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ASKINS-WIESJOHN

On Sunday afternoon, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Zanna Hammer, Miss June Ann Wiesjohn, daughter of A. G. Wiesjohn, became the bride of Raymond Askins, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Askins, of Bourbon. Rev. Voss, of Plymouth, performed the double ring ceremony.

The bride wore a light green suit with navy accessories. She carried a white Bible which held white satin streamers and white rosebuds. The rosebuds were part of her corsage worn later when leaving on their wedding trip to Chicago.

Mrs. Hammer, as matron of honor, wore a grey suit with black accessories, and a corsage of pink roses.

Mack Fetters, of Bourbon, was best man.

Pam Hammer was flower girl and little Kip Hammer was ring bearer.

A reception for the immediate relatives and a few close friends was held following the ceremony.

Mrs. Askins is a graduate of the Plymouth high school and Mr. Askins recently graduated from the International Business College at Fort Wayne. They will reside at Bourbon.

CLUB CALENDAR

The Mary and Martha Circle of the W. S. C. S. will meet with Mrs. Glen Snider, Monday, January 10, at 7:30 P. M.

War Mothers will hold their January meeting on Wednesday, January 12, at 1:30, at the home of Mrs. Myrtle Davis. Installation of officers.

Jolly Janes Home Economic Club, Monday evening, January 10, at the home of Mrs. Harold Utter.

Mentone Reading Club, on Wednesday evening, January 12, at the home of Mrs. Chancey Mollenhour. Election of officers.

Mentone Home Economics Club will meet at 1:30 January 13, at the home of Mrs. Otta Swick.

Legion Auxiliary tea at Legion Home Sunday afternoon, 2 to 4 p. m.

Legion Auxiliary regular meeting on Tuesday evening, Jan. 11th.

Guests at the E. E. Jones home on Christmas day were Mr. and Mrs. U. R. Oldfather and son Ruskin of Elkhart, Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Wissler and son Donald of Fort Wayne.

MENTONE MEETS SYRACUSE FIRST IN COUNTY TOURNAY.

Mentone's basketball team gets into the county tournament in the second game, meeting Syracuse at 8:30 next Thursday night. The tourney will be played at the armory in Warsaw Jan. 13, 14, and 15. Officials will be Kermit Leininger, formerly of the Beaver Dam community, Chuck Bobilya and Robert Hughes.

The complete schedule follows:

Thursday Night

Game 1—North Webster vs. Piercetown, 7:00 p.m.

Game 2—Mentone vs. Syracuse, 8:30.

Friday

Game 3—Claypool vs. Etna Green, 8:30 a.m.

Game 4—Sidney vs. Beaver Dam, 9:45 a.m.

Game 5—Burket vs. Warsaw, 11:00.

Game 6—Leesburg vs. Atwood, 1:30.

Game 7—Milford vs. Silver Lake 2:45

Game 8—Winners Games 1 and 2, 4:00 p.m.

Game 9—Winners Games 3 and 4, 7:30 p.m.

Game 10—Winners Games 5 and 6, 9:00 p.m.

Saturday

Game 11—Winners Games 7 and 8, 1:30 p.m.

Game 12—Winners Games 9 and 10, 3:00 p.m.

Game 13—(Finals) Winners Games 11 and 12, 8:00 p.m.

NEW BAND UNIFORMS

The members of the band haven't been the only people anxious to see the new band uniforms. The many parents, friends and patrons, who have had a share in the purchase of the uniforms, have eagerly waited their coming, too.

We have seen two of the uniforms on two of the band members, and we can heartily applaud those responsible for the measuring—the fit on the suits we saw is perfect.

The uniforms are of black, all wool whipcord, trimmed in kelly green and gold. They really are beautiful suits.

The band will march at 7 o'clock this Friday evening preceding the Piercetown—Mentone basketball game, at the community building. This will give everyone an opportunity to see the band in their new uniforms.

LAWRENCE BELL RECEIVES FAMOUS COLLIER TROPHY

America's highest aeronautical honor, the 37-year-old Collier trophy, was presented by President Truman at the White House December 17th, to the three men adjudged most responsible for the attainment of human supersonic flight. The trophy is awarded annually by a committee selected by the National Aeronautic Association for "the greatest achievement in aviation in America, the value of which has been demonstrated by actual use during the preceding year." It will be shared equally for the ensuing year by:

John Stack, career government research scientist of the National Advisory Committee for Aeronautics "for pioneering research to determine the physical laws affecting supersonic flight and for his conception of transonic research airplanes."

Lawrence D. Bell, president of Bell Aircraft Corporation and a native of Mentone, "for the design and construction of the special research airplane X-1."

Captain Charles E. Yeager, U.S. Air Force, "who, with that airplane, on October 14, 1947, first achieved human flight faster than sound."

The speed of sound at sea level and a temperature of 59 degrees and in still air, is 761 miles per hour. Above 40,000 feet where the temperature remains almost constant at 67 degrees below zero, the speed of sound is only 663 miles per hour. No announcement has been made at what height the plane flew, or how fast it actually flew. This all remains the secret of the people involved, but we are proud to know that a former Mentone citizen is still going ahead and doing things while others sit idly by and say "it can't be done."

PETE RESUMES MANAGEMENT

Pete's Restaurant has been closed for a week, undergoing a new paint job. When the restaurant re-opens this Friday, January 7, at 4 o'clock, it will be under the management of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Peterson.

Mrs. Charlotte Dillman has operated Pete's Lunch during the past year.

An ad in this issue gives other information about hours and food.

FORREST KESLER FUNERAL HELD HERE MONDAY

Funeral services for Forrest Kesler, 53, well known resident of this community, were held at 2 p.m. Monday at the Johns funeral home here. Rev. J. S. Johns, of Indianapolis, former pastor, Lloyd Boyll, in conduct-Christ, was assisted by the present pastor, Rev. Lloyd Boyll, in conducting the service. Burial was made in the Mentone cemetery.

Mr. Kesler, prominent in the poultry and hatchery business of this locality, died at 7:00 Saturday morning at the Woodlawn hospital in Rochester, following a serious illness of three weeks. He had been in failing health for 18 months.

The deceased was a member of the Mentone Methodist church.

He was also a member of the Indiana Poultrymen's Association, of the Kosciusko County Hatcherymen's Association, of the Masonic lodge and the Lions club at Mentone, and was a director of the Northern Indiana Co-Operative Association.

A lifelong resident of this community, he was born March 29, 1895, the son of Elmer E. and Pearl (Meredith) Kesler. On July 22, 1915, he was married to Goldie Teel.

Surviving relatives include his wife; their three daughters, Freeda, and Mrs. Eloise Everman at home; and Mrs. Robert Flenar, of Mentone; his mother, Mrs. Sam Harshbarger; four brothers, Myron Kesler of Columbia City, Walter Kesler of Kendallville, Hugh Kesler of Fort Wayne, and Lewis Harshbarger of Fort Wayne; and three grandchildren.

TOWN BOARD APPOINTMENTS

At the first 1949 meeting of the town board the same men were appointed as held positions last year, namely, Arlo Friesner, fire chief; Russell (Pete) Borton, night marshal; and Mervin Wagner, day marshal. A new appointment was Thomas Fitzgerald as town attorney.

Mrs. Elizabeth Morgan spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Haimbaugh.

Mrs. Ora Anderson returned Thursday from a visit with her son, Ernest and family, of Lafayette, where she had gone for the holidays.

NEW CASTLE

TOWNSHIP NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove and Mrs. Charles Good spent Friday afternoon in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Green attended the New Year's Eve show at Rochester Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Drudge were business visitors in Rochester and Akron Friday.

Robert Peterson has resumed his duties at Purdue after spending the holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Peterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ransford Peterson spent Friday afternoon in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Verde Brockey and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove Friday evening.

Charley Miller of South Bend spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Kramer were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Dick Friday evening.

Mrs. Charles Green was a business visitor in Rochester Friday afternoon. O. C. Montgomery attended the com-

munity sale at Rochester Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Hatfield attended a New Year's Eve party at Rochester Friday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert O. Calvert and family were guests of Mr. Calvert's father, Forest Calvert and Mrs. Calvert, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Lillie Myers has been called to Mishawaka by the serious illness of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Harold Myers.

Lou Grove, who is employed in South Bend, is spending some time here.

Johnny and Shirley Mathews of Inwood were guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Maude Kinzie, Sunday.

Lavoy Montgomery spent Sunday afternoon in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Krouse of near Argos were Sunday afternoon guests of her father, David Swihart and Mrs. Swihart.

Herman Haines of Warsaw was a guest of his sisters, Misses Nora and Alice Haines Sunday.

Miss Bonnie Jean Hubbard, who underwent surgery at the Woodlawn hospital in Rochester last Sunday, has been removed to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Chapman of South Bend and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph

Chapman and daughter Susan Beth of this place were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Russell Chapman.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Surguy and daughter Jean Ann of Warsaw spent the week end here with Mrs. Surguy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hubbard.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove Sunday evening.

Lavoy Montgomery will go to Indianapolis next week to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Walker.

Mrs. Robert A. Calvert was a guest Sunday afternoon at the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. M. Christie at Bourbon.

ROTTING CORN BRINGS NOTICE TO NEW PROBLEM

Modern farm machinery has its advantages in saving time and labor, but occasionally it brings with it a new problem. Take the cornpicker, for instance, point out the editors of *Prairie Farmer*.

In the old days farmers didn't start to crib corn until the ground was frozen hard. Consequently the grain was dry and safe to crib.

With mechanical pickers, however, it is difficult to operate in snow-covered fields, so farmers are gathering corn earlier, trying to get it out about the time a hard freeze is expected. This

season the hard freeze didn't come in time, and such corn has spoiled.

There are several possible answers, including the raising of earlier maturing corn or the use of some of the new crib drying equipment.

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Hap Utter, owner of the Standard Service, said that notice has been received from the Century Tire & Rubber Company, Mansfield, Ohio, that cold rubber is in the Century Prem-

ium tires and the Cushion Ride (low pressure) tires now in his stocks.

The tire manufacturer has been experimenting with this new rubber for several months, and has succeeded in developing a method of blending, processing and compounding this new rubber into a passenger tire so rugged and tough that it has given mileage far beyond the past experience in the industry.

Cold rubber is different from the ordinary mixture of man-made rub-

ber, because the process is carried out with special machinery in which the mixture is actually refrigerated instead of being heated to 122-degree temperature.

Technicians say that cold rubber is "more like rubber than rubber itself", since the rubber molecules are more closely knit. As an example, they compare the close knit weave of a silk tapestry with the looser knit of a fish net. The closer knit molecules of cold rubber make it far stronger and tougher than natural rubber.

SELECTIVE SERVICE BOARDS
WANT REGISTRANTS' ADDRESSES

Selective Service registrants are required by law to keep their local boards informed when they change their address after they become 26 years of age, as well as before. Lt. Col. Lyle F. Summers, State Selective Service director, gave the foregoing reminder in discussing what he said was a general misunderstanding as to responsibility of registrants who are beyond the age of liability for service.

"Men cannot be inducted after they reach 26 under the Selective Service Act of 1948," Col. Summers said, "but that does not mean they are relieved from obligation to keep their local boards informed as to a new address, where they may be reached by mail."

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MENTONE, INDIANA

DECEMBER 31, 1948

ASSETS

Loans and Discounts	\$ 800,286.03
United States Bonds	1,831,771.87
Other Bonds and Securities	15,630.13
Cash and Due from Banks	382,802.13
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures	22,000.00
Overdrafts	63.52
Other Assets	138.06
Total	\$3,052,691.74

LIABILITIES

Capital	75,000.00
Surplus	75,000.00
Undivided Profits	38,482.95
Interest collected, not earned	2,369.45
Deposits	2,861,839.34
Total	\$3,052,691.74

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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Young peoples's meeting 6:45 p.m.
Evening Service 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY—

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Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.
Young People's Fellowship 6:30 p.m.
Mary Gamby, president.

Evening Service 7:30 p.m.
Informal Gospel and Song Service.
Thursday Evening 8:00 p.m.
Prayer and Bible Study.

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Morning Worship 10:30
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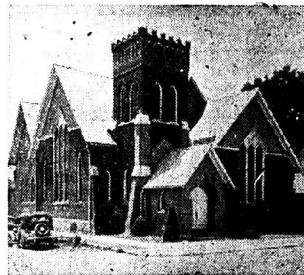
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(Worship and Study)

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

TIPPECANOE METHODIST CHURCH

E. E. De Witt, Pastor
C. C. Sarber S. S. Superintendent

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

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REV. A. M. CHRISTIE, Pastor

Talma Methodist Church
Sunday School 10:00 A.M.
Worship Service 7:30 P.M.

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Worship Service 11:00 A.M.

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Sunday School 9:30 A.M.

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Morning worship, 10:30.

You are invited to these services.

TRUTH FOR TODAY

Class at home of the teacher Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Radio Class on Tuesday night at 7:15 over station WRSW. Oscar Baker, teacher.

HOGS NEED STURDY WINTER QUARTERS

The "eye" of the good hogman not only feeds his hogs, but looks at their winter quarters.

Sleeping quarters that are free from drafts, dry and well bedded, are essential for the herd. E. C. Miller, Purdue University extension hogman, says that it is difficult to prevent flu in fattening hogs when they are sleeping in tight quarters. He suggests that many farmers will use the next few weeks to build or improve present quarters, so consequently offers some recommendations for the approved house.

As hogs reach a weight of around 100 pounds, a fairly durable house is needed. An open front, shed type house

has been developed at Purdue which has proved quite successful for housing hogs both in summer and winter. The house is 10x12 feet and is six feet high in the front and four feet high in the rear.

An opening four feet high and extending across the front of the house provides proper ventilation, but there are no drafts, as the house is absolutely air tight on three sides. In front, the space between the rafters is left open so that air can flow freely into the large opening at the bottom and out between the rafters. This provides good circulation of air, which helps to keep the house dry and comfortable.

This house seems to help solve the flu situation. Furthermore, the house is set on runners so that it can be moved easily to various parts of the farm.

Two inch rough sawed floor is recommended. However, the floor can be eliminated on rolling ground. If a floor is used, cracks should be left between planks to allow liquids to drain through.

Banking the house in front and rear during cold weather with straw or sod will prevent air blowing up through the floor.

Building plan No. 59, "Hog Sleeping Shed," is available from the department of agricultural engineering, Purdue University, for a charge of 15 cents.

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HEALTH FACTS FROM YOUR STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

Five new films have been secured by the Indiana State Board of Health for loan to the public, according to Robert Yoho, director, Division of Health and Physical Education, Indiana State Board of Health.

"These films and approximately 135 other 16 mm films are loaned to schools and for public gatherings upon request," Mr. Yoho pointed out.

The new films are entitled, "Feeling of Hostility," "Immunization," "Miracle in Paradise Valley," "The Menacing Shadows," and "The School That Learned to Eat."

The first film deals with mental health, portraying the story of a thwarted child's adjustment to her en-

vironment; the second tells of diphtheria and scarlet fever prevention; "Miracle in Paradise Valley" is a farm safety film with romance as well as humor; and "The Menacing Shadows" and "The School That Learned to Eat" are films on nutrition.

Disinfectant and Antiseptic

A "disinfectant" is a product that destroys disease germs or makes them harmless. An "antiseptic" is a substance that prevents development and growth of disease germs.

Early Atom Theory

Dmitri Ivanovich Mendeleeff, Russian chemist, and Julius Lothar Meyer, German chemist, in 1869 and 1871, advanced the periodic law of atoms, i.e., when elements are listed according to atomic weights, definite chemical and physical properties recur periodically as functions of the atomic weights.

Real Manufacturer

The hen is capable of manufacturing one or more pounds of eggs from every five pounds of feed consumed, and at the same time maintain her body. Foodstuffs which have comparatively little value for human food are converted into one of nature's most perfect foods. Eggs contain all the nutrients required to transform a tiny germ into a baby chick.

NRA SAFETY HINT

A young Los Angeles, California, husband mixed alcohol with gunpowder last New Year's Eve and sent his pretty young wife to the hospital with bullet wounds in her shoulder and abdomen. They had returned home from a gay party and had a slight argument. The man lost his head and pulled a gun out of a drawer. The next day he could not remember a thing or conceive of doing anything so violent.

Safe and skillful shooting in the hunting field or target range depends largely on physical and mental self-control, according to the National Rifle Association. And top control of the mental reactions and of the muscles which direct the mechanical op-



erations of firing a gun is not possible while a shooter is under the influence of alcohol. Do not drink while shooting.

Abstinence in the field will be safer and more productive of game.

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MANY ADVANCES MADE IN POSTAL SERVICES

January first the United States Postal Service inaugurated a new set of charges for many of the services it performs. About the only items to escape increases were first-class mail and the penny postcards.

Air mail postage went to six cents an ounce on letters and parcels weighing up to eight ounces. Packages of more than a half pound will be subject to the air parcel post rates that have been in effect. A new addition is an air postcard requiring four cents for transportation.

Average sized greeting cards go up to two cents each instead of the present one and one-half cent rate. Tiny greetings, because they are difficult to

handle, even though unsealed, will now cost three cents each.

Regular parcel post rates have been increased, now being 10 cents for the first pound (zones 1 and 2) and one cent for each of the next nine pounds.

Special delivery charges will now be 15c for mail weighing up to two lbs.

Money order rates also received the mark up from six to 10 cents for an amount up to \$2.50.

Approximately 8,000 farm account books and 5,000 Indiana Farm Record books were ordered by Indiana county agricultural agents from Purdue University to date. University agricultural economists say that the farmer's best incentive for keeping an account book is making out the annual farm income tax report.

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**HOOSIERS' TAX BILL REACHES
RECORD HIGH IN PAST YEAR**

Indiana's combined federal, state and local tax bill soared to a new high mark of \$1,335,171,416 during the 1947-48 fiscal year, the Indiana State Chamber

of Commerce has announced in the first edition of its 1949 Legislative Service Bulletin.

While the new Indiana legislature in Indianapolis and the new congress in Washington face demands of public and private groups for more and more

governmental expenditures, it is worth recalling that the people of Indiana already are paying in taxes more than four times as much annually as was paid nine years ago, in the 1938-39 fiscal year, the State Chamber said.

In the latest fiscal year ended June 30, the federal government took 1,004 million dollars from Hoosier taxpayers, or 75.2% of the total Hoosier tax bill, Chamber figures showed. State-collected taxes amounted to \$183.3 million or 13.7% of the total, and local taxes to \$147.8 million, or 11.1%.

The Chamber explained these figures represented tax collections rather than expenditures by each level of government. During 1947-48, Indiana local units of government received approximately \$77 million of state-collected funds and \$16 million of federal funds, while the state government received for its own use about \$15 million from the federal government.

In pre-war 1938-39, the federal government levied only 37.1% of the total \$350 million in taxes paid by Hoosiers; the state 31.3% and the local units 31.6%.

Conceding that a large part of the tremendously increased federal portion of the tax take has resulted from expenses incident to war, the Chamber declared the war "only accelerated an already existing trend toward centralization of government control and taxing powers in Washington, and a relative weakening of the authority and

financial resources of the states and local governments which are closest to the people.

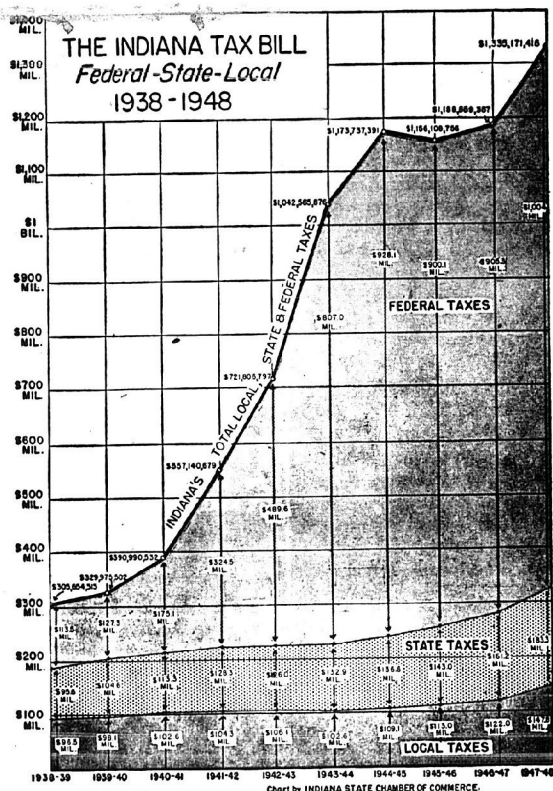
"With more and more people looking increasingly to Washington for financial aid," the Chamber continued, "the logical end, unless the trend is reversed, is complete political control over the people from Washington, for with financial control inevitably goes operation control."

"Congress should insist upon the states and local units of government working out their own domestic problems. The full energies of the federal government should be turned toward solution of international difficulties and other problems truly federal in nature, which the states and communities definitely cannot cope with alone. Performance of just these tasks will provide Congress and Washington officials with 24 hours of work a day the year around.

"Without the total tax bill being increased, federal expenditures should be reduced and a greater percentage of the nation's tax resources made available to the states and local governments."

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FOR SALE—1940 Buick Special 2-door, good condition throughout, \$875. — Heckman Bindery, North Manchester, Ind.

J12p

FOR SALE—Moline manure spreader, in good condition.—Herbert Dorsey, 4 miles northeast of Mentone.

1p

FOR SALE—Pair mule colts, coming yearling; set of harness. H. H. Verette, phone 10-86.

J12p

AKRON PHYSICIAN SPEAKS BEFORE MENTONE LIONS

Dr. Charles Herick, of Akron, spoke before the Mentone Lions Club Wednesday evening. He told of his experiences while with the armed forces in Italy during the last war. He vividly described many of the cities of the area, including the ruins of the ancient buildings of other periods of history.

Synthetic detergents (cleansing agents generally proved to be less efficient than soaps in laundering soiled cotton in soft water, but in hard water they were as efficient as most of the soaps, according to information received at Purdue University from the Bureau of Human Nutrition and Home Economists of the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Purdue University extension foresters call attention of farm woods owners to the two methods of reporting sales of timber for income tax. The collector of internal revenue says that small sales should be shown under "other farm income". Tax payments on large sales may be reduced by listing these sales under collector form T, available from the office of the local collector of Internal Revenue. Further information may be obtained from the county agent, the department of forestry and conservation at Purdue University, or from the state division of Forestry at Indianapolis.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Meredith and family of Akron spent New Year's with the former's mother, Mrs. Earl Meredith.

Illiteracy in Cities

Illiteracy in Pennsylvania has shifted from the country to the city, Pennsylvania State college found in a detailed population study. On the basis of census data, 4.3 per cent of the urban population is classified as illiterate, compared to 3.5 per cent for the rural. Illiteracy is higher in Pennsylvania than in the nation as a whole, although the rural population of the state has a smaller percentage that cannot read or write than the rural population of the nation.

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By JIM MITCHELL

We don't know whether or not you included any "outdoors" resolutions among your New Year's Day thoughts for 1949, but it might not be amiss to do so now—even if it's a few days late.

We've been doing a lot of crystal ball gazing in recent weeks in an effort to forecast what the new year has in store for sportsmen. And the picture we've seen has been encouraging.

First, the waterfowl situation has a considerably brighter hue than the picture that confronted us at the start of 1948. Unquestionably, the duck and goose populations are up over a year ago. True, the kill has been heavy this current season, but the waterfowl still are going upgrade and the carry-over that will get back to the breeding marshes in the spring should be comparatively large.

So, as the No. 1 resolution, let's all hope that Dame Nature treats us with a helping hand in supplying a good breeding season as we had last year. That'll put more birds in the flocks winging southward next fall and win-

ter, and assure gunners of some swell sport.

And next in the crystal ball picture is the top-of-the-cycle in upland game production. Reports trickling in from scattered parts of the nation indicate that rabbits, quail, pheasants and other sporting animals and birds more than held their own during the current season. Here the carry-over also is good, and consequently, breeding stock should be large enough to keep the fields and coverts productive with game.

And our second resolution is directed at the weatherman whose cooperation is needed in giving us the right amount of rainfall for birds and animals to raise the young, and in making the farm crops good so the game will have ample food.

There's been a leveling off, too, in the hunting pressure. Although statistics are not yet complete, early returns show about the same number of licenses the current hunting season as in 1947. So we now know where we stand and how much game we're going to have to produce to keep the hunters happy.

Crystal ball gazing is a hazardous occupation at best, but we're willing to stick out our neck and predict that 1949 will be a good year with slightly improved hunting and hunting in most places over 1948.

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WORKING AGREEMENTS SHOULD BE WRITTEN

Good business begins at home. Friendly and profitable farm business relations are more likely to exist if "put in writing" at the beginning of father and son working agreements, rental contracts and ownership transfers of equipment and land. A careful thinking through of the relationships establishes a more complete understanding of each party's rights, responsibilities and opportunities.

Prof. O. G. Lloyd, farm tenure specialist, Purdue University, advises.

Most agreements in Indiana between employer and employee, landlord and renter, and between father and son, in the transfer of ownership of equipment, or land, involve the use of a \$5,000 to \$50,000 investment.

A rental contract will influence each party to consider carefully all details of the farm business. It will relieve either party of depending upon his memory, and will aid him in determining whether a man is or is not keeping his word. It will help to restrain the individual who may be inclined to sharp practices from taking advantage of the other party and will furnish a basis for making such adjustments as may be necessary from time to time throughout the year and from year to year. It will aid in avoiding many irritations and misunderstandings.

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Trade With Cuba

Trade between the United States and Cuba is important to both countries. From 1902 through 1945 the total value of all Cuba's exports was approximately \$10,250,000,000, of which sugar and sugar byproducts accounted for about \$8,250,000,000. This trade has been the dominant factor in Cuba's economy.

Liberation Reminder

Townpeople of Wiltz, Luxembourg, have established a permanent war memorial in honor of General Patton's army which brought about the liberation of this war-torn city. One of Patton's tanks has been placed on a concrete base in the Square of the Martyrs and the Stars and Stripes is staffed above.

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state administration will reach the end of the trail on the same day—Monday, January 10. This date, on which Democrats will replace Republicans in the governor's office and several other high state posts, also is the final day on which rabbits may be legally hunted in Indiana.

Donald R. Hughes, retiring Fish and Game director of the Indiana Department of Conservation, reminded hunters that the open season on rabbits ends at sundown January 10, but that fur-bearing animals may be hunted or trapped until noon on January 15.

These dates are significant for Hughes, inasmuch as he will leave the department on the 10th and assume managership of an athletic club at South Bend on the 15th.

State law provides that trappers may possess any raccoon, opossum, skunk, mink or muskrat, or the untanned hide or fur thereof, for five days after the closing day of the trapping season.

Licensed fur buyers may possess

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hides or furs for sixty days after the trapping season ends. Within that sixty day period all fur buyers also must make a written report to the Conservation Department concerning all purchases and sales of furs they have made.

In order to obtain a survey of the annual harvest of wildlife in the state, Pittman-Robertson project leaders will again mail questionnaires to more than 20,000 hunters, trappers and fishermen of Indiana. Details concerning these questionnaires will be announced shortly by William B. Barnes, Pittman-Robertson leader in charge of this project.

Pink Bollworm

Pink bollworm is the most destructive pest of cotton. The worm damages both the boll and the seeds, resulting in loss of cotton yield and reducing the oil content of the seeds.

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FARM BUREAU ENJOYS COOPERATIVE DINNER

The Franklin Township Farm Bureau oyster supper and cooperative dinner held at the Beaver Dam gym New Year's Eve, with about 175 present, was much enjoyed.

Mrs. Frank Hudson was in charge of the entertainment, as follows:

One-act play, "Utter Relaxation," by the Beaver Dam high school students; Mrs. Jay Swick, accompanied by Mrs. Paul Cumberland, sang a solo; devotions were given by Willard Kuhn; harmonica selection by Howard Strong; report on Farm Bureau convention held at Indianapolis in November, by Robert O. Jones and Henry Smith.

Mrs. Harry Cole reported on the CROP drive. Secretary's report by Leo Adams.

Meeting was closed with group singing led by Mrs. Jay Swick.

GREETINGS FROM LOUIE FOOR

Masonic Home
Franklin, Ind.
Dec. 29, 1948

Dear Friend:

I want to thank all my old friends and neighbors for the nice cards and presents I received on my birthday and at Christmas, and if you will be kind enough to print a little notice to that effect in the Co-Op paper I will appreciate it very much. Had a very nice Christmas, turkey dinner with all the trimmings. Eight degrees above zero last Sunday. No snow here yet.

Yours, Louis Foore

ADVICE FOR THE NEW YEAR—

If you're longing now for laughter, Just take along a book.
If it's romance that you're after, Why, take along a book!
If adventure seems to hold you, If tales of love unfold you, Just remember that we told you To take along a book.
If you're very fond of history, Pray take along a book.
If your soul is thrilled by mystery, Sh! Take along a book!
If you want to turn right thrifty, If you'd learn to dress right nifty, If you're ten or if you're fifty— Just take along a book.

—From Keeping in Touch.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our thanks and appreciation for the many fine gifts and remembrances we received at Christmas time. We are indeed very grateful for all your kindness, and we trust we may in part, show that appreciation throughout the entire year.

Sincerely,

ETHEL WHETSTONE
PAULINE BORTON
MINNIE BUSENBERG
GERTRUDE HILL
MILDRED WHETSTONE

LIBRARY NEWS

Mrs. Chauncey Mollenhour was the children's story teller at the library Monday and the children enjoyed her stories of the little girl who was lost, and of the little homeless kitty.

If anyone has old Christmas greeting cards they do not care to keep, please do not destroy them. Bring them to the library to be used for scrapbooks for sick children, etc.

Have you read: The new biography of Kate Greenaway; the new book by Lloyd Douglas, "The Big Fisherman," which paints a vivid, unforgettable picture of the lovable Bible character, Peter; the new book by the author of "The Egg and I," entitled "The Plague and I"?

Ask to be put on the waiting list for these books.

Girls, you should read the lovely story of little Bitty in "Star of India" and also the new Vicki stories which center about the lively little airplane hostess, Vickie.

NEWCASTLE TOWNSHIP FARMERS INSTITUTE

The Newcastle township Farmers Institute will be held at the Talma school on February 10 and 11.

Mrs. Frank Meredith, who is chairman of the entertainment committee, and the other members of the committee, Mrs. Robert Lukens and Mrs. James Leakey, have announced that one of the main attractions on this year's program will be an Amateur Hour. Anyone is eligible to enter this amateur program. An audition is being held at the Talma school on Monday evening, January 17, at 7:30. Prizes for the winners are: \$20, first; \$15, second; \$10, third; and \$5, fourth. All interested in taking part are urged to remember the audition date on January 17.

Maurice Petersoon is chairman of the institute; Cleo Drudge is vice chairman; and Clyde Harvey, secretary-treasurer.

A more complete program will appear later.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend sincere thanks to our friends and neighbors for their many acts of kindness, words of sympathy and floral offerings during our recent bereavement. Also to the rural patrons for their patience and loyalty to our husband and father after his health began to fail.

MRS. RAY RUSH & FAMILY

SINCERE THANKS

We want to thank everyone for the contributions to the CROP drive held recently. Over \$5,000 was realized in the county, and we're sure this will be greatly appreciated by the people overseas needing food and clothing.

MRS. HARRY COLE

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SWIFT'S CLEANSER 1c SALE . . .

2 14-oz cans 24c 3 cans 25c

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BURCO COFFEE 1 b. 40c 3 lb. pkg. \$1.15
DONALD DUCK JUICES, 46 oz. can 2 cans 49c
Orange and Blended

RED KIDNEY BEANS, American Beauty, No. 2, 15c

HAWAIIAN PINEAPPLE, L. E., sliced, No. 2 39c
No. 2 1/2 can 45c
Crushed, No. 2 can 39c
Chunks, No. 2 1/2 can 45c

Yellow Cream Style Corn, American Beauty
No. 2 cans 2 cans 32c

Green Tag Purple Prune Plums, No. 2 1/2, 2 cans 49c
RIVAL DOG FOOD 3 cans 29c
CUPBOARD SLICED BEETS No. 2 can 10c
PORK & BEANS, Little Elf No. 2 can 16c
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Birdseye Sliced Peaches... 29c
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Bananas, Big Yellow ... lb. 17c
Grapefruit, Texas White
10 for 45c
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Tangerines doz. 35c
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Calif. Pascal Celery 23c
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FUNERAL SERVICE HERE ON THURSDAY FOR WM. RUSH

Last rites for Marine Warrant Officer William Earl Rush will be held at 2 p.m. Thursday at the Johns funeral home here. Rev. E. E. DeWitt will be assisted by Rev. David Gosser in conducting the service. Burial will be in the Mentone cemetery. The body arrived Wednesday and was removed to the funeral home where it will remain until time of the service.

Warrant Officer Rush died March 8, 1945 at the age of 22, on the island of Iwo Jima. He was decorated Feb. 21, 1945, for gallantry and intrepidity in action with the marine corps at Iwo Jima and awarded the silver star posthumously.

He had been stationed also at Roin-amur, Salpan, and Tinian in the Marshall islands. Following his enlistment in the marine corps in October of 1940 he served in Iceland for nine months. He was graduated from the Mentone high school and was attending Indiana Technical College at Fort Wayne when he answered the government's first call to colors.

The young man was born March 22, 1922, at Mentone, the son of W. Ray and Bernice (Goshert) Rush. On July 20, 1943 he was united in marriage to the former Wilma Mollenhour.

He was a member of the Mentone Methodist church.

Surviving relatives include his mother; four sisters, Virginia, at home; Mrs. Miles Manwaring, of Mentone; Mrs. Forest Huffer and Mrs. Thurman Ridgway, both of South Bend; three brothers, Paul and Don, at home, and Carl, of Alvin, Texas; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Rush, and Mrs. Jennie Cunningham.

STEEL SPLINTER REMOVED

Henry Lockridge will be limping around for a few days following the removal of a small piece of steel from his knee on Tuesday evening.

Henry suffered the injury several months ago when a steel splinter entered his knee when he was repairing some machinery at the Co-Op mill. At the time it did not seem necessary to remove it. However, he has been more or less bothered with it since, and to avoid future complications, the operation was performed at the clinic at South Bend on Tuesday.

TRUCK WRECKS POWER SERVICE TO MENTONE CITY

A Nelson truck, attempting to turn north at the northwest edge of Mentone Monday afternoon, failed to make the turn and clipped off a power line pole, disrupting service to Mentone for about an hour and a half. No one was injured, but the driver narrowly escaped instant death when he took hold of the high-tension line wire after it had fallen to the ground. The only thing that saved his life was that the transformer fuses had blown. (It was reported that he thought because the wires were not insulated that they were not electric lines. All heavy transmission lines are not covered, as it would be virtually impossible to put on a sufficient amount of insulation to protect one from the extremely high voltage. They could be insulated, but one couldn't depend upon it after a short time exposed to the weather and elements. As a warning to others, never touch a wire that is down. It could be only a telephone cable yet be touching a power line carrying several thousand volts.)

The icy highways also caused a car driven by Alfred Free, believed to be from the Plymouth area, to turn over near the Mentone Stock Yards. No serious damage was reported.

JOLLY JAMES MEET AT UTTERS'

The Jolly James Home Ec. Club met at the home of Mrs. Harold Utter on Monday evening. Mrs. Esther Shoemaker was assistant hostess.

One new member, Mrs. David Gosser, was present.

The lesson on Italian Hemstitching, Drawnwork and Swedish Darning was given by Mrs. Emma Clutter and Mrs. Esther Markley. The business meeting was presided over by the new president, Mrs. Iris Anderson. New year books for 1949 were given out and lesson leaders chosen.

SOIL CONSERVATION SIGN-UP

We have been requested to announce that the sign-up for the 1949 Farm Plan, under the Soil Conservation program, will be held at the Co-Op. hardware at Mentone Saturday, Jan. 22, for Harrison and Franklin townships. Farmers of northern Harrison and Prairie townships can sign at Aller's Restaurant at Atwood on Tuesday, Jan. 18th.

ANTHONY NIGO CHAPTER IS 100% IN NATIONAL PROJECT

In a recent conversation with Mrs. Ernest Igo, regent of the Anthony Nigo Chapter of the D. A. R., we learned some interesting facts which we think are worthy of mention.

For the next two years the major project for the D. A. R. groups as a whole is a National Building Fund which will go to enlarge the D. A. R. buildings in Washington, D. C. Each chapter is responsible for a part of this fund. In Indiana the state regent, Mrs. Furl Burns, of North Manchester, originated the "penny-a-day" plan for the members. This would be systematic, simple and comparatively painless, over a period of two years.

Mrs. Igo is very proud of her group, as every member has paid her amount in full, which makes them one of the first four chapters in Indiana to achieve their goal.

BLUE—FLORY

At 1:30 on Tuesday afternoon, Al-donna Flory, daughter of Frank Flory, of Tippecanoe, was united in marriage to Glen Blue, son of Mrs. Ed Bowser of Mentone.

The ceremony was performed by Lloyd Boyll, pastor of the Church of Christ, at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Fore attended the couple.

Glen attended Mentone high school and served with the army in Japan. Mrs. Blue attended Tippecanoe high school. Mr. and Mrs. Blue are residing at the Bowser residence for the present.

GROSS

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Gross, Mentone, are the parents of a daughter born at 9:03 p.m. Sunday at the McDonald hospital.

TUCKER

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Tucker of Warsaw are the parents of a son born at 2 a.m. Tuesday at the McDonald hospital. The new baby has been named Steven Michael. Mr. and Mrs. Royse Tucker are the paternal grandparents.

CLUB CALENDAR

Order of the Eastern Star, Monday, January 17, 7:30. Past Matrons and Past Patrons night. No initiation.

ROXIE MAE MILLER DIES IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. Roxie Mae Miller, aged 55, a lifelong resident of the vicinity of Claypool and Yellow Creek lake, died at 12:10 a.m. Friday at Woodlawn hospital. Death was due to complications following an illness of a year.

Before her marriage on Oct. 16, 1915, to Cloyce Miller, who died in March of 1946, Mrs. Miller was Miss Mae Parker. She was the daughter of Theodore and Etta (Jones) Parker and was born in Seward township Nov. 12, 1893.

Surviving relatives include her two daughters, Mrs. Edison (Mary) Tucker of south of Mentone, and Mrs. Joe (Maxine) Ault of near Claypool; four sisters, Mrs. Mahlon (Stella) Rickel of near Claypool, Mrs. Claude (Pearl) Gates of Mentone, Mrs. Bert (Ethel) Boggess of South Bend, and Mrs. Paul (Ocie) Newcomb of Burket; three grandchildren, Michael Ault and Charles M. and Jo Ann Tucker; her mother-in-law, Mrs. Emery (Miller) Metzger of Claypool and several nieces and nephews.

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Claypool E. U. B. church, with Rev. Frank Parker in charge. Burial was in Graceland cemetery at Claypool.

POWALSKI—JACKS

Junior Wideman and Mary Ann Jacks were in Michigan City, Saturday and Sunday attending the marriage of Miss Bette Lee Jacks, and John Powalski, which took place at the Trinity Lutheran church in that city at 11:00 Saturday morning, January 8. Bette Lee will be remembered as the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wagner, daughter of Harry L. Jacks and Dorothy Schudorick.

Mary Ann, the bride's sister, was maid of honor and her brother, James L. Jacks, was best man. The double ring ceremony was used.

The bride wore a beige metallic dress with brown accessories. Her corsage was of white orchids.

Mary Ann Jacks wore a brown and white dress with brown accessories. Her corsage was of small brown orchids. The groom wore a light brown suit, with a white carnation, and the best man dark brown with white carnation.

The couple will reside at their home on Long Beach in Michigan City.

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defendant, will offer for sale at the law offices of Widaman and Widaman, Warsaw, Indiana, on the 22nd day of January, 1949, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real estate situate in Kosciusko County and the State of Indiana, to-wit:

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TERMS OF SALE: Said real estate will be sold subject to a mortgage held by Farmers State Bank of Mentone, which mortgage the purchaser is to assume and agree to pay. Said real estate is to be sold subject to current taxes and for not less than the appraised value thereof, and for cash.

If said real estate is not sold upon said date, said sale will be continued from day to day until sold.

JOHN D. WIDAMAN,
Commissioner
WIDAMAN & WIDAMAN, Attorneys
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LEGION AUXILIARY

The Mentone Legion Auxiliary met Tuesday evening at the Legion home for its regular monthly meeting.

Barbara Van Gilder, chairman of the anniversary tea, thanked all for their co-operation. Flowers from the tea were given to members and friends. We were thanked in person and by card for our remembrances.

Our next District meeting will be held on January 19 at Pierceton. This is close to home, girls, so let's have a big representation.

In February the Second District will again entertain the veterans at the Marion Veterans Hospital. This being our district, we will be asked to furnish entertainment and food. Let's look

forward and work to help make this day a success for those who gave so much.

One of the departments of our organization is Pan American Countries. Each year one country is chosen to be studied. This year the country is Venezuela. A paper on Pan American Countries and Venezuela was given by Orpha Blue. Thanks very much, Orpha, we all enjoyed it very much.

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**CASH FARM RECEIPTS
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Farmers' cash receipts from farm marketings, during 1948 will total slightly larger than last year in all probability, rather than slightly smaller as expected several months ago, according to the recent information received from the United States Department of Agriculture, Bureau of Agricultural Economics, at Purdue.

Indiana receipts in the last few months have been consistently below corresponding months a year earlier, but not enough to offset gains earlier in the year.

Total cash receipts from Indiana farm marketings for the period from January through October, amounted to \$870,690,000 as compared with \$855,795,000 for the comparative 1947 period. Cash receipts from livestock and livestock products were \$636,778,000 in 1948 and \$608,734,00 the year previous for the first ten months of the year. Crop receipts, however, dropped to \$233,912,000 from \$247,061,000 for the period.

October receipts from both crops and livestock reflected the downward trend with the total cash receipts reaching \$117,279,000 as compared with \$132,045,000 for the same month of the previous year.

The report of the Bureau of Agricultural Economics also pointed out that although cash receipts may be a

little higher, farmers' production expenses have increased considerably more and their realized net income in 1948 will be down from the 1947 figure.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS

Mrs. Mildred Friesner was hostess to the Royal Neighbors Tuesday evening, January 4. There was installation of officers, with Mary Goodwin acting as installing officer. The following officers were installed: Oracle, Clara Parker; Vice Oracle, May Borton; Chancellor, Lydia Ryneason; Recorder, Mary Teel; Receiver, Snowden Halterman.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and her assistant, Helen Mollenhour. The next meeting will be with Katherine Teel, Tuesday, February 1.

CARD OF THANKS

Words are so inadequate to express our thankfulness for all your lavish gifts of cards, kindness, sympathy, for work, flowers, and all the other ways your love was shown to us during these sorrowful three weeks. We can only say thank you and hope we will be able to help someone in their time of need. We thank you.

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HEALTH FACTS FROM YOUR STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

Typhoid fever in Indiana in 1948 was fifty cases below the 1947 total and the five-year median, resulting in the lowest death rate for this disease in the history of the state, according to Dr. J. W. Jackson, director, Division of Communicable Disease Control, Indiana State Board of Health.

"Deaths in Indiana in 1948 show not only a decrease in many communicable diseases but for the first ten months the death rate from all causes, per 1,000 population, dropped 3.8 percent; deaths of infants under one year, 0.7 percent; deaths of infants under one month, 6.0 percent, and maternal deaths, 9.1 percent.

"Only three cases of smallpox, resulting in one death, were reported in 1948, with 29 cases in 1947, and a five-year median of 46," Dr. Jackson pointed out. "With 17,414 cases, measles had a higher incidence than the preceding year and the five-year median, but caused only 34 deaths during the first ten-months period.

"Scarlet fever was the cause of one death with the number of cases below the five-year median; whooping cough deaths dropped from 47 to 20 with the number of cases reported below the five-year median.

"The number of reported cases of poliomyelitis revealed an increase for 1948 with the deaths numbering 28, as compared to 13 the preceding year."

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Rules like this, posted and enforced around all poultry buildings and stock barns, might sound harsh to visitors but would help to reduce animal disease losses, a veterinary bulletin advises farmers.

Several infectious diseases, such as fowl pox, pullorum disease, and shipping fever, may be spread rapidly from farm to farm on the shoes and clothing of peddlers, salesmen, and farmers themselves, as well as by trucks and other vehicles.

As a safeguard, owners should not hesitate to keep visitors away from livestock quarters, particularly when there are outbreaks of contagious disease on nearby farms, the bulletin declares.

If it is essential that outsiders enter the quarters, a good idea is to keep a pair or two of overhoes at the entrance and to require strangers to wear them while inside.

The "keep out" rule also applies to newly purchased stock, it is pointed out. Additions to herds and flocks should be kept apart from the others for 30 days or longer and watched closely for symptoms of infectious disease during this quarantine period.

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FOR SALE—Torrington electric sweeper, with all attachments.—Mrs. Alberta Poulson. 1p

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LOCAL NEWS

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Recent visitors in the Co-Op News office were C. H. Lee, who is superintendent of the Fort Wayne and Chicago division of the Nickel Plate railroad, and Mr. Walsh, also a company official.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Van Curen and son left for the south on Wednesday morning. They have a large trailer house and plan to travel for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Gates are back in Mentone after being in New Mexico for several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Severns and family have returned home after spending the holidays in the south. On Christmas eve they were in Jacksonville, Florida. They visited Tampa, Palm Beach and St. Petersburg. On the return trip they stopped at the Floyd Collins and Mammoth Caves in Kentucky.

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Junior and Danny King, who spent the holidays with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wise, are back at their school work at Peru.

Jeanie Nellans has returned to Fort Wayne after spending the holidays here with her family. Jeanie is attending International Business College there.

Orville Wilson is spending the winter months at Mesa, Arizona.

Mrs. Royse Tucker and Mrs. Nora Kimes spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Homer Blue.

Grover Janke and "Boonie" Nellans took advantage of the recent holidays at the school to redecorate a few more rooms.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Poulson and son Don, of Bremen, spent Sunday with Mrs. Alberta Poulson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray P. Terry were host Sunday at a family gathering in honor of a niece, Mrs. Lois Hautonen and husband of Anchorage, Alaska. Those present were a brother of Lois, Earl Terry and wife and children, Dorothy Lois and Sandra Kay of Chicago; Miss Dora B. Terry, Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus W. Piper, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Palmer of near Knox; Mr. and Mrs. James O. Terry of Logansport; Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Terry and daughter Carol Ann and Linnett of Plymouth; Wayne Palmer and son Robert, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Champlin, Miss Judith Palmer, Eldon Palmer and friend of Indianapolis. A bountiful carry-in dinner was served and a grand time was had by all.

Sunday callers on Mrs. Ina Davis and family and Ethel Adams were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ashbaucer and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shafer of Decatur, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Walgamuth and Patsy of North Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Newman of Fort Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Arley Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Adams and twins Shirleen and Darleen of Argos, and Nandas and Margaret Hodges of Mentone. Mrs. Ethel Adams, who recently broke her arm, is much improved.

A SINCERE THANK YOU

To my many friends who remembered me with cards, phone calls and gifts, and a birthday cake from my family. The following ladies called in the evening and brought refreshments: Orpha Blue, Lavina Shinn, Mary Jane Johnson, Bessie Bybee, Myrtle Whetstone, Effie Personett, Maude Entsminger.

I shall always cherish the memory of you all for making my eighty-second birthday a happy one.

BRODA

YOUTH HELP WRITE

A TREE HANDBOOK

Five young teen-agers of Tippecanoe county recently served as editorial advisors to two Purdue University forestry professors in the writing of a 4-H handbook.

Turning the tables, the professors rewrote their "theme," "Fifty Indiana Trees," and took a few lessons in sim-

ple rhetoric from the 10 and 12 year olds. The youngsters, using the red pencil on the three and five syllabled words, and technical terms, showed Prof. T. E. Shaw and J. L. VanCamp, extension forester, how youth would tell the story of trees. The attractively illustrated bulletin is being sold by the State Department of Conservation, Division of Forestry, Indianapolis at the cost of publication.

The youthful editors included four boys and a girl, from ten to twelve years old. To describe the 43 most important Indiana hardwoods and seven cone-bearing trees which Hoosier youth will number among their friends in the future, the editors penciled out scientific botanical keys and a game based upon a simple chart was substituted.

Prof. Shaw cited a typical method suggested in identifying the trees as an example of the new style of writing. "Everybody knows Jimmy Jones because he looks different from other boys—Trees can be recognized by just such simple descriptions. Our state tree, the tulip tree, has a long stately trunk. Its flowers look like tulips."

The foresters are of the opinion that much technical material could be improved if written closer to the sixth grade level. Illustrations, personalized stories, and text to include the experience of the pupils of that grade should be included, the Purdue men say.

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The McMillen Co., in the spring and summer of 1944, sent their engineers from coast to coast in its search for supplies of the condensed fish solubles. This product was then largely a waste material which was thrown back into the ocean. Having proven the great value of this material, the McMillen chemists and engineers developed methods of processing this valuable product. The fish processors were guaranteed a market for their output, and through the McMillen company's efforts installations were made to produce millions of pounds of condensed fish solubles.

The scientific world was keenly interested in discovering the nature of the unknown factors present in condensed fish solubles which are essential for growth of chicks and turkeys, reproduction of chickens and turkeys, livability of young chicks and poults, growth of pigs and reproduction of swine.

McMillen Feed Mills, during 1944, started fellowships at the universities to further study the nature of these life-giving factors. Many of these tests

are still in progress. Vitamin B-12 has been isolated and identified. There is conclusive evidence that vitamin B-12 is but one factor, and that are two and possibly more factors.

Original Formula Improved

Recently rations high in corn have become popular. These rations are notoriously deficient in B-complex vitamins, niacin and choline chloride. Consequently, McMillen Feed Mills has improved its original Methio-Vite formula by the addition of niacin and choline chloride.

Before the discovery of Methio-Vite, the productive value of rations was limited by the variability of the meat scraps, fish meal, liver meal, and dried milk by-products in these growth and reproductive factors. With this discovery, definite sources of these growth and reproductive factors were made available so that every lot of MASTER MIX feed would be sure to contain all of the desirable factors. The value of the ingredients used in Methio-Vite has been proven by test after test from leading agricultural experiment stations.

The first experiment station report came out in May, 1945—six months after McMillen announced Methio-Vite. Many reports have since been made by leading authorities.

Many Imitators

Today many in the feed industry are seeking to copy this great McMillen discovery. Several products are on the market which are presumed to be made from condensed fish solubles—a very

important ingredient of Methio-Vite. In reality, many of these products are made by liquifying whole fish and have no more than half fish solubles value.

Today, as in the past four years, the McMillen Feed Mills is the only source of the sensational advantages of the Methio-Vite program. The very outstanding results obtained by poultry and hog feeders during the past four years proves the value of this great McMillen discovery and promotion.

The McMillen organization has made a great contribution to more economical feeds, through research and its sound application to the feed industry.

The many Experiment Station reports prove the value of the research development which has made Methio-Vite such a great success.

Recently, high energy feeds have become popular. The senior Bio-chemist of the U. S. D. A. Research Center at Beltsville, Maryland, has advised that much of the value of the high energy feeds depends upon the use of liver meal—a potent source of B-complex vitamins.

The limitations of the ration are that little pure liver meal is produced in U.S.A. Liver meal imported from Argentina is quite variable in composition. Methio-Vite has all the values of pure liver meal. McMillen Feed Mill, therefore, continues to offer the most practical type of highly productive rations.

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BED LAMPS	2.95	1.98
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ANNOUNCEMENT NEXT WEEK

CELEBRATING OUR

FIRST ANNIVERSARY

Most of us who enjoy the pleasures of boating, whether it be just joy riding in small craft or the use of a boat or canoe for fishing and hunting, frequently overlook the fact a legislative program is necessary in keeping boating on a sane keel.

Frankly, most of us just take boating for granted and never thing much about the laws that are needed to control the sport. But not the Outboard Boating Club of America, a virtual watchdog over the sport.

The Boating Club recently completed a model boating law, drafted primarily for referral to all state legislatures concerned with small boat regulation. And that means every state, for boating is an important sport in each one.

After a study of the model OBC law, it is easy to see that the suggested law provides the maximum of regulation with a minimum of restriction. That's the way it should be, and sportsmen should see that we have this type of boating law.

The model law is based on broad provisions recommending observance of safe operating speeds and careful navi-

gation at all times, and the prohibiting of reckless navigation.

The outstanding feature of the law is "that every motor-driven boat approaching or passing a canoe, rowboat, sailing vessel or bathing beach shall be slowed down to a speed that will cause no damage to the occupants of the other craft."

This year will see more motor-driven boats in operation than ever before, and as more and more sportsmen become boat-minded the proper regulations are a must. We have to protect this sport the same as we guard the game and fish, in keeping our great outdoors a grand and enjoyable place.

Cause of Tides

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E. E. De Witt, Pastor
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The Sunday School at 9:30.
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Morning worship, 10:30.
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TALMA W.S.C.S. MEETS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Talma Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Artemus Coplen Wednesday afternoon. "The Day of Advance" was given for devotions by some of the members. The lesson, entitled, "The World At Our Door," was given by Mrs. Sam Deward. Roll call was answered by 23 members, giving a Bible character. During the business meeting it was voted to give donations to the infantile paralysis funds and the Boy Scouts.

Reports were given by the president, Mrs. Lester White, and minister, Rev. A. M. Christie, on the ministers' and presidents' district meeting on December 14 at Warsaw.

Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess and her assistant, Mrs. Charles Emmons.

Hear the tourney—get your FM table models sets, \$59.95 and up at Baker & Brown.

NEWCASTLE TWP. INSTITUTE SET FOR FEBRUARY 10-11

The annual Newcastle Township Farmers Institute will be held at the Talma high school building on Thursday and Friday, February 10 and 11. Among the features on the program will be the amateur hour on Thursday evening. Prizes for the best will be: \$20, \$15, \$10 and \$5. An audition will be held at the Talma school on Monday, January 17, at 7:30 P.M. The contest will be open to all amateurs.

Committees for the 1949 Institute are: entertainment, Mrs. Frank Meredith, chairman, Mrs. Roland Lukens and Mrs. Leaky; advertising, Byron Gorden, Clifford Kock, Frank Meredith; Don Pfeiffer, Harold Walters, W. D. Morris, Ransford Peterson, Delbert Hunter, Don Nichols, Devon Eaton, Roland Lukens, Elgie Vandermark and Clyde Harvey.

Officers in charge of the program are: Maurice Peterson, president; Cleo Drudge, vice president, and Clyde Harvey secretary.

ENGAGED

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hubbard of near Talma announce the engagement of their daughter, Bonnie Jean, to Paul Shafer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shafer of Akron. No date has been set for the wedding.

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NEW CASTLE

TOWNSHIP NEWS

Miss Ruth Barr has returned to her home after spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Ola Fiesland at Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Guests of Lou Grove Saturday evening were as follows: Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good, Mr. and Mrs. Verde Brockey of this place, and Dr. and

Mrs. Elmer Gilliam of St. Joseph, Michigan.

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

Lavoy Montgomery will leave Thursday for Indianapolis for a few days with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Walker.

Robert A. Calvert was a visitor in Rochester Monday forenoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Chapman and daughter Susan Beth were guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Chapman Sunday.

Mrs. June Barkman of Huntington

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was a Sunday guest of her father, W. A. Dick and Mrs. Dick.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Scott and son Eugene spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

Mrs. Paul Partridge and son Dick spent Saturday evening in Rochester on business.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hunter and daughter were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles (Hap) Emmons.

Lavoy Montgomery spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

Hiding King Alfred

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Terms, Cash on day of sale. No property to be removed until settlement is made. Not responsible for accidents.

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**AIR MAIL FROM
CHARLES MANWARINGS**

The mail this week brought a very interesting letter from Charles and Elener Manwaring, who are enjoying a 17 day cruise on board the S. S. Alcoa Clipper.

They enclosed a copy of the daily paper, the Alcoa Press, which is printed on board ship.

We might add, too, that there is a fine stamp from Curocoa for our stamp collecting friend.

If the Manwarings could see our weather, they would doubly appreciate their cruise.

The letter follows:

"Thought you might be interested in our local paper printed on board each day from news received over the wire.

"This boat is owned by Alco of America, is air conditioned, swimming pool on board and carries 62 passengers, besides crew. Meals are out of this world. A cruise supervisor arranges for all the tours off the boat and for entertainment on board. Spent all day yesterday on the island of Jamaica, and land at port of Willemstad, Curacao, tonight and have all day tomorrow there. It is a free port and everything is reasonable in price. In another day we hit Caracas, Venezuela, and as far south as Port of Spain, Trinidad. We are enjoying the 17 day cruise very much, with Chester and

Bess and the Blues from Denver, Colorado. Best regards.—Charles and Elener Manwaring.

ANNIVERSARY TEA

On Sunday afternoon, January 9, guests from the Leesburg, Piercetown, Warsaw, Atwood, North Webster, Rochester, Delphi and Logansport Legion Auxiliary posts and members of the Mentone Legion Auxiliary post gathered at the Mentone Legion Home for a tea in honor of the Mentone Legion Auxiliary's second anniversary.

Recorded music furnished a background for the occasion. The home was beautifully decorated with our flags and flowers. The serving table was beautifully decorated with yellow roses, a gift from the Mentone Legion Post, and candles.

The afternoon came to a close with all enjoying a short program. All guests and members were welcomed by the president, Mrs. Robert Reed. Each unit president was asked to introduce herself and present the other members of her unit.

Program was: piano duet "Diana" by Miss Shirley Igo and Mrs. Maude Snyder. A vocal solo "Hawaiian Sunset" and "My Happiness" by Mrs. Robert Blodgett accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Maude Snyder. A brief history of the work of the Mentone unit in the past two years, and three poems very fitting to the occasion were given by

Mrs. E. E. Wagner. The district president, Mrs. Robert E. Davidson of Delphi, was introduced, and gave a very inspiring talk on auxiliary work.

Every one departed, having enjoyed a very pleasant afternoon.

I would like to pause at this moment to thank Mr. Weatherman for the beautiful spring day which helped to make our day a success.

—Reporter

**COUNTY TO HAVE
NEW RADIO STATION**

The Federal Communications Commission has issued a construction permit for a standard A.M. broadcasting station to Kosciusko Broadcasting Corporation. The new A.M. station will be located in Warsaw; however, it will be of service to the entire county. It will be a 250 watt station located at 1120 kilocycles on every radio dial. According to the president, Joe Auterlieth, it will offer a well rounded program schedule of music, news, farm programs and sports. It is hoped that the station will be on the air in ninety days.

Other members of the corporation are Porter Williamson and Virgil McCleary of Warsaw, and Howard Beck of Fort Wayne.

EVERFAITHFUL CLUB

The Everfaithful Club met on January 6 at the home of Roselyn Neilans. A new member, Mabel McDaniel, was present. Winners at bunco were Frances Marshall, first; Pro Tucker, second; and travelling, Sadie Black.

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VANCE JOHNS LOCAL CHAIRMAN

Vance Johns has been appointed as chairman to serve for another Infantile Paralysis fund drive, for the town of Mentone.

As in past years, jars will be marked and placed in the various business places in a conspicuous spot—ready for your donations.

Half of the contributions received in the county stay here to aid in helping persons stricken with infantile paralysis while the other half is sent to the National Foundation for research, etc. It is wise to remember that no one is safe from an attack of infantile paralysis. One has only to talk to the families of those thus stricken to realize the value of the funds given in the fight against infantile paralysis.

Don't fail to do your part and a little bit more.

WITHAM—KESLER,

In a ceremony performed Saturday evening at 7 o'clock, Freeda Kesler, daughter of Mrs. Goldie Kesler and the late Forrest Kesler, became the bride of Rex Witham, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Witham. The vows were read by Lloyd Boyll in the Church of Christ parsonage. The double ring ceremony was used.

Freeda wore a navy blue taffeta dress and her flowers were roses and sweet peas.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Witham were the attendants.

Both of the young people graduated from Mentone high school. Freeda is employed in the office of the Northern Indiana Cooperative. Rex served in Germany with the armed forces and is employed with the Burt Construction Company.

The newlyweds are making their home with the bride's mother.

KENNETH RINER HEADS MERCHANTS' ASSOCIATION

K. A. Riner was named president of the Mentone Merchants' Association at the annual business meeting held at the school building last Monday evening. Ora McKinley was elected vice president; Raymond Cooper, treasurer; Arthur Brown, secretary, and Mahlon Mentzer, Leo Valentine, Earl Anderson, Glen Denton and C. E. Walburn, board of directors.

The association served an oyster supper to over thirty members of the organization prior to the business meeting.

John Motto, of Warsaw, gave a very interesting talk and his remarks were very encouraging to the local organization.

ANNIVERSARY PARTY TO BE HELD AT BURKET SATURDAY

Gordon Lent, owner and manager of The Sport Center Cafe at Burket, has a large advertisement in this issue inviting friends in to a big anniversary celebration at his place on Saturday, Jan. 22, starting at one o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Lent is offering a free fish dinner, etc. to everyone that visits his place that day.

Mr. Cooper, of Mentone, will be on hand with his wire recording machine to make free recordings of the voices of any guests who desire to find out just what they sound like when they speak.

Saturday, January 22 is the date.

MENTONE LOSES OUT IN COUNTY TOURNEY

The Mentone high school basketball team put up a determined fight to go into the finals of the county basketball tournament held last week, but a more fortunate set of boys from North Webster spoiled their chances in the second game. They played a fine game, and even though they had many opportunities to score, just couldn't seem to get the ball to go through the hoop. The final score of 34 to 52 indicates a rather lop-sided game, but the big margin showed up in the latter part of the game.

In the first game, declared to have been one of the best games of the tourney, Mentone defeated Syracuse 48 to 45.

MENTONE OFFICERS ARREST MIDNIGHT VISITORS

Two Chicago men, William Burns, 40, and Glen Barnard, 34, were arrested in Mentone late Saturday night by Officers Borton and Wagner. When arrested they carried a .32 calibre automatic, a police .38 special and a .177 air pistol, two flashlights, and a small crowbar. Two guns were fully loaded when they were picked up on a side street at Mentone.

The strangers were noticed by Calvin Wagner and "Curly" Witham in the neighborhood of the Jack Shinn home, walking. Officers Borton and Wagner and "Blackie" Wagner apprehended the men and as one dropped the crowbar he seemingly made an attempt to reach the concealed pistol. However, before the gun could be drawn he decided otherwise. They were taken to the county jail and on Monday afternoon Judge Sloan imposed fines and costs of \$17.45 each for carrying weapons without a permit.

The men stated they had the guns to do a little target practice—but indications are they were a trifle off the home range for that sort of thing.

They also stated that the reason they were on a side street was that one felt a little sick and they were just out to walk it off.

F. B. I. AGENT SPEAKS AT LIONS CLUB MEETING

Special Agent Harrington, of the Indianapolis branch of the FBI, spoke before a large group of Mentone Lions Wednesday evening. His talk was very interesting and thoroughly enjoyed by everyone present.

The talk gave many case histories of various crimes and methods of apprehension of criminals—and he most assuredly convinced everyone that there is no such thing as a perfect crime. He stated that the only reason every case isn't solved is because the right investigator just hasn't happened to be on the case.

CLUB CALENDAR

D. A. R. will meet with Mrs. Emma Gill, Tuesday evening, January 25, at 7:30.

NEWS — PHONE 38

CHARLES F. BLACK.

Funeral services of Charles F. Black, 67, well-known farmer residing five miles north of Akron, were held at 1:30 p. m. Saturday at the Moyer-Haupt funeral home, in Akron. Burial was in the Mentone cemetery. Rev. D. L. Slaybaugh officiated.

Mr. Black died suddenly last Wednesday at his home, due to a heart attack. A lifelong resident of the Akron community, he was born July 6, 1881, the son of John R. and Lucinda Black.

Surviving relatives include his wife, the former Sadie Rickel, to whom he was married Oct. 15, 1920, their two sons, George and Bernard, a sister, Mrs. Nellie Heighway, a grandson and several nieces and nephews, all of near Akron.

RURAL GRAVURE THIS WEEK.

Get your tractor ready for spring now, is the theme of the lead story in the Rural Gravure section of the Co-Op News included with this week's issue. It's good advice, too. Local farm implement dealers also urge farmers to get all implements in shape before the rush on their service facilities begin.

Susan Lowe has some hints for housewives when company drops in unexpectedly, in her story entitled "Emergency Shelf," and the rural America section contains several interesting photo-stories.

Watch for Rural Gravure, monthly feature exclusive with the Co-Op News in this county.

NEWTON.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Newton are the parents of an 8 lb., 5 oz. daughter, Joanna Lynn, born Jan. 7th in the Woodlawn hospital.

The Mentone fire department made a run to the Floyd VanGundy home in Sevastopol on Wednesday evening of last week, where they extinguished a fire in the chimney.

Word received from Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Browne and family states that they are in Arizona, and that the baby is fine. The Brownes left for the southwest last week because of a respiratory ailment which has bothered the baby during the cold weather here.

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THE NATIONAL FOUNDATION FOR INFANTILE PARALYSIS

ARTIFICIAL BREEDING INCREASED TWOFOLD

Indiana dairymen are artificially breeding twice as many cows, as compared with the same periods a year ago.

Frank E. La Croix, extension dairyman at Purdue University, says that dairymen are anxious to take advantage of the increased milk production secured through fall freshening and the favorable conception rate now possible through artificial breeding.

The fall freshened cow, according to Dairy Herd Improvement Associations shows about an 800 pound increase in milk per cow when compared to cows freshened during the summer months. December, January and February are the best time to breed cows in order to

get this extra milk through fall freshening. A recent check of the breeding results through artificial breeding shows the non-returns rate to be more than 62 per cent. This considers only the first service and allows cows from 60-90 days to return for service.

At present there are 57 counties organized which have access to the services of the central bull stud under the direction of a trained technician hired by the association. Seventeen counties work directly out of the bull stud and five counties throughout the state operate from various sources. A total of 77 counties now have artificial breeding available to their farmers.

Eating More Food
The average person in the United States is eating about one-sixth more food now than in 1935-39.

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NELLANS POULTRY FARM

MENTONE, INDIANA

Public Sale

Having sold my farm, will sell the following at public auction at farm located 3 miles south-west of Burket on the angling road or 5½ miles west of Claypool and ½ mile south or 6 miles south-east of Mentone, known as the Clem Jones farm, on

THURSDAY, JANUARY 27

Sale to start at 1:00 p. m.

CATTLE

One 2-year-old Hereford cow and calf; 1 Hereford heifer, year old, bred; 1 Hereford heifer 8 months old; 1 Guernsey cow and 2 calves.

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Oliver 80 Tractor and cultivators; John Deere 2-16 in. bottom plow, Raydex bottom; Oliver 4 section spring-tooth harrow, good; John Deere 3 section spring-tooth harrow, good; 2 section spike-tooth harrow; Bradley manure spreader, good; New Oliver corn picker. Picked less than 100 acres; 7 ft. disc; 2 Black Hawk corn planters; One 2-wheel trailer with stock-rack, good; One 2-wheel light trailer; Rubber tire wagon with hoist.

FEED

1,000 bu. corn, more or less; 60 bales thrashed wheat straw; Some loose thrashed straw; 8 tons, more or less, chopped hay consisting of little red clover, alsike and a little timothy; Some ground sow feed, 50% wheat and 50% oats.

MISCELLANEOUS

2 hog fountain tanks; 1 new round oil heating hog fountain; 1 water tank; 2 steel 8 hole feeders; One 2-hole mineral feeder, new; 6 hog houses; hog troughs; hog catching crate; chicken feeders and fountains; McKomb oil brooder stove, 500 chick size; chicken and turkey crates; power grass seeder, fits any tractor; single and double shovel plows; 1 roll, 4 point, barb wire; 20 rods hog fence; 2 coal burners and 1 oil burner tank heaters; some lap siding; Forks, shovels, hoes, rakes and many articles not mentioned. Some house-hold goods.

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Not responsible for accidents.

IVAN JONES

Kenneth Fawley, Auctioneer.

SEEDLING TREES ARE STILL AVAILABLE

Forrestry officials of the Indiana Department of Conservation announced today that over 4 million seedling trees have been sold in Indiana to be used for soil conservation.

These trees have been purchased by various individuals and strip mine organizations in an effort to prevent erosion, serve as wind breaks, reforestation and for use on Christmas tree plantations.

Only one quarter of the original supply is now available. Seedlings still available are black locust, tulip poplar, soft maple, short leaf pine, Virginia pine, White pine and Chinese Arborvitae. These seedlings are not available for decoration purposes or for planting within cities.

To obtain these seedlings contact the Forrestry Division, Indiana Department of Conservation, Indianapolis, Indiana; District Foresters or Nursery Superintendents for application.

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SKIING INSTRUCTOR

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Hoosiers who so desire may now obtain free skiing instructions at Pokagon State Park, according to officials of the Indiana Department of Conservation.

The instructor is a Canadian professional skier who is attending school at Tri-State College. He is on hand every week-end and most evenings to instruct those who seek instruction.

Pokagon is located near Angola, and is the one Hoosier park that offers nearly every type of winter sports activity, including ice skating, skiing, ice

boating and tobogganing. The half-mile toboggan slide has gained renown as the largest slide in Indiana.

The new instructor will keep all skiing equipment in good working condition thus enabling visitors to get full enjoyment out of their skiing adventure.

PENNY SUPPER

The Joy Circle of the W. S. C. S. will hold a penny supper on Saturday evening, January 29, in the basement of the Methodist church, from 5 p. m. to 7 p. m. Watch next week's paper for the menu.

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FORAGE YIELDS GUIDE PASTURE PLANNING

Consideration of possible forage crop yields will be doubly important this spring in the planning of pastures in view of the short supplies of some seeds and the anticipated price rise as the planting season approaches.

G. O. Mott, Purdue University Experiment Station pasture specialist, advises that farmers look at the results of yield studies of typical varieties of new grasses and legumes for pastures which included alta fescue, Kentucky bluegrass, bromegrass, timothy, orchard grass, birdsfoot trefoil, Ladino clover and alfalfa.

In terms of dry forage produced per acre, alfalfa, in both the 1946 and 1947 trials surpassed the performance of other legumes. Alfalfa also out-yielded the five grasses and produced approximately 5,700 pounds to the acre. Kentucky bluegrass, bromegrass and timothy in combination with alfalfa were very similar in performance and were the highest yielding combinations in 1946.

As alfalfa is one of the seeds in short supply, the production of alfalfa seed being the lowest in 16 years, farmers will be interested to know that when the grasses are grown in combination with legumes, either birdsfoot trefoil, Ladino clover or alfalfa, yields were better than when the grasses were grown alone. Forage tonnage was increased considerably when alfalfa was grown in combination with the grasses, in some instances it more than doubled the yield of the grass grown alone and exceeded the tonnage from alfalfa grown alone. Top yield was produced from a bromegrass-alfalfa mixture with a production of 7,200 pounds per acre in 1947. A Kentucky bluegrass alfalfa combination gave a close second, the yields being estimated at 6,900 pounds per acre.

The seed production of Ladino clover, however, is estimated at 59 per cent above the 1947 production figure. The Purdue trials showed that Ladino clover in combination with any one of the five tested grasses approximately doubled the tonnage produced of Ladino clover sown alone. Consistently high results were given with both brome grass or timothy, timothy yielded the better result in the normal year of 1946 and brome

grass in combination surpassed all other combinations under dry conditions. In that year 1947 Ladino clover grown alone, gave only 1,100 pounds per acre, but when combined with brome, the yield jumped to 5,800 pounds.

Forests are the best protectors of soil on steep slopes, which should be in permanent timber cover for good land use. Heavy rainfall is slowed down by the tree leaves so that it drips gently to the ground and percolates into the soil. Water erosion and soil losses are at a minimum in a good protected woods, Purdue University extension foresters say.

THANKS

We wish in this way to express our appreciation, to our many friends for their expressions of sympathy, the many floral offerings and assistance at the time of the return and burial of our son and brother Earl.

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18 FARM BOYS WIN**SHORT COURSE AWARDS**

Eighteen farm boys from all parts of the state have been awarded scholarships to the annual Purdue University agricultural short course, now in session, according to an announcement from the Social and Educational department of the Indiana Farm Bureau.

The awards, which carry \$50 cash, were made possible through the establishment of the Gertrude Modlin Memorial Fund, named for one of the state's Farm Bureau leaders 20 years ago. Two scholarships are offered to each of the 10 Farm Bureau districts; this year, only 18 candidates qualified.

The winners and their counties are as follows: Eugene Robbins, Kosciusko; John F. Campbell, Madison; Joseph Bush, Jackson; Robert Dale Brown, Decatur; Earl F. Brumm, Jay; Maurice Edward Battles, St. Joseph; Jerry Joe Myers, Montgomery; Eugene Helmann, Adams; James Wicker, Marion; James A. Groff, Elkhart; Eldon E. Cox, Shelby; Frederick Sutherland, Putnam; Joe H. Kolb, Jr., Gibson; Antonio Riboros Harrison, Tippecanoe; Walter H. Carter, Orange; Joseph N. Schafer, Lake; Carl Seest, Clinton; and Ernest R. Johnson, Jr., Sullivan.

CARELESSNESS CAUSE**OF FARM ACCIDENTS**

Carelessness in the operation of farm machinery is credited with 36 per cent of all Indiana farm accidents last year, according to a survey recently conducted by Indiana Rural Youth, affiliate organization of the Indiana Farm Bureau. The alarming cost of the non-fatal accidents reported from the canvass averaged \$134.

These figures were compiled from statistics gathered in 17 counties of the state. The money loss includes hospital expense incurred, time and wages lost, and replacement labor hired.

Second among the causes listed was falls, which accounted for 29 per cent of the total. Other causes and percentages were: livestock, 8; burns, 7; highway, 9; and miscellaneous, 11. Time lost from each accident averaged 36 days, 5 of which were spent in the hospital, 15 for convalescence at home, and 16 more for full recovery. Substitute labor hired averaged 5 days per accident.

The unprecedentedly large corn crop in Indiana last year made the harvesting problem acute; rainy weather further added to the farmer's difficulties. Consequent hurried operation of corn pickers accounted for many accidents reported.

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SOWS RATION FEEDS

THE UNBORN PIGS

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E. C. Miller, Purdue university extension animal husbandryman, says that research workers who have studied baby pig losses are of the opinion that while some losses may be due to severe weather conditions, a large percent of the baby pig deaths are due to nutritional causes. Baby pigs will die regardless of care and treatment if they have not been properly nourished by the sow before birth.

A liberal quantity of alfalfa meal in the ration will do much to guarantee a strong, healthy litter at birth. It provides the minerals and vitamins which are lacking in our common grains. The addition of alfalfa meal to the ration is not a new recommendation—many Hoosier hogmen have been

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For best results, the alfalfa meal should be bright green in color and from a late cutting of hay.

The ration fed will depend upon whether the herd is hand fed or self fed. Good hogmen know that hand feeding gives an opportunity for watching the sows daily and accustoming the sows to the herdsman who will be responsible at farrowing time.

On the other hand, self feeding insures the sow receiving a full feed of balanced rations. If sows tend to fatten when self-fed use more alfalfa meal and less corn in the mixed ration; if too thin, use less alfalfa meal and more corn.

A ration for the self-fed sow is 45 pounds ground corn, 25 pounds ground oats, 25 pounds alfalfa meal and five pounds supplement. Rations for hand feeding sows and for both hand feeding and self feeding gilts are included in extension leaflet No. 157, "Rations for Swine," available free from the office of the county agent or the university.

COMMISSIONER'S SALE OF REAL ESTATE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned commissioner, appointed by the Kosciusko Circuit Court of the State of Indiana, in Cause Number 25177, in which said cause Elvia Wilson is plaintiff and Walter Wilson is defendant, will offer for sale at the law offices of Widaman and Widaman, Warsaw, Indiana, on the 22nd day of January, 1949, at 10 o'clock a. m., the following described real

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The South half of Out Lots Number 32 and 33 in Tucker Myers and Hackedon's Addition to the Town of Mentone.

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Mr. and Mrs. Russel Norris and Samantha Norris and Lee Edwin Norris returned Thursday from Miami, Florida, after a month's vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones and two daughters, also Ken Jones spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Jones.

A potluck dinner was enjoyed by a family group at the Fred Lemler home on Sunday to help Lois celebrate her birthday. Fifty-nine were present to enjoy the day.

Jerry Robbins is a patient at the Murphy Medical Center. His condition is somewhat improved. He underwent a blood transfusion last Saturday. Bob Flenar donated blood for his grandfather's transfusion.

Miss Ima Taylor is spending awhile with Mrs. Mildred Flenar. Mrs. Bertha Meredith has not been so well lately.

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As my memory stops to linger On a page of long ago

That I can almost feel again The winds that used to blow.

I walk along the old cow-paths That seem to wind for miles

Across the creek to the sugar-camp Happy faces bright with smiles.

I wish I had the privilege now To love and comfort you

And give whatever else you need To make your dreams come true.

I know when God scans through this book,

He'll give a special reward For fifty-six years of giving

And trying to please the Lord. For when we think of others

And the weary path they plod We hold a higher place in life

And in the eyes of God. So to my grand-parents on this day

May a page be added to Wish you, happy fifty-sixth anniversary

To each and both of you.

In loving remembrance of my grand-parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Clymer, on their fifty-sixth wedding anniversary. Ruth Davis, Tippecanoe, Indiana.

FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS MEET

Friendly Neighbor's Club met January 6 at the home of Betty Drudge in Mentone. The new president, Thelma Eaton, called the meeting to order. The meeting was opened by reading the creed and singing the song, Auld Lang Syne. Each member gave a winter hobby in answer to roll call.

The meditation was given by Stella Studebaker. The new year, to some brings happiness, others sadness, to some fortune, to some failing health, and asks that each one start the new year with a clean slate. All stood and repeated the Lord's prayer. Two new members were voted in: Mrs. Alta Harrold and Mrs. Ruby Walters.

Those present were Nellie Riner, Rhoda Jones, Maud Romine, Marie Deaton, Mary Welch, Thelma Eaton, Fern Beeson, Helen Rookstool, Beryl Jefferies, Alta Hudson, Hildreth Copen, Stella Studebaker, Reatha Ballenger, Bernice Ballenger, Mary Frances Hudson, Emmie Jones and Edith Teel.

Mrs. Lon Walters spent last week in Chicago with her daughter, Mrs. Margaret Southers.

Wesley Orcutt, of near Atwood, is somewhat improved. He was taken to the hospital last Friday for medical treatment.

Mrs. Lyman Mollenhour is in the Murphy Medical Center where she had a major operation Monday.

Lawrence Smith, of northeast of Atwood, is now linotype operator for the Country Print Shop.

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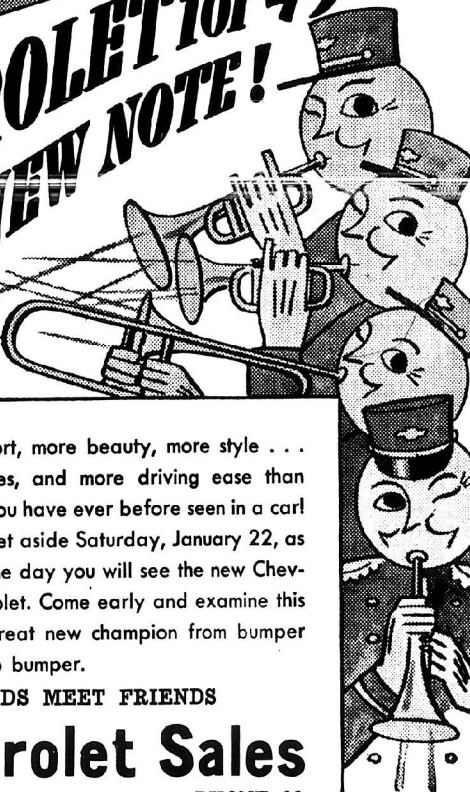
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As the current hunting season fades in memories and we sit around the living room or sporting goods store and rehash last year's trips afield, here's some figures that will keep the argumentative fires boiling until another season rolls around.

Frank Bellrose, veteran game technician who has devoted many years

of his life to the study of waterfowl, has uncovered some amazing facts about ducks. His studies have been limited to Illinois, still it is practical to assume that the same facts will apply on all the nation's waterfowl flyways.

Mr. Bellrose says that out of every 100 mallards alive last September 1 in Illinois only 45 will be alive this coming September 1. Of the 55 mallards that will not survive, approximately 22 will have fallen before hunters' guns and 33 will have died from natural causes.

Hunters kill more mallard drakes than hens (1.26 per cent more) Mr. Bellrose's studies have disclosed. But natural causes, mostly on the breeding grounds, take from 1 to 8 per cent more hens than drakes.

Young mallards migrating through Illinois stand a poorer chance of living another year than do the old birds. The average of a young drake is 1.27 years. But if a young drake gets by the first year he can expect to live another 1.79 years. The overall average life of mallard drakes is 1.56 years and a hen 1.38 years.

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HEALTH FACTS FROM YOUR STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

Records of the various flood stages of Indiana rivers and streams kept by the State Board of Health since the 1937 floods have proved valuable in determining the emergency services necessary to protect public water supplies in time of high waters," according to George Fassnacht, chief, Water Supply Section, Division of Sanitary Engineering.

"This information helped us in the recent high waters," Mr. Fassnacht said. "After checking with the U. S. Weather Bureau and the U. S. Geological Survey relative to the amount of rain and river stages expected, we were able to determine which water works would be effected and where our assistance would be needed. At

Seymour, for instance, our records showed that if White River reached the stage first predicted, the water would be lapping at the floor of the pumping station with additional rains possibly flooding the pumps. Since the power cables for the pump motors are below the floor level, we could foresee that preparations should be made to rewire the motors from overhead. Fortunately, the rains held off and did not flood the floor so this action was not necessary.

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MARKETING DRIED CORN BRINGS HIGHER PROFIT

The refrigerating service for Indiana's corn crop, in recent weeks, has been furnished without charge by the "weatherman," but discontinuance of the service is generally due to start in February.

Purdue agricultural engineers point out that high moisture corn will be in danger with the coming of warm weather. Many farmers who cribbed corn, knowing that it was wet, have checked since the first of the year, to find little or no drying has taken place.

Those farmers whose corn is very near to 25 per cent moisture or over, may well consider having the corn dried. The engineers say that wet corn which showed some tendency to mold earlier, is continuing to mold. Aside from the possibility of a major loss, the farmer may add from six to eight cents per bushel to his profit, by marketing dried corn.

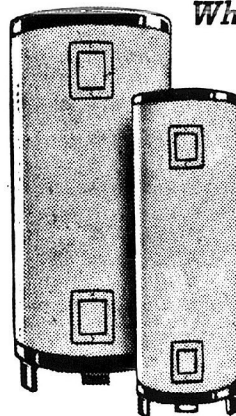
The grower who has 25 per cent moisture corn, has two alternatives, either to marketing at a discount or drying the corn, and in turn selling the corn at full price, for No. 2 corn.

G. H. Foster, agricultural engineer, shows how to determine the profit from drying 25 per cent ear corn. A total of 80.5 pounds of corn is needed to produce one bushel of No. 2 corn with 15.5 per cent moisture content, weighing 70 pounds. In January, the market is based on a 70 pound bushel per ear corn.

The farmer now compares the loss in weight of 10.5 pounds, due to drying, with the better price for No. 2 corn. The unit of 80.5 pounds of corn could have brought \$1.15. (The price for a 70 pound bushel of 25 per cent corn was \$1. The same unit of corn, dried, to grade No. 2, brought \$1.33.)

Agricultural engineers state that corn costs from 10 to 12 cents a bushel to dry; therefore, the farmer will have an additional profit of from six to eight cents a bushel for the drying. Although this may amount to several hundred dollars for many farmers, the important consideration is that high moisture corn is likely to show damage, if good drying weather is not experienced before the spring.

The butter analysis project carried on between the Indian Dairymen's Association and the Dairy Department of Purdue University shows that some improvement is being made in the quality of butter processed in many Indiana plants. The average mold mycelia count for last month was considerably lower than a year ago. Results show a better standardization of butterfat in the finished butter with more control of moisture. The trend seems to be definitely for less salt in finished butter. Extraneous matter content was graded better than for November of last year and was much lower than for the past five year average.



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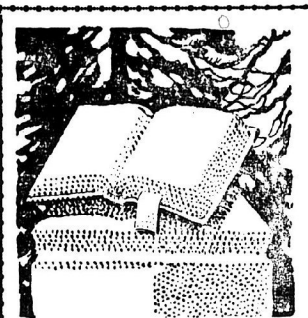
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TOWNSHIP NEWS

Mr. Lavoy Montgomery has returned to his home after spending sometime in Indianapolis with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Walker and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Calvert entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Mr. and Mrs. Harold Myers and family of Mishawaka and

Mrs. Lillie Myers and son Herbert.

Mr. Oliver (Jack) Mathews has returned to his home in Oregon after a visit with his mother, Mrs. Steve Mathews.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good spent Sunday evening as the guests of Mr. Lou Grove.

Mrs. A. J. Blakley of Rochester was the guest Monday of Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Montgomery.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Haines and son of Warsaw were the Sunday guests of his sisters, Misses Alice and Nora Haines.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Peterson and family spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

There were a large number of basketball fans attending the basketball tourney at Rochester Wednesday evening.

MENTONE READING CLUB

The Mentone Reading Club met at the home of Mrs. C. O. Mollenhour on Wednesday evening, January 12. Mrs. Dale Wallace was assisting hostess. During the business session the fol-

lowing officers were elected for the coming year.

President, Mrs. Fred Lemler; first vice president, Mrs. Harold Nelson; second vice president, Mrs. LeRoy Norris; secretary, Mrs. Walter Lackey, treasurer, Mrs. Raymond Cooper.

The program for the evening was arranged by Mrs. Walter Fenstermaker and Mrs. Gerald Browne. In the absence of Mrs. Browne, Mrs. Fenstermaker was assisted by Mrs. Wayne Tombaugh and Miss Wreatha McFarren. The program was as follows: art of home decoration by Mrs. Walter Fenstermaker; modern paint, by Mrs. Wayne Tombaugh; science of color, by Miss Wreatha McFarren. Mrs. Fenstermaker had pictures showing various color schemes to be used in house decorating. She presented each one present with a booklet of correct colors to choose in home decorating. The hostesses served delicious refreshments and club adjourned to meet in February with Mrs. H. V. Johns.

MENTONE HOME EC MEETS

The Mentone Home Economics club met with Mrs. Oattie Swick Thursday afternoon for their January meeting. Mrs. Ona Blue was her assisting hostess.

Meeting was called to order by the new president, Mrs. Maude Cox. Meditation was a moment of silent prayer.

Mrs. Helen Weirick read the history of the song of the month, "Auld Lang Syne." This song was sung by all.

Mrs. Maude Cox gave the "Club Outlook for '49." Mrs. Howard Horn gave a brief talk on the vice president's meeting.

Twenty-three members answered roll call with "How I Can Best Help My Club."

Mystery package was won by Mrs. Mary Smith. Auction of several articles was conducted by Mary Barton.

Club prayer song closed the meeting. One guest, Mrs. Earl Smalley, was present. The club will meet in February with Ada Meredith.

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Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tucker, of Mentone, were guests of honor at a surprise dinner given Sunday evening in celebration of their birthday anniversaries. A carry-in dinner was served at half past six o'clock. The guests included A. J. Anglin and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Anglin and son, of Clunette; Mr. and Mrs. Worth Anglin, of Stony Point, and Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Yeiter and Miss Mabel Redman, of near Warsaw. At a late hour ice cream and cake were served.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our thanks and appreciation to the fire department and neighbors for their kindness in helping put out the fire in our home last Wednesday evening in Sevestapol. Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Van Gundy

Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Granville Horn and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Horn and family included: Mr. and Mrs. Howard Clipp and son of Elkhart, Mr. Wayne Cottrell, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horn and family and Mr. Charles Dorian.

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BURCO COFFEE 1 lb. pkg. 40c, 3 lbs. 115
Reknown PEACHES, sliced, in syr. 2 1/2 can 29c
Am. Beauty Red Beans & Kidney Beans, No. 2 14c
Dole PINEAPPLE, Sliced No. 2 can 39c
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NOTICE OF CHANGE OF TIME FOR ANNUAL MEETING OF STOCK- HOLDERS OF THE NORTHERN INDIANA CO-OP ASS'N

At a special meeting of the board of directors of the No. Ind. Coop. Ass'n held Thursday evening, Jan. 20, 1949, a motion was passed that section 4 of article I of the By-Laws of the No. Ind. Coop. Ass'n which reads: "Regular meeting of common stockholders:

The holders of the common stock of this association shall hold a regular annual meeting on the first Monday of the month of Feb. of each year at one-thirty o'clock p. m., in the place of business in the town of Mentone, Kosciusko county, Indiana, or such place in said town as may be determined by the board of directors." be amended to read: "Regular meeting of common stockholders:

The holders of the common stock of this association shall hold a regular annual meeting on the first Monday of the month of March of each year at one-thirty o'clock, p. m., in the place of business in the town of Mentone, Kosciusko county, Indiana, or such place in said town as may be determined by the board of directors."

This action was taken in order that there be sufficient time after the close of the year's business to have the books of the association audited before the annual meeting and also to give the office employees more time to do the work connected with the close of the year's business and keep their current work up to date.

LIONS ACCEPT QUIZ CHALLENGE

The Mentone Lions club has accepted the challenge of the Milford Lions to stage a quiz program over station WRSW at Warsaw Thursday afternoon, Jan. 27 at 4:30.

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WINS IN CITIZENSHIP CONTEST

With a grade of 98, Marilyn Tucker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Tucker, was chosen the winner of the Good Citizenship contest in the county.

Six other schools in the county had entered a good citizen contestant. The Anthony Nigo Chapter of the D. A. R. sponsored the contest.

Marilyn's winning essay will be sent to the state contest to compete with the winning compositions from other counties.

LLOYD GOSHERT DIES FROM HIGHWAY ACCIDENT

Lloyd Goshert, about 50 years of age, died Wednesday morning from injuries received just west of Atwood. He was found near his parked car by passing motorists, and he died soon after.

Mr. Goshert, who was democratic county chairman and head of the auto license branch at Warsaw, had evidently pulled his car off the highway to clean his windshield when he was hit by a passing vehicle. The right side of the windshield had been cleared of ice and it is believed he was walking to the other side when he was hit. He suffered a broken arm, bruises on his hands and knees and a bump on his head.

CLUB CALENDAR

The Joy Circle of W. S. C. S. will meet at the church Tuesday, February 1 at 1:30 p. m.

ADAM BOWENS HEAR FROM WESTERN STORM AREA

Recently Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bowen had a letter from Mrs. Maude Reynolds of Wellington, Colorado, giving some information about the storms they have been having there. Mrs. Reynolds formerly resided at Elwood and visited the Bowens on numerous occasions.

Mrs. Reynolds' son works on a sheep ranch in the edge of Wyoming and after the first blizzard hit, the ranch owner made a trip over the area in a plane. The sheep herd was found in shelter, but there wasn't any sign of the son. Another letter states that he was found safe, although a neighbor

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FORMER SCHOOL PRINCIPAL DIES

Funeral services were held on Monday, Jan. 17, at the Presbyterian church in Pierceton for Orange H. Bowman, 81, who died on Friday at his farm home after a long illness.

Mr. Bowman served as the first principal of the Mentone school in 1893. From here he went to the South Whitley school, and then to Pierceton. For 35 years he operated a dairy at Pierceton. He is survived by his wife, and three daughters, Mrs. T. B. Magath, of Rochester, Minn.; Mrs. B. N. Deering, of Antioch, Ill.; and Mrs. Agnes Haas, of Plymouth; also two sons, Thomas and David of Pierceton.

METHODIST MEN SPONSOR SUPPER

The Methodist men of Mentone are sponsoring an oyster supper for men of the church and their friends on next Monday evening, Jan. 31, at 7 o'clock. The Rev. R. C. Plank, of Warsaw, will be the speaker of the evening.

Group singing is included in the program. No offering or contribution will be asked for.

BEARD-LACKEY

Miss Rowena Lackey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Lackey, became the bride of Dan G. Beard, son of Alva Beard, of Columbia City, and Mrs. Erma Beard, of Ft. Wayne, last Friday evening. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Marion Shroyer at 7:30 o'clock at his home on the Squaw-buck Road.

Attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Easterday, of Larwill.

Mr. and Mrs. Beard will reside on a farm near Larwill.

Rowena graduated from Mentone high school in 1941 and later from Manchester college. She is music instructor in the Larwill school.

Don graduated from Larwill high school in 1941 and in December graduated from the Reppert School of Auctioneering at Decatur.

LEGION WINS FIRST GAME IN DISTRICT TOURNNEY

The Mentone American Legion basketball team won a thrilling double overtime encounter at Delphi Sunday when they defeated the Logansport Legion team 37 to 35.

WESLEY L. ORCUTT.

Wesley L. Orcutt, aged 56, a lifelong resident of the Atwood community, died at 4:20 a. m. Thursday at the McDonald hospital. He had been seriously ill for three weeks due to pancreatitis.

Mr. Orcutt, who was a farmer residing near Atwood, was born Oct. 22, 1892, the son of Harvey and Sarah (Epler) Orcutt. On Dec. 24, 1914, he was married at Etna Green to Ethel Bemis.

Surviving relatives include his wife; three daughters, Betty, at home, Mrs. Genevieve Druckamiller, of Atwood, and Mrs. Helen Jervis of Morrill, Kansas; two sons, Robert Orcutt, of Warsaw, route 5, and Albert Orcutt, of Warsaw, route 3; three brothers, Orville, of South Bend; Theo, of LaPorte, and Lester, of Mt. Pleasant, Mich.; a sister, Mrs. Blanche Bowers, of Warsaw, route 4, and five grandsons.

Funeral services were held at 2 p. m. Saturday at the Atwood Methodist church, of which he was a member. Rev. Saunders, of Pierceton, a former pastor of the church, was assisted by Rev. Summers Clark, of Etna Green, in conducting the service. Burial was in Harrison Center cemetery. The Johns funeral home was in charge.

SINGSPIRATION AT BAPTIST CHURCH

All those who attended the last singspiration at the local Baptist church will be pleased to learn that another such meeting is planned for Sunday evening, Jan. 30, at 9:30 This time is set so as to allow young people from other churches from nearby towns and in Mentone to first attend their own services and still have time to get to the singspiration.

John Neely, of Winona Lake, will be the song leader.

Young people, make your plans now to attend this inspirational meeting!

RHODES-SWIHART

John Arthur Rhodes and Loretta Ruth Swihart, both of Tippecanoe, were united in marriage Saturday evening, January 22, at 7 o'clock.

The double ring ceremony was read by Rev. E. E. DeWitt at his home.

The newlyweds plan to build a new home in Tippecanoe and reside there.

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The Shakamak State Park Open Swimming Championship, to be run in conjunction with the National A. A. U. Long Distance Swim and the Men's National Junior A. A. U. 200 Meter Freestyle event, has been set for August 7th, it was announced today by officials of the Indiana Department of Conservation.

According to A. A. U. classification, a Junior event is open to all competition with the exception of those who have won a first place in national junior competition. Age is not a factor, officials said.

Persons desiring to participate in any of the swimming events may write to the Division of State Parks, Indiana Department of Conservation, Indianapolis, for entry blanks. Contestants were urged to get their entry blanks early.

Shakamak has long been popular with nationally-known swimmers as a spot for holding national championship competitions for swimmers and divers. Located on Roads 48 and 159 near Jacksonville, the park boasts one of

the finest pools of its kind in the Nation.

Only tentative plans have been completed for the August event, which, in the past, has attracted many thousands of sports enthusiasts.

**BOONE COUNTY REPORTS
WATER LEVEL LOWERING**

A new publication issued by the Division of Water Resources of the Indiana Department of Conservation, covers the ground water resources of Boone county.

The report, published as Bulletin 4 by the Water Resources division, contains the results of a detailed investigation started in 1945 in cooperation with the United States Geological Survey.

According to the report, measurements of water levels in wells indicate that there has been a decline in ground water levels, although during the past ten years the decline in areas outside the larger towns and cities, has been small. In urban areas, where ground water is used for municipal and industrial supplies, ground water levels have declined mainly because of pumping wells, the report reveals.

In addition to a general description of the geography and geology of Boone county, a supplemental section of graphs, maps, a table of well records, chemical analysis and a bibliography, has been included. Bulletin 4 may be obtained by writing to the water resources division and the price is 50 cents. They will be ready for distribution by February 1st.

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HOW TO SHOP FOR**A REAL BARGAIN**

Sale dresses can be real bargains or they may be just so much money thrown away, according to Miss Meta E. Martin and Frieda C. Stoll, Purdue clothing specialists. That depends upon how wise and careful the shopper is in her selections. Despite the excitement of getting low-cost clothes, the shopper who keeps her eyes open to design, fabric, size, fit, and construction can be really proud of her purchase.

Simple designs are found in the best choice of dresses. There is more chance of minor remodeling to bring the dress up to date if it is simple. Long use, suitability for many occasions, and less time required for upkeep are some other charms of the simple dress. The importance of choosing a design becoming to the individual is of greatest importance, the clothing specialists advise.

Even though it is a sale, time should be taken to read labels or ask for information on fabric content, special finishes, and cleaning. The customer should be sure the fabric is of good quality for satisfactory wear. Cost of upkeep deserves some consideration, especially if dry cleaning is necessary and precaution taken to see if the fabric resists wrinkling, snagging, or stretching.

Size and fit can only be determined

by trying the dress on. Shoulders, armholes, length of blouse, skirt and sleeves should be checked for correct fit. The dress should be comfortable when the woman is sitting, stooping, or reaching.

Without good construction, no matter how reduced the price, a dress will not be satisfactory in wear or appearance. The dress parts should be cut on the straight grain of the material and stitching should be suitable to the fabric. Generous seam allowances and well made plackets are other points to check. If there is any trim, it should be easy to wash and iron. Dresses with skimpy gores and too few gathers often mean poor construction.

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NEWCASTLE TOWNSHIP NEWS

The guests at the home of Mr. Lou Grove Saturday and Sunday evening were Mrs. Charles Good and Mr. and Mrs. Verde Brockey. The evening was spent in playing cards.

Mr. and Mrs. Gall Mathews and family of Inwood were the Sunday guests of her mother, Mrs. Maude Kinzie.

Mrs. Robert A. Calvert has been on the sick list. But is able to be out and around at this time.

Mr. Lavoy Montgomery spent Friday afternoon in Mentone.

There was a large number of basket-ball fans who accompanied the Talma Hickories to Plymouth where the Hickories met the West High School basket-ball five on Friday evening.

Mrs. Aggie Kramer of Plymouth was

the recent guest of her mother, Mrs. Maude Kinzie.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wenger attended the funeral of his cousin, Mrs. Roscoe Pontious which was held Sunday afternoon in the Zimmerman Bros. funeral home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Montgomery and Lavoy spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

George Coplen and Elza Thompson spent Saturday evening in Rochester.

Roy Ailer and Ralph Hatfield were business visitors in Rochester Friday afternoon.

Mr. Lou Grove has returned to South Bend after spending a few days here.

Mr. and Mrs. Loren Kramer were legal business visitors in Rochester Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Barkman were called to Rochester Sunday to attend the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Roscoe Pontious, which was held Sunday afternoon in the Zimmerman Bros. funeral home.

Dr. Emery Anderson of Mentone was a recent visitor here.

COUNTRY NEIGHBORS CLUB MEETS

Mrs. Leroy Norris assisted by Mrs. Uda Maxwell entertained the country neighbors Home Economic club Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Robert Cook presided over the business meeting. The pledge to the flag was given followed by the club creed. Mrs. Charles Shock gave the devotions. Mrs. Wilbert Utter read the history of the song of the month. Mrs. Richard Noty led in singing "Auld Lang Syne." Roll call was answered by "My most prized Christmas gift." A donation was given to the March of Dimes. Secret pal gifts were received by Mrs. Allen Herendeen, Mrs. Russel Walters, Mrs. Jim Richardson, and Mrs. Richard Noty. Mrs. Earl Zent received a special gift.

An auction was held. The guest speaker was Miss Peck, the home demonstration agent. Mrs. Frank Nellans and Mrs. Frank Meredith had charge of the program. Wayne Baker and Joe Good showed pictures on "Victory Garden, Home Freezing and Kids Must Eat." Refreshments were served buffet style to Miss Peck, Mrs. Bertha Sarber and the complete membership of the club. The February meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wilbert Utter.

HEALTH FACTS FROM YOUR STATE BOARD OF HEALTH

Research in methods of isolating the germ causing brucellosis in an effort to assist in the diagnosis of this disease is being conducted at the laboratories of the Indiana State Board of Health according to Dr. Samuel R. Damon, director of the laboratories at the Board of Health.

"Attempts will be made to develop new methods for isolating the Brucella germ which we hope will be an improvement over the plate method now used," Dr. Damon said. "We are starting our research with blood cultures from animals known to have Bang's disease. Humans are infected from the animals having Bang's disease."

Miss Kathleen Gay, bacteriologist, will be in charge of the research. Miss Gay is a graduate of Mississippi State College for Women and did graduate work at the School of Hygiene and Public Health, Johns Hopkins University.

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The following program was given: A piano solo was given by Marilyn Rathon, and a history of Mentone was given by Mrs. Edna Carey.

A song, "Good Old Mentone," was given by Shirley Igo, Mary Drudge and Barry Igo. Also among the junior guests, was Cara Lynn Fenstermaker.

During the social hour the hostesses served delicious refreshments. Chapter adjourned to meet on February 22 at home of Mrs. Stanley Boggs with Mrs. Dora Taylor as assisting hostess.

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Carl Gross left for Ft. Knox, Ky., on last Thursday evening. Carl has joined the army for a year. His family will join him there in a month.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Tucker plan to spend the next month or so in Tampa, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Snyder and daughter are spending two weeks in Colorado Springs visiting the Mont Snyders.

Mrs. Milo Fawly submitted to a herniotomy Tuesday at the McDonald hospital. She probably will be there for about 10 days.

Mrs. Dora Norris was dismissed from the McDonald hospital Sunday after spending 46 days there for treatment of a fractured leg.

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Mrs. J. D. Long and Miss Zoe Essick spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Leo Long and daughter at Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rittenhouse and two children, of Elkhart, visited in the Artley Cullum home a short time on Sunday afternoon.

There are several absences in the Mentone school because of chicken pox and the flu.

PSI IOTA XI MEETS

Mrs. Max Nellans and Mrs. C. J. Riner were hostesses to the members and one guest of Psi Iota Xi Sorority at the home of the former on Thursday evening, Jan. 20th.

Four tables of bridge progressed during the evening, with prizes for high score going to Mrs. Earl Anderson and Mrs. William Hudson. Mrs. Wilvin Teel won the door prize.

It was decided that Mrs. Nellans and Mrs. Marshall Parker should represent the sorority at the annual mid-year luncheon to be held in Indianapolis on Saturday, January 29th.

Others present were Mrs. M. O. Bryan, Mrs. Ralph Ward, Mrs. Maude Snyder, Mrs. Harold Utter, Mrs. Esther Shoemaker, Mrs. Delford Nelson, Annabell Mentzer, and Mrs. Kathleen Camplejohn. Mrs. Robert Riewoldt was a guest of the sorority.

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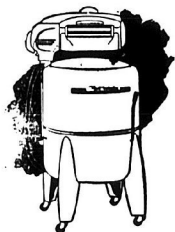
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Unemployment compensation benefits so generous that most workers would find it more profitable to loaf than continue at their jobs, as proposed in H. B. 69, the official CIO bill, now before the Indiana General Assembly, is attacked in the weekly legislative bulletin of the Indiana State Chamber of Commerce.

Claiming that the proposed amendments to the Employment Security Act would convert the jobless pay program into a "pie counter for all comers," the Chamber cites practical examples proving that a man would be foolish

to stay on his job after he has worked long enough to establish benefit rights.

By increasing maximum weekly benefits of \$2.50 each per week, up to a \$40 weekly maximum, H. B. 69 would make it possible for a person who had been earning \$20 a week or less to draw benefits of \$40 per week.

The bill would extend unemployment compensation coverage to employers of three or more persons; and would eliminate the present one-week waiting period.

The case of a \$35.00 per week married man with 3 children has been computed. His "take-home" pay after tax and work expense deductions would be \$31.65 but if he quit work he could draw \$38.00. The Chamber points out that this is a "bonus" of \$6.35 per week for not working.

Other features of the bill which would sabotage the present job insurance program are proposals to pay benefits to strikers (with no waiting period) and to eliminate merit rating under which employers who provide steady work earn the right to lower rates. The Chamber cites the injustice of paying strike benefits out of public funds and reminds that Indiana is in competition with other states for new industries and the flat rate of 2.7%

would be objected to by all prospective employers except those who did not plan to operate with stable employment.

Elimination of the 6-week benefit reduction for voluntary quits without good cause, discharges for misconduct on the job and refusals to accept suitable work along with removal of present benefit in eligibility of people who leave the labor market to marry or for other domestic obligation along with all other effective safeguards against "chiseling" could throw the unemployment compensation program into such disrepute as to lead to its destruction, the Chamber claims in its analysis of the bill now being considered by the Labor Committee of the House of Representatives.

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Enthusiasm for collecting and studying insects is increasing rapidly among Indiana youth as evidenced by the popularity of the project in this field for 4-H club boys and girls.

W. R. Amick, of the state 4-H club staff at Purdue University, says that both farm and urban boys and girls have been interested in the project. This is particularly true with those from the towns and cities as it offers all of the advantages of club work to those who do not possess crops or livestock necessary to enter many of the more conventional projects.

Members of the entomology clubs, the name given to the study of insect life, make collections of insects which are mounted on pins, labeled, and displayed in glass-top boxes. These collections are always "attention getters" and frequently steal the show when displayed at county fairs or other shows. The annual exhibit at the Indiana State Fair is the largest and

best in the country, Mr. Amick says. Several hundred dollars in prize money is also offered in the State Fair classes which are open to any entomology club member.

The popularity of the club has led to a system of making display boxes, collecting equipment, and identification manuals readily available to those enrolled.

Mr. Amick says that the educational value of the project cannot be underestimated since insects must be contended with in every walk of life. Youth interested in joining such a club should contact the county agricultural extension agent.

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By JIM MITCHELL

As the old year blends with the new, it is a good time for all sportsmen to take stock, balance the books and start a fresh page in the outdoor ledger marked 1949.

As reports come to our desk from scattered parts of the nation it's easy to see that 1948 was a good year—fishing was better and hunting was near the top of its cycle. Naturally, not all places enjoyed better hunting and fishing, but the good overshadowed the bad and the average was up over 1947.

Probably the brightest spot in hunting is the waterfowl picture. After hitting rock bottom, the duck and goose populations are on the increase. Lower bag limits and shorter gunning seasons probably had a hand in this increase, but give Nature a pat on the back for supplying a good breeding season in the northland for the water birds.

Also 1948 saw a leveling off of hunting pressure. The number of people in the field was of skyscraper proportions in comparison to pre-war figures but down slightly from 1947. Fishing licenses, however, were up in 1948 over the previous year.

We're carrying a healthy balance into 1949 in both game and fish, but to keep this balance all sportsmen must lend a helping hand.

For one thing, 1949 should see the

upping of the federal duck stamp. Now don't scream about this for we'd like to see the extra revenue go for more rigid enforcement of the waterfowl regulations, eliminating the pot-shooting and illegal kill of ducks and geese. And the only way these disgraceful items can be stopped is to have more men in the field enforcing the laws.

No true sportsman should complain about paying a couple of bucks more for the right to hunt ducks and geese—if this extra money assured him of more game to gun for.

The new year, too, should see more and more sportsmen falling into line in abandoning the "legal limits" in favor of the more sensible limit of only the game that's needed for the table. This state or that one says you can kill 10 quail or four pheasants or 12 rabbits, but why kill that many birds or animals if you can use only half that number in feeding your family. The same is true of fish, for far too frequently we're all inclined to take the legal limit when we can use only half that number.

In 1949 more sportsmen should take active interest in sportsman's clubs, rather than letting just a "few" of the boys do all the work in helping conserve our wildlife resources.

Yes, 1949 should be a year for all of us to pull together and work hard in keeping the great outdoors productive in grand sport.

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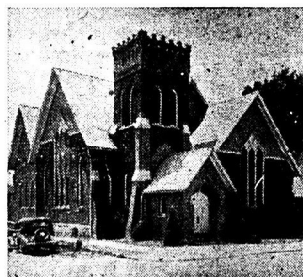
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FARM BUILDINGS MUST WORK FOR OPERATOR

"Farm buildings should be tools—not monuments to a long-gone generation."

This statement by Dr. L. S. Hardin, farm management specialist, Purdue University, sums up the idea that farm buildings should first of all be functional. He points out a number of tests which farmers, planning to remodel or build, may apply in determining whether or not the contemplated structure is to be a working tool.

A foremost requirement is that they be flexible enough in design to permit changes in farm enterprises without too much remodeling.

Furthermore, the original cost of buildings should be as low as is consistent with efficient operation. Average original costs of buildings per animal as reported by farmers include \$200 to \$300 per dairy cow; \$25 to \$50 per beef cow; \$50 to \$80 per sow and \$3 to \$5 per hen. If the life of the structure is very short, these figures

are too high. If the building will last 40 years or more, and not go out of date, it is possible that a cost slightly higher than the original is justified.

The economist adds that perhaps farmers should strive to build with just enough permanence so that the structure will be worn out when it is outdated. Although the building has a long life and a low depreciation, it is of little advantage if it was designed for horse stables and the need now is for a tractor shed.

Buildings are working forces when they earn the storage cost on crops and supplies. If a building makes possible livestock production which otherwise could not have been, that building has worked, in the opinion of the economist. Furthermore, buildings take work off the farmer's back when they decrease, ease, or make the chore labor more pleasant. In a few cases, the building may be the showcase for selling purchased livestock or certified seed. Such a building serves as a salesman.

Icy barnyards may be hazardous to cows. A slip on the ice may mean a broken leg or injury to udder and teats. The bad luck may develop into a severe case of mastitis. Temporary roping off of a slippery area with rope and steel stakes, until the area is sanded, may save a long story of grief, Purdue University dairymen say.

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SPRING DAMAGE

When does mechanical drying of corn make sense? Is mechanical drying efficient for all farms?

Obviously the time to dry corn is before damage occurs in the spring, and drying soon after harvest is preferred. Purdue University agricultural

engineers base some answers to these questions on observations made this past year. Costs, however, vary and depend upon the amount of water in the corn when the drier goes to work, whether it is ear corn or shelled corn, how low a moisture is obtained, and the cost of fuel oil or electricity.

Recent tests have shown that for efficient methods, the fuel oil and elec-

tricity cost about three cents a bushel for ear corn an dsightly less than three cents for shelled corn to bring 25 per cent moisture ear corn down to an 18 per cent level and shelled corn having 25 per cent moisture to 14 per cent, the safe levels for storing.

In addition to the fuel costs, the engineers point out that there is an investment of \$800 to \$1200 for special

drying equipment. Approximately ten per cent annually is allowed for depreciation. Labor and costs of adapting cribs as well as labor required to carry on the drying operation must also be considered.

Obviously the more bushels dried, the lower the depreciation or fixed costs per bushel. Roughly, however, the total cost of drying 25 per cent ear corn to 18 per cent or lower at a volume of 4,000 to 6,000 bushels a year would cost around eight to twelve cents a bushel.

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I cannot say, and I will not say

That he is dead, he is just away!

With a cherry smile, and a wave of the hand,

He has wandered into an unknown land.

And left us dreaming how very fair

It need must be, since he lingers there

And you—oh you, who the wildest yearn

For the old-time step and the glad return.

Think of him faring on, as dear

I 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.

Mrs. Jesse Newell, children and grandchildren.

Clifford Bradway will hold a public auction Tuesday, Feb. 1, 7 miles South and 1 mile West of Mentone. Cattle, hogs, feed, farm machinery, household goods.

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ADAM BOWENS HEAR —

(Continued from front page)

family of four did perish in the storm. They were going to their ranch in an auto when the storm hit and they were soon stranded and frozen to death.

Your editor recently heard from a friend in Montana and they stated they had been having a pretty rough winter, with many days of 30 degrees below zero and lots of snow. Sheep and cattle herds were requiring large amounts of hay and grain and indications were that many herds would have to be reduced to conform with the available feed supplies.

Many who have never witnessed a real western blizzard may wonder why people become stranded so easily or caught so unexpectedly as to perish in these storms. It would be impossible to adequately describe such a storm, but vision a wide open area that may extend fifty to a hundred miles in all directions, with only a few scattered ranch houses hidden behind protective hills and practically no trees or shrubs to slow down a strong wind. On a cold day snow is dry and powdery and may blow for miles before coming to rest behind a small ridge or highway side-ditch. Just a mere trace of white snow on the ground may start to move like whirling spirals of smoke across the road. In a matter of minutes—ten, fifteen or thirty—there may be drifts as high as the top of a car radiator.

If a car stalls, one man with a large scoop shovel cannot shovel snow out as rapidly as drifting snow accumulates. Many a time I have shoveled a three or four foot track for an auto wheel and then found, when I had shoveled the same size track for the other wheel that there was nothing but a velvet-smooth blanket of snow where I had first shoveled.

Western ranchers usually are alert to such possibilities, but even with the best of care—like driving automobiles on Indiana highways—misfortunes do occur.

PENNY SUPPER SATURDAY

Don't forget the Penny Supper Saturday evening at the Methodist church. Serving from 5 to 7 p.m. Please come.

We will serve:

- Chicken pie
- Baked Ham
- Potatoes
- Beans
- Corn
- Variety of relishes & Salads
- Cake or pie
- Tea or Coffee

Mr. and Mrs. Don Baum and Mrs. R. E. Riner entertained at dinner Sunday, Mrs. Sadie Black, Mr. and Mrs. George Black and son, Brook, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Black.

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- Golden Table SYRUP **5 lb. 49c**
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