they disappeared from the northern United States.

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- Built a barn
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- Held a meeting.

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## TALMA NEWS

By Mrs. Jeff Stookey

There has been a drive on here to raise money for Red Cross War Relief. Mrs. Ada Bowman is chairman of this very worthy cause.

Mrs. Ed. Staldine called on Mrs. Jeff Stookey on Monday afternoon.

Fred Miller, who lives on Road 25, north of Talma, has a son who was stationed on Island of Oahu, at a port about a hundred miles inland from Pearl Harbor. He has received no word from him since the attack on Pearl Harbor Dec. 7.

Charles Good, teacher in the Talma school, has a brother with the Pacific fleet. He has received word that he was safe after the Dec. 7th attack.

The Worth While class of the M. E. church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calvert last Tuesday evening.

Te S. & E. club met at the Talma school house on Wednesday evening.

The ladies of the W. S. C. S. will meet on Tuesday, Feb. 3, instead of the usual date, Wednesday. They will meet with Mrs. Frank Arter at one o'clock Tuesday.

The Newcastle Township Farmers' Institute will meet at the Talma High School on Feb. 5-6 for two days of fun and entertainment. It will begin Thursday forenoon with a community dinner at noon. Everybody invited. Come with well filled baskets. Table service will be furnished by the institute. The committee in charge is composed of: Mrs. Frank Arter, Mrs. Charles Good and Mrs. Charles Chock.

Supper on Thursday evening will be served by the Christian Ladies Aid. Dinner and supper on Friday will be served by Bethlehem Ladies Aid. Come early, stay late. Valuable awards are promised.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meiser, Sr., had as their guests, the latter's brother from Arkansas, and a niece.

Mrs. Roy Hubbard and son Fredrick made a business trip to New Carlisle on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Staldine assisted Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meiser butcher on last Thursday and on Friday Mrs. Wm. Squire and Mrs. Charles Good assisted Mrs. Meiser in canning meat and making mince meat.

Mr. William Mahoney still remains in a very serious condition at the Woodlawn hospital at Rochester.

CHICAGO MOTOR CLUB  
URGES 1942 VACATIONS

Charles M. Hayes, president of the Chicago Motor Club urges motorists to take vacations this year, despite war conditions and a general feeling of uncertainty. "Relaxation during wartime is most important, since those who must carry on at home need to get their minds off world affairs for a little while in order that they may keep in tip-top condition and do their bit toward keeping the boys at the front supplied," he said.

The motor club points out that car owners will have to budget their trips carefully so as to stay within car and rubber restrictions, but that this need not decrease their pleasure on their trip and the feeling of renewed vigor when they return.

England, Germany and Canada have been at war for more than two years, yet their governments sanction vacations because they see their value to the folks at home. Reports say that in Germany new tourist areas were opened as late as autumn, 1941.

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## NUGGETS FOR BEREANS

On every hand are those who are puzzled about the subject of prayer. They have found certain passages of Scripture and tried to apply them only to be disappointed by receiving no answer. Then they have been bewildered by finding other verses that seemed to be in direct contradiction to those they first found.

Preachers and Bible teachers also have difficulty in explaining these matters. Many excuse their inability by stating that there is not the faith in the world today that there was in the Bible times. This is a very lame excuse for failing to solve the problem.

Most of us, upon receiving a letter, look at the address to see if it is for us. If not, then the contents are not to be applied to our life. The same is true of the Bible. Look carefully at each book and see to whom it is addressed. It will save much confusion.

Now since the church today is composed mainly of Gentiles, and Paul was the apostle to the Gentiles, we would expect to find in his epistles express directions on this matter. In fact, we do, in his letter to the Gentile church at Philippi.

Read Phil. 4:6,7. "Be careful for nothing; but in everything by prayer and supplication, with thanksgiving, let your requests be made known unto God, and the peace of God which passeth understanding shall keep your hearts and minds through Christ Jesus."

It is simply a matter of making our requests known to an all-wise God and trusting Him to do what is best. The result of this absolute trust is PEACE that passeth understanding.

## Church Notes

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH  
Mentone, Ind.

Bible School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
B.Y.P.U. .... 6:30 p.m.  
Thursday Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.  
Evening Service ..... 7:00 p.m.  
Everyone invited to our services.

H. A. FOWLER, Pastor

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Sunday—  
Worship and Study ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Junior League ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Youth Group ..... 6:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
Monday—  
Scouts ..... 7:00 p.m.

Thursday—  
Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.  
We invite you to our services.  
C. C. COLLINS, Minister.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH  
Palestine, Ind.

Sunday School ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Morning Service ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Young People's Meeting .. 6:45 p.m.  
Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.  
A cheerful welcome awaits you.

CHURCH OF CHRIST  
Mentone, Ind.

Bible Classes ..... 9:30 a.m.  
Worship ..... 10:30 a.m.  
Sunday Evening Serv. .... 7:00 p.m.  
Bible Study (Thurs.) ..... 7:30 p.m.  
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This growth is not a sudden or miraculous phenomenon, and cannot be retarded other than by disease or physical abnormality.

In everyday life, as we feel the almost irresistible urge to lend a helping hand in the world, our arm seems far too short to bring about any appreciable benefit. This is true in a physical sense but a fallacy in reality.

Our Nation is divided into approximately 2,500 counties, comprising some ten thousand individual little communities like unto our own. Without the counties—without the communities—without US—there could be no Nation. In a national way we cannot reach out directly and alter the course of the Nation a fraction of a degree, but by molding, developing and putting life into our own community we can put life into the Nation. Life that is full, life that is free, life that is beautiful and bounteous.

The arm that directs or conveys the helping hand has no need for reaching into distant realms. It must do its benevolent work here—today.

Our own welfare depends entirely upon what we do for ourselves and our neighbors right in our own little individual community. The people of Mentone — individually and collectively—want to serve in any capacity they may that life might be better for us all.

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GIVES SUGGESTIONS ON  
WINTER HORSE CARE

Now is a good time to treat farm work horses for such internal parasites as bots, round-worms, and palisade or blood worms, reports Prof. R. B. Cooley of the Purdue University animal husbandry department. Much loss of feed and efficiency in work results from neglected cases.

Symptoms that indicate infestation of these pests are poor condition of the animals, stunted growth, occasional passing of worms, irregular appetite, frequent attacks of colic, and sometimes rubbing of the tail. Frequently it is difficult to recognize well-marked symptoms, though the animal requires treatment, adds the specialist.

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**FOR SALE**—My home, a nine-room brick house, three rooms upstairs, 6 rooms down stairs. Bath and toilet, furnace, full basement, hardwood floors and trim. Three lots, fair barn and chicken house, beautiful shrubbery and lawn. House is in excellent state of repair. Earl Shinn, Mentone Locker Plant. 1c

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70 acres, 4 miles from Mentone, 7-room house, large barn equipped for stock, large poultry house and other buildings, good level loam soil, hog tight fenced, a real farm.

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## News of Mentone and Vicinity

Buy your work shoes now. Complete line of Red Wing at Clark's.

Snyder's Birthday. Big turkey dinner Tuesday, Feb. 3 at the Mentone Cafe.

The D. A. R. desires your complete cooperation in the saving of cancelled postage stamps.

Mrs. I. Faun Hire Cooley spent a couple of days last week with friends in Mentone and near Warsaw. Mrs. Cooley resides at Lafayette.

H. O. Blodgett has resigned his work at the Warsaw Furniture Co., preparing for his work as a paper hanger and painter.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurshel Drudge, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Drudge and Miss Betty Kelly, of Warsaw, attended the Western Michigan and Manchester basketball game Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bowen, from Quincy, Michigan, spent the week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bowen. Mrs. L. C. Bowen is slowly recovering from her recent illness.

The members of the D. A. R. announce that the grade children have been performing splendidly in the campaign to gather all the old postage stamps. The Girl Scouts have also contributed much in this respect.

The Dewey Whetstone family spent Sunday at Culver where Mr. Whetstone did a little bass fishing. He was rather successful and the news spread quickly. So quickly, in fact, that Dewey nearly had to swim back to shore. Before he realized what was taking place until other would-be fisherman had chopped so many holes in the ice around him that the chunk he was on was almost adrift.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Cumberland and sons Jimmy and Wayne, Mrs. Flo Eiler and Mr. and Mrs. Hurshel Drudge spent Sunday evening in Burket at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Drudge.

Russell Norris, Jake Kern and Herschel Fenstermaker attended the annual meeting of the Indianapolis Livestock Producers' Commission at the Claypool Hotel in Indianapolis Friday, Jan. 23.

Everett Kesler and mother, Mrs. Colfax Heighway, of the Bethlehem neighborhood, were in Mentone on business Monday. Mrs. Heighway visited a short while with Mrs. J. D. Long.

Mrs. Isaac Kesler left Sunday for Fort Wayne to visit her cousin, Mrs. George Henderson. She plans to go to Roanoke where she will also visit a few days with an aunt, Mrs. David Liggett.

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BREAD 3 1-lb. loaves 25c

Wheat Puffs, 2 pkgs. 15c  
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