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CHURCH OF CHRIST REVIVAL MEETINGS

Our annual meeting will begin Oct. 8th to continue through the 22nd. Everyone is given a cordial welcome to attend. The effort is being put forth to reach those who are lost, and to lead them to the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world. Your criticisms and comments are invited. The Bible only will be preached as we do not use any creed written by men. New Testament Christianity will be the central theme of every discussion.

Congregational singing will be featured. The privilege of handing in written questions, providing they are Bible questions, will also be extended. The following list of sermon titles will be discussed the first week of the meeting:

Sunday Morn, Oct. 8th, "Hindrances to the Truth."

Sunday evening, "Divinity of Jesus Christ."

Monday, "The Divine Pattern."

Tuesday, "Deliverance from Sin."

Wednesday, "The Church and the Blood."

Thursday, "Crossing Life's Sea."

Friday, "Denominationalism—A System of Infidelity."

Saturday, "The Restoration."

These meetings will begin promptly at 7:30 p. m. You are welcome.

CLYDE C. SLOAN, Minister.

PVT. DALE CREAKBAUM HURT BY FALLING TREE

Mr. and Mrs. George Creakbaum learned indirectly this week that their son, Pvt. Dale M. Creakbaum, hospitalized in England, sustained a broken upper arm when a tree fell on him during the battle for France.

Details of young Creakbaum's injuries, announced late in September by the war department, came to Mrs. Walter S. Baker, of Bourbon, through her daughter, a nurse in England.

SATURDAY, OCT. 14 LAST DAY FOR MAILING OVERSEAS PKGS.

Oct. 14 will be the last day for the mailing of Christmas packages to men and women overseas. The dead line previously announced was Oct. 15, but as this falls on Sunday when postoffices are not open, the new date was announced.

Jury Disagrees In Bare Trial

The jury hearing the case of Raymond S. Bare, former treasurer of the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association at Mentone, who was on trial this week in circuit court charged with embezzling company funds, failed to reach a verdict and was dismissed about ten o'clock Thursday evening. First reports indicated that the jury was rather evenly divided between acquittal and guilty verdicts.

Failure of the jury to arrive at a verdict will likely necessitate another trial in the case.

Bare was indicted in April of this year on a total of nine counts of embezzlements totaling over eight hundred dollars.

The trial opened Monday morning at Warsaw and all day Monday was necessary to secure a jury that was not prejudiced and was satisfactory to both the prosecution and the defense.

The jury finally selected to try the case after nine jurors, including three women, were excused, included: Merl Pound, Leesburg; Ralph McDaniel, Warsaw; R. H. Tyner, Warsaw; Ralph Wrigley, Monroe township; Oliver Bodkin, Warsaw; A. L. Summe, Burket; Roy Huffman, Leesburg; James Sharp, Syracuse route 3; Fred Green, Turkey Creek township; William Stutzman, Etna Green; Charles Seneff, Etna Green, and Gerald Teter, Warsaw.

The defense attorneys were Donald Vanderveer of Warsaw and Robert Procter of Elkhart, while Allan S. Widaman and Walter Brubaker represented the state.

The defense used many witnesses to substantiate their claims that Bare was and always had been a respectable citizen in every way. The prosecution chose to try the case on only two of the counts listed in the indictment. Specifically, Bare was charged with embezzling \$61.66 on Nov. 27, 1941, allegedly by replacing cash in the daily deposit from the feed department with a company check signed by he and Manager Oliver Teel. The company always has used the signatures of both the treasurer and general manager on each check before they are valid. The company check was necessary to balance the deposit after a payment of that

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FRANK ALFRED HAWK DIES IN SOUTH BEND

Frank Alfred Hawk, aged 78, uncle to Mahlon Mentzer of Mentone, died at his home in South Bend at 4:30 p. m. Saturday after a week's illness. He was born in Sandusky, Ohio, June 8, 1866 and went to South Bend from Mentone 43 years ago. He was married Sept. 17, 1887, in Mentone, to Miss Katherine L. Shatto, who survives. Other survivors include, two daughters, Mrs. William Martins, of Detroit, Mich., and Mrs. M. A. Hill of Chicago; three sons, Raymond and Chester, both of South Bend, and Russell Hawk, serving with the army in France.

Funeral services were held at the Lowell Heights Methodist church at 10 a. m. Wednesday, with Rev. J. A. Törnack, pastor of the church, officiating. Burial at Mentone.

ETNA GREEN BOYS VISIT JUDGE

Several boys of juvenile age from Etna Green were brought before Judge John A. Sloane Saturday morning in juvenile court and lectured. The boys were accused of breaking light globes and causing other damage in the town. They were brought to Warsaw by Deputy Sheriff Rovenstine.

Likely the boys have used up their free "first-offense passes" and will need to be a little more respectful in the future.

WAR FUND DRIVE WILL START COLUMBUS DAY

Columbus day, October 12, will start the \$18,000 quota drive by the Kosciusko County War Fund committee, it was announced Friday night at a meeting of last year's workers at the city hall at Warsaw.

Walter Crooke, of Warsaw, was re-elected general chairman of the 1944 campaign. Other officers elected were: Joseph Clark, co-chairman; W. Robert Hall, treasurer, and Mrs. Earl Foster secretary.

All township chairmen and chairwomen who served in the 1943 drive were reappointed to serve in the 1944 campaign.

RUMMAGE SALE CONTINUED

The rummage sale being held by the Psi Iota Xi Sorority in the telephone building will continue through Saturday.

W. W. HOMMAN BROUGHT TO MENTONE FOR BURIAL

Funeral services were held Monday for Walter W. Homman, 66, who died Friday at his home in South Bend after an illness of two months. Mr. Homman, a native of Silver Lake, was returned to Kosciusko county for funeral and burial. The funeral was held at the Johns funeral home in Mentone with Rev. Heasley, pastor of the Evangelical church at South Bend, and Rev. Silas Hill of Mentone, in charge. Burial was in the Silver Lake cemetery.

Surviving relatives are the wife, the former Mrs. Ota Mae Smalley; two sons, Harold, of South Bend, and Richard, of the U. S. Navy; a daughter, Mrs. Ruth Strock, of Logansport; two step-sons, Earl Smalley, of Warsaw, and Donald Smalley, of near Claypool; a step-daughter, Mrs. Olive Tucker of Mentone; four grandchildren and seven step-grandchildren.

The deceased was born in Silver Lake April 5, 1878, the son of Ezra and Ellen Homman. He lived practically all his life in Kosciusko county until he moved to South Bend a few years ago to operate a restaurant. He at one time operated the Ford agency and garage at Mentone.

His first wife, Ora Homman, passed away in 1923. Five years later he was married to Mrs. Smalley and they celebrated their sixteenth wedding anniversary the day previous to his death. He was a member of the United Brethren church of Silver Lake.

The funeral service was held at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon.

CONSERVATION CLUB TO MEET FRIDAY EVENING

The regular monthly meeting of the Mentone Conservation Club will be held Friday evening, October 6th, at the city hall. All the officers are requested to be present and an invitation is extended to all the members.

RATION ON MOST FARM MACHINERY IS LIFTED

War Food Administrator Marvin Jones has lifted all remaining ration and distribution control on farm machinery and equipment except corn-pickers. Combines, corn-binders, and tractors were on the list of 20 items from which Jones removed wartime distribution control.

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'Free' LUMBER

The War Production Board has recently relaxed Lumber Regulations to permit the dealer selling up to one-third the lumber he has on hand, without priority. This applies to new construction as well as maintenance and repairs of homes or farm buildings, such construction is still governed by WPB regulations (Namely \$200 for residences and \$1,000 for farm buildings.) Permits may be secured for larger construction.

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By ART CULLUM

**OVER THE FENCE FOR THE
OLD GRAY MARE**

The World Series is on again and America has called another week of holidays. After five months of baseball we get one week—maybe—to try that seventh-inning stretch before we haul out the coon skin and head for the cinder seats in the football bowls.

A world series is when half the boys come out all busted up and the other half bankers. The winners' pay checks get bigger faster than the interest on a hooked diamond in a loan shark's vault and they get to endorse everything from lip stick to underwear.

Like the drunk that staggered off the bridge in the dark and happened to land safely. They just seem to leap into fame. At the beginning of the season an ordinary second baseman couldn't tell the difference between near beer and sauerkraut juice, but after winning the series he can tell six kinds of jello at a whiff or tie a horse blanket around his head and pick out the cigarette marked "X"

among the stubs on a bar room floor while six fan dancers are chasing mosquitoes.

There just doesn't seem to be anything to it—but it brings in a lot of dough.

There are a lot of people that like

to watch 22 men get down on all fours on a football field and root around after a pigskin pill, but there seems to be more who are fascinated by baseball.

What worries me is how they can make so many horsehide baseballs when horses are getting so scarce. The old gray mare used to kick over the whiffletree and now she goes over the shade tree for a home run. A lot of them don't come back and

man is the only animal you can skin more than once.

This is serious business!

Economic Losses

The direct economic losses resulting from 1943 traffic accidents are estimated at \$1,200,000,000. This includes wage losses, medical expenses, overhead costs of insurance and motor vehicle property damage.

AMERICAN HEROES

BY LEFF



Pfc. William C. Kelly, of Silver Spring, Maryland, was on observation post duty for his front line regiment in Italy. He spotted German mortar and machine gun emplacements, reporting to artillery observer to direct fire. Hastily he advised the CP with compass directions in place of artillery technical data. A third trial round hit squarely on the enemy. *We must buy War Bonds and hold 'em with the same constant eye on the enemy.*

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BARE TRIAL—

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amount had allegedly been made to Curtis J. Riner for a load of corn. Riner testified that he had never sold corn to the Cooperative nor had he signed any payment vouchers even though the company files contained quite a number of such vouchers with Riner's name on them. J. F. Dickey's name, too, was on another group of vouchers and he likewise testified that the signatures were not his.

Credit vouchers were often used as receipts for cash paid out by a department and company checks from one department, or account, to another were used in keeping the various accounts in balance in their method of book-keeping. For the purchase of grain or other materials of this nature, a weigh-bill was always presented to Bare and he handled the entire transaction from the figuring of the value of the commodity purchased, making out the check, filling in the credit voucher, keeping the records and maintaining the grain-purchase accounts. (Records on exhibit failed to show these purchases in some records.) Oftentimes a number of these vouchers and checks would be presented to Manager Teel in a group for his signature. In testifying as a witness for himself and under cross-examination on the stand, Bare failed

Mrs. Esther Shoemaker GENERAL INSURANCE

MENTONE PHONE 3 on 33

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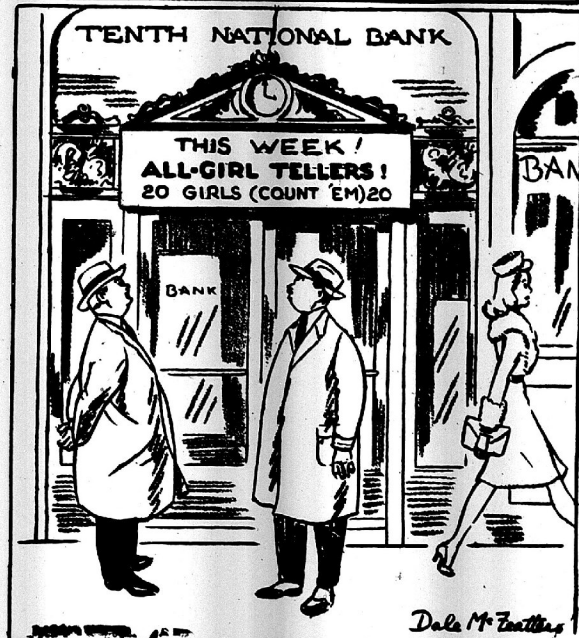
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to remember any of the details regarding the vouchers, how the signatures managed to get upon them, etc.

The trial created more interest locally than any case in recent years but some fifteen witnesses called to testify had a rather monotonous three days trying to entertain themselves. They were excluded from the hearing and called into the court room only when they were on the stand.

"DOC" JONES HONORED BY HIS COMPANY IN SOUTH PACIFIC

A clipping from a company newspaper on New Britain island, in the South Pacific, was received by Mrs. Mervin Jones this week. The clipping is of interest to her and other local people in that it was about her husband and a former Mentone barber, better known to us as "Porky" Jones. This report was received several weeks ago but "Porky" didn't give us enough details to make a good story of it. He arrived on New Britain from Guadalcanal about five months ago and has been in the service 17 months. He will have one year's overseas service the 20th of this month. The clipping follows:

WATCH GIVEN TO JONES Surprise Formation Held

"Doc" Jones, Service Company, was recently given a 17-jewel Gruen by the men of his company.

In a surprise formation the watch was presented by 1st Sgt. Durbin on behalf of the men, for "Doc's" splendid,

conscientious performance as a medic." The watch band was made by crafty Sgt. De Marchin.

Doc is a father, mother, brother and sister to all Service Co.—knowing no hours of duty. Innumerable times he has arisen in wee hours to aid a sick comrade. "He just can't be beat," is what one fellow said.

Jones lives in Mentone, Ind., and is a proud papa. He was a barber before entering the service.

(And even though it may not be on the subject, the back of the clipping carries the following admonition to the boys):

"It is estimated by the Army Weather Bureau that the average rainfall will be about 20-25 inches per month. The monsoons will last about 5 months with the height in December. During the seasonal rain the wind will die down to 7-10 miles per.

"You'd better repair that tent and dig those ditches 'cause it's gon'na rain."

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JOS. A. BAKER

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AWARDED SILVER BRACELET

Staff-Sgt. Marion M. Smith, son of Mrs. Myrtle Smith, has been awarded a silver bracelet bearing the inscription "meritorious service" because of his outstanding record as a Flying Fortress mechanic. It was announced Friday in a press release from an Eighth AAF bomber station in England. Presentation of the bracelet was made by his Fortress group commander at an official awards and decorations ceremony. Sgt. Smith is a member of a group crew of mechanics whose maintenance record shows 58 consecutive bombing missions completed by their aircraft without a single turn-back because of mechanical failure. Overseas more than 15 months, he serves with a bomber group in the veterans First Bombardment Division, recently cited by President Roosevelt for its part in an air action over Germany last January 11.

Soybean Meal

University of Illinois specialists found that soybean meal was a poor substitute for animal proteins in chick rations unless inorganic phosphorus was added to the ration. It seemed that the chick could not make good use of the phosphorus in the soybean meal. If alfalfa meal made from field-cured alfalfa hay and an adequate source of vitamin D are added to the ration, the chick can make use of the phosphorus in the soybean meal, thereby curing its fault as a chick feed. The alfalfa or grass provides the enzymes necessary to make the phosphorus usable by the chick. The enzyme responsible for improving the utilization of phosphorus in seeds (phytase) is present in soybeans but is destroyed by the heat treatment during processing. The enzyme in field-cured alfalfa hay is also destroyed during commercial dehydration, according to the specialists.

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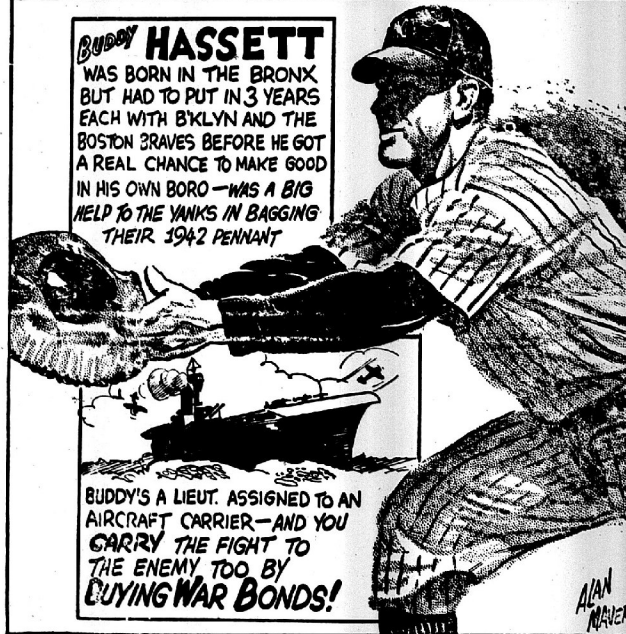
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STARS IN SERVICE



"THE WAY IT SEEMS TO ME"

It Isn't Fair

By MILDRED K. STOLTZ
State Director of Education, Montana State
Farmers' Organization

It just isn't fair that our boys and girls in Service cannot get the true picture of what is happening at home. False editorials, untrue articles, and biased newspaper stories are being sent to those serving our country, telling about the people here at home. The average boy or girl, in service, begins to think that all the laborers in the entire United States are saboteurs, and that every farmer wants to get rich out of the war, no matter how long it lasts. Few, if any of them stop to realize that the greatest majority of those who are in the Armed Service, come from the labor and farm families.

Few, if any, stop to analyze the propaganda that they read. They can

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not see that it is done deliberately so that farm boys and girls, and labor boys and girls will feel a seething resentment against each other. They cannot know, or if they knew they have forgotten, that there have been many more man days lost through accidents than have been lost in strikes. These accidents could have been prevented in almost all cases if better accident prevention measures had been installed in the mines and factories. They should know that many times more man days were lost at the beginning of hostilities when the Industrialists went on a sit-down strike until they were given a cost-plus contract with the provision that they would own the government paid for factories at the end of five years.

Few, if any of our boys and girls stop to realize these things. And few, if any of the boys and girls from the laboring families stop to analyze the vicious propaganda being released against farmers. There is the story of the farmer who refused to pick his apple crop because he didn't get enough money for it. "To heck with the war," the farmer is supposed to have said, "if I can't get what I want for the apples they can rot on the trees." That's a nice story to spread. Then there is the one about the farmer who left the potatoes in the ground and left his wheat standing in the field—all of the stories written to spread distrust and unrest among those who are fighting for a more democratic way of life.

It is up to you, the parents of these

young people, to let them know they must not be misled by propaganda. They must be told that the farmer and the laborer are not saboteurs, but are doing their very best to help bring this war to a successful conclusion. You can tell them the facts better than anyone else—at least that is the way it seems to me.

There is an expression that goes, "Yes, he lived to a ripe old age." I never liked that expression, and wonder where it originated. If anything is "ripe" and "old" it usually is quite useless. Personally, I feel that the men and women who are so actively engaging in this war effort, through the long hours they spend in the field and the factory, should be given a medal of bravery. All too many of them are working longer hours than their years suggest. They are trying to do the work they did 15 or 20 years ago, and are becoming over-tired doing this work.

An old man of 82 is running an elevator in a busy hotel. He looked and acted tired. He was tired, just as tired as hundreds of other older men and women who answered the call of their country by working longer and harder than they should.

Everyone should realize that the older people are contributing their share to our all-out-war-production. As we pay homage to the youth who do their jobs, don't forget the older folks who are equally responsible for the work that is being done.

As each day appears, and you face the many tasks that must be done, never forget to keep your mind alert and active. Keep aware of the forces who would fool you with colorful lies and propaganda. Remember, always, that you are the most important commodity in the world. You are part of the great group of people who do the jobs that must be done.

Don't fail to keep alert about the news on the home front—your community, your county, your state, your nation. Exercise your right, and take part in the work of this nation of ours by using your vote. Don't take a mental holiday, as you work hard. Think more and better than ever. An intelligent group cannot become enslaved. Don't let your mind go into a slump, keep thinking and acting.

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Church Notes

CHURCH OF CHRIST Mentone, Ind.

Clyde C. Sloan, Minister.

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

Revival meeting tonight 8:00. Good music and short sermon.

Sunday services will be:

Morning Worship, 10:00.

Subject: "Obstacles That Hide the Way." Special music by Janet Hostettler. Junior church at this hour. Sabbath School 11:00. Raymond Lash superintendent.

Classes for all ages.

Youth Fellowship 6:30.

Revival Meeting 8:00.

Subject: "Attempted Destruction of the Way." This will be the last time to hear Janet sing.

Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30.

W. S. C. S. will meet at the church Friday the 13th.

Remember promptness and faithfulness will bring success, so bring your guests, friends and neighbors to all of these services where a hearty welcome awaits you.

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Come Sunday and bring someone with you. Classes for all ages, including a nursery for the babies.

Workers prayer meeting 9:15 A.M.

All teachers and officers are urged to be on time.

Sunday School 9:30 A.M.

Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.

Special music.

B. Y. P. U. 6:30 P.M.

Young people this is your service. Come and enjoy it.

Evening service dismissed and co-operating with the Methodist Revival meetings 8:00 P.M.

Tuesday 7:30 P.M.

Orchestra practice. If you play an instrument and do not attend church elsewhere, come and join us for an enjoyable evening.

Thursday 7:30 P.M.

Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

E. COLEMAN RALSTON, Pastor.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks to our many friends for the kind acts of sympathy, to Rev. S. M. Hill, Rev. R. L. Haley, the John's funeral home and for the beautiful flowers following the death of our husband and father.

Mrs. Walter Homman and Family,
Harold Homman.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Riddle, of Rochester, spent Thursday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Linus Borton.

Rose Marie Eherenman, nineteen-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Eherenman of Mentone, submitted to a mastoid operation Friday morning of last week at the McDonald hospital at Warsaw. Saturday the father was called into the armed services from Greenville, Michigan.

Dr. Dale A. Rigdon

OPTOMETRIST

"IT'S THE EXAMINATION THAT COUNTS"

OFFICE AT FITCH'S JEWELRY STORE
WARSAW, INDIANA

For Your Convenience — Please Phone 781 for Appointment

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Stockberger, of near Argos, were in Mentone Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Oliver Severns has moved into her new home in Mentone which she purchased last week.

Herschel Teel has purchased the Bessie Bivins home and expects to occupy it shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Groves, of Claypool, formerly of Whitley county, were in Mentone Friday afternoon on business and visited Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Long.

Harold Horn has returned to Camp Atterbury after an 8-day furlough visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Horn. His wife and baby, of Atwood, were also visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Cloice Paulus, Bud Paulus and Miss Juanita Nellans were dinner guests Monday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemler and family.

Mrs. Lydia Rynearson spent the week end with her sister, Mrs. Eva Irvin, of Leesburg.

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News of Mentone and Vicinity

Mrs. Mollie Jeffries has been ill the past week at her home in Mentone.

Mr. and Mrs. Conda Walburn, Mrs. Don Bunner and Mrs. J. F. Warren spent Friday in South Bend.

The decorators have been busy at the Lake Trail Cafe the past few days and they have made a decided improvement in the appearance of this Mentone establishment.

Mrs. Flo Borton has returned to her home here after visiting her daughter in Ohio, who has been ill for some time. The daughter is now on her way to the Mayo hospital at Rochester, Minn.

Mrs. A. G. Simmons, Mary Goodwin, Janet Hostettler, Lillian Witham and Mrs. Dillman attended the Kosciusko county district meeting of the W. S. C. S. held recently.

Jack Shaffer, Elmore Fenstermaker, Ora McKinley, Eddie Tucker, Floyd Tucker and Leo Valentine are among those taking the work of the Scottish Right in 32nd degree Masonry at Fort Wayne this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Miller, Hazel and Carrie Schaaf of South Whitley, Mr. and Mrs. John Funk, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Funk and son Richard of near Akron, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Don Emmons and family.

Word from John Wilson to his father, Orville Wilson, states that he is in Cheyenne, Wyoming working for the United Air Lines. Indiana climate is a little too rough on John's sinus trouble and for the past several years has been working and living in climates a little better suited to his physical condition.

Gus Mollenhour submitted to an operation for appendicitis at the Woodlawn hospital at Rochester Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Emmons and daughter Carol Elaine were Sunday guests of Leroy Cox and Don Emmons and their families.

Mrs. Lois Davison returned home on Monday after spending ten days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dorman, of Waterville, Ohio.

Dr. L. H. Davis announces that he has rented the former Dr. Urschel office rooms and expects to be moved in by the end of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Davis and two children of Monroe, spent Sunday at the Artley Cullum home. The two ladies are sisters.

The Mentone Shriners entertained 32 county fellow members to a steak dinner at Beaver dam one evening last week.

D. R. Jones, of Palmyra, Wisconsin, who had been in Cincinnati, Ohio attending the national convention of Undertakers, spent the week end with his father, E. E. Jones, and Mrs. Jones. Another son, C. E. Jones of St. John, Ohio, was also here visiting. They returned to their respective homes Monday.

Ferdinand Hand, S 1-c, son of Chas. Hand, of near Mentone, has just completed a 15-day furlough with his father and his wife, who now reside near Burket. He has spent a total of nine months overseas, crossing over four times, and he brought home a large number of souvenirs from New Guinea, Australia and India.

W. C. Clutter, who has been in the South Pacific island of Samoa for nearly a year, arrived home the fore part of

the week for a 30-day furlough with his family. He spent 19 days on the return trip home and was practically frozen for the first day or so. He's getting acclimated to this "cold" climate a little by now. Clayton has seen a lot of the world in his stay with the Navy CB's.

ON PRE-FLIGHT FOOTBALL SQUAD

A. A. "Brick" Kelley, A. M. M. 2-c, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vere Kelley, is one of the promising tackle candidates on the Georgia Navy Pre-Flight football squad this season, the naval pre-flight school at Athens, Ga., has announced. Kelley played freshman football at Purdue university before entering the navy. The Georgia Pre-Flight Skycrackers play a nine-game schedule against college and service elevens, beginning Sept. 30 when they met the University of South Carolina at Columbia, S. C.

ATTEND CAP OFFICERS' SCHOOL

Max Smith of Mentone, Robert L. Hogue, of Silver Lake, and William Mollenhour of Warsaw, were among the 150 Civil Air Patrol officers who attended a two-day indoctrination course at Stout Field, Indianapolis, over the week end.

ARE YOU REGISTERED?

Monday, October 9th, will be your last chance to register or transfer your registration if you expect to vote in the November election. Be sure you are eligible to vote—and then be sure and vote—this fall.

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HOLLIS L. KAY, 73, DIED AT WARSAW HOSPITAL TUESDAY

Hollis L. Kay, 73, passed away Tuesday morning at 1:30 o'clock at the Murphy medical center where he had been taken the previous Wednesday. Mr. Kay had been in failing health for the past three years. Death was due to an obstruction of the intestine.

The deceased was born near Palestine on February 6, 1871, the son of William and Susan Kay. He never married and lived his entire life in and around Palestine and Mentone where he worked as a farmer. For the past several years he has maintained a home in Mentone and lived alone. He was a member of the Baptist church.

Surviving are several nieces and nephews, Lawrence Kay, of northwest of Warsaw, being one of the nephews. All the others live at a distance.

Funeral services were to be held at two o'clock Thursday afternoon, Oct. 12, at the Reed funeral home. Burial in the Mentone cemetery.

MICE OR MEN?

(Editorial)

Some time ago the report was made that the State Highway Patrolman was being removed from our county and until such time as conditions changed, no patrolman would be on Kosciusko county highways to safeguard its people from the hazards which come without the watchful eye of this important state organization.

Kosciusko county is the only county in the State of Indiana where the State Highway Patrol does not work, except when called in on accidents or special investigations!

What is so terribly wrong with our county that we must be deprived of this protection?

What minority, if any, is so powerful, so selfish or so self-seeking as to force the patrolmen from our highways?

We have part of the answers to the above questions, and if some effort isn't made at once to correct this situation those answers will be given adequate publicity.

There is no excuse for the ordinary citizen to sit idly by, waiting for someone to sacrifice his life on our highways, while we wait for a few bigoted individuals to come to their senses.

FORMER MENTONE BOY KILLED IN FRANCE

Mrs. Gertrude Gray, of Akron, has been informed by the war department that her son, Pfc. Clifford Gray, aged 24, had been killed Sept. 16 while serving in France with an infantry unit. Private Gray was inducted into the army July 23, 1942 and received his basic training at Camp Forrest, Tenn. He had been overseas four months.

He was born in Peru, Ind., July 23, 1921, and at the time of his induction was employed by the American Fork & Hoe company plant in Akron. He was married to Miss Wilma Holloway of Rochester.

Surviving are his mother; his widow; a son, Dennis Dean of Rochester; five brothers, Corp. Ed. Gray, Washington, D. C.; John Gray, Rochester; Hobbs Gray, Plymouth, and Budd and Robert Gray, Akron, and four sisters, Mrs. Kathleen Benner, Oakland, Cal., Mrs. Maryellen Wise, South Bend, and Vivian and Lois Gray, Akron.

The Gray family formerly resided in Mentone, the father being employed at the Burns Bakery. He was killed when he was struck by a piece of timber as he was walking along the sidewalk in front of the carpenter shop now owned and operated by the Mentone Lumber Co. A workman was splitting a timber on a power driven circular saw when one piece was suddenly thrown out the door hitting Mr. Gray.

ANDREW SMITH AND MARGARET POLLOCK MARRIED

On Saturday evening, October 7, at 7:30, Miss Margaret Lucille Pollock, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Pollock, of Salem, Indiana, became the bride of Andrew D. Smith, of Mentone, son of Mrs. Della Smith of Akron.

The vows for the single-ring ceremony were read by Rev. Wilbur C. Wilson, in the parsonage of the United Brethren church at Claypool. The couple was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Roberts, of Warsaw, brother-in-law and sister of the bride.

The bride wore a tailored suit of light-blue gabardine and brown and blue accessories.

Mrs. Smith has been employed at the Lake Trail Cafe in Mentone and Mr. Smith is employed as a motor inspector at the Studebaker plant at South Bend. The newlyweds will live in Mentone.

LIONS TO ENTERTAIN TEACHERS WEDNESDAY EVE.

The Mentone Lions Club is to be host to the teachers of the Mentone and Beaver Dam school, and the trustees, at their meeting next Wednesday evening, Oct. 18th, at the Methodist Church basement. The wives and lady friends of Lions members are also to be guests for the evening.

A speaker from Purdue University has been secured and those who have heard him on other occasions state that he is a mighty interesting man to hear.

CONSERVATION CLUB TO DRAIN FISH PONDS SUNDAY

It was announced at the Conservation Club meeting Friday evening that the club fish ponds, on Chancey Tucker's, would be drained Sunday, October 15. All members of the club should make an effort to be on hand and help with this work. These fish are reared to restock our lakes and streams and every citizen, fisherman or not, should have an interest in this work.

The local club liberated about 350 pheasants which they reared this summer, according to statements by Conservation club officials.

MENTONE READING CLUB MEETS

On Wednesday evening at 6:30, the Mentone Reading Club opened its season with a potluck dinner at the home of Mrs. John Norman. Recorded dinner music by the Palmer House Ensemble was played during the meal. Each lady had been given a weird hat of dubious age and origin, which she wore while eating. As the dinner came to a close Trella Tombaugh, as Carl, Isabelle Johns as Tom Brenneman and Wreatha McFarren as "Corny," brought a hilarious program of "Breakfast at Sardis," to the ladies, interviewing each lady present in a clever original script. Following this Mrs. Lois Davison, president, had charge of a short business meeting.

Twenty-two members and three guests were present for this first meeting.

Mrs. Vance Johns, Mrs. Artley Culum and Miss Jean Manwaring were assistant hostesses.

Mrs. Cora VanGilder spent Monday with Mrs. D. J. VanGilder and daughter at the Canaday cottage at Lake Manitou.

NATIVE OF MENTONE DIES AT ETNA GREEN

Mrs. Cora A. Johnson, 79, a resident of Etna Green for the past three years, passed away at eight a. m. Saturday at her home in Etna Green. Her only daughter, Miss Ethel Johnson, was at her bedside. Mrs. Johnson had been in failing health and an invalid for the past four years and her condition became worse during the past six weeks. She was removed to her home Friday from the McDonald hospital in Warsaw, where she was a patient for ten days.

The deceased was born in Mentone on June 2, 1865, the daughter of Joseph and Alice (Garwood) Cattell. She was married to Charles Johnson, who passed away in 1925. She was a member of the Etna Green Methodist church.

The funeral was held at the Methodist church Monday afternoon at 2:30 with Rev. R. J. Yunker, pastor, officiating. Interment was in the Etna Green cemetery.

COMMUNION SERVICE

October 1st was World Wide Communion Sunday, but because of our revival meetings we did not observe it, but will do so this Sunday and every Methodist is urged to be present. We feel that many of our boys and girls scattered throughout the world took part in that service and it would make them rejoice to know their loved ones at home had done likewise. At this service we will lay our gifts on the altar showing The Fellowship of Suffering and Service. Our church will serve War Sufferers Overseas and Our Boys in Service where our offering will be used. These loved ones in service would be denied many religious helps were it not for the help given our chaplains through the offerings of those at home.

HONORED WITH SHOWERS

The ladies of the Church of Christ congregation entertained with pink and blue showers at the home of Mrs. E. D. Anderson on Wednesday, Oct. 4th, in honor of Mrs. Clyde Sloan and Mrs. Athol Kelley.

Thirty ladies were present to enjoy the social evening and many lovely gifts were received by the honored guests.

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IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear granddaughter, Phillis Hatfield West, who passed away one year ago Oct. 14. Darling Phyllis how we miss you. None but God alone can tell, But we hope some day to greet you In a land that's fair to dwell.

MR. and MRS. IRA E. BORTON.

WILBUR H. SMITH IS AWARDED AIR MEDAL

FIFTH AIR FORCE, SOUTHWEST PACIFIC. — Lieutenant Wilbur H. Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith, Mentone, was recently awarded the Air Medal for participating in 25 flight missions as pilot of a Troop Carrier plane.

He has been flying in this theater since January. Troop Carrier units, commanded by Brigadier General Warren R. Carter, have flown men, supplies and equipment to battle fronts in every campaign in New Guinea, New Britain and the Admiralty Islands. His citation follows:

"For meritorious achievement while participating in sustained operational flight missions in the Southwest Pacific area, during which hostile contact was probable and expected. Supplies were dropped and troops transported to advance positions. These flights involved flying at low altitudes over mountainous terrain under adverse weather conditions in an unarmed transport airplane and often necessitated landing within a few miles of enemy bases."

Before enlisting as an aviation cadet June 18, 1942, Lt. Smith was employed in the inspection department of Consolidated Aircraft Corp., San Diego, Cal. He was commissioned June 26, 1943 on graduation from advanced flying school at Eagle Pass, Texas.

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State of Indiana,
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Before me, a notary public in and for the State and county aforesaid, personally appeared Artley D. Cullum, who, having been duly sworn according to law, deposes and says that he is the editor and business manager of the Northern Indiana Co-Op. News, and that the following is, to the best of his knowledge and belief, a true statement of the ownership, management (and if a daily paper, the circulation), etc., of the aforesaid publication for the date shown in the above caption, required by the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Act of March 3, 1933, embodied in section 537, Postal Laws and Regulations, printed on the reverse of this form, to wit:

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ron; Mrs. E. T. Robinson, Argos; Wm. Vernet, Mentone. All addresses in Indiana.)

ARTLEY D. CULLUM, Ed & Bus. Mgr. Sworn to and subscribed before me this second day of October, 1944.

IRENE BOLLEY, Notary Public. (My commission expires Mar. 10, 1946.)

A section of the Miami Daily News, of September 24th, has a full page regarding the Homestead Air Base where Robert Whetstone is located. This is

termed the "West Point" of the ATC (Air Transport Command) and from here every day giant C-54's, C-87's and B-24's leave with the regularity of train schedules for destinations all over the world. They train the crews that fly the "Fireball" run from Miami to Chabua, India; the "Crescent" route from Wilmington, Del. to Carlo, and the "Snowball" circuit from Presque Isle, Maine, to England. Bob helps to maintain the radio instruction equipment and assist some with instructing.

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This poignant picture made by an Army Signal Corps photographer shows a kneeling Roman mother and her child gently and reverently placing flowers over the still forms of two American boys who paid the supreme price to liberate them from the Nazi and Fascist grip. Look at their faces and you will see that both mother and child realize that these Americans died for them. Remember this picture when you are asked to buy an extra War Bond during the War Loan.

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A NEWSY LETTER FROM FAR-OFF NEW GUINEA

(Cpl. Jesse D. Grubbs, who is in New Guinea, wrote the following letter to the Dale Hawley family recently.—Ed.)
Sept. 14, 1944

Dear Madelyn & Dale & Kiddies,

What a title, eh what?
Well this may be a long time between reports from me. But here I am once more still kicking up a fuss over everything in general. Feeling like a young colt.

Was just sitting here looking at the pictures enclosed (These are now on

display at Clark's store) and was trying to figure out who I had promised to send pictures to.

Well I looked over some old letters and ran across your letter of Mar. 3, and you asked about native work, and so I says to myself, "Jesse you sit yourself down and send those pictures to the Hawley's," so here I "is."

First thing though, I'm in good health, fairly happy and brown as an old sow.

Had a wonderful vacation in New Zealand. Met several swell people, and met over 200 girls of 18 to 30. They are nice looking. Some are modern in appearances and like music, dancing, etc. But the majority of the New Zealanders are a long ways behind in time and modern ways of life.

I will write you another letter and explain New Zealand in full. But this

time I'll try to tell you about these natives.

First, you can see or judge by these few pictures that the natives here in New Guinea are a very primitive class of people. These natives differ entirely from other natives of the South Pacific, or tribes. On New Guinea here there are three different tribes. One is the class of people here in this sector (of which these pictures were taken). These natives are considered the social or aristocratic type (seldom found) and are expected to be friendly. More so, than the other two tribes.

The men are used as scouts for the military strategists. Some are used for work on various supplies. The women are kept shut up and do all of the washing, etc.

They all live in huts. This particular tribe lives about two miles from where I am now.

Tribe Class 2 are head hunters. They are a long ways back in the hills and jungles. They prey on neighboring tribes. But as I understand it, head-hunting is almost a thing of the past. It arrives on occasions though and it is a horrible sight. I personally haven't seen any of this sort of work, but tales told by people who have is all one needs to know about.

There is a tribe of head hunters somewhere south and east of us, around 10 or 15 miles inland. They don't bother the white people.

And Tribe No. 3 is, of course, cannibals—man-eating people. This tribe is scarce in number and is over 100 miles from here over on the coast. I am poorly informed as to their customs, etc. but am trying to gather more information in regards to their activities, etc.

A little more about these in this sector:

These people may be sophisticated, but I can't see it. They are dirty, smell terrible, live like hogs, eat berries, some fish and a small piece of "meat" from the tops of cocoanut trees. I have eaten it and it is very delicious. It is the heart of the cocoanut tree. And, too, they eat cocoanuts. They eat pork only while having ceremonies. They use the customary "spit" for cooking it. And they eat bananas, etc.

The native languages is one of the most difficult in history. They have no names for objects at all. To name anything they give some sort of description of it. It is funny to hear them. The majority are scared stiff of firearms.

For the women, most all native girls assume a mature status at 12 to 14 years of age, and their life for motherhood is short, possibly 8 to 10 years. At the ages of 18, 19, 20 and 21 they turn old, fat and sloppy in appearance, and at the most, 25 is their limit for mothering children. All or most natives live a very short life. 40 to 50 years is a ripe old age for them.

They are immune to very few diseases. Anyone who says a native can stand anything is all wet. They aren't by no means. As you can see by the photos enclosed, they are a sickly looking lot. Of course, not all natives of the Pacific

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fic are like this. There are lots of them who are rugged individuals and mean as a Jersey bull.

Well folks, I could go on and on but time, energy and the necessity of having to write some more letters have made it necessary for me to ring off now.

Hoping this finds you all in good health, spirits, etc. Will look for an answer and say maybe you will do something for me. I've written person after person to send pictures of themselves to me. But they just don't seem to think it is worth wasting a few pennies on. Over here we are a long way from home and pictures of one's friends bring home closer and are a relief from the monotony of army life. So if you have any old pictures around, toss a few of them this way. And pass it along to some more people who know me. (Who doesn't?)

So long, good luck and God bless you.
As ever, JESSE.

Please write.

(For those who wish to write or send pictures to the far-away soldier who has written above, his address may be secured from George Clark or this newspaper.—Ed.)

CELEBRATED TENTH BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Dana Starr entertained in her home Monday afternoon, Oct. 9th, in honor of the tenth birthday of her daughter, Patricia Sue.

Games and contests were enjoyed, followed by the serving of ice cream and cake. The guest of honor received many nice birthday gifts from her friends.

Those present were the Misses Donnagene Dillman, Marilyn and Carolyn Lockridge, Carol Peterson, Mary Louise Bare, Jackie Blue, Elener Rose Norris, Monna Lou Darr and the honored guest, Patricia Sue Starr.

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NED IGO AT GREAT LAKES

Ned B. Igo, 17, 302 S. Franklin St., Mentone, is receiving his initial Naval indoctrination at the U. S. Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Illinois, according to a news release from the public relations office of the Ninth Naval District Headquarters.

His recruit training consists of instruction in seamanship, military drill, and general Naval procedure. During this period a series of aptitude tests will be taken by the recruit to determine whether he will be assigned to a Naval Service School or to immediate duty at sea.

When his recruit training is completed, the seaman will receive a period of leave.

CLOTHING RETAILERS MUST FILE PRICING CHARTS

The price panel of the Kosciusko County War Price and Rationing Board reminds all clothing retailers, as well as wholesalers, who sell women's, girl's and children's outdoor clothing under Regulation 330 are required to file two copies of their pricing chart with the OPA on or before October 15.

After Nov. 15 retailers and wholesalers will not be permitted to sell any garments until they have received OPA acknowledgment of the receipt of the charts. Both copies of the chart must contain the name and address, type of business, and bear the signature of an official of the firm. They should be mailed to the OPA District Office, 429 North Pennsylvania Street, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Verification of the story of the men of Technician Fifth Grade Mervin Jones' Company in the South Pacific presenting him with a 17-jewel watch for his work with the men came this week from the news department of the U. S. Army, passing through the GHQ Public Relations Office at San Francisco. The story was technically the same as printed in this newspaper last week.

Mrs. Alma Imhoof of Akron, spent Sunday with her sister, Dove Kercher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Linn and Mr. and Mrs. Merle Linn and family spent Sunday at Michigan City.

Rev. and Mrs. S. M. Hill, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemler and daughters visited the former's daughter and family, Mrs. E. J. Whitman, of Chicago.

Dr. and Mrs. E. D. Anderson, and daughter, Mrs. Kathleen Camplejohn and baby daughter, were among those attending a hamburger dinner at Rochester Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Shinn and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Norman and family spent Sunday at the Leon Neff home near Macy.

The Misses Babe Rodgers, Phyllis Lemler, Bedelia Bell Weirick and Elma Jean King entertained in honor of Miss Rodgers' birthday Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Forrest Hoffer and son Jimmie, returned to their home in South Bend Thursday after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rush.

Mrs. C. W. Shafer and her sister, Miss Adeline Shoup, of Warsaw, celebrated their birthdays together on Wednesday evening of last week. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Shoup, Mary Kathryn Shoup and Mrs. Mary Cook were guests.

Those attending the district rally of the Crusade for Christ at Goshen at the First Methodist Church Monday afternoon and evening were Broda Clark, Ethel Whetstone, Lois Davison, Ethel Snider, Mr. and Mrs. Dillman and Rev. and Mrs. A. G. Simmons.

Mrs. Therman Ridgway, son Stephen, and Mrs. Jane Hassett were guests at the home of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rush, several days last week. Mrs. Ridgway and son plan on living in Peru, as Capt. Ridgway expects to be sent overseas soon.

Mrs. Maude Snyder, Mrs. Ellen Stanford and Cora VanGilder attended the opening meeting Wednesday evening, Oct. 4, of the Magazine Club in Warsaw, to which they belong. A delicious dinner was served at 6:30. Mrs. VanGilder gave short reviews of five outstanding books of the year.

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Rev. and Mrs. E. Coleman Ralston attended the Indiana Baptist State Convention at Indianapolis Monday afternoon and Tuesday forenoon. They also attended the Alumni luncheon of the Northern Baptist Seminary. Mrs. Ralston was elected secretary-treasurer of the Indiana Alumni of the Seminary. Mr. and Mrs. Ralston visited Tuesday evening with his uncle and aunt near Indianapolis.

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Thursday, Oct. 19, 1944

At 12:00

18—HEAD OF CATTLE—18

1 Jersey cow, 6 yrs. old; 1 brindle cow, 6 yrs. old; 1 Jersey cow, 4 yrs. old; 1 Jersey cow, 3 yrs. old; 1 red cow, 3 yrs. old; 1 Holstein cow, 10 yrs. old with heifer calf by side; 1 Guernsey cow, 2 yrs. old; these cows are all giving a good flow of milk. 1 red heifer, 2 yrs. old, fresh in Dec.; 1 registered Poll Shorthorn cow, 4 yrs. old, fresh by sale date; 1 full blood Poll Shorthorn heifer, 2 yrs. old; 1 full blood Poll Shorthorn bull, 1 yr. old; 2 coming 2 yr. old heifers; 1 Jersey yearling heifer; 2 spring calves; 1 red heifer calf, 6 mos. old; 1 Holstein bull, coming 2 yrs. old.

48—HEAD OF HOGS—48

7 Duroc brood sows with pigs; 40 Duroc and Poland China cross shoats, 100 lbs. to 140 lbs.; 1 Poland China boar, 1 1/2 years old. These hogs are all double immuned.

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Church Notes

CHURCH OF CHRIST
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Clyde C. Sloan, Minister.

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.

Morning Worship 10:00.

The Sacred of the Lord's Supper will be administered. There will be special music.

Sabbath School 11:00. Raymond Lash superintendent.

Classes for all ages.

Senior and Junior Youth Fellowship 6:30. Mrs. Davison and Mrs. Dillman sponsors.

Evening Worship 7:30.

Subject: "Heeding the Call of God."

Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30.

W. S. C. S. will meet at the church this Friday night.

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

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enemy singing "On Christ the Solid Rock I stand." My mother's final request to her mother was "Please send my little girls to Sunday school, if they have to wear calico dresses and sunbonnets." So you see, I personally owe much to faithful Sunday school workers.—Rose Waldo, Originator and Editor of Child Life.

Everyone who attends Sunday school has only good to say about it. You will, too, if you will only attend. Why not begin Sunday and make it a practice of your life.

Come Sunday and bring someone with you. Classes for all ages, including a nursery for the babies.

Workers prayer meeting 9:15 A.M.

All teachers and officers are urged to be on time.

Sunday School 9:30 A.M.

Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.

B. Y. P. U. 6:30 P.M.

Young people this is your service.

Come and enjoy it.

Tuesday 7:30 P.M.

Orchestra practice. If you play an instrument and do not attend church elsewhere, come and join us for an enjoyable evening.

Thursday 7:30 P.M.

Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

E. COLEMAN RALSTON, Pastor.

Duane Horn arrived home Wednesday evening for a brief furlough with his wife and family.

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The Mentone Merry-makers 4-H Club met at the school house after school on Thursday. Fourteen members and the leader, Miss Holt, were present. Initiations were given to five new members.

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Walter Safford, employee of the Country Print Shop, has been confined to his home this week suffering with a severe case of hiccoughs. He has been afflicted for more than a week and still troubled with them.

ENJOY HALLOWE'EN PARTY

The employees and their families of the Manwaring Leghorn Farms gave a Halloween party Tuesday evening at the farm. The forty-four present participated in games and contests and enjoyed music and movies. At the close of the evening delicious home made cakes and ice cream were served.

Dr. Dale A. Rigdon

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HOMECOMING DAY AT TIPPECANOE CHURCH SUNDAY

Sunday, October 15, will be observed as Homecoming Day at the Tippecanoe Congregational Christian church. The day's activities will begin with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. which will be followed by the morning worship service at 10:30 in charge of the minister, the Rev. John L. Hancock. There will be the usual carry-in dinner at the noon hour. The afternoon service will begin at two o'clock and will include a remembrance service for Servicemen as well as a memorial service for those of the church and community who have passed away during the past year. Returned home folks and visitors from surrounding churches and communities will also be recognized. Features of the afternoon service will be a short homecoming address by the Rev. N. B. Wierwill, minister of the Evangelical and Reformed Church of Bremen, Indiana. Inspiration in song will be provided by the Etna Green girls quartet as well as by numbers from people of the local church. There will be no evening service.

An invitation to attend these service is extended to all members, former members and friends of the church.

IN MEMORIAM

In memory of my brother, Fred Klinck, who died a year ago Oct. 16.
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PIPES - FITTINGS - BUILDERS' SUPPLIES

News of Mentone and Vicinity

Miss Anne Williamson, of Pierceton, is visiting with Miss Lois Gross.

Mr. and Mrs. James Hubbard, of Tiosa, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dana Starr.

Mrs. Forrest Huffer and son Jimmie of South Bend, are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Rush.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ashton, of Toledo, Ohio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gross over the week end.

Mrs. Glen Yantiss of Flat Rock, Ind., called on Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Warren Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Cook of Sharon Springs, New York, and Grace Denney of Warsaw, were week end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Elery Rapp, of South Bend, attended the funeral of Mrs. Cora Johnson of Etna Green and were over night guests of Mrs. Allie Bor-ton Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlo Friesner and family entertained Mr. and Mrs. Cloice Paulus and son Bud, Miss Juanita Nellans, Mrs. Susan Blue and daughter Norma, son Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Milo Fawley and sons and David Johns, to dinner Wednesday evening. All reported a lovely time.

S-Sgt. and Mrs. C. K. Paulus from Fort DuPont, Delaware, spent the week end with Mrs. Paulus' parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Burns, at North Manchester, and Monday and Tuesday with Kay's parents of Mentone, and brother Bud, who is home on a furlough. Kay and Bud were really happy to see each other as this is the first time they have been together for a long time.

Mrs. Jennie Saviers of Fort Wayne, is the guest of Mrs. I. F. Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Kreider, of Columbia City, spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lemler and family.

J. W. VanGilder, SK 2-c and Mrs. VanGilder of Glenview, Ill., spent the week end in Mentone.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Clutter held open house Saturday night in honor of Clayton's visit at home.

P. W. Keiser, of Warsaw, was a week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Herschel Enyert and daughter Gertrude were week end guests of Etta Halterman.

Lillian Witham and Charlotte Dillman sang a special number at the homecoming at the Palestine Methodist church Sunday afternoon.

The Mentone War Mothers group sent 144 olive drab, filled kit bags in the shipment of 328 articles sent to the port of Embarkation, Brooklyn, N. Y. by the Red Cross recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Del Meredith entertained the following guests Sunday at their cottage at Yellow Creek lake: Mr. and Mrs. Philip Doddridge, Mr. and Mrs. James Ridgeway and son, Larry Lee and Mrs. George Ade, all of West Lafayette, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gast, of Burket, are the parents of a son, Charles Edison II, weighing six pounds, six ounces, born by caesarian section Tuesday morning at the McDonald hospital at 10:20 o'clock. Mrs. Gast was the former Jean Newcomb, of Burket. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Karl Gast, of Akron, and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Newcomb of Burket.

Mrs. Kenneth VanCuran spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Fort Wayne.

Royal D. Blue and Welcome W. Fore of Mentone, were in the group that recently passed their physical examinations making them eligible for call into military service.

A Mrs. Fawley, one of five living daughters of John and Lavina Cole, natives of this county, has moved to Mentone to make her home with her daughter, Mrs. William Schooley. Mrs. Fawley is 82 years of age while her other five sisters, all widows, are between 69 and 82 years of age.



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RALLY DAY AT METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY, OCT. 22

Sunday will be Rally Day in the Methodist Church with the following program from 10:00 to 11:30 with a basket dinner at noon. The program follows:

Hymn.
Responsive reading.
Prayer—Raymond Lash.
A Rally Day Welcome—Donnagene Dillman.

A Helper—Sue Borton.
My Part—Carol Faye Dillman.
Solo, "Everything's All Right"—Sandra Witham.

My Bible—Jody Cullum.
What Jesus Gave Me—Don Rush, Barbara King, Beverly Coleman, Sherry Shoemaker, Shirley Igo, Beverly Witham, Shirley Nicodemus, Dixie Linn, and Jon Cullum.

The Story Day Parade—Bonnie Emmens, Carolyn and Marilyn Lockridge, Frankie Manwaring, Georgia Nicodemus, Nancy Ware, Betty Witham, Sharon Ware, Dawn Ware, and Marjorie Mollenhour.

Missionary Playlet—Virginia Rush, Mildred Whetstone, Richard Dillman, Jackie Blue, Mary Louise Bare, Rex Borton, Jackie Ward, Janet Rose Reed, and Donna Jo King.

Duet—Mrs. Pauline Riner and Mrs. Trella Tombaugh.

Play, Wake up, Dad. Characters: John Winter, the Father—Elma Jean King.

Grace Winter, the Mother—Pat Goodman.
Evelyn Winter, the Daughter—Marjorie Lockridge.

Johnny Winter, the Son—Eileen Kercher.

The Policeman—Doris Snider.
Rev. Mr. Gray, the Minister—Rev. Simmons.

Lesson Study, with adults being taught by Mr. Snider.

Our Goal is 125 present—can we count on you?

Committee.

Guy J. Ochampaugh and Mrs. Bessie Matthews and granddaughter, Dorothy Sue Matthews, all of Mishawaka; Mr. and Mrs. Franklin E. Newton and children Frances and Eddie and Mrs. Tessie Newton of Mentone, were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Earl Shirey and family of near Palestine.

PFC. PAUL E. WARREN, 23, DIES FROM WOUNDS

Pfc. Paul E. Warren, 23, died September 20th. from wounds he received in action in the Palau Islands, according to a telegram his wife, Mrs. Lurena Warren, received late Saturday night.

He was in the infantry of the 81st. division and has been overseas since July. He entered the service November 25, 1942 and was employed by the Pennsylvania Railroad prior to his induction.

Surviving are his wife Lurena, and parents Mr. and Mrs. Ora Warren, near Atwood; three sisters: Mildred and Irene at home; Mrs. Ethel Goshert, near Warsaw; four brothers: Edward, who entered the service October 10; Clifford, in Warsaw; Everett, near Burket; and Ora Jr. of Winona Lake.

JOHN LEONARD ZENT, 84, DIES NEAR PALESTINE

John Leonard Zent, aged 84 years, 11 months and 13 days, passed away at 8:45 a. m. Sunday at his home near Palestine. He had been in poor health for about eight years and death came as a result of complications and old age.

The deceased was born in Whiteside county, Illinois November 2, 1859, and came to this county at an early age. He spent the rest of his life in the Palestine community and lived for a number of years on the farm home where he died. He was married to Orpha Anderson 63 years ago. He was a member of the Christian church at Palestine.

Surviving besides the widow is a son, Lloyd Zent, of west of Mentone; one daughter, Mrs. Frank R. Ladd, Warsaw; three grandsons, John Ladd, in the armed forces in England, Earl Zent of Mentone and Orton Zent of Tippecanoe; four great-grandchildren; two brothers, and one sister. A daughter, Jessie, preceded her father in death 23 years ago.

Funeral services were held at the Palestine Christian church Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock with Rev. Avery Miley, pastor of the Warsaw Christian church, officiating. Burial was in the Palestine cemetery, with the Reed funeral home of Mentone in charge.

Miss Flora Holt spent the week end in Lafayette with her sister, who is a senior at Purdue.

FISH NOT TAKEN FROM PONDS SUNDAY; TO TRY AGAIN OCT. 22

A few members of the Mentone Conservation Club were on hand at the club's fish-rearing ponds on the Tucker place Sunday, but it was impossible to complete the draining of the two ponds and liberate the fish. Most of the preliminary work, however, was completed and the ponds should be ready to finish the job this Sunday. A large number of workers is desired to complete this work as the fish must be removed from the ponds and liberated in the neighboring lakes and streams quickly to prevent unnecessary losses.

All fishermen, especially, should be on hand to help take care of the fish that are raised primarily to maintain an adequate supply of fish.

WESLEY J. HUFFMAN, 84, DIES SUNDAY NEAR ATWOOD

Wesley Jasper Huffman, aged 84, passed away Sunday at two a. m. at the home of his son, Joseph R. Huffman, one mile south and a half mile west of Atwood, his death coming as a result of dropsy and heart complications. He had been in failing health for the past six months, his condition becoming critical two weeks ago.

Born in Wabash county, on January 20, 1860, Mr. Huffman was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Henderson J. Huffman. He moved to Atwood at an early age and lived the balance of his life there. He maintained a home just a mile south of Atwood and his son, Clarence, lived there with him. He was taken to the home of his son, Joseph, when his condition became critical. His wife, the former Loretta J. Truex, passed away 40 years ago. He was a retired farmer and carpenter.

Surviving relatives include the sons, Joseph R. and Clarence, both of near Atwood, and Roscoe H. Huffman, of Huntington. Other relatives are two daughters, Mrs. Pearl G. Ryan, of Atwood, and Mrs. Flossie L. Ginter, Warsaw; two brothers, John Huffman, of Dowagiac, Mich., and Marion Huffman of Nappanee; fifteen grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren. Two daughters preceded him in death, Goldie Mae in infancy, and Mrs. Maude Edler, of Warsaw, two and one-half years ago.

Funeral services were conducted at the Atwood United Brethren church, with Rev. Silas Miner officiating, on Wednesday, at two p. m. Burial was in the Harrison Center cemetery.

LARGE ATTENDANCE AT LIONS MEETING WEDNESDAY

The basement dining room of the Methodist Church was filled to overflowing Wednesday evening when the members of the Mentone Lions Club entertained the teachers of the Beaver Dam and Mentone schools. The wives and lady friends of the Lions members were also guests to share in the gaiety of the evening. Over a hundred were seated at the banquet tables when the dinner was served by the ladies of the church.

Other guests of the evening included Trustee and Mrs. Loyd Miner of Harrison township, Trustee and Mrs. Raymond Lash of Franklin township, Rev. and Mrs. DeWitt of Larwill, Navyman Clayton Clutter and Mrs. Clutter, and the speaker of the evening, Dr. Sears, of the History and Political Science department of Purdue University.

Dr. Sears, introduced by Vice President Forrest Kesler, gave a very interesting and carefully worded address on present-day history and some of its political aspects. His over a quarter of a century teaching and studying every aspect of history and political science has given him a very clear insight into the pitfalls along the pathway of human destiny, and although he has always adhered to the principles of the democratic party, his vision, from the standpoint of political science, when placed into words for an enlightening address, left the impression with some that his talk was what we commonly refer to as "politics." He left no doubt in anyone's mind, either in his address or his statements afterward, that his views were not political but that they were for the prime purpose of preventing Americans from losing every semblance of democracy which they have enjoyed so bounteously in the new world.

SURPRISED ON BIRTHDAY

On Tuesday evening about 20 young people met at the Fred Lemler home and surprised Phyllis on her birthday.

Bunco was played during the evening, and was followed by refreshments of fruit salad and cake. One surprise feature for the whole group was the disappearance of the party napkins and tablecloths, maneuvered by halloweeners, no doubt.

A "belated" theatre party topped off the evening for the group.

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FOR SALE—Two boys' all wool mack-inaws, size 12. Two girls' grey wool winter coats, size 12. Mrs. Forrest Kesler. 1p

WANTED TO BUY—300 feeder pigs, weighing 70 to 125 pounds. Will pay \$13.50 per cwt. Ed Staldine, R. R. 5, Rochester, phone Rochester 1209X.

LIGHT-WEIGHT AIRMAIL ENVELOPES and Writing Paper. Envelopes 20c for 25; 500 sheets paper \$1.25. The Country Print Shop, Mentone.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lockridge are the proud parents of a daughter, Rita Lynn, born at the Woodlawn hospital last week. Mrs. Lockridge and her new daughter were brought to their home here Monday evening.

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MRS. ANDERSON ENTERTAINS HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

The Mentone Home Economics Club met on Thursday, October 12th, with Mrs. Lenna Anderson. Mrs. Effie Rathfon was assisting hostess.

Creed was repeated and the song of the month, "Dixie," was sung. Response to roll call was a "Hallowe'en prank."

Miss Janalyce Rouls gave a very interesting lesson on "War and Children".

The secretary's report was read. New officers elected for 1945, were as follows:

President, Helen Weirick.

Vice president, Mabel Warren.

Secretary-treasurer, Mary Borton.

Leaders, Blanche Paulus, Eloise Long,

Mary Smith and Esther Sarber.

Chorister, Blanche Paulus.

Pianist, Maude Cox.

Garden Leaders, Eva Laird and Ona Blue.

Reporter, Ada Meredith.

The mystery package was won by Bessie Gross.

The prayer song was sung. A social hour followed during which delicious refreshments were served to 21 members and 10 guests, namely, Mrs. Lawrence Erpelding of Indianapolis, Mrs. Silas Hill, Mrs. Pearl Horn, Mrs. Dora Goodman, Mrs. Emma Yocum, Mrs. Kathleen Camplejohn and daughter Alice, Sandra Barkman, Marjorie Molenhour and Miss Janalyce Rouls.

The November meeting will be with Mrs. Esther Sarber.

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Came at the evening, cold and gray,
To a chasm deep and wide.

The old man crossed in the twilight
dim.

The sullen stream had no fear for him,
But he turned when safe on the other
side.

And built a bridge to span the tide.

"Old man," said the fellow-pilgrim near,
"You are wasting your strength in
building here,

Your journey will end with the end-
ing day,

You never again will cross this way;
You've crossed the chasm deep and
wide,

Why build you the bridge at eventide?"

The builder lifted his old gray head,
"Good friend, in the path I've come,"
he said,

"There followeth after me today
A youth whose feet must pass this way.
This chasm that was as naught to me

To that fair youth may a pitfall be;
He, too, must cross in the twilight dim.

Good friend, I AM BUILDING THE
BRIDGE FOR HIM."

—The Publisher's Auxiliary.

Song of the Troop Carriers

By Major J. H. Paul

When the last bloody sword has been brok-
en;

When the saga of war has been told;
When the last of the heroes is cited,
I shall tell you a tale of the bold.

I shall sing you a song of the transports,
The sturdiest ships in the sky;
I shall sing you a song of the warriors
Who ask nothing more than to fly.

Unarmoured, unarmed, overladen,
Their mighty grey wings took the air,
Through storms—the unknown—through the
moon's hush,
With freight that must always get there.

Hugging the hills and the valleys;
Vaulting the cliffs and the trees;
Dodging the weather—the Zeros;
Honor the youngest of these.

Aching to fight, but quite helpless;
Yearning for speed that's not there;
Clumsy with freight—out of balance;
Chained to the flight of despair!

You can't slug it out with a Mitsui;
You can't run—you haven't the speed.
So it's hide in the trees or the weather,
But take it thru—stick to the creed!

The wounded aboard are your charges,
You're shackled to rudder and wheel.
No chutes and no belts and no life rafts;
You'll slam them to hell, if you fail!

Or—the engines on board, for a "Lightening"
Are grounding a fighter, tonight;
While a dozen, or twenty odd Zeros
Will live, till she's back in the fight.

"Take it thru! Take it thru!" is our war
cry;

To hell with the flak in your way!
To hell with the Nips and the weather!
Your number was called yesterday.

You're living because you've been lucky,
Or possibly—could it be so—
Some bright angel rides there beside you?
Ride her, boy, WIN, place, or show!

This is the song of the transports,
Weary from many a mile;
A song of the pilots who ride them,
Down into hell with a smile!

(The above was contributed by a Mentone
lady who has a relative in the ATC.)

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MRS. EMMA J. TURNER, 80, BURIED HERE TUESDAY

Mrs. Emma Jane Turner, aged 80 years, passed away Sunday afternoon at the home of her son, Mac Turner, at Warsaw, where she had made her home for the past several years. She had been bedfast for over a year and failing in health for a number of years. Death came as the result of infirmities of old age.

Born on April 10, 1864, Mrs. Turner was the daughter of John and Elizabeth Stinson, near Atwood. In 1872, she was married to Allen Turner, who

preceded her in death. She went to Warsaw a number of years ago, and was taken into membership in the Royal Neighbors of Warsaw. She was a member of the First Methodist Church at Mentone.

Surviving are the son, Mac Turner, and two grandchildren, 1st Lt. James K. Turner, and T/5 Allen Turner, both serving with the army in France.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at the Landis funeral home in Warsaw, with Rev. R. C. Plank, pastor of the Warsaw church, officiating. Burial was in the Mentone cemetery.



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Bristle Problem

After the war if the Chinese can afford to kill their hogs while young in order to obtain tender meat, the available supply of long bristles for paint brushes probably will continue to remain restricted. Something like that happened in Russia, following the first World war, when the Russians began eating more young pork, and the Russian supply of long bristles, which must come from the older hogs, became much reduced.

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Mrs. Esther Shoemaker

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R. N. A. MEETING

The Royal neighbors held their regular meeting Tuesday evening, Oct. 3, with neighbor Mabel Warren.

After the regular order of business, plans were made to celebrate our anniversary of the order with a weiner roast at the home of Thelma Hibsman on Friday, October 27. Each member is to bring a guest and the eleven juvenile members will also be entertained. Supper will be at 6:30. Bring your own table service.

The meeting was closed with the camp prayer by neighbor Rynearson and delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

Those from here who attended the Turner funeral at Warsaw Tuesday were Mrs. Mary Johnson and son Clyde, Mrs. Lavina Shinn, and Mrs. Broda Clark.

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Church Notes

CHURCH OF CHRIST

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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.
Sabbath School 11:00. Raymond Lash superintendent.
Classes for all ages.
Senior and Junior Youth Fellowship 6:30. Mrs. Davison and Mrs. Dillman sponsors.
Evening Worship 7:30.
Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30.
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What the World's Great Men Say About the Sunday School.

The Sunday-school is the barometer of the church. Through it you can discover whether the spiritual weather is "set fair" for the next decade. It is the nursery in which the fairest plants of the church will be nurtured. It is the training ground in which our future fighting forces will be developed for their warfare in life.

Were I a minister I would work at, and pray for, my Sunday school more than for any other church activity. My sermons would give second place to my scholars. What is said in the pulpit is often temporary and transitory; what is done in the Sunday school, if it is well done, is immortal! To win twenty

young hearts to loyalty to Christ as the fruits of ten years' ministry may appear to be a small task, but in the final estimate it is worth more than all the meetings that a pastor can organize, and a richer harvest than a constant credit balance in the church funds.—Angus Watson, J. P., Merchant, Newcastle on Tyne, England.

That is why we put so much emphasis upon and take so much pain with our Sunday school. Won't you help us in our endeavors? Come Sunday and bring someone with you. Classes for all ages, including a nursery for the babies.

Workers prayer meeting 9:15 A.M.
Everyone welcome. Teachers and officers are expected to attend.
Sunday School 9:30 A.M.
Classes for all ages including a nursery for the babies.
Morning Worship 10:30 A.M.
Subject: "God Manifested in the Flesh."

B. Y. P. U. 6:30 P.M.
Intermediate and senior young people meeting in the young people's room up stairs.
Elwin Creviston, lecturer.

Booster Band 6:30 P.M.
Junior young people meeting in the junior room in the basement.

Mrs. Ralston, director.
Bible Study Class 6:30 P.M.
Meeting in the choir room. Studying the Book of Revelation. Mrs. C. L. Manwaring, teacher.

Evening Service 7:30 P.M.
An informal gospel and song service with special music. You will enjoy it. Come.

Tuesday 7:30 P.M.
Orchestra practice. If you play an instrument and do not attend church elsewhere, come and join us for an enjoyable evening.

Wednesday 2:00 P.M.
Missionary meeting at the church. Mrs. Raymond Weirick, leader. Subject: "The Jews."

Thursday 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.

Thursday 8:45 P.M.
Choir practice. All members are urged to be present.

Friday 7:30 P.M.
Winners class meeting at the home of Mrs. Marshall Goodman.

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News of Mentone and Vicinity

Mrs. Emma Lehman remains in a serious condition at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hoover and son, of Milford, spent Sat. evening at the Robert Reed home.

Barry Igo had his tonsils and adenoids removed Monday at the Woodlawn hospital at Rochester.

Elnor Rose Norris had her tonsils and adenoids removed Saturday morning at the Woodlawn hospital in Rochester.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Roose and daughter Helen, of Plymouth spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Verl Roose of Mentone.

Mrs. Maud Onthank has returned home after a three weeks visit in Des Moines, Iowa, with her daughter, brothers, and other relatives.

Mrs. Lyde Williamson and Mrs. Olive Sarber spent Wednesday visiting at the home of Mrs. Belle Bechtol of Burket.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Weissert and daughter Carol Rose, of Mishawaka, Indiana, spent the week end here visiting friends.

Mrs. Myrtle Davis received a cablegram from her son, Seaman Emory L. Davis, sending birthday greetings to her and a brief message: "Safe and Well." He was unable to state his present location.

Chester Manwaring was called to Rochester, Minn. by the serious illness of his brother-in-law, Linden Blue. Mr. Blue had gone to Mayo's for an examination and was suddenly stricken. Mr. and Mrs. Blue are former residents of Mentone, but have resided in Denver, Col. for a number of years.

Mrs. Frank Warren, local news reporter for the Co-Op News, left Monday for Mokence, Illinois to attend the funeral of W. W. Parish, a life-long friend. While there she will visit other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrie Rose and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cole attended a birthday dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed Sunday at Lake of the Woods, the dinner being in honor of Mr. Reed.

Mrs. Cora Van Gilder, Mrs. Goldie Mollenhour, Mrs. Ora McKinley, Mrs. Mary Shirey, Mrs. Irene Fenstermaker, and Mrs. Bobbie Wallace attended "Friends Night" at the Masonic Temple in Warsaw, Tuesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Philip Daley, of Crystal Lake, are the parents of a daughter, Kathleen, born October 4, at the St. Margaret's hospital in Hammond. Mrs. Daley is the former Kathryn Snyder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Snyder of Crystal Lake. She served for some time as a second lieutenant in the army nurse corps and was overseas in the African and Italian war theater for 14 months. Dr. Daley is serving in Italy at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Boggs announce the following regarding their son: Joseph F. Boggs, having completed his basic training, has qualified for air crew training as an aviation cadet, as bombardier-navigator. He has been transferred from Sheppard Field, Texas to Big Spring, Texas for "on the line" training before beginning his pre-flight training. His new address is: Pvt. Joseph F. Boggs, 15345405, Sec. K., 2509 Base Unit, Big Spring AAF, Brks. 160, Big Spring, Texas.

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LOUIS FRANK MERLEY PASSED AWAY MONDAY

Funeral services for Louis Frank Merley, 68, who passed away at 8:30 a. m. Monday, at the Murphy medical center at Warsaw, following a heart attack, will be held Thursday, Oct. 19, at 2 p. m. at the Merley residence, two miles west of Akron. Burial will be in the Odd Fellows cemetery, near Akron.

Mr. Merley's death came after an illness of some time, the last month of which he was a medical patient at the hospital. He was suffering with rheumatism and heart trouble.

Born in Indiana on June 23, 1876, Mr. Merley was the son of Casper and Dorothea Merley. In 1896, he was married to Daisy Whittenberger, who survives him. He had worked as a farmer, living on the farm just west of Akron, for many years. He was a member

of the Knights of Pythias.

Surviving besides the widow are two sons, Nyl, of Akron, and Don, of Macy; a sister, Mrs. Norah Ferbaugh, of Leiters Ford, and seven grandchildren.

EASTERN STARS ENTERTAINED

After the business session of the O. E. S. the committee chosen to entertain proved their ability to create mirth and a very friendly feeling.

Brook Black and Jo Ann Tucker gave a tap dance. They were accompanied by Mrs. George Black at the piano.

Mrs. Bernard Black and Mrs. Charles Black conducted two clever contests, and Mrs. Herschel Nellans and Mrs. Floyd Tucker presented a skit entitled, "Fire Insurance."

Mrs. Max Smith and her committee served refreshments in keeping with the autumn season which put the finishing touches to a delightful evening.



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ATWOOD TO PLAY HERE IN FIRST BASKETBALL GAME

1944-45 Season to Open Wednesday
Evening, Nov. 1

Dale Kelley, principal of the Mentone schools, announces that the first game of the 1944-45 season will be played on the local floor on the evening of Nov. first.

Basketball, one of the sports for which Indiana is noted, supplies that necessary diversion we all seek and the fans welcome the fall season and the first playoffs in the winter's sport. This year, start the season with the team and enjoy every game you can. The boys will be doing their best to entertain you and to have the winning team.

STUTZMAN—BALL

Tuesday evening, October 17, at 7:30 Miss Kathryn Ball, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ball, of Nappanee, became the bride of Pfc. Arden Stutzman, of the Marines, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Stutzman of Etna Green, in an impressive informal wedding at the home of the bride's parents. Rev. Hartman, pastor of the First Christian church, of Nappanee, read the double-ring ceremony.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held at the Ball residence, after which the newlyweds left on a short wedding trip.

MENTONE D. A. R.

The Anthony Nigo Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution met on Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. James Gill with Mrs. Artie Kern as assistant hostess.

The chapter sent a Christmas parcel to Lawrence Merton Caldwell S1-c. He is a member of the crew of an L. C. I. (Landing Craft Infantry) ship sponsored by the chapter. Mrs. Hazel Linn prepared and mailed the parcel.

Mrs. Edna Carey in a very pleasing manner presented a book review of "Brown Americans" by Edwin R. Embree. This book tells us much of interest about our negro citizens and the need of post-war planning for their benefit. A round table discussion followed the presentation of the review.

During the social hour delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses.

The chapter will meet on Nov. 28 at the home of Mrs. Ray Rush.

SHIRLEY RALPH MATTIX BURIED AT PALESTINE

Shirley Ralph Mattix, 51, passed away Friday at 5:15 a. m. at his home, one mile west of Claypool, where he had lived his entire life. He had been ailing for some time and his death came as a result of a heart attack.

Mr. Mattix was born January 13, 1893 in the same home where he died. His parents were Robert and Sarah Mattix. January 11, 1919 he was married to Neva Gladys Jones at St. Joseph, Mich. He had worked as a farmer and a deputy rural mail carrier during his lifetime.

Surviving relatives are the widow; three children, Norma, Robert and Charlene, all at home; a brother, Lawrence Mattix, of Scottville, Mich.; and a sister, Mrs. Harley Regenos, of Claypool.

Funeral services were held at the Christian church at Palestine at two o'clock Monday afternoon, Rev. Noah McCoy officiating. Interment was in the Palestine cemetery.

GIVEN ANNIVERSARY SURPRISE

Robert Nelson sponsored a surprise party for his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. I. Nelson, Saturday evening. The occasion was their thirty-fifth wedding anniversary and a number of their old friends gathered at the home to help them celebrate—and partake of the 3-layer cake Bob had on hand for the event.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Winn Warner of Silver Lake, Mr. and Mrs. F. R. Burns of North Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. Don Bunner, Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Manwaring, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Mollenhour, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Walburn, Mr. and Mrs. H. V. Johns, Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Fenstermaker, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson and son Robert.

SADDLE CLUB ENTERTAINS MEMBERS AND HELPERS

The Mentone Saddle Club put on an outdoor picnic at the Cullum outdoor furnace Sunday afternoon for their members, their families and the families of those who assisted in putting on the saddle horse show here several weeks ago. Between forty and fifty were on hand to enjoy the bountiful dinner and the afternoon of visiting and sports.

HALLOWE'EN

The Hallowe'en season has been with us for some time now, but the big day—or night—will be here shortly. Every youngster feels that it is his profound duty to join in celebrating the event and numerous are the ways which they choose to celebrate. No one has any desire to spoil their fun, yet the youngsters have a big obligation—or trust—on themselves to do only those "tricks" which are not malicious or property-destroying. I'm glad to state, too, that most youngsters do have their fun in a decent manner. They respect the rights and properties of others.

However, it frequently happens that a few pranksters do forget and perform acts which are not commendable. This is regrettable and brands them as "poor sports" among a group that is typically sportsmen.

Without fear of contradiction, I can say that the boys and girls in every American community in which I have resided have shown more good taste and sportsmanship than the grownups. I believe they will be that way in Mentone this year. Have all the fun you can, in a nice way, but refrain from destroying property or maliciously tormenting those who are afflicted physically or mentally intolerant.

BAPTIST WINNERS CLASS MEETS

The Winners class of the Baptist church held its October class party Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ora McKinley.

The president, Mrs. Annabelle Rathfon opened the meeting with songs and prayer was offered by Roy Cox. Devotions were led by Rev. Ralston. The remainder of the evening was spent in games and contests which were enjoyed by all.

Members present were: Rev. and Mrs. E. Coleman Ralston, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Rathfon and Marilyn, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Cox, Mr. and Mrs. John Norman, Mr. and Mrs. Noble Oyler, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Beeson, Mr. and Mrs. Byron Peterson and Carol, Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Holloway and Bobby, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Henderson and children, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Bybee and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Ora McKinley and sons. The hostess served delicious refreshments. The November meeting will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Everett Beeson.

MRS. LAWRENCE BOWEN BURIED HERE WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Nona Bowen, aged 61 years and wife of Lawrence Bowen, died early Sunday morning of a heart attack while the ambulance was standing by to take her to the hospital where she had gone on a number of occasions in recent months. Sunday morning she was so low that the doctor was called before the trip to Warsaw was attempted.

Mrs. Bowen was born in Harrison township, this county, February 4, 1883, the daughter of Thomas and Frances Brewer, pioneer residents. She was a member of the Mentone Baptist church.

In 1898 she was married to Henry Whetstone and they were the parents of six children, two of whom preceded the mother in death. About 1919 she was united in marriage to Lawrence C. Bowen and this marriage was blessed with a son, Dean, who survives and is now serving with the army in France. Other survivors, in addition to the husband, are the following children: Dewey Whetstone of Mentone; Loah, of Detroit, Mich.; Dorothy, of Chicago; Louise Towne of South Bend, and Dollis Williams of Oregon; nine grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Funeral services were held at the First Baptist Church Wednesday afternoon at two o'clock, with Rev. Squibb of Laporte, a former pastor here, officiating. Interment was in the Mentone cemetery and the Reed funeral home was in charge of arrangements.

PSI IOTA XI PARTY

Lucille Whetstone entertained the Psi Iota Xi in her home, last Tuesday night. Ten members and eight guests were present. Guests were Mrs. Walter Barkman, Mrs. Kenneth Barkman, Mrs. Esther Shoemaker, Mrs. Ralph Ward, Mrs. Glenn Weatherbee and Mrs. Earl Dwyer of Argos, Mrs. Russel Henderson, and Miss Genevieve Kraatz.

Prizes at bridge were won by Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Max Nellans. Mrs. Nellans also won the door prize.

Members present were Mrs. Mott Bryan, Mrs. Thomas Clutter, Mrs. Delord Nelson, Mrs. Curtis Riner, Mrs. Nellans, Mrs. Lyman Mollenhour, Mrs. Irvin Snyder, Miss Flora Holt and Mrs. Harold Utter.

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LIGHT-WEIGHT AIRMAIL ENVELOPES and Writing Paper. Envelopes 20c for 25; 500 sheets paper \$1.25. The Country Print Shop, Mentone.

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Personal Items

Mrs. Ethel Johnson of Etna Green is staying a few days with Alma Cat-tell.

Mr. Jeff Shoemaker, father of Mrs. Bill Cook is not so well.

Pvt. James Whetstone, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Whetstone, has been transferred from Camp Atterbury to Fort McClellan, Ala.

Miss June Aughinbaugh is attending the institute at South Bend and remaining over the week end with her brother Hugh and family.

Maj. Leroy Norris is now Executive, Transportation Section, Headquarters 8th Army in Dutch New Guinea. This new army is commanded by Lt. Gen. Eichelberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Russel Ailer are now operating the Atwood Cafe and report that they have a very nice trade there. They moved from the South Bend area about a month ago.

Mrs. Lide Williamson, Pearl Gates and mother, Mrs. Parker, and son Jimmy attended the funeral Monday of Mr. Mattix at Palestine.

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It was with deep regret that the friends of Clyde C. Sloan, minister of the Church of Christ Learned their fellow-worker and brother in Christ had decided to leave Mentone for other fields of labor.

It is realized that what is Mentone's loss is Muncie's gain, for he stood up for the truth against all opposition, from whatever source, preaching the truth without fear or favor.

He has trained the young men of the church so well that there are now several who can preach the gospel from the pulpit in a manner that is well pleasing to God.

He has also developed the social life

of the young people of the church, so they have a better acquaintance with each other and can thus work together better for those things eternal.

Brother Sloan has been here only a short time, but he has strengthened many in their fight against sin, worldliness and compromising of the truth.

It is sure that he has been the means of helping many to remain faithful to the God of heaven, and that influence will show in the lives and works of many for years to come. May God's richest blessings follow him wherever he goes and the prayer of many is that he may always stand up for the truth as he has so nobly done here.

—Contributed.

Mr. and Mrs. Boze Carter spent Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. George Clark and family.

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Mrs. Flo Borton returned Monday to Canton, Ohio to care for her daughter Mary, who is quite sick.

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Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan Snyder of Flint, Mich. spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. I. F. Snyder.

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Mrs. Don VanGilder and daughter Donna Kay are spending a few days with Mrs. Cora VanGilder.

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Mr. and Mrs. Wade Whetstone spent Monday calling on Mrs. Allie Latimer of North Manchester who has been very sick.

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PUBLIC SALE

On account of the hired help situation I will sell my entire herd of Shorthorn cattle. Also some Holstein dairy cows and heifers at my farm, ¼ mile east of LaCrosse, Ind., on State Road 8. Sale to start at 12:00 sharp on—

Saturday, Oct. 28**4—HEAD OF HORSES—4**

2 Sorrel Mare Colts, well-marked, 2 years old, Registered, This is a pair for anyone to be proud to own.

Team of Matched Sorrel Geldings, 15 months old. This sorrel team of geldings was donated to the Red Cross and will be auctioned off and the proceeds secured for them will be given to the Red Cross.

61—HEAD OF CATTLE—61

17 head Registered Shorthorn Cows; 2 Polled Shorthorn Cows, Registered; Five 3-yr-old Heifers, eligible to Register; Five 2-yr-old Heifers, Registered; Five 9-mo.-old Heifers, eligible to Register; Two 6-mo.-old Heifer Calves, eligible to Register; Two Bull Calves, eligible to Register; Red Bull, 18-mo.-old, Registered. These Cows are all of the Rosewoods, Bessies, Dorothy's, Augustas, and Orange Blossom Breedings.

Nine head of Holstein & Guernsey Heifers, ranging from 6 months to 18 months old; Thirteen Head of Holstein & Guernsey Cows, including 3 first calf heifers.

IMPLEMENTS

New Idea Manure Spreader; Wagon; Set of good Breeching Harness; 5 Collars; 1,100 Bushel Steel Grain Bin; 5 French Weber Individual Hog Houses; 5 French Weber Feeders; Spring Tooth Harrow; 4-section Spike Tooth Harrow; 2 Feed Bunks; also Circulating Heating Stove.

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PUBLIC SALE

The undersigned, Administratrix of the estate of Charles H. Petry, will sell at Public Auction one mile east and five miles south of Mentone, or 4 miles north of the east end of Akron, on

Thursday, Nov. 2

12:30 O'CLOCK

3 Chester White sows with pigs; Red Cow, giving milk, will freshen in March; Spotted Cow; 1 Feeding Steer; 1 Red Heifer, to freshen in March; around 6 ton mixed hay; 2 brooder houses, 10x12; 2 oil brooder stoves; stacked lumber; panels for pens; corn sheller; hog ringer; ladder; hay loader; side delivery; grindstone; tank heater; walking plow; shovel plow; Katydid; spring tooth harrow; 2 pair fence stretchers; iron kettle; 2 barrels; pitcher pump; spool of barbed wire; 12 crates; hog feeders; grain sacks; shot gun; bed and springs; dresser; dining room table; library table; sausage grinder; Round Oak heating stove, and many miscellaneous articles.

TERMS CASH

Fern L. Petry, Adm.

JESSE KLISE, Auctioneer

RAYMOND LASH, Clerk

Mrs. Allie Latimer has been quite sick at the Peabody home in North Manchester.

Mr. George Lyon of Warsaw is confined to his bed for a month because of a heart attack.

PUBLIC SALE

We will sell the following personal property on the Herman Rettinger farm, 1 mile west of Bourbon, 2½ north to mint still, then west to first house on the south side, beginning at 10:30 a. m., on

Saturday, Nov. 4**29 HEAD OF CATTLE**

12 HEAD MILK COWS—Guernsey-Jersey cow, 6, fresh Oct. 1; Holstein cow, 4; Holstein cow, 5; 3 Holstein cows, 3; 2 Roan cows, 5; Jersey cow, 5; Jersey cow, 7; Jersey cow, 11; Brindle cow, 5. Most of these cows milking good. Will furnish breeding dates on sale day as these cows have all been artificially bred. 7 mixed steers, 500 to 900 lbs.—some good feeder and butcher cattle in them. 2 Roan Heifers, Durham and Holstein cross; white face heifer, weight 500 lbs.; Holstein heifer, weight 500 lbs.; 6 small heifer calves saved from our best cows.

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175, more or less, CREIGHTON BROS. CERTIFIED White Leghorn PULLETS

HAY — STRAW — OATS

100 bales mixed Clover and Timothy hay; 10 tons, more or less, loose hay; 125 bales wheat straw; 50 bu. oats, more or less.

FARM IMPLEMENTS

Oliver 3-horse riding plow; 2-row cultivator; 7 ft. Champion binder; 7-ft. 3-horse disc; 10 ft. single tractor disc; 7 ft. Oliver cultipacker; David Bradley corn planter with fertilizer attachment; steel wheel wagon; all steel hand made wagon on rubber, high speed wheel bearings, tractor and team tongues, a real wagon; 1-horse spring wagon, well made 16 ft. flat rack; New Idea manure spreader, in good working condition; Bellview spreader, will work with a little repair; Dane hay loader, in working order; 1-2 set harness; 3 good leather collars; oil burning brooder stove; feeders and fountains; 4 good 10x12 ft. hog troughs; 70 gallon vacuum type hog fountain; 8 ft. hog feeder; McCormick-Deering electric cream separator, used about 18 months.

TERMS:—6 months time will be extended to those seeing our clerk, Mr. Otis Stephenson, 1 mile south and 1 mile east of Plymouth, phone 3614, before day of sale and making necessary arrangements. To all others, cash.

Mt. Pleasant Ladies will serve lunch.

Herman Rettinger & Lee Blue

HAROLD STEINER, Auctioneer

OTIS STEPHENSON, Clerk

MENTONE'S BLOOD DONORS

On Wednesday the following Mentone people were blood donors at Ft. Wayne: Emma Clutter, Lucille Whetstone, Mary Utter, Edna Nellans, Maude Onthank, Dale Nellans, Mrs. Truman Long, And Mrs. Silas Hill. Mrs. Max Nellans and Gertrude McCane were not allowed to give.

The Psi Iota Xi started promoting interest in becoming blood donors a year ago and in this time these people have been donors and the number following the name indicates the number of pints of blood given: Millie Bryan—2, Emma Clutter—5, Hope Deaton—1, Dorothy Nelson—2, Georgia Nellans—2, Pauline Riner—1, Mary Utter—4, Lucille Whetstone—6, Mrs. Truman Long—1, Maude Onthank—4, Mrs. Silas Hill—3, Lois Goodman—1, Lyman Mollenhour—3, Delford Nelson—1, Pearl Horn—1 Iris Blackwell—1.

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The next date for donations is January 24, 1945. If anyone is interested in being a donor, he can write to Red Cross at Ft. Wayne for an appointment. If an appointment is secured for Jan. 24, the sorority will make arrangements for transportation. Just let us know in advance.

IN MEMORIAM

In loving memory of our dear mother and grandmother who passed away three years ago Nov. 1.

HIRE CHILDREN
and GRANDCHILDREN.

CARD OF THANKS

We want to thank all the neighbors and friends for the flowers, assistance and words of comfort and sympathy extended to us in our hour of sadness.

MRS. JOHN ZENT
MRS. FRANK LADD
and FAMILY
ORTON ZENT and FAMILY.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to extend our heartfelt thanks to all those who assisted in any way during the death and burial of Mrs. Nona Bowen. Especially do we want to thank the employees of the Northern Indiana Cooperative Association and the Mentone Manufacturing Company, and to all the neighbors and friends for their words of sympathy and the floral contributions.

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R. N. A. NOTICE

The Royal Neighbor party will be held Saturday evening at the town hall instead of at Neighbor Hibschan's as was announced last week. Each member is to bring a guest and a pie or dish of salad and table service. Supper at 6:30.

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26 — CATTLE — 26

1 6 yr. old Jersey, fresh in May; 5 yr. old Guernsey, fresh in April; two 2 yr. old Guernseys, fresh in April; two 3 yr. old Guernseys, fresh in May; 4 yr. old Guernsey, fresh in May; 3 yr. old Guernsey, fresh in September; 6 yr. old Jersey-Guernsey, fresh in March; two 2 yr. old Guernseys, fresh in July; two 6 yr. old Guernseys, fresh in July; 1 yr. old Guernsey, to be fresh in November; 9 yr. old Guernsey, to be fresh in December; five coming 2 yr. old Guernsey Heifers; five Guernsey heifers, ranging from three months to 1 yr. old; one 18-month Guernsey Bull, well bred. These cows are giving good flow of milk. Also have been culled through the D. H. I. A. of Kosciusko County.

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8 pure bred Big Type Poland China sows; 4 purebred Berkshire sows; 2 Berkshire sows; 1 Hampshire Gilt; 1 red sow; 1 Spotted Poland China sow; 1 pure bred Berkshire with pigs by side; 1 registered pure bred Berkshire male; 75 fall pigs, farrowed from July 1 to August 1.

HOG EQUIPMENT

3 100-gal. capacity hog waterers; 2 self feeders; hog troughs; 1 hog oiler; 13 individual hog houses.

2 — HORSES — 2

Two 2 year old Sorrel Mares.

21 — SHEEP — 21

20 Ewes; one Buck.

1000 — CHICKENS — 1000

1,000 8-mo.-old laying pullets, Manwaring strain. These have been vaccinated for chicken pox.

POULTRY EQUIPMENT

4 brooder houses; 8x10 range feed house; range self feeders; 4 MaKomb Oil-O-Stat brooder stoves; 12 2-gal. water fountains; 20 3-ft. chick feeders; 15 10-ft. flock feeders; 4 4-ft. flock waterers; 4 hanging feeders; large Perfection automatic egg grader; 6 large wire egg baskets; large hard coal stove, suitable for hen house.

FARM EQUIPMENT

1941 John Deere Model B tractor on 10-38 rubber with starter, lights, fenders and power lift; cultivators; Little Genius 2-14-in. plows; 7-ft. IHC disk; 10-ft. IHC power binder; IHC side delivery; John Deere tractor spreader on rubber; Van Brunt tractor grain drill, with power lift and seed and fertilizer attachments; Soil-Fitter rotary hoe; large roller; 2 feed bunks; Blizzard silo filler; John Deere corn planter with tongue trucks and fertilizer attachments; IHC corn planter with fertilizer attachments, used one season; fence charger; water tank heater; 2 wagon racks; 2-section spring harrow; 3-section spring harrow; two 2-section spike harrows; 15-in. Hammer mill; power corn sheller; 75-ft. hammer mill belt; buzz saw outfit; good set of double harness; 1930 Model A pickup truck, on good rubber; forks, shovels, and many other articles too numerous to mention.

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15 ton of clover hay; 100 bales of wheat straw; 3 ton of loose oats straw; 70 acres of good standing corn.

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8-piece modern dining room suite; 2 9x12 all wool rugs; 1 9x12 rug pad; 1 occasional chair.

Lunch served by Beaver Dam Ladies Aid.

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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

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Mentone, Ind.

You are ever welcome to this house of God

This Sunday is Assistant Sunday in the Bible School. Bible School will be in complete charge of all the assistants. The assistant superintendents, pianist, director, secretary and all the assistant teachers. Everyone be on time. 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.
Subject: "The Virgin Birth."

Young People's Fellowship 6:30 P.M.

Intermediate and senior young people meeting in the young people's room upstairs.

Maude Onthank, Lecturer.

Booster Band 6:30 P.M.

Junior young people meeting in the Junior room in the basement. Mrs. Ralston, director.

Bible Study Class 6:30 P.M.

Everyone welcome. Meeting in the choir room. Studying the book of Revelation. Mrs. C. L. Manwaring, teacher.

Evening Service 7:30 P.M.

An informal gospel and song service with special music. We know you will enjoy it. Come and bring someone with you.

Tuesday 7:30 P.M.

Orchestra practice. If you play an instrument and do not attend church elsewhere, we give you a cordial invitation to come and join us for an enjoyable evening.

Wednesday 7:00 P. M.
Juniors take note—Hallowe'en masquerade party at the parsonage.

Thursday 7:30 P.M.
Prayer Meeting and Bible Study.
Meeting in the upper room.

Thursday 8:45 P.M.
Choir practice. All members are urged to be present.

Friday 7:30 P.M.
Young people's masquerade party at the parsonage.

E. COLEMAN RALSTON, Pastor.

METHODIST CHURCH Mentone, Ind.

Rev. A. G. Simmons, Pastor
Promptness and faithfulness will bring success.

Your presence last Sunday was a great inspiration and such will be the case each Sunday you are present, so we will be looking for you this Sunday.

Morning Worship 10:00.
Subject, "Radiations from the Christian Home." Junior Church at this hour.

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, "Cross Bearing".

Prayer meeting Thursday 7:30.

The W.S.C.S. will meet Friday, November 3rd.

There will be a very important meeting of the Boards of Trustees and Stewards, Wednesday, November 8.

Again we say we will be looking for you to bring your friends, guests, and neighbors to all these services.

Personal Items

Mr. Dale Kelley is attending the teachers institute at Indianapolis Thursday and Friday.

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The Misses Eileen Fenstermaker, Wreatha McFarren and Ellen Davis are attending the teachers institute at South Bend Thursday and Friday.

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Mrs. T. B. Pontius and daughter Alberta Ellen of Claypool called on their aunt, Mrs. Cora Williams Sunday afternoon.

Dr. Dale A. Rigdon

OPTOMETRIST

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Mrs. Ollie Sarber is spending a few weeks with her sister, Mrs. Sadie Black.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Leffel of Warsaw called on Mrs. Lydia Rynearson last Wednesday evening.

Pat Walsh and Paul Rush attended the Notre Dame football game Friday at South Bend.

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Mrs. Neva Staddon was called to Pueblo, Colorado Tuesday by the death of her mother.

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Stock Water Bowls
Horse Shoes
Nails
Tarpaulins (7x9, 10x12,
12x16, 12x18)
Sprayers
Dusters
Tools
Pans
Dishes
Clothes Lines
O'Briens Paints
Kem-Tone
Linseed Oil
Turpentine
Wax
Polish
Pipe Fittings
Well Points
Lard Cans
Garbage Pails
Elec. Poultry Water Heaters
Oil Water Heaters
Wash Boards
Clothes Baskets
Tub Racks
Lanterns

Gas Cans
Mops
Step Ladders
Step Stools
Ironing Board Pads
Chimney Sweep
Drain Pipe Cleaner
Furnace Cement
Caulking
Putty
Window Glass
Plow Points
Cutting parts for farm tools
Crosscut Saws
Meat Saws
Buck Saws
Keyhole Saws
Hand Saws
Hack Saws
Fence Stretchers
Calf Weaners
Electric Wire (No rating re-
quired)
Light Bulbs
Stove Pipe
Sash Cord
Rope
Hinges

Door Hooks
Door Locks
Padlocks
Sandpaper
Door Track and Hangers
Glue
Rubber Heels
Separator Oil
Shoe Oil
Stove Polish
Horse Collars
Bridles
Halters
Snaps
Chain
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News of Mentone and Vicinity

Mr. and Mrs. Rev. Hill spent the week end in Dayton, Ohio.

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Mrs. Fern Blue and Mildred Friesner were in Warsaw shopping Wednesday.

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Miss Holt is attending teachers institute at Indianapolis Thursday and Friday.

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Harry Meredith has been redecorating the Cox filling station, inside and out, this week.

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Bob Eherenman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cloyce Eherenman, underwent a tonsillectomy at the McDonald hospital at Warsaw Tuesday. He returned to his home here Wednesday.

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New hats cost real money. Have your old one made like new. Agent for Kelley Hat Service of Warsaw. Send every Wednesday. W. W. Whetstone, Merchant Tailor, Mentone.

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Mrs. Eva Irvin of Leesburg and son and daughter-in-law of San Diego, California who was home on furlough and son Fred of Indianapolis all spent last Saturday with Lydia Rynearson.

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The Clark's grocery has undergone a number of changes recently. The store fixtures have been moved about to make it easier for customers to serve themselves and considerably more stock has been placed on display.

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J. D. Long has received a letter telling of the serious illness of his brother, Andrew Long, 85, of Owensboro, Ky. The brother has had heart trouble for a number of years and last week suffered a stroke which paralyzed his right side to the hip. It is difficult for him to recognize people, too, other than members of the family. J. D. says they expect to go to Kentucky this week if arrangements can be made to do so.

Mrs. Ora McKinley went to York Town, Indiana Monday to visit her Sister and family.

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Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Weatherbee of Argos are announcing a new arrival, a girl named Kathleen Louise.

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Mrs. A. J. Riddle of Rochester is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Linus Borton and family.

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Mrs. Jennie Saviers returned to Ft. Wayne Tuesday after spending a few weeks with Mrs. I. F. Snyder.

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Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Bennett, of Warsaw, were visiting in Mentone on Thursday.

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Wayne Tombaugh is now located in Pierceton where he is acting manager of a Kroger grocery.

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Mrs. Keith Doran and daughter Claudette, left Tuesday morning for Mare Island to be with her husband who is in the hospital there.

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In the obituary announcement of Mrs. Turner's last issue we failed to mention that she was a charter member of the Mentone chapter of the Royal Neighbors and had been a member for 39 years.

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Mrs. LaMar Anderson entertained Wednesday afternoon at a birthday party in celebration of the sixth birthday of her daughter Madeline. Games were played with prizes being awarded to Beverly Witham, Billy Horn, and Sue Ann Fleck. Refreshments of ice cream, cake and Pepsi Cola were served to the following guests: Beverly Witham, Sandra Witham, Sue Ann Fleck, Donna Lee Horn, Sue Fens-termaker, Janice Nelson, Joyce Anderson, Billy Horn, Larry Horn, Den-

nis, Freddie and Philip Anderson, Terry Utter, Dickie Tombaugh and the guest of honor, Madeline Anderson. Madeline received many lovely gifts from her friends.

Clayton Clayton left Tuesday for the west coast after a furlough with his family in Mentone. He is a member of the CB's and spent nearly a year in the Pacific theatre.



DEAR VOTER:

In order that you may know the background, record, and policies of the people between whom you must choose, I present the following of myself:

I was formerly a public school teacher.

Have been active in Social and Civic Affairs.

Co. Chairman of Home Economic clubs, having organized numerous clubs and brought into use many constructive ideas.

Co. Social and Educational leader of Farm Bureau.

Co. Farmer Field Woman of Kosciusko County for the U. S. Department of Agriculture in the drive for Food for Freedom and Soil Conservation programs.

Member of "Mother's of World War II," Mentone Chapter.

I am a farm woman and mother of five children, two of whom are in the armed forces, Keith, a Lieutenant in the Navy has been on active duty since May, 1942 in the South Pacific and is now in U. S. N. Hospital. Hal is in training at the Indiana University Medical School at Indianapolis.

Delta Deane, a High School music instructor and band director, Byron and Brooke who with the other children have appeared on many musical programs in the county.

I pledge, if elected, to give the same kind of conscientious service I have given my family and friends in the past.

I will always be kind, courteous and loyal to the public and remember always I am the "Servant of the People."

If you do not know me, please inquire of your neighbor.

Blanche E. Doran

of BURKET, IND.,

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE

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