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EIGHT JAPANESE SURRENDER TO MENTONE FIGHTING MAN

WITH THE THIRTY-EIGHTH (Cyclone) DIVISION ON LUZON.—Capturing eight Japs without firing a shot is a neat trick if you can do it and T/S Kenneth W. Horn of Mentone, Ind. did it. He couldn't help himself.

One day Horn, accompanied by his assistant driver was rolling along at a good clip down a winding mountain road. Suddenly Horn and Pfc. Ralph G. Kuhlhorst, of St. Marys, Ohio, saw eight Japs move out on the road about 100 yards in front of their truck. Horn couldn't decide whether to speed past the Japs or stop and shoot it out. He decided on the latter, so he slammed on the brakes and reached for his rifle. But the Japs apparently were tired of the war and indicated they were ready to sign a separate peace, so Horn and Kuhlhorst loaded the Nips in the back of their truck and resumed their journey—all the while casting uneasy glances backward. But they delivered the Japs to their battalion command post without further incident.

Horn, the driver of Headquarters Co. Third Battalion 152nd (Ind.) Infantry has been overseas 16 months. He served previously in Hawaii, New Guinea and Leyte.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Horn of Route 1, Mentone.

MEMORIAL SERVICES MAY 6TH FOR THREE DEPARTED SOLDIERS

Memorial services will be held at the honor roll board on Sunday, May 6th, starting at twelve o'clock noon. The services will be in honor of three Mentone lads who recently gave their lives that democracy may continue to live at home and abroad. The soldiers are: Pfc. Dwayne Bergstrom.
Pfc. Lewis Fawley.
Lt. Harold Stickler.

TO OBSERVE 50TH ANNIVERSARY

On May 15, Union Lodge I. O. O. F. of Tippecanoe, invites the public to unite with them in observing the 50th anniversary of the institution of the lodge there, and the 126th anniversary of Oddfellowship in America.

The program will begin at 8:00 o'clock in the school gym. A good program is being planned. A good band has been secured for the evening.

YOUTH FOR CHRIST RALLY SATURDAY, MAY 12, 8:00 P. M.

All young people notice. The first "Youth for Christ" meeting to be held in this community will be held at the First Baptist church in Mentone. This movement has spread like wildfire from coast to coast and has proved a great blessing and an inspiration to the young people of our land. The speaker for this occasion will be the popular radio and Youth for Christ speaker, Dr. Harry Hager, of Chicago. His timely subject will be "For Such a Time as This". A special musical program has been arranged with some of the best talent of our community participating.

The Youth for Christ meetings will be held once each month. The next meeting is scheduled for June 16th. Young peoples speakers from various parts of the country have been engaged and special music will be featured in all meetings.

Remember the date, May 12th, at 8:00 p. m. Plan now to rally the young people of your church and come to this Youth for Christ rally.

Everybody welcome.

BIRTHDAY CLUB MEETS

The Birthday Club met Friday at the home of Mrs. William Schooley of Mentone. A pot luck dinner was enjoyed at the noon hour. Those present were: Mrs. Kenneth Hart and daughter, Linda Lou, Mrs. Allen Hart, Mrs. Robert Schooley and daughters, Janice, Lanya and Cheryl Ann, Mrs. Dwight Reichard and Mrs. George Grubbs and daughters Barbara, Mary and Jean and sons Billy, Norman Lee and Ronald, all of Warsaw; Mrs. Jesse Molebash of Etna Green; Mrs. Ray Alexander and daughter, Linda, Mrs. William Bradbury, Mrs. Howard Bradbury and sons, Jack and Roy, Mrs. Bill Bradbury and daughter Sue, Mrs. Clifford Harley and daughters, Norma and Dorothy, of Atwood; Mrs. Robert Parker and daughters Patricia Darlene and Betty Ann, of Claypool and Mrs. William Walters of Mentone. The honored guest received many lovely presents. Mrs. Robert Parker was in charge of entertainment and a fine time was had by all. Afternoon callers were Mrs. Underhill, Mrs. Shinn, and Mrs. Fisher and daughter of Mentone. Everyone departed wishing her many more happy birthdays.

REV. JANIS LAUPMANIS, CONVERTED COMMUNIST TO SPEAK

Rev. Janis Laupmanis will speak at 3:15 May 7 at the Methodist Church in connection with the Warsaw District Conference. The following is his Life Story:

I am a citizen of Latvia. For several years I lived in Russia and for four years I was a member of the Communist Party. My mother became a Christian because of American Methodist work in that country. My mother's influence led me to Christ.

Two times I have been stabbed with a knife by those who would take my life. I have suffered imprisonment because of my Christian convictions. As far as I know my people are suffering in Siberia; my father died there when I was six years old.

I received my theological education and Ministerial ordination in Latvia. In 1936 I became a member of the Baltic and Slavic Conference of the Methodist Church.

During the four years I spent in Great Britain lecturing and studying I spoke many times in the leading churches of the country. I addressed congregations as large as 2,500. During the worst days of the war I was an-air raid warden in Birmingham, England.

I left Great Britain on January 24, 1941, and after three weeks of dangerous traveling I arrived in the U. S. A. It was a joy to see the light shining from the shores of the U. S. A. — it was like the light of heaven shining toward me and I scarcely could believe that I was still alive.

YOUTH GROUP VISITS CHICAGO

The members of the Baptist Youth Fellowship enjoyed a trip to Chicago Saturday. Places of interest visited included: The Museum of Science and Industry; China Town; Moody Bible Institute; Radio Station WMBI, and Chicagoland Youth for Christ Rally at Orchestra Hall.

They also rode the elevated trains, the subway and upper deck buses and shopped in the loop. There were 24 in the group.

The War Mothers are expected to attend the V-E day services at the Baptist church, as announced on another page in this issue. They expect to attend in a body.

HARRY T. EATON, 57, DIES AT HOME NEAR BURKET

Harry Thomas Eaton, 57, a native of Sevastopol and life-long resident in Franklin township, passed away at his farm home near Burket at 11:15 a. m. Thursday, following an illness of about three years. His death was caused by myocarditis.

Mr. Eaton was born August 8, 1887, the son of Thomas Eaton and Katherine Bowman Eaton. He was married some years ago to Zore Summe.

Surviving relatives include the widow, four sons, Emmett Eaton of Akron, Charles Eaton, of Warsaw, Stewart Eaton, with the army in Germany and Billy Eaton at home; one daughter, Betty June Eaton, at home; four brothers, Robert Eaton, of Elkhart, Victor and Grover Eaton, both of Claypool, and Charles Eaton, of Montana; and three sisters, Mrs. E. C. Good and Mrs. Edwin Shriver, both of Elkhart, and Mrs. Myrtle Weiss, of Claypool.

The body was removed to the Summe funeral home in Silver Lake, where services were conducted Saturday at 2 p. m., Rev Levi Hill officiating.

Burial was in the cemetery at Palestine.

BARE RE-TRIAL SCHEDULED TO BEGIN ON MAY 21ST

The case of the Northern Indiana Co-Operative Association, of Mentone, against Raymond Bare, former treasurer of the firm, on a charge of embezzlement, has been set to start in circuit court on May 21st.

The case was tried last October and the jury in the case failed to reach a verdict.

DEPUTY GOVERNOR AT LIONS MEETING WEDNESDAY

C. I. Bashore, of Silver Lake and deputy district-governor of Lions clubs in this area, attended the regular meeting of the Lions club Wednesday evening. He spoke briefly on "Rehabilitation," and his talk, based on a true-life story, illustrated his point very forcibly.

The Lions members set Friday evening, May 4, as the time to gather at the Co-Op. building department and sort and pack the used clothing secured in the recent United Nations Relief campaign.

Church Notes



METHODIST CHURCH
Mentone, Ind.

Rev. A. G. Simmons, Pastor

Promptness and faithfulness will bring success.

The W.S.C.S. will meet this Friday night at the home of Mrs. Cook.

Morning Worship 10:00.

Subject, "What We Think of Christ". Junior church at this hour in charge of Mrs. Simmons.

Sabbath School 11:00. Raymond Lash superintendent.

Classes for all ages.

Junior Youth Fellowship 6:30.

Senior Youth Fellowship 6:30

Evening Worship 7:30.

Subject, "Upstream Christians."

Warsaw District Conference Monday from 8:00 to 4:00. A fine program has been prepared to which the public is invited.

Tuesday 8:00 the choir will practice at the church.

Thursday 7:30 the W.S.C.S. Study class will meet to study the book of Ephesians.

Bring your guests, friends, and neighbors to all these services where a hearty welcome awaits you.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Mentone, Ind.

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Workers Prayer Meeting9:15 A.M.

Everyone welcome. Teachers and officers are expected to attend.

Bible School 9:30 A.M.

Classes for all ages, including a nursery for the babies.

Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.

Subject, "Saved and Lost".

Young People's Fellowship.....7:00 P.M.

The young people's meeting will be given over to the planning for the Youth for Christ Rally. All members are urged to be present.

Booster Band 7:00 P.M.

Mrs. Ralston, director.

Bible Study Class 7:00 P.M.

Everyone welcome.

Mrs. Truman Long, teacher.

Sunday Evening Service 8:00 P.M.

Subject, "Is It True".

Tuesday 8:00 P.M.

Orchestra practice.

Thursday 8:00 P.M.

Prayer meeting and Bible study.

Thursday 9:00 P.M.

Choir practice.

Friday evening, May 11 8:00 P.M.

The Winners class meeting at the parsonage.

Saturday, May 12 8:00 P.M.

Youth for Christ Rally. All young people are urged to attend. Dr. Harry Hager, of Chicago, will be the speaker. Special music from various parts of our community.

E. COLEMAN RALSTON, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Mentone, Ind.

The following is the church schedule of services:

Bible Study, Sunday 9:30

Preaching Sunday 10:45

Communion Sunday 11:30

Sunday Evening—

Sings and Preaching 7:30

Mid-week activities—

Prayer Meeting .. Thursday 7:30

A BIBLE MESSAGE

By REV. E. COLEMAN RALSTON

"The Bible"

"Forever, O Lord, Thy Word is settled in heaven." Psa. 119:152.

Is the Bible trustworthy? Last week we stated that we believe the Bible to be the Word of God because of its many infallible proofs, one of them being its prophecies and their accurate fulfillment. The prophecy mentioned last week was the captivity of Israel predicted over 700 years before it was to be fulfilled. This week, if you will turn to Isa. 39:5-7 you will see where God spake to Hezekiah, king of Israel, through his prophet, Isaiah,

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and told him that "the days come, that all that is in thy house, and that which thy fathers have laid up in store until this day, SHALL BE CARRIED TO BABYLON: nothing shall be left, saith the Lord. And of thy sons that thou shalt beget, shall they take away; and THEY SHALL BE EUNUCHS IN THE PALACE OF THE KING OF BABYLON." Many years later, this prophecy was fulfilled to the very letter when Nebuchadnezzar, king of Babylon, besieged Jerusalem and took Jehoiakim, king of Israel, and all of his possessions including his children and the vessels from the house of God and took them to BABYLON. Read Dan. 1:1-4 and you will find that the whole prophecy was fulfilled. It will be remembered by the Bible student that these as well as other woes which befell the children of Israel were foretold by God hundreds of years before this as recorded in the 26th chapter of Leviticus. Here he had promised

them manifold blessings "if ye walk in my statutes, and keep my commandments and do them, . . . "then I will be your God and ye shall be my people." But if they should "not harken unto me, and will not do these commandments, and if ye shall despise my statutes and walk contrary unto me; then will I walk contrary unto you also in fury; and I, even I, will chastise you seven times for your sins." God finally had to punish Israel with all of these chastisements which we will consider next week. The Psalmist said, "Forever, Lord, thy word is settled in heaven". God has fulfilled many of his prophecies and He will fulfill all that He has made. Jesus said, "For verily I say unto you, till heaven and earth pass, one jot or one tittle shall in no wise pass from the law, until all be fulfilled." Matt. 5:18. And remember, dear reader, He has made some prophecies concerning you. To be continued.

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The Royal Neighbors met at the home of Mrs. Fern Blue Tuesday evening. The meeting was opened with the Oracle, Mary Borton, presiding. After the regular order of business, plans were made for decorating graves of deceased members May 30th. The mystery package was won by Fern Blue. The meeting was closed with camp prayer by Lydia Rynearson.

The next meeting will be with Neighbor Pearl Fenstermaker, with Thelma Hibschan assisting.

Mrs. Blue and her assistant, Mildred Friesner, served delicious lunch to the Neighbors and one guest, Mrs. Wise. —Reporter.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Lloyd Creakbaum is home and improving and wishes to thank his many friends for their cards, flowers and other acts of kindness.

**NOTICE TO THOSE INTERESTED
IN NICHOLS CEMETERY**

Anyone wanting to mow and clean up their lots in the Nichols cemetery, feel free to do so, and it will be greatly appreciated by the Trustees, as it is impossible to hire help to keep the cemetery mowed this summer.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cook were Warsaw callers Monday.

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**NEWCASTLE TOWNSHIP SOCIAL
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The social and Educational meeting of the Newcastle Township Farm Bureau met at the country home of Mrs. Joe Grass Thursday, April 26. The meeting opened with community singing led by Mrs. Frank Arter with Mrs. Frank Meredith at the piano. Prayer was offered by Mrs. Richard Graves of Rochester, and the scripture was read by Mrs. Walter Safford.

Roll call was answered with "Garden Hints." A short business session followed with members being asked to remember the sick with cards. Mrs. Harold Carruthers, Fulton county war food administrator, gave a very worthwhile talk on "Gardening, the proper Way to Plant and the Care of the Garden". The meeting was then turned

over to the program committee with Mrs. Cleo Dudge in charge.

A clarinet and saxophone trio, Barbara Duzenbury, Mary Ann Gamby and Joan Long and a duet by Susie Drudge and Barbara Duzenbury was enjoyed. An exchange of seeds, bulbs and plants and an auction sale followed with Mrs. Doris Long as auctioneer.

The hostess and assistants served refreshments to 52 members, guests and children. The hostess committee for the May 31 meeting will be Mesdames Wilvin Long, Orval Long, Jay Long, Wallace Morris and Roy Maxwell. The Program committee will be Mesdames Clarence Peterson and Ransford Peterson, and Mesdames Albert Eisert and Main Deamer will have charge of the meeting.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to extend our thanks to everyone who remembered us after we received the sad news of the death of Pfc. Dwayne Bergstrom, in the Philippines. The cards, letters and words of sympathy were all appreciated greatly.

MRS. LOIS BERGSTROM
and DAUGHTER
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arrows.

Out-of-state residents are required to obtain a special archers' license but residents of Indiana must purchase only the regular hunting license.

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At the request of the Indiana Archers Association, the Tippecanoe River State Park and the Versailles State Park have been opened to archery hunting. Milton Matter, director of the Indiana Department of Conservation, announced today.

Special sections of both parks will be restricted for use of archers during the hunting season, Mr. Matter said. Rules governing other forms of hunting generally apply to hunting with bows and

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TOWNSHIP NEWS

By Lavoy Montgomery

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Meiser, of Rochester, called on Mrs. Nelson Overmyer Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lamb and son Charles, of Kokomo, called on Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hubbard Sunday evening.

Mrs. Charles Emmons and family have returned to their home here, after spending the past week in South Bend.

Mr. Charles Good and son, Joe are spending a few days in Warren the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Good.

Mrs. Frank Souther, of Hammond, came Saturday to spend the week here at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Walker, of Indianapolis, are spending some time here at their summer home.

Miss Lois Jane Barr, of Gary, spent the week-end here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barr.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold 'Pete' Walters, a son, at the Woodlawn hospital in Rochester, Thursday, April 26. Mrs. Walters and infant son were removed to their home here, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Bob Kramer, who has been taking treatments in the Riley hospital at Indianapolis, is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Loren Kramer.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barr have received word from their son, Cpl. Billy Barr, that he has arrived safely in France.

Mr. and Mrs. Enos Feece of Culver called on Mrs. Frank Souther, Sunday afternoon.

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

Mrs. Loren Kramer, who has been on the sick list is able to be up and around.

Mrs. Robert Calvert and family have returned to their home after spending a few days in Fort Meade, Maryland, the guest of her husband, Pvt. Robert Calvert.

Mrs. Lou Grove attended the funeral of her raunt, Mrs. Mat Burns, at Akron, Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. Glen Emmons, who has been on the sick list for sometime isn't quite so well at this time.

Mr. Charley Emmons, of Kewanna, underwent a major operation at the Woodlawn hospital in Rochester, recently. Mr. Emmons was formerly of this place.

Mrs. L. W. Hatfield has returned to

her home after spending some time in Chicago the guest of her son, and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Hatfield.

Mrs. Lu Miller of near Bourbon, is the guest of Mrs. Della Emmons. Mrs. Miller is formerly of this community. Mrs. Warren Bowser spent Wednesday in Rochester, on business.

Mr. Warren Bowser, of South Bend, spent the week end here, the guest of his wife, Mrs. Ada Bowser.

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News of Mentone and Vicinity

Mrs. Flo Borton is spending this week in Wabash.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williamson were callers at Mrs. Esther Borton's Tuesday.

If your points are few, buy fish at the Mentone Locker Plant.

George Kings have moved to the former L. C. Bowen home.

Miss Phyllis Lemler visited friends in Nappanee Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. George Lyons of Warsaw was a caller in Mentone Monday.

Mr. Isaac Sarber, of Fort Wayne, was in Mentone Sunday, April 29th.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Tanis and children were Wednesday dinner guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Ralston.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Enyert and daughter Gertrude were week end guests at the Etta Halterman Home.

Mr. Arlo Friesner has been very sick the past few days but is improving some at present.

Rev. and Mrs. Hill attended the 66th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wallace, of Clunette, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Grossman, of Wolcottville, Ind., spent Sunday afternoon in the L. A. Foor home.

Mrs. Mabel Wilson, of Indianapolis, spent Saturday afternoon and evening with her sister, Mrs. Linus Borton and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vernet, of South Bend, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Vernet, Friday, April 27th.

Ocean Perch, Haddock, Catfish, and Cod Fillets at the MENTONE LOCKER PLANT.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Warner, of Silver Lake, were Saturday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Bunner.

Mr. and Mrs. Abe Whetstone and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Holloway and sons were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. William F. Cook, and Susie Blue and daughter Norma, visited William Blue and family in South Bend, Sunday.

Mrs. Kathleen Camplejohn spent the week-end in Evanston, Illinois, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ira D. Anderson and sons.

Mrs. Lydia Rynearson was in Indianapolis a few days last week visiting her nephew, Fred Irvine, and his wife and family.

Mrs. Effie Personett and Mrs. Ida Blue attended the commencement services of their grandson, Myron Blue, of Bourbon and spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blue.

Miss Ellen Davis gave a lesson on "Music Appreciation," at the meeting of the Mentone Girl Scouts on April 19th. The young ladies appreciated and enjoyed the lesson.

Miss Norma Tinkey spent the week end with Miss Norma Jean Nellans.

Mrs. Myrtle Davis spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. J. W. Gross.

NO POINTS required on fish at the Mentone Locker Plant.

Miss Faye Onthank, of Ottumwa, Ia., is here spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Maude Onthank.

Janet Rose Reed, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Reed, invited nine of her school chums to her home Saturday afternoon to help here celebrate her ninth birthday. Games and contests were enjoyed, as was also the refreshments of ice cream, cake and candy served by Janet's mother. She received many nice gifts from her school chums.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carey and family, of South Whitley, were visitors at the Artley Cullum home Sunday. Mrs. Myrtle Reed, who has been staying with her daughters at South Whitley the past eight months, returned to Mentone to spend the summer at the Cullum home.

L. C. Bowen, former Mentone citizen who has been residing near Pierceton, was a Mentone caller this week.

Sgt. Glen Shafer, of the Marines, stopped in for a brief visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Shaffer, this week. He was on his way to California for reassignment.

Mrs. Marjorie Holm, of Bourbon, and Mrs. Everett Long, of Mentone, attended a convention of Beauty Parlor Operators, held at the Oliver Hotel in South Bend, Ind., Sunday, April 29.

Sergeant Chester C. Smith came to Fort Wayne on business and had to see his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ora Smith.

Sidney M. Sund of Burbank, Calif., is spending some time visiting his grandmother, Mrs. Maude Onthank, and great-grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Foor.

About seventy persons from the Baptist church of Mentone attended the service at the United Brethren church of Etna Green, Monday evening, at which Phil Saint, lightning artist, was the speaker.

Sgt. Howard J. Gross, of Mentone, has returned to camp Atterbury after a forty-eight day furlough. Sgt. Gross has been stationed at Trinidad for twenty-three months. He will report to his old station, just off the coast of South America.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Holloway went to Argos Thursday to attend the funeral of Dr. Robert Miller, 35. Dr. Miller was wounded in the jaw by shrapnel while serving in Europe, and when cancer developed he was returned to this country in December. Dr. Miller's wife is a cousin of Mr. Holloway.

Mr. and Mrs. James Myers entered

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tained at dinner last Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Martin Notz of near Mentone; Mrs. Jacob Barnes and granddaughter, Karen Barnes and Mrs. Amos Johnson and son, Lamar, all of Rochester; Mrs. Minnie Busenburg and daughter, Mary Jane and granddaughter, Suellen, of Mentone.

ANOTHER REMINDER FOR V-E DAY

As was announced in these columns in the issue of November 8, 1944, special plans have been made for a V-E Day community service at the Baptist church. If victory over Germany is declared before 6:00 p. m., the services will be held at 8:00 p. m. of the same day. If the announcement of victory should be made later than 6:00 p. m. the services will be held the following day, unless our President or some other authority should declare a certain V-E day. If such a day should be declared, the services will be held on that day. We invite the War Mothers and all other patriotic organizations to come to the services and sit in a body. Any of the several organizations wishing to have a part in the program, please contact the pastor.

Surely no more appropriate observance of victory could be made than for us to assemble at the house of God

for thanksgiving and praise for victory over Germany and for prayer for complete and final victory over Japan. Let us not forget that at least half of our boys are in the Pacific theatre of battle and that we should be much in prayer for them after our boys in Europe have been victorious.

Let us pray that the much desired news may come soon and make our plans to be present at the Victory Service.

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**ONE OF MENTONE'S OLDEST
CITIZENS DIES FRIDAY EVENING**

Mrs. Jane Blue, 94, a resident of the Mentone vicinity since a small child, passed away at 7:30 p. m. Friday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Tom Haimbaugh, here in Mentone. She had been in failing health for some time, and bedfast for the past twenty-two weeks. Her death resulted from complications and infirmities of her advanced age.

Mrs. Blue was born in Starke county, Ohio, on August 14, 1850. Her parents were Henry and Lucinda (Wood) Shatto. She grew up in Mentone and was married as a young woman to Benjamin Blue, who passed away 12 years ago after a successful life in the community as a farmer.

Surviving relatives include two daughters, Mrs. Haimbaugh, at whose home Mrs. Blue died, and Mrs. Elvin Jones, also of this place; two sons, Homer, of Mentone, and Con, of Denver, Ind.; four grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; one great-great-grandchild, and two sisters, Mrs. Lizzie Morgan, of Mentone, and Mrs. Katherine Hawk, of South Bend.

The body was removed to the Reed funeral home at Mentone where friends called until the time of the services at two o'clock Monday afternoon at the Baptist Church, where the deceased was a member. Rev. E. Coleman Ralston officiated. Burial was in the Mentone cemetery.

Those from out of town attending the funeral were: Mr. and Mrs. Wert Blue, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Wissler and son of Fort Wayne; Mrs. Kathryn Hawk, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hawk, Mrs. Russell Hawk and Mrs. Howard Repke, of South Bend; Mrs. Osie Blue of Indianapolis; Mr. and Mrs. U. R. Oldfather and son of Elkhart; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Blue and daughter of Chicago; Mrs. Bessie McDaniel and sister Cleo and Hollis Blue, of Syracuse; Mrs. Bertha Moriarity and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Severns and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Flory of Tippecanoe; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Anderson of Argos; Mr. and Mrs. Stine and daughter of Denver; Mrs. Lula Blue, Mrs. Cora Kochendiffer, Mrs. Mildred Helt and Mr. E. Haimbaugh and son of Rochester, and Mrs. Ella Styles, of Warsaw.

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**YOUTH FOR CHRIST RALLY
SATURDAY MAY 12 8:00 P. M.**

The first Tri-County (Kosciusko, Marshall, and Fulton Counties) Youth for Christ rally will be held in the First Baptist church of Mentone, Saturday night at 8:00 o'clock. Dr. Harry Hager, of Chicago, will be the speaker. A special musical program by some of the finest talent in the community has been arranged.

Everyone cordially invited.

**METHODIST CONFERENCE
MEETS IN MENTONE**

Last Monday the Mentone Methodist Church was host to the Warsaw District Conference. During the day 200 or more people attended the meeting which was presided over by Dr. Yeomans of Warsaw, the superintendent of the district. The high spot of the day was the address given by Rev. Janis Laupmanis, a member of the Baltic and Slavic Conference in Europe, a part of the Methodist program in that part of the world. Many questions were asked Rev. Laupmanis, which were answered by him, showing knowledge of his subject. He will return to Mentone for another address. He was at one time a leader of the youth in Russia in connection with the Stalin program.

The local contribution was music by a group of the High school students, directed by Miss Davis with Mrs. Art Cullum playing the accompaniment, and the youth of the Methodist church directed by Mrs. Eileen Fenstermaker with Mrs. Philip Blue playing the accompaniment. The W.S.C.S. served a very fine chicken dinner. All spoke highly of the entire day's program.

**MARSHALL W. BESSON WAS
AWARDED MEDICAL BADGE**

WITH THE 38TH DIVISION ON LUZON—(Special to Co-Op. News).—Tec/3 Marshall W. Besson, of Mentone, Indiana, a member of the 151st Infantry Medical Detachment, has just been awarded the Medical Badge.

This award is given to all medical corpsmen attached to a combat unit. Besson took part in the battle for Zig Zag Pass and the liberation of Bataan.

T/3 Besson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Besson who reside at RFD 1, Mentone, Indiana. He also holds the Asiatic-Pacific Ribbon with one campaign star, and the Philippines Liberation Ribbon with a star.

**MOTHER'S DAY PROGRAM
AT THE METHODIST CHURCH**

The following program has been prepared for Mother's Day, Sunday, May 13th, at the Mentone Methodist church:

Prelude—Mrs. Philip Blue.
Mothers Meditation — Mrs. Broda Clark.

Doxology—Congregation.

Bible Reading—Rea Ward.

Youth choir—"A Little Coon's Prayer."

Readings—Sue Borton and Jay Clutter.

Angels—Kent Riner.

Not One to Marry—Beverly Witham.

Pageant—The Altar to Mother.

Mother of Jesus—Mrs. Cowan.

Mother in Memoriam—Mrs. Borton.

Modern Mother—Mrs. Lockridge.

War Mother—Mrs. VanGilder.

Oracle—Eileen Kercher.

Patience, Forgiveness, Love and Kindness are represented by Barbara King, Jody Cullum, Jackie Blue and Phyllis Bowser.

Songs for the pageant will be given by Boyd Blue, Jon Cullum and Patty Witham.

Youth Choir—"When Mother Sang Hush-A-Bye, O."

Lesson Study.

At the close of Lesson Study a souvenir will be given to each one present. A gift will be given to the oldest and youngest mother present.

**CAPT. WENDELL C. ANDERSON
JOINS 31ST MEDICAL DIVISION**
**WITH THE DIXIE DIVISION IN
THE PHILIPPINES—(Special Release.**

—Captain Wendell C. Anderson, son of Dr. and Mrs. Emra D. Anderson, Mentone, Ind., has joined the 31st Infantry Division and has been assigned as a medical officer in a clearing company of the division's medical battalion. Capt. Anderson, who had previously served as a malariologist in New Guinea, joined the 31st just before it left Morotai for the Philippines. He has been overseas 18 months.

A graduate of the University of Indiana Medical College in 1934, Capt. Anderson studied public health at the University of Michigan the following year. He was a member of the Indiana State Board of Public Health before entering the service. Prior to shipping overseas he attended the Tropical and Military Medicine School in Washington.

V-E DAY QUIET HERE TUESDAY

V-E day in Mentone Tuesday was a very quiet affair in comparison with the wild orgies which followed the word of the armistice in 1918.

Mentone people were all glad to hear of the cessation of the fighting in Europe, and were mindful of the sacrifices made by the boys who were in the bitter battles. Few could feel too jubilant—they could not forget the struggle that is still going on in the Pacific. Many of the business places closed for part or all of the day and a great many of the citizens gathered at the Methodist and Baptist churches in the evening.

The businesses and plants engaged in prime or secondary war work remained in operation as usual.

We have the greatest of sympathy for each and every boy or girl who has given his or her life, or suffered any hardship whatsoever in any of our war theatres. Their every effort was made necessary by our negligence and there are few of us who can conscientiously say we are free from that guilt. A number of years before Hitler's hordes marched into Poland your editor had been writing warnings to our political planners about the impending conflict. Fate may have decreed the war, but it was nurtured by man.

May V-J Day come quickly.

OUR PRAYER

In the words of Abraham Lincoln, in his second inaugural address:

Fondly do we hope—ferently do we pray—that this mighty scourge of war may speedily pass away. Yet, if God wills that it continue * * * as was said three thousand years ago, so still it must be said, 'The judgments of the Lord are true and righteous altogether.'

With malice toward none; with charity for all, with firmness in the right, as God gives us to see the right, let us strive on to finish the work we are in; to bind up the nation's wounds, to care for him who shall have borne the battle and for his widow, and his orphan—to do all which may achieve and cherish a just and lasting peace. * * *

—Contributed by Rev. E. C. Ralston.

V-J DAY ANNOUNCEMENT

There will be a victory service for prayer and praise at the Baptist church when final victory is officially announced. Let us pray earnestly that it may be soon.

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**FORMER NEWCASTLE TWP.
WOMAN EXPIRES AT GARY**

Mrs. Orah F. Kesler, former Newcastle township resident, passed away at the home of her daughter in Gary Friday afternoon. She had been ill several months.

The deceased was a sister of Mrs. Frank Drudge of near Talma, and of Mrs. Milton Kesler, of Rochester.

Funeral rites were held at two o'clock Monday afternoon from the Talma Christian church and burial was made in the Richter cemetery near Talma.

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THE FLAG RETURNS

A mystery Wednesday evening was: What became of the flag atop the pole at the honor roll. When Officer Cook arrived to take it down for the day, it wasn't there—and no one seemed to know anything about it. The story finally was traced down.

It seems a couple of energetic and patriotic young lads were around the honor roll board, watching Old Glory wave in the breeze, when "mayor" Lemler drifted by after peddling baloney all day at his store. After fiddling with red and blue points all day he couldn't tell one stripe from another—and one of the boys asked if it wasn't about time to take the flag down? "Sure! Take her down!" said Fred and went on his way.

The boys were old enough to realize the tremendous realm of authority and magisterial dignity of a councilman, encompassing all the troubles of humanity from lovesick pooches to dust on the kitchen sink, and they never questioned the sincerity of the alderman's remarks.

Old Glory was neatly foulded in a military manner and gently laid away on the night watchman's desk ready to be hoisted into the sky on the morrow—if it could have been located in time.

Our flag's flying again—and the mayor is confining his remarks to business hours only.

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**BIG STOCK SHOW AND SALE
HELD HERE WEDNESDAY**

The Polled Shorthorn breeders of Northern Indiana held a purebred sale and show at the Mentone fair grounds Wednesday. The event was advertised widely in the breeder and trade magazines but few people knew of it locally.

The event was well represented with some fifty purebred and prized animals, and the sale prices indicated that the animals were of a very high type. Total proceeds of the sale amounted to around fifteen thousand dollars, with the top cow bringing \$810.

**THREE MILLION TREES
SHIPPED BY STATE**

Shipment of approximately 3,500,000 trees from three state-owned nurseries has been completed, the forestry division of the Indiana Department of Conservation announced today.

Although supplies of some species ran out before end of the shipping season, the division was able to handle most requests from Indiana residents,

T. E. Shaw, acting state forester, said. Trees are supplied to persons desiring to use them for erosion control or to replenish Indiana's dwindling forest reserves.

In order to assure a plentiful supply, more than 6,000,000 seeds were planted this spring at the Jackson State Forest and Nursery and the Jasper-Pulaski State Nursery, Mr. Shaw said.

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Pictures of Recent War Casualties



—Courtesy The Warsaw Times

PFC. LEWIS R. FAWLEY

The 24-year-old foster son of Mr. and Mrs. Adam Bowen, was killed in action in Germany on April 5 while serving with the engineering division of Patton's Third Army.

A letter from the chaplain informed Mr. and Mrs. Bowen that he was killed by artillery fire while taking troops across the Rhine. He and two other boys were killed at the same time. The bodies were soon recovered and taken to Holland for burial.

WORLD WAR MOTHERS GIVE MOTHER'S DAY PROGRAM

Mothers Day was appropriately celebrated Wednesday night by Mothers of World War No. 2, with a cooperative dinner at the Mentone High School. Eighty-four members and guests enjoyed the dinner, with Rev. Silas Hill asking the blessing. The business session followed the dinner.

The social committee took charge of the program, which consisted of group singing of "America" followed by prayer by Mrs. Minnie Busenberg. Rev. A. G. Simmons, of the Methodist church, then paid tribute to Motherhood which was enjoyed very much. "If," a poem, was read by Mrs. Onthank. Rev. Hill was then introduced and he paid tribute to "Mothers and Children," fol-

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—Courtesy The Warsaw Times

LIEUT. HAROLD STICKLER

Lt. Stickler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stickler, of near Harrison Center, was killed in combat action over Germany a short time ago. He graduated from the Mentone High School.

lowed by his reading a poem, "Mother's Boy," which was very touching. Rev. Hill's messages are always enjoyed and appreciated by his audiences.

A duet, "Mother's Prayers Have Followed Me," by Mrs. Lillian Witham and Mrs. Charlotte Dillman was accompanied by Mrs. Onthank.

Mr. Kelley, superintendent of the Mentone school, was then introduced, and his message went to the hearts of all present. His subject, "Mothers and War Sons," was very appropriate since nearly all of the servicemen whose names are on our honor roll have gone to school at some time in his life, to Mr. Kelley.

During the dinner a huge tiered birthday cake bearing the words, "Happy Birthday Mother Wagner," was a surprise presentation to our first president (now past president), Mrs. Ethel Wagner. May 9th was her ??? birthday.

Before the meeting was dismissed with the benediction by the chaplain, Mrs. Stanford, several awards were made by Mrs. Charlotte Dillman. These awards were given by Mother Wagner and this very pleasant part of the program was her own happy idea. The first award, to the oldest mother present, was won by Mrs. Dot Madeford. Second, the youngest mother, was won by Helen Mollenhour. Third, whose son in the service the longest, was won by Mrs. Gladys Nottingham. The fourth



—Courtesy The Warsaw Times

PFC. DWAYNE BERGSTROM

Pfc. Bergstrom, husband of Lois Bergstrom, who was killed on Luzon April 2 while serving as a sniper.

prize was given to the serviceman present who had been in service longest was won by Lewis Blue, son of Mrs. Bess Blue, who is home on furlough.

Twelve new members were given the obligation by the president of the unit, Bernice Rush, and became members.

The following received the obligation: Susan Morrical, Almyra Fisher, Bernice Goshert, Eva Eherenman, Samantha Norris, Minnie Smith, Dove McClone, Nina Jones, Eva Huffer, Carrie Wiltrout, Ida Davis and Mary Boggs. We are always very happy to have new members join our unit and we feel that there are many more in this community who should join us. The next meeting will be June 13 in the high school at 8:00 p. m.

The success of the social part of the whole evening must be credited to the social committee, Maude Romine, Lena Igo and Myrtle Davis, and the program committee, Charlotte Dillman, Helen Mollenhour and Othello Hoffmand. Mrs. Marian Shinn presented the cake to Mother Wagner.

Servicemen present were: Richard Morrison, Ivo Wagner and Lewis Blue. We are always very happy to have any of our boys and girls with us in our meetings.

The meeting closed with the singing of "God Bless America," followed by the benediction by the chaplain.

The new address of Pvt. Don A. Herendeen, son of Allen Herendeen, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kercher, is 15346605 Sqd. A. Guard Flight, Winter Field, Bakersfield, California.

We've been informed that an article in our last issue was incorrect. The case against Raymond Bare is being prosecuted by the state for the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association.

NEW CASTLE TOWNSHIP NEWS

By Lavoy Montgomery

The Misses Helen and Dorothy Meiser, of Chicago, spent the week-end here the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meiser.

Mr. Charles J. Good and son, Joe, have returned to their home here after spending the past few days in Warren, the guest of Mr. Good's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Good.

Mrs. Frank Souther, who was taken ill, has been removed to her home in Hammond late Saturday afternoon in the Zimmerman Bros. ambulance.

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

Miss Betty Kramer spent Sunday in Indianapolis.

Miss Rosie Good, of South Bend, spent the week-end here the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Montgomery made a business trip to Etna Green and Warsaw Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Perkins have moved from the Artie Eaton farm to the Mrs. Warren Bowser property.

T/Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph Chapman have returned to Gary after spending some time here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Chapman and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Miller, of Kingsbury, spent the week-end here at their home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Walker and son, Lonnie, of Indianapolis, have returned to their home after spending the past week at their Cottage on the Tippecanoe River.

Lou Grove and Charles Good spent Thursday in Rochester.

Mr. Paul Perkins has accepted a position at the Hot Point Store in Rochester.

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

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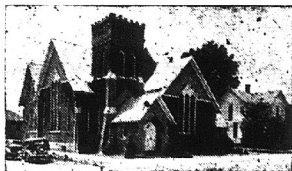
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Sunday is Mother's Day, pay tribute to your mother by attending services in some church.

Mother's Day service 10:00 to 11:00. At this time a souvenir will be given to each one present. Also a gift to the oldest and youngest mother present. Look for the program elsewhere in this paper.

Junior Youth Fellowship 6:30.

Senior Youth Fellowship 6:30

Evening Worship 7:30.

Subject, "Mothers and Everlasting Peace."

These services will be in connection with the V-E proclamation made by President Truman.

Tuesday 8:00 the choir will practice at the church.

W.S.C.S. Study class Thursday 8:00.

There are only three more Sundays before the Annual Conference.

Bring your guests, friends, and neighbors to all these services where a hearty welcome awaits you.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

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Workers Prayer Meeting 9:15 A.M.

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Bible School 9:30 A.M.

Classes for all ages, including a nursery for the babies.

Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.

Mother's Day program.

Young People's Fellowship.....7:00 P.M.

The young people's meeting will be given over to the planning for the

Youth for Christ Rally. All members are urged to be present.

Booster Band 7:00 P.M.

Mrs. Ralston, director.

Bible Study Class 7:00 P.M.

Everyone welcome.

Mrs. Truman Long, teacher.

Sunday Evening Service 8:00 P.M.

Subject, "Man's Self Destruction".

Tuesday 8:00 P.M.

Orchestra practice.

Wednesday, May 16 2:00 P.M.

Missionary society at the home of Mrs. Edith Darr. Mrs. John Norman is the leader.

Subject, "Russia"

Thursday 8:00 P.M.

Prayer meeting and Bible study.

Thursday 9:00 P.M.

Choir practice.

Friday evening, May 11 8:00 P.M.

The Winners class meeting at the parsonage.

Saturday, May 12 8:00 P.M.

Youth for Christ Rally. All young people are urged to attend. Dr. Harry Hager, of Chicago, will be the speaker. Special music from various parts of our community.

E. COLEMAN RALSTON, Pastor.

CHURCH OF CHRIST

Mentone, Ind.

The following is the church schedule of services:

Bible Study, Sunday 9:30

Preaching Sunday 10:45

Communion Sunday 11:30

Sunday Evening—

Sings and Preaching 7:30

Mid-week activities—

Prayer Meeting .. Thursday 7:30

A BIBLE MESSAGE

By REV. E. COLEMAN RALSTON

"The Bible"

"For the prophecy came not in old time by the will of man; but holy men of God spake as they were moved by the Holy Ghost" 2 Pet 1:21.

Is the Bible true? Is it trustworthy? Was it divinely inspired? If not, how could the men of the Bible have foretold events sometimes hundreds of years before they occurred? Last week we referred to the prophecy of the blessings of Israel, if they would be obedient to God, and their severe chastisements if they were disobedient.

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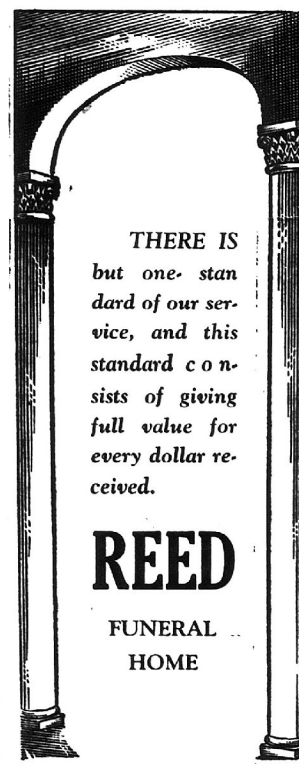
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This is recorded in Leviticus 26. The blessings for obedience were wonderful but the chastisements for disobedience were just as terrible as the blessings were wonderful. God was very merciful and longsuffering but it finally became necessary, because of their stubborn disobedience and wickedness, to punish them in the most severe manner, according to the warnings that he gave them in this chapter and also in Deut. 28:53-58. The first four chastisements mentioned in Leviticus were bad enough but if you will read the fifth one beginning with the 27th verse you wonder if it could ever be fulfilled among a civilized nation. Notice the 29th verse "and ye shall eat the flesh of your sons, and the flesh of your daughters shall ye eat." What a solemn warning! Yet the children of Israel did not heed it, just as many today do not heed the warnings of God. It became necessary for God to fulfill this prophecy some 500 years later when he permitted the Syrian king, Ben-Hadad, to besiege Samaria. This is only one incident where this prophecy was fulfilled but it is enough to cause any serious-thinking man to consider the warnings and prophecies of God. As the Army of Ben-Hadad besieged Samaria, and King Joram, king of Israel walked about the people, a woman cried unto him saying, "Help, my Lord, O King . . . and the king said unto her, "what aileth thee? and she answered, this woman said unto me 'give thy son, that we may eat him today, and we will eat my son tomorrow. So we boiled my son, and did eat him; and said unto her on the next day, 'Give thy son, that we may eat him', and she hath hid her son . . . and the king rent his clothes."

"The Law of the Lord is perfect" and remember "the testimony of the Lord is sure." Take heed unto yourselves for "It is a fearful thing to fall into the hands of the living God."

To be continued.



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Mrs. Clarence Peterson, assisted by
Mrs. Kermit Biddinger and Mrs. Chloris
Barkman very pleasantly entertained
the Pleasant Valley community club
at her home last Wednesday afternoon.
Guest day was observed at this meeting,
each member bringing a guest. The
newly organized junior home economics
club members were also guests at this
time.

The meeting was called to order by
the president, Mrs. Delbert Hunter,
with the pledge of allegiance, led by
Mrs. Dee Berrier, followed by all re-
peating the Lord's Prayer. Roll call
was answered by 20 members intro-
ducing their guests. Many mothers
were present in observance of Mo-
ther's Day. Community singing was
enjoyed led by Mrs. Devon Eaton with
Mrs. Kermit Biddinger at the piano.

Mrs. Albert Elsert then gave the
address of welcome to the guests with
response by Frances Morris, president
of the junior club. Mrs. David Swi-
hart gave some readings on Mother's
Day. Mrs. George Schael, the guest
speaker of the afternoon, gave a very
interesting talk on "Women in the
Postwar World," which was very much
enjoyed by all.

The meeting was then turned over
to the program committee in charge of

Mrs. Wendell Duzenbury and Mrs. Ker-
mit Biddinger. Charlotte and Serita
Emmons favored with a duet, "Every
Day is Mother's Day", and a clarinet
solo by Barbara Duzenbury. Barbara
also favored with several piano num-
bers. A contest in charge of Mrs. Wen-
dell Duzenbury was won by Mrs. Al-
bert Elsert.

The hostess and assistants served
delicious refreshments to 20 members,
19 guests and 16 children. Guests pres-
ent were: Mesdames George Schael,
Kenneth Mollenhour, Marquardt, De-
vane Felts, Bert Meyers, Elgie Van-
dermark, Mack Haimbaugh, Charles
Emmons, Joe Peterson, Charles Borden,
Morris Hibbs, Harley Walburn, James
Van Lue, Allen Elzinger, Sarah Ewing,

Emma Burkett and the Misses Dor-
othy Brown, Frances Berrier and Fran-
ces Morris.

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News of Mentone and Vicinity

Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Hill spent Sunday at Atwood.

Mrs. J. F. Warren spent Thursday in South Bend.

Suann Borton is confined to her home with the mumps.

Mrs. M. F. Newby, of Sidney, spent Tuesday and Wednesday at the D. L. Bunner home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivo Wagner are spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wagner.

Mrs. John Summe and son Billie, of Silver Lake, called on Mrs. John Underhill last Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake McClone, of Harrison Center, called on Mrs. John Underhill Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Simon Johnson, of Fort Wayne, is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Martha Welch.

Mrs. Mary Stackhouse and new daughter returned to their home at Bourbon. They were cared for by Mrs. Noble Oyler.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Horn and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horn and family.

Mahlon Mentzer received a message Saturday reporting the death of his cousin, Orville Mentzer, of Pawnee, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Chenoweth and son Jerry, of Bourbon, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Long and family.

Among those who attended the symphony orchestra recital at North Manchester Monday night were Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Nelson.

Mrs. Mildred Flenar and family and Miss Ima Taylor hope to enjoy a fried chicken dinner Friday with Mrs. Howard Horn.

Mrs. Lydia Rynearson and Mrs. Myrtle Davis were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Amanda Smith. Mrs. Ollie Johnson was an afternoon caller.

Mrs. Osie Blue, of Indianapolis, attended the funeral of Mrs. Jane Blue Monday and visited at the homes of Obe Haimbaugh and Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Mentzer.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kohr and Mrs. Chas. Hand and son Richard Deafenbaugh spent the week end in Grand Rapids, Michigan visiting Mr. Kohr's sister who is ill. She was improved when they returned.

Lieutenant Colonel Leroy Norris has recently been honored by being detailed to the General staff Corps of General Eichelberger, Commanding General of the U. S. 8th Army in the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Graffis announce the birth of an eight and one-half pound son, Dallas Gene, born on May 5 at their home at Roann, Ind. Mr. and Mrs. Graffis were formerly of this locality.

Mr. and Mrs. Delois White were at Kokomo Sunday.

Bro. Cathrall, of South Bend, will speak both Sunday morning and evening at the Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Davis and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Souther were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lon Walters.

Mrs. Lois Davison returned home on Friday after spending several weeks with her brother, Dr. J. J. Dorman, wife and family of Murray, Ky.

Mr. and Mrs. Janna Hammer and daughter Permelia, of Atwood, and Mrs. John Underhill, of Mentone, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Tinkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Foor and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Foor and children Ann and Bill, all of Kendallville, spent Sunday in the parental L. A. Foor home.

Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Stookey and son Carl, of near Leesburg, attended the memorial services at Mentone Sunday and spent the day with Mrs. Cora VanGilder.

Mr. and Mrs. George Borton, of Huntington, and Herbert Workman, of Detroit, Michigan, brother of Mrs. Borton, are visiting with their aunts, Mrs. Simon Johnson and Mrs. Martha Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. George Borton and son Lynn and little friend, Jimmie Richardson, of Huntington, spent Sunday visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ira Borton and Mrs. Martha Welch.

Mrs. Robert L. Kinsey has received word from her husband, Lt. Kinsey, that he is back in the states and is expected home on a short visit. Bob was in India Tuesday—and called from Miami, Fla. Wednesday noon.

Chas. Chapman, of Warsaw, a nephew to Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shinn, of Mentone, arrived Monday to spend a few days here. He is a veteran of the African campaign and the Anzio beach-head fighting, and is now located at Camp Atterbury.

We've received word that another son of Mr. and Mrs. George Pollock, of near Rochester, has given his life in the fighting in Europe. We've been unable to learn definitely which son it was, as they have two in Europe, but our informant thought it had been Dwight.

Lewis D. Blue SC 1-c, is home for a 20-day leave to visit his mother, Mrs. Bessie Blue. He is back from spending 11 months in England and France. He is now going to attend a school in Chicago for 16 weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Lehman and Mr. and Mrs. George McKrill of Warsaw; Mrs. Nona Fultz and Mrs. Dan Kelley, Mrs. Delbert Ewing and Mrs. Addie Meredith of Rochester; Mr. and Mrs. Alpheus Piper, Mrs. A. Piper and Miss Dora Terry, of Bass Lake, called at the Haimbaugh home Sunday.

Egg Shippers

The price of eggs is set by quality and demand ... shipment in the Wednesday car should benefit you.

NORTHERN INDIANA COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

Mrs. Ernest Igo received a Mother's Day Bouquet of flowers this week from her son, Miles, who has been on an aircraft carrier in the Pacific the past year. Just how Miles managed to get his order to the greenhouse is a mystery, but there is no mystery about Mrs. Igo's appreciation of the remembrance.

Kenneth A. Riner, of Mentone, a member of the Council of Administration of the Indiana Bankers Association, attended a meeting of Indiana Bankers in Indianapolis last week, at the call of Otto N. Frenzel, to draft plans for expanded bank cooperation in Indiana drive to sell \$167,000,000 in war bonds to individuals during the Seventh War Loan.

WILLIAM McMILLEN, 69, OF ARGOS SUCCUMBS

William McMillen, 69, who resided in Argos, and who had been a resident of Fulton and Marshall counties all of his life, expired at his home Thursday evening, a victim of complications.

Born in Marshall county April 12, 1898 he was united in marriage with Miss Nora Leavell, who, with two sons, Roy, of Lebanon, and Wilbur, of South Bend; and one brother, Merle, of

Tippecanoe, survive.

Throughout his life, the deceased was engaged in farming and as a dealer in scrap metals. He was a member of the Rochester Lutheran church, where he was ever active in the affairs of the church.

Final rites were held from the Umbaugh funeral home in Argos at 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon with the Rev. W. J. Schroer in charge. Burial was in Richter cemetery, near Talma.

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MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES HERE SUNDAY, MAY 27

Plans are nearly complete for the Memorial Day services to be held at Mentone on Sunday, May 27 at the Baptist church. Rev. Silas Hill has been secured to give the main address of the day and everyone is assured that the message will be sincere and filled with the fundamental truths which are so necessary at this particular time.

The Mentone band will be on hand to assist in the program, and a number of other interesting features have been arranged. The program is as follows: Band to assemble at Main square at 2:00 p. m.

March to Baptist Church.

Music by band.

Invocation by Rev. A. G. Simmons.

Music, Quartette.

Address, Rev. Silas Hill.

Music, Quartette.

March to cemetery.

Decoration of Graves by Boy Scouts.

Taps.

Benediction, Rev. E. C. Ralston.

The committee requests that any members of the armed forces visiting in the community attend the services. Seats will be reserved. The War Mothers are urged to attend in a body.

The public is given a cordial invitation to attend the services.

4-H CONSERVATION CLUB CAMP JULY 15TH TO 19TH

The annual 4-H Conservation Club camp will be held at McClure lake starting July 15th. The camp is sponsored by and held at the Conservation Club camp at McClure lake. Bill Chapel is camp director with Linn Oliver as assistant.

Some of the subjects to be taught are: First Aid, Feeding Birds, Trees & Uses, Bird Habits, Erosion Control, Soil Conservation, Rifling, Baseball, and other instructive talks and play. There will be four full days for the campers.

C. O. Mollenhour, Dale Kelley, Joe Clark, Mrs. Cinninger, John Halwager, F. B. Koenig, Pinkie McClellan, Harrel Mosbaugh, Ralph Tumbleson, Floyd Barkley, Howard Bockman, and others, will assist in the camp program.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shinn, Mrs. Edith Darr and Rev. and Mrs. E. Coleman Ralston were in Fort Wayne Monday on business.

CHARLES W. SHAFER DIES THURSDAY AFTERNOON

As we go to press we learn that Charles W. Shafer, Mentone druggist for nearly half a century, died at the McDonald hospital at Warsaw at about five o'clock Thursday afternoon. Death resulted from the effects of two strokes suffered this week. He became ill very early Monday and his condition gradually grew worse. Thursday morning he was taken to the hospital where death came easily in the afternoon.

Mr. Shafer was born near Morocco, Indiana 76 years ago and soon after he married he started in working as a pharmacist at Cincinnati. He later returned to Morocco and established his own drug business. Shortly before the turn of the century he came to Mentone where he was actively engaged in The Big Drug Store until he sold it last fall. He was a member of the Mentone Masonic lodge.

Funeral services will be held at the home at two o'clock Sunday afternoon with Rev. A. G. Simmons, pastor of the Methodist church, officiating. The body was removed to the Johns funeral home from the hospital, and it will be taken to the Shafer home at three o'clock Friday afternoon.

A complete obituary will appear in our next issue.

BOY SCOUTS ORGANIZING

Last Monday night the Boy Scouts held their first meeting at the Byron Peterson home with about a dozen boys present. Noble Oyler has agreed to act as scoutmaster for the troop and the Mentone Lions club is acting as the sponsoring organization. Byron Peterson, A. I. Nelson, George Black and Dale Kelley are on the executive committee, and a Lions committee composed of Roland Ferverda, Paul Cumberland and Harold Nelson was in action during the initial organization work and are continuing as the club committee on Boy Scout business.

Scoutmaster Oyler and the executive committee have issued an invitation to all boys who wish to join the new group to attend a meeting next Monday night at the Methodist church.

Ira Borton has been confined to his home the past few days with a heart attack. He is reported as improving, but Ira is laying off the ice-peddling business.

SGT. WILLIAM E. COOK WOUNDED IN GERMANY

Mr. and Mrs. William Cook, of Mentone, received a telegram from the War department Saturday stating that their son, Sgt. William E. Cook, was slightly wounded in Germany April 30th.

The same day the parents received a V-mail letter from Sgt. Cook stating that he was very slightly wounded and was getting a good rest somewhere in Southern Germany. He said he could not say where or how he was wounded but assured them it was only slight. His letter was dated April 30 and he said he was wounded the day before. (Word from another source indicated his wounds were from exploding shrapnel.)

Another letter, dated May 3, said he expected to be back on duty shortly, and that the war situation looked good over there. He said he had seen the snow capped Alpine mountains, which gives one an idea of where he had been fighting.

A third letter from Sgt. Cook, dated V-E day, stated he was ready to go back into service and the war ended. He celebrated the day by going to church and extending his thanks to God for ending the miserable mess in Europe.

CO-OP EMPLOYEES ENJOY FISH FRY MONDAY EVENING

The employees of the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association, the officials, members of the board of directors and the various members of their families were entertained at the Mentone school building Monday evening and enjoyed a real fish dinner. About seventy were present.

When all had eaten all the fish they could possibly cram down, Artley Cullum, editor of the Co-Op News, was introduced by President Kesler as the toastmaster for the program to follow.

V. H. Gaddis, of Winona Lake, was employed to supply the entertaining part of the program and he presented a program of magic that mystified as well as entertained those who had gathered to enjoy the evening. He has a wide variety of "tricks" and they were performed in a capable manner.

The members of the association are indebted to C. O. Mollenhour and Lyn-des Latimer, members of the Jonah club, for the fine job they did in fry-

SGT. GAIL MORRISON AD- DRESSES MENTONE LIONS CLUB

The Mentone Lions club members were treated to a very interesting and enlightening address Wednesday evening by Sgt. Gail Morrison, who is located at Wright Field, Dayton, Ohio, in the Technical Training Command. His remarks were governed by security restrictions, but a few off-the-record remarks sounded somewhat like fairy tales brought up to date. This field is devoted to the testing of Air Corps equipment and some of the tests they give each plane, etc. are the worst punishment one can imagine. That's the way they determine whether or not the equipment is suitable for army use.

There are planes today in which they have lifted loads of as high as 135,000 pounds at one time, and one that proposes to carry a starting gas load of 18,000 gallons—more than can be transported in two railway tank cars. This doesn't say what the freight load of a plane of this type would be.

Vice President Johns conducted the meeting in the absence of the president, Artley Cullum. The nominating committee presented its list of candidates for the annual election which will be held at the next meeting—the first Wednesday in June.

The board of directors voted to donate \$50.00 to the Girl Scout troop for the purchase of uniforms.

MISSING AIRMAN SAFE

A telegram received by his wife states that S/Sgt. Walter E. (Gene) Luckenbill is safe in Italy. The plane, on which he served as radio operator and waist gunner, was shot down over Austria, and some parachutes were seen leaving the plane. No further details have been received by his sister, Mrs. T. F. Fitzgerald.

DR. MARTIN PLANS TO RETIRE

Dr. O. T. Martin, pastor of the First Methodist church at Wabash and superintendent of the Warsaw district of the Methodist church for six years, is retiring from full time ministry, it has been announced. Dr. Martin served in the Mentone church for five years.

ing the fish and the part they took in assisting with the various other arrangements.

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Mr. and Mrs. Milo Horn called at the home of Mr. Horn's father Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Pontius and family of Claypool were callers of their aunt, Mrs. Cora Williams, Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Mollenhour and sons and families were Mother's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Horn.

Oran Anderson of Indianapolis spent Sunday at the Dr. Anderson home.

Janet Rose Reed spent several days at Angola visiting with her aunt, Eunice Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Walker and son Dick, of Chicago, spent the week-end with

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Ernsberger.

Miss Bernice Anderson of Indianapolis spent the week-end with her mother, Mrs. O. C. Anderson. Her mother returned home with her to visit a few days.

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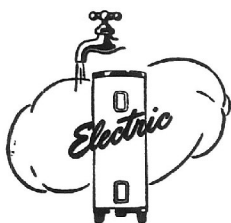
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TALMA HOME ECONOMICS CLUB MEETS THURSDAY

The Talma Home Economics club met Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Joe Goss. The meeting opened by repeating the club creed and giving the salute to the flag. The history of the song of the month was given by Mrs. Roy Hubbard. Solemn prayers were offered for the peace conference and V-E day.

"The Bottle of Jordan Waters" was read by Mrs. Lester White. Two songs "Pal of My Cradle Days" and "Every Day is Mother's Day" were sung by Serita and Charlotte Emmons. Roll call was answered by giving mother's maiden name.

The meeting closed with singing of several patriotic numbers. Refreshments were served to 18 members and nine guests. Mrs. Fred Barr was in charge of the entertainment.

SCHOOLS OF STATE NEED \$17,172,000 FOR CONSTRUCTION

Indiana will need to spend an estimated \$17,172,000 in immediate postwar years for new school buildings and additions and for repairs to present structures to adapt its school system to anticipated heavier enrollments and to educational changes, according to a survey just released by the American Association of School Administrators.

This report bears out U. S. Bureau of Census figures, which reveal that war-time births in Indiana are running 35 per cent above peace years.

Larger enrollments, as well as war-time developments will greatly influence future school design, it is predicted by Reginald E. Marsh, nationally known school architect and member of the postwar planning committee of the American Institute of Architects, New York chapter.

"Such facilities as cafeterias and lunchrooms will be designed for general educational purposes and installed in many more schools," Marsh says. "Floors and wainscoting of tile will make them attractive and easily cleaned for use before and after lunch as study halls, music rooms and club meeting places."

Marsh also foresees increased accent on physical education and vocational training as a result of Selective Service findings. Athletic facilities, he believes, will be increased and where joint community and school needs can be served tile swimming pools may be installed.

Nursery schools will probably be made part of the school system, according to Marsh. "Set up near war plants, they have relieved mothers for work and at the same time proved of educational benefit to children", he says.

Census figures highlight Indiana's coming school problems. They show 284,820 births in the 1941-44 period, 35 per cent more than in 1933-36, when 209,772 infants were born. Population shifts, easing pressure on some schools, will intensify it for others in 1947, as children of 1933-36 start leaving elementary grades and the bumper 1941-44 crop begins knocking at school doors for admission.

FOLKS By R. M. Brinkerhoff



"They're staying home every night and saving their money for a War Bond"

**MENTONE READING CLUB
HELD FINAL MEETING MAY 9**

Wednesday evening, May 9, the Mentone Reading club held its final meeting for the season in the Methodist church basement. A 6:30 pot luck dinner was enjoyed. Each table had a runner of gold and green crepe paper, and held a center bouquet of spring flowers. Tapers at either end, carried out the club colors of gold and white. Each member who had a daughter had been asked to bring her as a guest and those who had no daughter were to bring their mother or another guest. Fifty-six members and guests enjoyed the fine supper.

Hostesses for the supper were Mrs. Goldie Mollenhour, Mrs. Trella Tombaugh, Mrs. Dora Taylor and Mrs. Maud Snyder.

Following this, all went upstairs where a splendid Mothers Day program was presented. It was as follows: Address of welcome, Mrs. F. B. Davison.

Vocal Duet, "Mother Machree," Violet Friesner and Jeannine Blue.

History of Mothers Day, Mrs. Chaney Mollenhour.

Solo, "Ave Maria," Phyllis Lemler.

"Mother Goose Birthday Party," Mrs. Leroy Norris.

Solo, "Glow Worm," Marilyn Tucker.

"Mother and Daughter Relationship," Mrs. Chester Manwaring.

Solo, "The Lord's Prayer," Violet Friesner.

A tableaux, "My Mother's Bible." The vocal solo was by Phyllis Lemler.

Irene Kercher carried the bible and the following girls carried lighted candles and recited a tribute to mother as their part in this moving tableaux: Marilyn Tucker, Violet Friesner, Elma Jean King, Freda Kesler, Ellen Lee

Kesler and Marjorie Lockridge.

Mrs. Maud Snyder was accompanist for the vocal solos.

Mrs. Eileen Fenstermaker was program chairman and responsible for the fine program in tribute to mothers.

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**MRS. LINUS BORTON ENTERTAINS
MENTONE H. E. CLUB**

The Mentone Home Economics club met at the home of Mrs. Linus Borton Thursday afternoon, May 10, with Mrs. Frank Warren as assisting hostess. The meeting was opened with the vice president. The salute to the flag and club creed were given and the prayer song was sung. The song of the month, "Robin Adair" was sung, also "America".

Nineteen members were present and answered roll call by telling what they would do with \$5,000 if they had it. This proved most interesting. The mystery package was won by Mrs. Ralston and the meeting was closed with the singing of "Onward Christian Soldiers". The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Elmer Rathfon. During the social hour, several contests were enjoyed, with prizes going to Mrs. Anderson and Mrs. Vernette. The hostess and her assistant served light refreshments.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to express our thanks and appreciation to the many friends who extended words of sympathy or remembered us in any way following word of the death of our son on the fighting front. Every card, word and deed was greatly appreciated.

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DETOUR

By ART CULLUM

**PADDLE WHEELS ON A
MANURE SPREADER**

It isn't difficult to write a column like this. All there is to it is simply select a good title line and then just put down one word after another. Like the exit to the fun house at the amusement park, everything comes out a chute. Sometimes you never knew for sure whether it was grandma or grandpa that came out—but there they were.

Farming in the olden days followed a rather definite pattern—and the odor seldom varied greatly. In this day and age you never know what to expect next. A few years back we had to plow under every third row to get anywhere. We drove the little pigs to market and took the sheep out in the hills and hit them in the head with an axe. They were squeezing the fat out of the land, and had about as much effect on the situation as sterilizing grandpa.

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Like riding a merry-go-round, we went up and down a lot but were about as successful as trying to grow fuzz on a billiard ball.

Spring, summer, fall and winter went on as usual, but all this even got the seasons tangled up. We still have four—June, July, August and winter—but the automatic controls seem to be out of order. We had fish-worm weather in

March, the "lion" caught up with himself in April and the faucet stuck on the showers until the tub ran over in May. Webs are developing between our toes and our athlete's foot moved up until everyone acts as if he had ants in his woolens.

Most fields are filled worse than a bank blotter and last winter's cow fertilizer just sits in a pile and stews.

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Rev. A. G. Simmons, Pastor

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A fine tribute was paid to mothers last Sunday when so many family groups attended the services. May we keep coming to all the services.

Morning Worship 10:00.

Subject, "Redeeming the Time".

Sabbath School 11:00. Raymond Lash superintendent.

Classes for all ages.

There will be a very important meeting of the official board after Sunday school.

Junior Youth Fellowship 6:30.

Senior Youth Fellowship 6:30

Evening Worship 8:00.

Subject, "The Prayer of Faith".

Tuesday 8:00 the choir will practice at the church.

W.S.C.S. Study class Thursday 8:00.

This Sunday will be the last Sunday before our reports will be sent in.

Bring your guests, friends, and neighbors to all these services where a hearty welcome awaits you.

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Workers Prayer Meeting 9:15 A.M.

Everyone welcome. Teachers and officers are expected to attend.

Bible School 9:30 A.M.

Classes for all ages, including a nursery for the babies.

Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.

Mr. Peter Tanis, our home Missionary will be the speaker.

Young People's Fellowship 7:00 P.M.

Peter Tanis will give some instruction on personal soul winning.

Booster Band 7:00 P.M.
Mrs. Ralston, director.
Sunday Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
Peter Tanis, Speaker.
Tuesday 8:00 P.M.
Orchestra practice.
Wednesday, May 23 8:00 P.M.
Sunday School Board meeting.
Thursday 8:00 P.M.
Prayer meeting and Bible study.
Thursday 9:00 P.M.
Choir practice.
E. COLEMAN RALSTON, Pastor.

Little Judy and Linda Hamman received some very welcome gifts last Monday. The girls were honored with two Panda dolls from England. The dolls were made from sheep wool and had very attractive plaid skirts. The dolls were received in good condition. Staff Sgt. Richard Hamman has been overseas the past 22 months with the air corps. His wife, Mrs. Letha Hamman and daughters, now reside in Warsaw. The Hamman family is well known here.

Miss Mildred Anderson came from McKeesport, Pa., and spent the weekend with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Anderson.

CHURCH OF CHRIST Mentone, Ind.

The following is the church schedule of services:

Bible Study, Sunday 9:30

Preaching Sunday 10:45

Communion Sunday 11:30

Sunday Evening—

Sings and Preaching 7:30

Mid-week activities—

Prayer Meeting -- Thursday 7:30

YOUTH FOR CHRIST RALLY A SUCCESS

The Tri-County Youth for Christ Movement got underway Saturday evening when the First Baptist Church of Mentone, Indiana entertained over three hundred youth from 15 surrounding towns at the first meeting. Towns represented included: Etna Green, Sidney, Warsaw, Akron, Athens, Talma, Silver Lake, Rochester, Fulton, Tiosa, Bourbon, Tippecanoe, Atwood and Mentone. There were representatives also from Gary, Ind.; Chicago, Ill., and

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Buffalo, N. Y. Rev. E. Coleman Ralston, pastor of the entertaining church, is directing the movement and Rev. R. D. Smith, pastor of the United Brethren Church of Etna Green, is song leader. Mrs. Smith assists at the piano.

The program for Saturday evening included: A great time of inspiration; trombone duet, "Precious Melody," by Bob Smith and Russell Claybaugh of Etna Green; vocal solo, "Holy, Holy, Is What the Angels Sing," by Phyllis Trowbridge of Bourbon; cornet solo, "Face to Face," by Robert Nelson of Mentone; piano solo by Norville Rich of Warsaw; vocal duet, "The Savior for Me," by Jeannine Blue and Violet Friezner of Mentone; cornet and vocal solo, "I Will Pilot Thee," by Juanita Baker of Etna Green; testimonies by Grace Rans of Mentone, Doris Johnson of Etna Green, Walter Becknell of Bourbon and Donna Cook of Warsaw; scripture reading by Rev. David

Livengood of Rochester; prayers by Mary Esther Smith of Gary, Rev. Slaybaugh of Akron and Rev. Arthur of Fulton. The speaker of the evening was Dr. Harry Hager, well known radio and youth speaker and pastor of Chicago's Bethany Reformed Church, who used as his timely subject, "For Such a Time As This."

Following the meeting the Winners' class of the Baptist church served refreshments. The next meeting will be June 16 when Mr. Robert Kees, formerly of the International Marimba Symphony Orchestra, will be the speaker. All youth of the community are invited and urged to attend.

Mrs. Bessie Blue enjoyed a visit from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Suty, and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hook and daughter and Lawrence Hook and lady friend, all of Mishawaka, Sunday. The latter two gentlemen are brothers to Mrs. Blue.

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TOWNSHIP NEWS

By Lavoy Montgomery

The Misses Helen and Dorothy Meiser of Chicago spent the week-end here, the guest of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meiser.

Mrs. Odie Trusler, of Warren, spent the week-end here, the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Charles Good.

Mr. Kermit Biddinger and Mrs. Delbert Hunter spent Thursday in Fort Wayne.

Miss Betty Kramer has accepted a position at the Deamer and Deamer law offices in Rochester.

Mrs. Harold Myers and family, of Elkhart, have returned to their home after spending a few days here, the guest of Mrs. Robert Calvert and family.

The Misses Alice and Nora Haines spent the week-end in Mishawaka, the guests of relatives.

Bob Kramer, who underwent an operation at the Riley Hospital at Indianapolis for an injured knee Thursday is getting along as well as it can be expected.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Good and family spent Saturday afternoon in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Emery Bowman and

daughter of South Bend spent Sunday here, the guests of his sister, Mrs. Robert Calvert and family.

Miss Betty Kramer spent Sunday in Indianapolis.

Miss Lois Jane Barr and guest of Gary spent the week-end here, the guest of Miss Barr's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Barr.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Shoemaker, of Akron, called on Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Montgomery Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Colfax Heighway, who had the misfortune to fracture her knee cap some time ago, was removed to her home from the Woodlawn hospital at Rochester Tuesday in the Val Zimmerman invalid coach. Mrs. Heighway will be confined to her bed for some time.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy of Rochester were Sunday guests of Mrs. Kennedy's grandmother, Mrs. Della Emmons.

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

Mr. Warren Bowser, of South Bend, spent the week-end here, the guest of his wife, Mrs. Ada Bowser.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred D. Barr entertained at dinner Sunday the following guests: Miss Lois Jane Barr and guest, of Gary; T/Sgt. and Mrs. Ralph Chapman; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hubbard and daughters, Virginia Ann and Bonnie Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Arter.

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

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wenger and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Coplen and family were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Frank Coplen and son George.

Mrs. Olin Wagoner was a Sunday guest of her mother, Mrs. Della Emmons.

Mrs. Frank Souther, of Hammond, who was taken ill while visiting with friends here, is improving at her home in Hammond.

The men and children of the Talma Christian church very appropriately entertained at a Mother's Day Program Sunday morning and evening. The

oldest mother present, Mrs. Stephen Mathews, received a gift. Carnations were given to each mother present. There were 82 present at Sunday school.

Pictures on Palestine will be shown at the Talma Christian church on Sunday, May 20, at 8:00 p. m. by Rev. Homer A. Kent, who has been in Palestine and taken many pictures personally. He is a professor at a Theological seminary at Winona Lake, Ind.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Coleman Ralston, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shinn and Mrs. Edith Darr spent Monday afternoon in Ft. Wayne on business and shopping.

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News of Mentone and Vicinity

Vegetable plants at Markley's.
Isaac Sarber, of Fort Wayne, spent Sunday with friends in Mentone.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Carey and family, of South Whitley, spent Sunday afternoon at the Artley Cullum home.

Mary Beth Shinn, of Indianapolis, spent Mother's day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemler and daughters spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Woodcock of Bourbon.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Bunner spent Sunday in South Bend at the home of their son, Don A. Bunner and family.

Mrs. Ida Blue has been ill the past week with Pneumonia. She is reported as improved at this time.

Mrs. J. R. Hatfield of North East, Pennsylvania, telephoned Mothers Day greetings to her mother, Mrs. Ira Borton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hand and family, of Warsaw, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Bloom of Fort Wayne, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Kohr.

Jimmie Hatfield, who is in the navy, sent a telegram from New Haven, Conn., to his grandmother, Mrs. Ira Borton, wishing her a happy Mothers Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Holloway and sons were supper guests at the Bert Holloway home Sunday.

Ario Friesner is back at his work at the Mentone Lumber Co. after a rather serious siege of illness of some two weeks duration.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth VanCuren are the parents of a ten pound son, Roger Lee, born at the home in Mentone on Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Barkman, of Mentone, are parents of a daughter born about 10 Saturday morning at the McDonald hospital.

Junior Fore has been transferred from the Hawaii Islands to the Philippine Islands. He writes that he would like to hear from all his schoolmates and friends. His address is: Welcome W. Fore 2/c, San Francisco, Calif., care of Fleet Post Office. His unit number can be secured from John Latham.

Rev. and Mrs. Rakston entertained members of the Winners class of the Baptist church on Friday night. The meeting was opened by Mrs. Annabelle Rathfon, the president. "Trust and Obey" and "Since Jesus Came Into My Heart" were sung by the group and prayer was offered by Mrs. Marjorie Norman. Mrs. Ruth Gustafson gave the devotions reading, the 91st Psalm. After the short business session was conducted the meeting was turned over to the entertainment committee and a social good time was enjoyed by all. The hostess served delicious refreshments after which the meeting adjourned to meet in June at The Camp of the Open Bible at McClure Lake.

Vegetable plants at Markley's.
Mrs. Bert Holloway has been on the sick list the past week.

Mrs. Lawrence Boyer is reported seriously ill with heart trouble.

Janet Rose Reed spent the week end in Angola with her aunt, Eunice Reed.

Miss Grace Rans spent Sunday visiting in the Ernest Lewis home at Argos.

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Flory and daughter, of South Bend, spent Sunday with Mrs. Flory's father, Ed Bowser.

Mrs. W. R. Borton spent the week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williamson, of near Claypool.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Long and daughter Suellen spent the week end with Mrs. Long's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Hakon Holm, of Bourbon.

Ann Leininger spent the week end visiting the Hoy Meredith home. Miss Leininger is a Cadet Nurse at the Indianapolis City hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemler and daughters were supper guests Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Weirick and daughter.

Mary Esther Smith, Mary Jean Kalmbacher and Betty (Doran) Clemens of Gary spent the week end with their parents.

Mrs. Marvin Jones and son Ken spent Mother's Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Sine, of Laud, Ind.

Vegetable plants at Markley's.

Mrs. W. J. Boice, of Dearborn, Mich., spent two weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Latham. Her husband, W. J. Boice, spent the week end here, both returning to their home Saturday.

Pfc. Dwayne Horn has returned to Camp Pickett, in Virginia, after visiting his wife, Maxine, and children, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horn. He has just returned from Europe where he spent four months.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lewallen, and granddaughter, Miss Martha Jane Lewallen, of Tippecanoe, visited with Mrs. Lewallen's brothers and neice, Lulu Latham, at Mentone Sunday afternoon.

John Latham visited with old time friends Tuesday evening at Tippecanoe.

The Magazine club was entertained jointly Wednesday evening by Mrs. Cora VanGilder and Mrs. Maud Snyder. A potluck supper was enjoyed at the VanGilder home, after which the guests went to the home of Mrs. Snyder for the program of entertainment that had been arranged.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Teel and sons Larry and Jimmie, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Witham and daughter Patty, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Carter and family of Indianapolis. Miss Betty Witham, who had been visiting her aunt, came home with her parents while Patty stayed for a visit.

Egg Shippers

The price of eggs is set by quality and demand ... shipment in the Wednesday car should benefit you.

NORTHERN INDIANA COOPERATIVE ASSOCIATION

Vegetable plants at Markley's.
A farewell party was held Tuesday evening for Jimmie Gates, who is expecting to leave for army service.

Mrs. Olive Sarber is spending a few days with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Black.

Miss Virginia Rush returned to her home Saturday after spending the past two weeks in South Bend visiting her sister, Mrs. Forrest Hoffer, and family.

There are many other items of news, soldier letters, etc., which lack of space prevented us printing this week. We'll get them in the next issue.

The Girl Scouts met at the school house Thursday afternoon. A short business meeting was held. Ten members were present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen Teel were Sunday guests of Mrs. Teel's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams, of Plymouth.

Corporal Jesse D. Grubbs, of Mentone, who has been hospitalized overseas for some time, has returned to duty, it was learned here recently. Cpl. Grubbs, who has been overseas for 30 months, and who has seen some combat action, is the son of Peter Grubbs, of Mentone. He is the brother of Leslie, Max and Dollie Grubbs, of Mentone, and Fawn Grubbs, of Warsaw.

Vegetable plants at Markley's.

Mr. and Mrs. Guilford Cook and daughter Gloria Jean of Oak Park, Ill., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kirchoff and daughter Anna of Huntington, Mrs. Kathryn Bickel of Goshen and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Minear of Warsaw, were Mothers Day guests at the Wm. Cook home.

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MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES

HERE SUNDAY, MAY 27TH

Citizens of the Mentone vicinity are invited to attend the Memorial Day services to be held at the First Baptist Church on Sunday afternoon, May 27th, at two o'clock. A fine entertaining and appropriate program has been arranged by the committee, M. O. Mentzer, R. G. Reed and Elmore Fenstermaker.

The program is as follows:

Band to assemble at Main square at 2:00 p. m.

March to Baptist Church.

Music by band.

Invocation by Rev. A. G. Simmons.

Music, Quartette.

Address, Rev. Silas Hill.

Music, Quartette.

March to cemetery.

Decoration of Graves by Boy Scouts.

Taps.

Benediction, Rev. E. C. Ralston.

The committee requests that any members of the armed forces visiting in the community attend the services. Seats will be reserved. The War Mothers are urged to attend in a body.

The public is given a cordial invitation to attend the services.

MRS. BOGGS ENTERTAINS D. A. R.

Mrs. Stanley S. Boggs was hostess to the members and daughters of the Anthony Nigo chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution on Tuesday evening, May 22. Mrs. James Gill, Mrs. Walter Fenstermaker and Mrs. Edna Carey were assisting hostesses.

The program under the direction of Mrs. Walter Fenstermaker was as follows: Piano solo by Shirley Igo; each member present gave some interesting bits of history relative to their ancestors, which was very much enjoyed; Mrs. Walter Lackey and Mrs. Ernest Igo read some interesting accounts of the arrangement and management of the homes during the Revolutionary period; and a piano solo by Miss Virginia Rush completed the program.

During the social hour which followed, the hostesses served delicious refreshments.

This being the last meeting of this year the officers for the following year were installed. The chapter adjourned for the summer vacation.

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BARE TRIAL NOW WELL INTO FINAL STAGE

The trial of Raymond Bare, of Mentone, on a charge of embezzlement, opened in circuit court Monday. Selection of a jury was delayed when the defense attorney failed to appear. Robert Proctor, who managed to secure a deadlocked jury decision when the case was first tried last October, upon being contacted by the court, gave as his reason for not appearing: that his fee for this case was \$500 and that Bare had not made payment of the fee. Bare's other attorney, Donald Vanderveer, was unable to secure a delay of the case because of Proctor's absence, and the following jury was selected:

Frank Drudge, Burket; Otto R. Miller, route 2, Cromwell; Ed Darter, Warsaw; Lulu Barwick, Monroe township; Delbert Huffman, Jackson township; Fred Self, Syracuse; William E. Tenney, Pierceton; Mrs. Harry Boggs, Warsaw route 2; Emmett Douglas, Warsaw; Nathan Hetler, Warsaw; Haven Cook, route 2, Warsaw; and Lou Shroyer, Warsaw route 1.

Special Prosecutor Walter Brubaker is handling the case for the state, in which Bare is charged with specifically appropriating \$61.66 in company money to his own use, while an employee of the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association at Mentone. It is charged this was accomplished by forging individual names on petty cash vouchers, making payment with a company check and taking the cash from the department deposit. Curtis Riner, whose signature appeared on many such vouchers, has testified that he had never sold grain to the concern or signed any such vouchers. Other individuals, too, have their names on many similar vouchers. Thursday afternoon two handwriting experts testified that the signatures were Bare's handwriting.

Indications are that the trial will not reach the stage for a jury decision until the fore part of the week.

NOTICE MOTHERS OF W. W. II, unit 106,

All members of Unit 106, Mothers of World War II, are asked to meet at the city library, Mentone, Friday evening, May 25 at 7:30 to help make wreaths for decorating the cemetery Memorial Day, Sunday May 27. Bring scissors. All material will be waiting for all who can come and help.

POPPY SALE SATURDAY

The annual sale of American Legion poppies will be held Saturday, May 26th. The paper poppies are made by the veterans of World War I and the sale comes but once a year. Every cent you pay goes to the aid of war veterans.

BROTHER-IN-LAW DIES

C. O. Mollenhour received a wire on Thursday afternoon bringing the sad news that his brother-in-law, Edward Whistman, 58, of Chicago, engineer for the General Electric Co., had died at a hospital at Rhinelander, Wis. The man had been ill for some time with cancer.

GIRL SCOUT MEETING

Troop 4 of the Mentone Girl Scouts held their regular meeting at the school house on Thursday, May 24.

The pledge of allegiance to the flag and the Girl Scout promise were given while the girls stood in the horseshoe formation. Three songs were sung, followed by the regular business meeting.

Plans are being made for a scrap paper drive in the near future.

Mrs. Nelson gave an interesting report on the Egyptian Girl Scouts. The girls enjoyed playing a game the Egyptian girls play at their meetings.

Thirteen members and one guest were present.

Taps closed the meeting.

4-H MERRY MAKERS

The Mentone Merry Makers met at the school house Tuesday afternoon. Twelve members answered to roll call. One visitor was present. Bonnie Emmons gave a demonstration of how to make a cake. Martha Fitzgerald gave a demonstration of how to measure ingredients accurately. Romona Goodman gave a demonstration of centerpieces for a table. Refreshments were served. The next meeting will be Tuesday, June 12.

BROWNIE SCOUT NOTICE

All mothers of girls 7 to 10 years old, who are interested in having their daughters become Brownies in the Girl Scout program, meet at the school building at 2:30 Monday, May 28.

—Scout leader, Mrs. George Mollenhour; Assistant, Mrs. Byron Peterson.

CAMP OF THE OPEN BIBLE TO OPEN JUNE 18

The Camp of the Open Bible, directed by Rev. E. Coleman Ralston, will be held at the Conservation camp on Lake McClure from June 18 to 29. Since parents of some of the young people and children of the community, not affiliated with the Baptist church, have expressed their desire that their children attend the camp, we are extending a general invitation to any of the children and young people of our community.

Mornings at the camp are spent in classes and recreation. Primary classes will include: "The life of Christ" with handwork, and "Lakeside chats". Junior classes will include: "Old Testament Panel" with handwork, analytical study of the Book of Esther, and New Testament Biography. The young people's classes will include: "Great Works of the Gospel", "Truth and Error" and an analytical study of the Book of Daniel.

Afternoons will be spent in recreational activities including swimming, boating, archery, ping-pong, base ball and many other out-door and in-door games.

Evening features include Kodachrome slides, camp-fire, chalk artist, stunt night, talent night, object and magic lessons, Winners' class treat (weiner roast), Flannelgraphs, and singspirations.

Not a dull moment from the rising bell until "Lights Out" at night.

Anyone interested in attending, please contact Mr. or Mrs. Ralston.

PROBATE SHAFER WILL

The will of Charles W. Shafer, retired Mentone druggist who died at the McDonald hospital in Warsaw, May 17, has been admitted to probate in circuit court. Made April 27, 1944, the will leaves the residence and household goods to the widow, Ethel Jane Shafer, a business building to a daughter, Mrs. Chester (Bessie) Manwaring, and divides personal property consisting of money, stocks, bonds and other investments equally between the widow and the daughter. The will provides that such real estate and personal and mixed property as remains unused after the death of the widow shall go to the daughter, or, if the latter should be deceased at that time, to a granddaughter, Mrs. Corlyss (Jean) Paulus.

Laws That Affect Business

How many laws does the Indiana businessman—or the returning veteran who wants to go into business—need to know something about?

Well, it all depends on the type of business, but the magnitude of the businessman's problem is portrayed by a new publication of the Indiana State Chamber of Commerce, "Labor Laws of Indiana."

An index of some 800 items is required to list phases of Indiana laws and Federal laws and regulations covered in the publication with which one or more types of Hoosier business must comply. These items, it is pointed out by Clarence A. Jackson, executive vice president of the State Chamber, deal only with employer—employee relationships. They do not cover tax laws and regulations and other business problems, including the No. 1 problem—how to make a profit and stay in business.

Most of the laws deal with all employers and employees, whether a union is involved or not, Mr. Jackson observed.

Eleven new Indiana labor laws adopted by the 1945 Legislature are shown in the new publication, along with legislation of past years.

Three of the new State laws are extensions of 1943 Acts easing or eliminating restrictions on the employment of women and young persons during the war period. Others include a "fair employment practices" act designed to prevent discrimination because of race or color; a law establishing legal holidays for the duration of the war; two laws setting forth rules for payroll deductions; laws increasing benefits under the workmen's compensation and occupational diseases statutes; a law to facilitate employment of physically handicapped persons in industry, and amendments to the unemployment compensation act increasing benefits and changing the method of comput-

ing lower tax rates for employers.

The book was compiled for the chamber membership and public officials by the Personal Relations Department of the State Chamber under the guidance of Wilfred Bradshaw, head of the department, former Marion county judge and former Indianapolis area director of the War Manpower Commission.

In a foreword to the publication, Mr. Jackson refers to the book as a "ready reference guide to labor legislation affecting Hoosier employers and their employees, and concludes:

"Personal relations—the relationships between employers and employees in all lines of business—constitute perhaps the most important field in which the domestic peace will be won or lost. Only if capital, management and employees work together as a team, under fair rules, can we achieve the

goal of prosperity-with-freedom to which we aspire. To this end—the furtherance of mutual understanding between management and labor—we dedicate this publication."

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OBITUARY OF CHAS. W. SHAFER

Born in Morocco, Ind., on Dec. 28, 1868, Mr. Shafer was the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Finley Shafer. He attended Purdue University and was graduated from the school of pharmacy there in 1890. Since that time he was active in the alumni association and was extremely proud of the 50-year certificate presented him by the association five years ago. After his graduation there, he married Gertrude Kennedy and moved to Cincinnati. Later, he operated a drug store in his home town of Morocco, and came to Mentone in 1898, where he established a partnership with Clayton Goodwin and opened the Shafer-Goodwin drug store. His first wife died and in 1904, he was married in Mentone to Miss Ethel Shoup, sister of John and Miss Adeline Shoup, of Warsaw.

The Shafer-Goodwin drug store operated as a partnership until about four or five years ago, when Mr. Goodwin retired. Since that time, it was operated under the name of the Shafer drug store, and was sold when Mr. Shafer retired last November.

Mr. Shafer was active in Civic af-

fairs in Mentone. He was a member of the Masonic Lodge here and of the Lions club. He belonged to the Methodist church of Morocco.

Surviving relatives include the widow; a daughter, Mrs. Chester (Bess) Manwaring, of Mentone; a granddaughter, Mrs. Corlyss Paulus, of Mentone; Two brothers, Dr. Walter Shafer, of Lafayette; and Fred Shafer, of Milwaukee; and two sisters, Mrs. Cora Law, and Mrs. Maude Law, of Morocco.

The body was removed from the Johns funeral home to the Shafer residence Friday afternoon, where funeral services were conducted Sunday at 2 p. m. Rev. A. G. Simmons and Rev. E. Coleman Ralston officiated at the service. Burial was in the Mentone cemetery.

BIRTHDAY PARTY

The following twenty-four ate dinner at the Ed. Severns home northeast of Mentone Sunday: Mrs. Laura Van Doran and daughter, Zola Rathfon and Mrs. Anna Rickel, of Warsaw; Mrs. Alice Deering and daughter Shirley and son Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Severns and daughters, Helen and Carolyn, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Shewman, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Hartz, and Ralph Severns all of South Bend; Mrs. Elnora Severns, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hilschman, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rathfon, host and hostess and children, Anna Marie and Ronald.

The occasion was to celebrate Ed. Severns birthday and the following nine whose birthdays were in May: Mrs. Laura Van Doran, Mrs. Zola Rath-

fon, Mrs. Effie Rathfon, Raymond Hilschman, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Shewman, Mrs. Louise Severns, Richard Deering and Ott Hartz.

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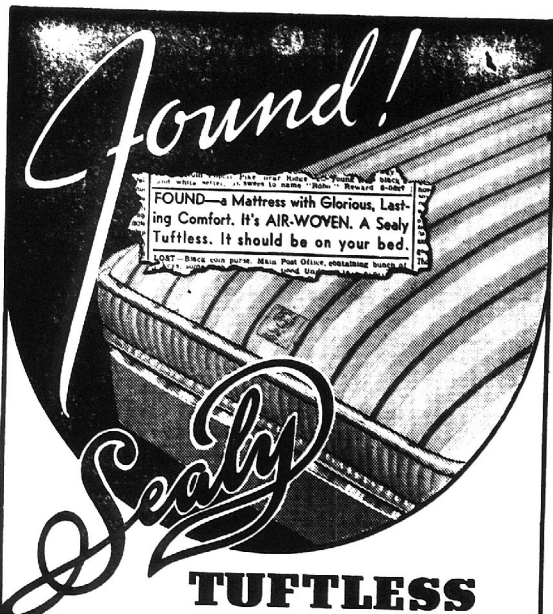
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 1 Drop head Sewing Machine.
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CHURCH OF CHRIST
Mentone, Ind.

The following is the church schedule of services:

Bible Study, Sunday 9:30
Preaching Sunday 10:45
Communion Sunday 11:30

Sunday Evening—

Sings and Preaching 7:30

Mid-week activities—

Prayer Meeting .. Thursday 7:30



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Morning Worship 10:00.

Subject, "The Nation's Assets." The service will be in connection with Memorial Day.

Sabbath School 11:00. Raymond Lash superintendent.

Classes for all ages.

Memorial Day service 2:00 at the Baptist church.

Youth Fellowship for Juniors and Seniors 7:00

Evening Worship 8:00.

This will be a candle light Communion Service. Be sure to attend this last service of this Conference Year. Choir practice Tuesday 8:00 at the church.

W.S.C.S. Study class Thursday 8:00.

At the church.

Bring your guests, friends, and neighbors to all these services where a hearty welcome awaits you.

The W.S.C.S. will meet Friday, June 1, at the home of Mrs. Rae Ward.

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Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.

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Sunday Evening Service 8:00 P.M.

Tuesday 8:00 P.M.

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Thursday 8:00 P.M.

Prayer meeting and Bible study.

Thursday 9:00 P.M.

Choir practice.

E. COLEMAN RALSTON, Pastor.

A BIBLE MESSAGE

By REV. E. COLEMAN RALSTON

"The Bible"

"I say the word, and will perform it, saith the Lord."

As we continue the study of the prophecy concerning the children of Israel as recorded in Leviticus, chapter 26, we find in the 30-31 verses an additional punishment if they failed to be obedient to the commandments of God. He said, "I will destroy your high places, and cut down your images, and cast your carcasses upon the carcasses of your idols, and my soul shall abhor you. And I will make your cities waste, and bring your sanctuaries unto desolation, ..." and in Jer. 20 verse 5 we read "Moreover I will deliver all the strength of this city, and all the labors thereof and all the precious things thereof, and all the treasures of the kings of Judah will I give into the hand of their enemies, and shall spoil them, and take them, and carry them to Babylon."

To begin with, we find in II Kings 23, verses 8 and 20, that King Josiah, brought all the priests out of the the

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cities of Judah, and defiled the high places where the priests had burned incense, ... and break down the high places ... and he slew all the priests of the high places that were there upon the altars and burned men's bones upon them." Then in the 25th chapter of this same book, verses 4 to 20, we read that, "the city was broken up and all the men of war fled by night ... and the king went the way toward the plain" but, the army of the Chaldees overtook him and slew his sons before his eyes and put out his eyes and bound him and took him to Babylon. Then they "burnt the house of the Lord, and the king's house, and all the houses of Jerusalem", and "break down the walls of Jerusalem". But of the treasures it is said that King Nebuchadnezzar "carried out thence all the treasures of the house of the Lord, and the treasures of the king's house, and cut to pieces all the vessels of gold which Solomon, king of Israel, had made in the temple of the Lord, as the Lord had said" II Kings 24:13.

"I say the word, and will perform it, saith the Lord".

To be continued.

The Baptist Missionary Society met with Mrs. Edith Darr Wednesday, May 16, with 31 members and guests present. Following the business session, which was conducted by the president, Mrs. Nottingham, the meeting was turned over to the program chairman, Mrs. John Norman, who used Russia as her subject. After this program, we all feel closer to this Allied nation than we felt in the past. Mrs. LeRoy Norris closed the meeting with prayer, after which refreshments were served by Mrs. McIntyre and Mrs. Onthank.

Miss Mollie Hire was a guest of Mrs. Emma Underhill the past week.

Mrs. Robert Plotner and Mrs. Everett Ellis spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Mollenhour.



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the club poem, collect, and was followed by the history of the song of the month, Robin Adair, given by Mrs. Lozetta Notz. The roll call was responded to by members giving something about mothers. Two new members were voted into the club, Mrs. Emma Zolman and Mrs. Sam Norris.

Mr. Ed Ragan of Winona Lake was in charge of the program, giving a talk concerning Alaska and its people. Mr. Ragan has made extensive travels through Alaska, being assigned to various army governmental work during the past several years. He also exhibited numerous articles of interest.

An auction was held with Mrs. Frank Newton as auctioneer in the absence

of the regular auctioneer. Mrs. Wilma Nellans, Mrs. Elma Zent and Mrs. Mary Konneck were in charge of the entertainment. Mrs. Talfred Richardson won the contest prize. Several members received gifts honoring birthdays and anniversaries.

Refreshments of sandwiches, salad and coffee were served to seventeen members, two children and two guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Ragan. The next meeting will be held June 21 at the home of Uda Maxwell.

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News of Mentone and Vicinity

Miss Mary Jean Kalmbacher was in Mentone the first of the week.

Dale Kelley and Dr. F. B. Davison are on a fishing trip in Canada.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gast of Akron were in Mentone Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Hill were at Plymouth Sunday, where Rev. Hill preached in the U. B. church.

Mr. Glen Paulus and son, David, spent the week end with his brother, Cloice Paulus, and family.

Mrs. Marie Barkman, of Plymouth, was visiting her mother, Mrs. Oliver Severns, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Lowman and son, Danny, were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cloice Paulus.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Harrison and daughter Patsy, of Rensselaer, Ind., were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Conda Walburn and daughter, Beverly.

Dwayne McKinley, 5, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ora McKinley, of Mentone, underwent a tonsilectomy Friday morning at the McDonald hospital.

Lt. Colonel and Mrs. William Middleton spent Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Dana Starr and Patty Sue. Lt. Col. Middleton, whose home is in Argos, has just returned from France.

Mr. and Mrs. Broda Starnier, of Argos and Mrs. Vivian Snyder of Mentone visited Mrs. Ida Titlow and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Porter of Delphi and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Clawson and family of Ockley, Indiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Secrist, of Mentone, are the parents of an eight and one-half pound daughter, born at the McDonald hospital Sunday. She has been named Glenda Mae. The grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ellsworth, of Mentone, and Mr. and Mrs. Adam Secrist, of Warsaw. Mrs. Secrist and new daughter are expected to be removed to the Dave Ellsworth home Thursday.

Those from out of town who attended the funeral of Charles W. Shafer Sunday afternoon were: Mrs. Robert Kessler, Mrs. Earl Triplett, Mrs. Ella Kessler, W. H. Kessler, Ora Jones, Harry Padgett, Ethel Padgett, Cora Law, Maude Law, Pauline Skinner and Hazel Redden, all of Morocco; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wilking, of Frankfort; John Slutz, of Ligonier, and Isaac Sarber, of Fort Wayne.

Capt. Dewey Baker was in town Wednesday visiting friends.

Lt. Robert L. Kinsey reported to his base in California for reassignment.

Mrs. Maude Cox and Mrs. William Vernet were in Warsaw Wednesday.

Dr. Dale A. Rigdon, optometrist, of Warsaw, and Mr. Agnew, Boy Scout executive of Goshen, were visitors in Mentone Wednesday.

Mrs. J. W. VanGilder, of Chicago, and Capt. and Mrs. D. J. VanGilder and Dona Kay, of Camp Atterbury, attended the funeral of C. W. Shafer.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Snyder and Mrs. Anna Betters of Flint, Mich., spent the week end with Mrs. Maude Snyder. Mrs. Betters is staying for an extended visit.

Cpl. Clay Nottingham, who was recently moved from Waco, Texas to Madison, Wis., spent Friday and Saturday in Mentone visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Nottingham.

Ralph "C" Ward S 2/c, recently released from the Navy hospital at Long Beach, is stationed at the Small Craft Training Center, Terminal Island, San Pedro, Calif., for a short period of training.

A number of members of the Order of the Eastern Star attended a reception for Mrs. Thelma Anglin of Elma Green, who has been appointed Deputy for the twentieth district. The meeting was held in the Isaac Walton club house East of Argos. A wonderful dinner was served, followed by a miscellaneous program. The crowd far exceeded in number the expectations of the committee in charge. A very enjoyable time was reported.

NOTICE TO THE JOES AND JANES OF THE JIVE CLUB
Sadie Hawkins Dance, Tuesday, May 29th, at the Jive Joint.

PSI IOTA XI MEETS

The Beta Epsilon chapter of Psi Iota Xi recently spent an enjoyable evening at the home of Mrs. Delford Nelson. Bridge was played with prizes of the evening going to Mrs. Russell Henderson and Mrs. Curtis Rimer. The other following members were present: Mrs. Harold Utter, Mrs. Lucille Whetstone, Mrs. Earl Dwyer, Mrs. Lyman Mollenhour, Mrs. T. J. Clutter, Mrs. M. O. Bryan, Mrs. Glen Weatherbee, Mrs. Elery Nellans, Mrs. C. E. Camplejohn, Mrs. Esther Shoemaker, Miss Genevieve Kraatz, Miss Flora Holt, and Mrs. Ralph Ward.

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Mr. and Mrs. Howard Horn and family, Mrs. Myrtle Davis and Mrs. Amanda Smith spent Sunday in Elkhart.

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FAIL TO PROSECUTE IN BARE TRIAL AGAIN

A circuit court jury, after deliberating for eight hours, late Monday night reported that it was unable to return a verdict in the state embezzlement case against Raymond S. Bare, of Mentone.

It was unofficially reported that the jurors voted nine to three for acquittal on the first ballot. Not one of the jurors changed his position during the many ballots which followed, it was understood.

It marked the second jury disagreement regarding Mr. Bare's guilt or innocence in less than a year. Whether or not the case comes up for re-trial will depend on the state, Judge John A. Sloane stated.

The case went to the jury at 2 o'clock in the afternoon and the jurors reported their disagreement at 10 o'clock at night.

The trial, which consumed 6 full days, got under way May 21.

The state charged that Bare, former treasurer of the Northern Indiana Co-Operative association, Mentone, embezzled \$61.66 from a deposit of the feed department of the Co-Operative on Nov. 27, 1941.

The prosecution's contention was that Bare forged a cash voucher purporting to show that he had paid out the money to Curtis Riner, Co-Operative stockholder-customer, for corn purchased.

The state amplified its case by producing other vouchers showing payments to Riner, J. F. Dickey and Alpheus Estep and charged that Bare in each case had taken the money and forged the vouchers to cover up his embezzlements.

In the next step in building its case the state placed Riner, Dickey and Estep on the stand. The men said the signatures on the vouchers were not theirs. They denied that they had sold corn to the Co-Operative or received any payment.

Next the state produced two handwriting experts who stated their opinions that Bare had signed the vouchers.

Bare took the stand in his own defense, admitted that he had signed the names of the men to some of the vouchers and said that he might have prepared all of them—he couldn't be sure.

AWARDED BRONZE STAR

For "meritorious achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy" in New Guinea and the Philippines, a Bronze Star Medal has been awarded to Lt. Col. Leroy Norris, Mentone, Ind. His wife, Mrs. Mabel E. Norris, lives in Mentone. The presentation was made by Lt. Gen. Robert L. Eichelberger, on whose staff Col. Norris serves. Col. Norris is a graduate of Purdue University, Class of '34.

O. E. S. NOTICE

The annual O. E. S. memorial services will be held at Masonic Temple June 4th. A committee will serve refreshments.

Bare stated that under duress he had joined Oliver S. Teel, former Co-operative general manager, in signing hundreds of the vouchers to cover up Co-Operative purchases of grain and other materials at prices above OPA ceilings and, before the existence of price controls, above a price agreed upon among dealers in the area.

The vouchers, Bare charged, represented the overpayments while the legal purchase price was paid by ordinary methods. The names signed to the vouchers were not the names of the actual purchasers, Bare declared.

Called to the stand by the state as a rebuttal witness, Teel denied that he had knowledge of or had taken part in any scheme to evade price ceilings and said that Co-Operative purchases of materials were made within the law.

Cross-examined by defense counsel, Teel admitted that he could not be sure whether or not ceilings had been violated but maintained that there were no intentional violations and no scheme of split payments to cover up violations.

A grand jury returned nine embezzlement indictments against Bare in April, 1944.

Pressing only one of the counts, the alleged \$61.66 embezzlement on November 27, 1941, the state brought Bare to trial in October of last year. After seven hours the jurors were unable to agree and were discharged. In that trial no handwriting experts were produced and no evidence regarding the OPA violations was submitted.

In the second trial the state was represented by Special Prosecutor Walter Brubaker and the defendant by Attorney Donald Vanderveer.

ABANDON PLANS TO RE-SURFACE HIGHWAY 25

The State Highway Superintendent, of Warsaw, was in Mentone Friday and announced that the state department had abandoned plans to resurface the road between Mentone and Warsaw. The abandonment order, he stated, originated in the Indianapolis office, and the reason given was that the present route of Highway 25 is just too narrow and crooked to make it profitable to invest several thousand dollars in a new surface.

We regret to hear that we'll be compelled to travel the present rough route to the county seat, but members of the highway commission can rest assured that the people of this community are going to put forth every effort to get this route straightened out and repaired in the very near future.

MANY ATTEND MEMORIAL DAY SERVICES HERE SUNDAY

The community was well represented at the Memorial Day services held at the Baptist church Sunday afternoon. The committee had arranged a very appropriate program, with Rev. Silas Hill giving the main address. The band and other local groups had part in the afternoon's program.

MARRIED MAY 23

Seaman Louis Blue, son of Mrs. Besse Blue, and Miss Josephine Coussore, of 715 E. 12th street, Rochester, were married on Wednesday evening, May 23, at 7:30 o'clock. They were attended by the bride's sister, Mary Coussore, and Vincent Goodman.

DAUGHTER IS BORN

A daughter, Jacqueline Sue, was born to Seaman and Mrs. Ervin Wagner, Jr., Sunday morning, at Peru. The new arrival weighed seven pounds and nine ounces. The father, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wagner, of Mentone, is now in naval service in the Pacific.

SON IS BORN

S/Sgt. and Mrs. C. K. Paulus are the parents of a son, Edward Jay, born on Saturday evening at Wilmington, Delaware. Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Burns, of No. Manchester, and Mr. and Mrs. Cloice Paulus, of Mentone, are grandparents. Mrs. Burns and Mrs. Paulus left Thursday to visit the new grandchild and its parents.

RELEASED FROM PRISON CAMP

Mr. and Mrs. Noble Shaffer, of Tippecanoe, have received a wire from their son, Pvt. Don Shaffer, that he had been released from a German prison camp and that he expected to be home within the next sixty days. He had been captured Jan. 2 while fighting in France.

JAMES WHETSTONE PROMOTED.

Word has been received from James Whetstone stating that he had been promoted to Private First Class and had been given the Infantry Combat Award. Jimmie hasn't been in Europe long but saw plenty of service with Patton's Third Army while there. He is now in Austria guarding prisoners.

He had been so busy he was unable to write home, and until May 26th, the last word from him had been written April 10th.

It is reported that a few years back the Whetstone family tree was traced back until it disappeared in Austria. When it appeared Jimmy was headed for Europe, his mother requested that if he ever got to Austria he should try and find the ancestral trail. We wonder if he will.

MOTHERS OF WORLD WAR NO. II

Mothers of Unit 106 will attend memorial services next Sunday, June 3, at Palestine at 2 p. m. An exceptionally interesting service is planned and the American Legion of Warsaw will be present in a body to participate in the services. War Mothers who were on the program at Mentone's services last Sunday, will present a part of the program at Palestine's service. All War Mothers or others who can go and will take a car load of War Mothers will be doing the unit a big favor if you will be at the corner drug store in mentone at 1:30 Sunday afternoon. All mothers who can go will be at the location mentioned and transportation will be available at that hour. A large number from Unit 106 is expected to go and take part in the service.

Mrs. Alice Funk, of Rochester, and Mrs. Rose Bails, and daughter June Osbourn and two children, of Aurora, Illinois, spent Saturday with their sister, Mrs. George Nellans.

NEWCASTLE

TOWNSHIP NEWS
By Lavoy Montgomery

Frank Arter is confined to his home on account of illness.

Miss Bonnie Jean Hubbard has accepted a position in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Walker, of Indianapolis, came Friday to spend the summer at their home here.

Mrs. Ora Byers and Mrs. R. E. Berryman and Mrs. Archie Grove, all of South Bend, spent Sunday here the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lou Grove.

Carl A. Dick, of South Bend, spent the week end here the guest of his father, W. A. Dick.

Lavoy Montgomery attended the baseball game at Rochester Sunday afternoon.

Miss Betty Kramer spent Sunday in Indianapolis.

The Misses Helen and Dorothy Meiser, of Chicago, spent the week end here the guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Meiser.

Mrs. H. E. Imier of Logansport, is spending a few days here the guest of her brother, Lou Grove.

Mrs. Della Emmons spent a few days in Rochester the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy.

Bobby Krammer, who underwent an operation for an injured knee some time ago at the Riley hospital at Indianapolis, returned to his home Sunday evening.

Miss Shirley Overmyer is spending a few days as the guest of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Overmyer, of near Richland Center.

Mrs. Bill Coplen and Mrs. Frank Coplen spent Monday in Nappanee.

Mrs. Robert Calvert has received word that her husband, Pvt. Robert A. Calvert, has arrived safely in Germany.

Mrs. Ora Horn, who has been confined

to her home for some time on account of illness, is improving.

Miss Rosie Good has returned to her home here after spending some time in Chicago the guest of the Misses Helen and Dorothy Meiser.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burket and son Jimmie of Rochester, called on Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Montgomery Thursday afternoon.

We threw our newscycle into high gear Thursday afternoon when we noticed a passenger train groaning to a stop at the Mentone station. We were

ready to expect some great personage disembarking—as the blame thing never does hesitate long enough for the engineer to “yoo-hoo” twice at the station agent. Joe Baker, the local jeweler, however, was the cause of it all. He just had another shipment of carved

“ice.” (If there’s a marriage brewing we haven’t heard of it.)

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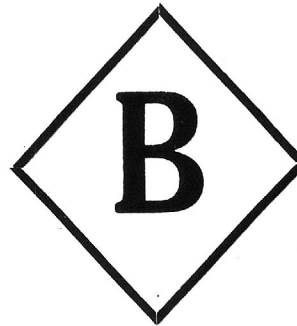
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Bacon	4	1	8
Lard	2	½	5
Chops	4	1	12
Cheese	1½	¼	3
Steak	4	1	10
Totals	17½	4¼	50
Blue Points			
1 Can Corn	5	1¼	20
1 Can Peas	5	1¼	30
Totals	10	2½	50

A total of 6¼ pounds of rationed meats, fats and vegetables for 90 meals, or 1.11 ounces per meal.

(It's a question whether the bird that figured the above schedule out can ever recuperate without using the black market.)

LINDA LOU LUKENS, AGE 3, HOLDS SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER

Linda Lou Lukens, route 2, Rochester, is believed to be the youngest holder of a social security number in Fulton county, and perhaps throughout the entire state.

Linda, who is the possessor of beautiful blonde curls, smiling blue eyes and a beaming countenance is but three years old and already has become a photographer's model. Incidentally Linda is not playing in the "bush league" either, for on Tuesday, May 29, her photo appeared in the Chicago Tribune on the society page.

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Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lukens are the parents of this little model and her granddad is Ralph Lukens, of the same neighborhood.

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Church Notes

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Mentone, Ind.

The following is the church schedule of services:

Bible Study, Sunday 9:30
Preaching Sunday 10:45
Communion Sunday 11:30
Sunday Evening—
Sings and Preaching 7:30
Mid-week activities—
Prayer Meeting -- Thursday 7:30



METHODIST CHURCH
Mentone, Ind.

Rev. A. G. Simmons, Pastor

Promptness and faithfulness will bring success.

The first of June starts a new year for Methodists. Next Sunday will be our first opportunity for worship in that new year. May you resolve to be present this Sunday and every other Sunday unless sickness or death keeps you away. The W. S. C. S. will meet tonight at the home of Mrs. Rea Ward.

Morning Worship 10:00.

Subject, "The Spiritual Glow."

Junior church at this hour in charge of Mrs. Simmons.

Sabbath School 11:00. Raymond Leah superintendent.

Classes for all ages.

Youth Fellowship for Juniors and Seniors 7:00

Evening Worship 8:00.

Subject, "God Sent Power or Can We Have Another Pentecost?"

Choir practice at the church Tuesday 8:00.

W.S.C.S. Study class Thursday 8:00. At the church.

Bring your guests, friends, and neighbors to all these services where a hearty welcome awaits you.

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Bible School 9:30 A.M.

Classes for all ages, including a nursery for the babies.

Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.
Subject: "The Church."

Young People's Fellowship 7:00 P.M.
Lecturer: Rev. E. C. Ralston.

Booster Band 7:00 P.M.

Mrs. Ralston, director.

Sunday Evening Service 8:00 P.M.
"Marching Orders."

Tuesday 8:00 P.M.

Orchestra practice.

Thursday 8:00 P.M.

Prayer meeting and Bible study.

Thursday 9:00 P.M.

Choir practice.

Sunday, June 10 7:30 P.M.

Children's Day Program.

Saturday, June 16 8:00 P.M.

Youth for Christ.

Sunday, June 17 10:30 A.M.

Father's Day Program.

Monday, June 18 10:00 A.M.

Meet at church for Camp of the Open Bible.

Camp of the Open Bible, June 18-29.

All who are interested in attending the Camp of the Open Bible please see Rev. E. C. Ralston as soon as possible.

E. COLEMAN RALSTON, Pastor.

A BIBLE MESSAGE

By REV. E. COLEMAN RALSTON

"God's Word is Sure."

"Thy testimonies are very sure". Psa. 93:5

Last week in considering the prophecy concerning the future destruction of Jerusalem as predicted in Lev. 26:30-31 and Jer. 20:5, we found that it was literally fulfilled. Daniel says, in referring to the destroyed city that God, "hath confirmed His words, which he spoke against us, and against our judges that judged us, bringing upon us a great evil for under the whole heaven hath not been done as hath been done upon Jerusalem." Dan. 9:12. God says, "I say the word and will perform it." He had warned them that even their

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enemies would be "astonished at it" (Lev. 26:32) and "everyone that passeth by it shall be astonished, and shall hiss; and they shall say, why hath the Lord done thus unto this land, and to this house? and they shall answer, Because they forsook the Lord their God" I Kings 9:8-9 and again, "everyone that passeth thereby shall be astonished and wag (shake) his head." Jer. 18:16 "Moreover I will make thee waste, and a reproach among the nations that are round about thee, in the sight of all that pass by. So it shall be a reproach and a taunt, an instruction and astonishment unto the nations that are round about thee, when I shall execute judgments in thee in anger and in fury and in furious rebukes. I the Lord have spoken" Ezek. 15: 14-15. This prophecy was fulfilled. The beautiful city of Jerusalem was so destroyed that it was nothing but a heap of rubbish. Many years later Sanballat mocked Nehemiah when

he was rebuilding the walls and said "will they revive the stones out of the heaps of rubbish which are burned" Jer. 4:2.

But the loss of their sacred city was not the only punishment they were to receive if they should walk contrary to God's commandments for He had warned them that He would also scatter them among the heathen and that they would become a proverb and byword among all people. (Lev. 26:33 and I Kings 9:7) Many scriptures could be cited as proof of the fulfillment of this prophecy but none are needed. Everyone is aware that the Jews are scattered throughout the world. Their name is a proverb and byword among all nations. Truly O Lord, "Thy testimonies are very sure."

To be continued.

Rev. and Mrs. Hill spent Wednesday in Laketon calling on Mrs. Hill's father, E. C. Johnson.

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ALTON TUCKER WRITES HOME

Dear Folks,

I just got back from my first trip to the South Pacific—and the sights I saw would take days to tell—it was really interesting. Maybe some day I can tell them to you.

Was glad to have your letter waiting when I got back—also lots of mail from Kate and other people—it's really swell to get mail, isn't it?

Apparently it's a good thing I left Ford. Had a letter from my last Copilot there and they're closing the place August 1—so I'd have been out of a job before that!

Flying the ocean doesn't seem hard or scary—the only thing about it is that it gets so tiresome. In the last nine days I flew 94 hrs and 30 minutes and flew approximately 20,000 miles—that's really covering the earth.

Sure was too bad about Ernie Pyle wasn't it? I talked to a couple of infantrymen who were in the outfit that Pyle was with in Okinawa. They were talking about him—had talked to him on about April 7th. They said he was the best G. I. correspondent out there. They were both wounded and in the Hospital in Honolulu. Gee that's a wonderful place. You'd really love it, mother, the flowers are so pretty—and lots of pretty birds—temperature from 68 to 78—everything green all the year around—pineapples, bananas, etc.—to me that is a paradise spot!

I haven't noticed any birds here except blackbirds out in the fields—see them sitting on the sheep's backs—don't know whether they're feeding on sheep ticks or not—but it's funny to see them riding there!

Thanks, Dad, for your letter—would you like a coconut from the South

Pacific? I ate part of one the other night that I picked up in Los Negros—try to find that on a map! It's along the northern coast of New Guinea. Boy did I see the water? That's about all there is west. I walked around the island of Tarawa and saw all the Jap installations. I don't see how those Marines ever took that place. It only took an hour to walk around the whole place. It's just a strip of coral maybe a thousand feet wide and a little over a mile long—and not a tree left on it now! Hot as h..... there, too!

Well, I've one more letter to write—say tell that young brother of mine to write me a letter—he owes me one!

Take care and write when you can—

With love,

Yours,

Alton.

CONSTRUCTION CONTROLS HAVE BEEN MODIFIED

Despite the relaxation of Construction Limitation Order L-41, new home building, remodeling, maintenance and repair will be held back by the rigid lumber control order L-335, according to R. W. Slagle, secretary, The Indiana Lumber & Builders' Supply Association, Indianapolis.

Lumber control order L-335 allows the dealer to sell only ten per cent of the lumber he sold in 1944 as "Free Lumber," namely, without written authorization or priority ratings. Even when lumber for "new construction" within homes was limited to \$200 per year, there was not enough "free" lumber to meet demands in most localities.

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The farmer still retains the right to spend \$1,000 on his farm plant buildings per year.

Without revision in L-335, L-41 revised merely supplies a hunting license to permit people to try to get the materials with which to build.

NEWCASTLE FARM BUREAU HOLDS MONTHLY MEETING

The regular monthly meeting of the Newcastle Township Farm Bureau was held Wednesday evening at the Talma High school.

The meeting was opened by community singing led by Richard Graves

with Mrs. Kermit Biddinger accompanying. Prayer was offered by Mrs. John Gordon. The following program was presented: piano solo, Mrs. Clyde Harvey; Mother's Day reading, Mrs. Berrier; violin solo, Delbert Hunter; Seventh War Loan report, Mrs. Kermit Biddinger. Mrs. Dee Berrier was in charge of the program.

John Dawson, township chairman, had charge of the business session. Mr. Graves, county Farm Bureau chairman, told of the various activities of the Farm Bureau and of the duties of the OPA. The program committee for the June meeting will be Mrs. Wilvin Long, Mrs. Joe Grass and Mrs. Delois White.

Refreshments and a social hour were enjoyed at the close of the meeting.

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News of Mentone and Vicinity

Vegetable plants at Markley's.

○ ○ ○
Mrs. Orpha Blue has been spending a week in Fort Wayne with her sister, Mrs. Judson West.

○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Reichard, of Warsaw, have moved into the Hollis Kay property in Mentone.

○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. Alva Shunk spent Decoration Day with their son, George, and family, of Argos.

○ ○ ○
Miss Phyllis Bowser is home after a two weeks vacation with her sister, Mrs. Marion Flory and family, of South Bend.

○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Johnson, of Ft. Wayne were Sunday afternoon callers at the Martha Welch home. The ladies are sisters.

○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stanford have moved to Mentone from Rochester and are now living with the former's mother, Mrs. Ellen Stanford.

○ ○ ○
T/Sgt. Carl Gross left Monday for Eglin Field, Fla., after spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gross and family.

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Memorial services will be held at the Palestine Christian church June 3 at 2:00 o'clock. The address will be given by Porter Williamson and music under the direction of Vernon Harris of Wiltona Lake.

○ ○ ○
A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McBride two weeks ago Wednesday at the Murphy Medical Center at Warsaw. Mr. McBride is employed at the Manwaring Leghorn Farm at Mentone.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Johns and Mr. and Mrs. Artley Cullum attended the Lions club ladies' night program at South Whitley Monday evening, May 21st. Dr. Warren, of the Lincoln Life Insurance Company, of Fort Wayne, was the principal speaker and his subject was: "Mary Todd Lincoln and the Enormous Influence She Was on Her Husband." Dr. Warren has been studying and searching for new facts about our former President for years and now has a collection of 6,600 volumes at Fort Wayne. It has been customary for historians and commentators to cast disparaging insinuations towards Mary Todd Lincoln, and the speaker stated that there was never any indication that she had ever either hindered Mr. Lincoln or injured his reputation. In fact, it is believed Mary Todd had much to do with giving Mr. Lincoln the cultural background which was so important once he became President.

Vegetable plants at Markley's.

○ ○ ○
Mrs. Mulford, who is working in Plymouth, spent Wednesday at her home here.

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The Junior Boosters of the Baptist Church enjoyed a six-mile hike Thursday, with a picnic lunch at noon.

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W. S. McBride, of Chicago, called on his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Clark, Memorial Day.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Snyder and family, of Argos, were guests Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Long and family.

○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Johnson and daughter, Donna Jeanne, of Yorktown, were guests of Rev. and Mrs. E. C. Ralston Thursday evening and Friday.

○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. Artley Cullum and children and Mrs. Myrtle Reed spent Sunday at Monroeville with Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Davis and three children.

○ ○ ○
Miss Blanche Smith, of Mentone, was admitted to the McDonald hospital on Friday as a medical patient and is much improved at this writing.

○ ○ ○
Mrs. Elmore Fenstermaker and daughter left Thursday morning for White Bear Lake, Minnesota after receiving a report that Mrs. Mollie Mills had suffered a stroke Tuesday.

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Vegetable plants at Markley's.

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Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Huffer and children, of South Bend, and Mrs. Thurstman Ridgway and son, of Peru, were week end guests at the parental Ray Rush home.

○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Garrison and daughter, Maridean, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wise and daughter Evelyn, all of Fort Wayne, spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Warren.

○ ○ ○
Captain Dewey Baker, of Jefferson Barracks, Mo., was a caller at the Martha Welch home on North Franklin street last Wednesday afternoon (the 17th). Captain Baker's parents, now deceased, were former residents of Mentone. Capt. Baker has a son in Europe, serving in the 16th infantry.

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The following young people of the Mentone Baptist church played in the Memorial Day Band of 300 at Soldier's Field, Chicago, Wednesday. They were: Bedelia Belle Weirick, Phyllis Lemler, Robert Nelson, Malcolm Long and Lee Edwin Norris. Mrs. Weirick and Mrs. Long accompanied the young people.

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○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Davis, of Warsaw, were dinner guests at the Walter Lackey home Memorial Day.

○ ○ ○
Ora McKinley, of the Mentone Lumber Co., spent Saturday and Sunday in Toledo on business.

○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. Ora McKinley and family spent the fore part of the week in Muncie. Mrs. McKinley and children remained for a longer visit.

○ ○ ○
Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Aller and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fultz, of the Tiosa neighborhood, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Long Sunday afternoon.

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