

# Charlevoix County Herald.

VOLUME 44

EAST JORDAN, MICHIGAN, FRIDAY, APRIL 12, 1940.

NUMBER 15

## Future Farmers and Dads Celebrate

BEGINNING OF NEW SEASON WITH BANQUET, TALKS, WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3

Fathers and sons met together in an agricultural banquet held last Wednesday evening, April 3, in the high school. The entire field of vocational agriculture was included as 60 Future Farmers and Part-time Class members and their dads celebrated the beginning of a new season. James G. Hayes, dairy extension specialist from Michigan State College, entertained the group with humorous, as well as sincere, comments on the dairy industry. He emphasized the fact that the old cow needs plenty of two cheap substances: Clean water and clean air. These are fairly easy to provide and, accompanied by high quality home grown feed and practical management, suggest the way to dairy profits.

In marking the end of a series of 16 meetings of a Part-Time Class in Dairy, E. E. Wade, superintendent, presented certificates to those individuals attending regularly. Those included William Dunson, Leon Ray Dunson, Donald Shepard, Gale Brintnall, Gardelle Nice, Vestal Clark, Carl Grutsch, Jr., Charles Chadcock, Basil Holland, Albert Peters, Raymond Dubas, and Eugene Monosko. Toastmaster of the evening was Robert Brown, and Joe Lilac acted as chairman. Ronald Holland offered a welcome, in which he mentioned the outstanding achievements of the past year. Music was provided by Glen and Marlin Ingalls. The banquet was sponsored and served jointly by the Future Farmer organization and the Part-Time Class.

## YOUR COUNTY ROAD COMMISSION

By S. A. Tokoly

W. P. A.

One of the primary operations of the County Road Commission for the past five years has been the co-operation with the Works Progress Administration in sponsoring work for the employables on the County Relief rolls, and again contrary to the generally accepted opinion, a particularly costly one. Roughly 40 per cent of the Road Commission's money is spent sponsoring WPA projects of whose total cost the Commission is called on to furnish 25 per cent.

Previous to May, 1938, the Road Commission was sponsoring a great many small individual projects on the roads in the county. This proved to be very unsatisfactory, both from the standpoint of the vast amount of paper work involved per man employed and from the lack of efficiency obtainable under this system in work as seasonal as road work. This became so unsatisfactory in May 1938 that the Road Commission discontinued any active participation in WPA work. Realizing the need of work of this nature they cast about for a solution for the problem and in June of that year arrived at the present system of "County Wide" sponsoring of projects or in other words sponsoring a project which covers every road in the county. This system resulted in a 100 per cent increase in efficiency and a decrease of 75 per cent in paper work.

In June, 1938, a project was submitted by your Road Commission, to cover a period of two years work, in the amount of \$254,877.00. Of this amount they were asked to guarantee an expenditure on their part of \$65,544.00 or 26 per cent as against the Federal Government's \$189,333.00 or 74 per cent of the total.

The only variation from this "County wide" system has been in the case of the Beaver Island group. Their seasonal needs being slightly different than on the mainland, the Federal Gov't requested the Road Commission to submit a separate proposal for the islands. This was done in June 1938 in the amount of \$40,790.00 of which the Road Commission was asked to spend \$12,868.00 to the Federal Gov'ts \$27,922.00. This project has only recently been discontinued and the work incorporated under the mainland County Wide project. At the date of the discontinuance of the island project, the Federal Gov't had expended \$17,823.83 and the Road Commission \$5,305.51.

To Jan. 1st, 1940, the mainland \$74,874.00 of Federal money and County Wide project had consumed \$49,395.86 in Road Commission money. This may seem exorbitant, but when one takes into consideration the fact that in the eighteen months, ending January 1st, there has been \$92,697.83 of Federal money spent in Charlevoix County, which could

## Harry F. McHale Taking Census For City of East Jordan

Census Enumerator Harry F. McHale began the 1940 census for the City of East Jordan on Tuesday, April 2nd, and is now diligently at work. Mr. McHale states that it is slow work and that it will probably take over a month for one person to complete the task in our City.

So far all our citizens have received him pleasantly and have endeavored to answer all question accurately.

The 1940 census will provide a standard of measurement for our country and our cities for the next 10 years. It is the duty of every resident of the United States to help make this an accurate, complete inventory of our people, our homes and our farms. Let's all answer the questions freely and honestly, secure in the knowledge that throughout its 150-year history the census bureau has kept faith with the American people.

## Canners Are Still Champs

WIN FROM TRAVERSE CITY 58-40 AS CURTAIN FALLS

The curtain fell on the Northern Michigan basketball season here last Thursday evening, as the far famed East Jordan Cannners defeated the Traverse City Merrill Used Cars 58 to 40.

The Cannners are still the Champions. Again they have demonstrated they are The Class of Northern Michigan. In the last four years they have played 132 games, meeting defeat but six times. The six defeats were administered by six different teams, no squad being able to turn the trick twice on them.

The Red and White played 29 games this season, winning 26 while dropping one game by four points, and two games by two point margins. In last week's paper it was stated they broke last season's high scoring record. The adding machine proved this was a mistake, but they did break it in the Traverse game to end the season with a grand total of 1341 points against 942 for their victims. Last season's record was 1302 points. The boys say next year will be 1500 or bust.

In the game Thursday, the teams played on even terms during the first quarter, the locals leading 11 to 9 as it ended. The Cannners jumped into a good lead by the halfway mark, 27 to 18. They then really put the game in the ice box by scoring 22 points the last quarter.

The game brought another great season to a fitting close. Much credit is due to Alex. Sinclair, and Raymond Swafford who handled the team throughout the season. Marlin "Spin" Cihak has been their captain.

Congratulations boys! You are truly the "Perennial Northern Michigan Champions."

Traverse City (40)	FG.	FT.	PF.
Richter, l.f.	1	1	1
Crawford, r.f.	6	3	1
Provencher, c.	3	1	1
Taylor, l.g.	1	0	0
Campbell, l.g.	0	1	1
Sleder, r.g.	5	2	0
Totals	16	8	4
East Jordan (58)	FG.	FT.	PF.
M. Cihak, l.f.	3	1	0
L. Cihak, l.f.	3	0	1
R. Saxton, r.f.	8	2	2
G. Saxton, r.f.	1	0	0
H. Sommerville, c.	1	1	3
C. Sommerville, l.g.	4	0	2
Gea, l.g.	1	0	1
LaPeer, r.g.	6	0	1
Johnson, r.g.	0	0	0
Totals	27	4	10

Score by Quarters:  
Traverse City 9 9 7 15 — 40  
East Jordan 11 16 9 22 — 58

have been obtained in no other way and spent in such a way to reach the small merchant in the shortest possible time; and had these men not been employed, the County Relief Commission would have had to give them aid and the cost spread on the tax rolls of the county. From a purely selfish standpoint at least, the Road Commission's action in this matter is highly commendable.

At the present rate of expenditure, there are ample funds provided, under the operating County Wide project, to continue for at least another twelve months, and it was for this work that the Board of Supervisors, in 1938, provided \$3,500.00 to bolster the Road Commission funds being spent for this work.

This is the fourth of a series of six articles written with the idea of giving the public an insight into the Road Commission and its operation. The fifth article will cover the Road Commission's connection with the State Highway Department.

## Former Directors Are Re-elected

AT ANNUAL MEETING OF THE EAST JORDAN CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY

The annual meeting of the East Jordan Co-operative Company was held in the Presbyterian Church basement Monday afternoon. A delicious dinner was served at 12:30 by the Presbyterian Ladies' Aid Society. Mr. Ter Wee and a group from the High School orchestra played during the dinner.

The business session was opened with the reading of the report of last year's business by M. W. Beattie, auditor of the Michigan Potato Growers Exchange of Cadillac, who presented both facts and figures in a clear, concise manner.

Samuel E. Rogers, last year's delegate to the annual meeting of the Michigan Potato Growers Exchange at Cadillac last August, reported on its proceedings. East Jordan was one of twenty-five co-operatives represented there.

Charles Shepard, Ole Omland and Joseph Leu were re-elected directors for three year terms.

Earle Danforth was elected as delegate to the annual meeting at Cadillac this summer, with Samuel E. Rogers named as alternate.

An interesting discussion was conducted on the advantages and disadvantages of the credit system which indicated the former outweighs the latter.

Following the business session, Co. Agricultural Agent B. C. Mellenecamp of Boyne City showed slides of the various official groups in Boyne City, the County Picnic at Whiting Park on Labor Day, etc.

The management extends sincere thanks to the Presbyterian Church, as their hosts, the Ladies' Aid Society for the bountiful feast; and the orchestra for their fine entertainment.

## Chamber of Commerce

Dinner meeting at the Jordan Inn next Thursday, April 18th, 6:30 p. m. Hollis Drew in charge.

Geo. Secord, Sec'y.

## Dr. Lashmet To Speak At Ellsworth, April 17

Dr. Lashmet of Petoskey will give a lecture on the disease of syphilis at the Ellsworth Community Hall, Wednesday evening, April 17, at 8:00 o'clock. The talk is under the auspices of the Ellsworth Literary Club and the Ellsworth P.-T. A. The public is cordially invited except children under the ages of 16 years. The admission is free.

## Evangelist Gave Life's Story

The Full Gospel Church was filled to capacity last Sunday night when Mrs. Elmer Way gave her life's story how she escaped from Russia during the Russian-Japanese War. Hearts were stirred as she gave many interesting incidents how her mother and children endured many hardships and escaped the many dangers while being smuggled across the border.

Citizens of East Jordan will appreciate liberty and freedom of this country as a result of this service.

## SHOULD MEN OF 50 FIGHT OUR WARS?

Colonel William J. (Wild Bill) Donovan, famous World War veteran who won the coveted Congressional Medal, knows war not only from his own service but also from the sidelines during the Italian invasion of Ethiopia and the Spanish Revolution. As a result of his experiences, Colonel Donovan offers some startling predictions and convictions concerning military preparedness. Read why he believes that older men should bear the brunt of hardships and dangers of battle. His article appears in This Week, the colorgrave magazine with Sunday's Detroit News.

## MAKES REAL FIRE

Vassar — A cottonwood tree recently cut on the John Beers farm would make a real bonfire. Too thick to be cut with a saw, the tree trunk had to be notched with an axe before it would be felled. The trunk and main branches contained 22 cords of stove wood.

"The Daughter of the Sun." Fascinating fable of the American Indians brought to life in the inimitable style of the imaginative artist Andre. See his attractive painting reproduced in full color — with the story of the legend — on the front page of The American Weekly, the magazine distributed with next Sunday's Chicago Herald-American.

## Boys Club Stage First Kite Fest

WEATHER PERMITTING, ANOTHER SUCH EVENT WILL BE HELD THIS SATURDAY

The East Jordan Boys' Club staged its first kite fest at the local High School Athletic Field last Saturday afternoon, with 18 youths actually taking part.

Kites of tail, tail-less, star and box variety were sent aloft and at one time ten kites lined the horizon.

Glen Persons, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Persons, carried off highest honors with the best flying model, a tail kite. August LaPeer was awarded second prize with his tail-less model. Bobby Saxton placed third, also with a tail-less model. Persons and Saxton are both second grade pupils.

Other boys who participated were: Carroll Clark, Darrell Wright, Buddy Hipp, Junior Murphy, Charles and Marshal Gothro, Dale and Basil Carney, Bobby Archer, Bobby Nemecek, Leon Peterson, Percy "Willie" Kowalske, James Person, Bob Gothro, and Lyle Kowalske.

The event was conducted by recreational leaders Raymond Swafford and Gayle Saxton. It was estimated that last week alone, more than forty kites were actually assembled at the Boys' Club Recreation Hall in the Sherman Building. Weather permitting another such event will be run off this week end Saturday.

## Year's Finest At Temple

With two of the greatest pictures yet produced, "Northwest Passage," and "Grapes of Wrath," scheduled for presentation during the coming week, the Temple has one of the strongest programs of the season for theatre goers of the North.

Four shows are scheduled in the following arrangement:—

Saturday only: William Boyd as Hop-A-Long Cassidy in "The Show-down." Comedy, Variety, News.

Sunday and Monday: Spencer Tracy, Robert Young and Walter Brennan in the Technicolor production, "Northwest Passage."

Tuesday only (Family Night): Sidney Toler and Jean Rogers in "Charlie Chan in Panama." Comedy. Drums of Fu Manchu.

Wed., Thur., Fri.: Henry Fonda in John Steinbeck's sensational, "The Grapes of Wrath."

## Great Interest In Extension Events

RURAL FOLKS INTERESTED IN DEMONSTRATIONS ON VARIOUS SUBJECTS

The first three days of last week saw a large number of meetings and demonstrations on various subjects of interest to rural folks. In fact, eight meetings were held that attracted considerable interest. Several occasions marked the conclusion of projects that have been directed through the winter months.

DAIRYING WITH HAYS  
Of all of the dairy authorities in the state, none is better known or of greater reputation than Jim Hays. He was the main speaker at Boyne City on Monday night, April first, when Howard Lytle, Vocational Agr'l Instructor, finished the night school classes with a light banquet.

During the winter months a series of ten classes were held on the subject of dairying. Mr. Hays, in his usual witty manner, touched upon the high spots of dairying. Ask anyone in attendance how they enjoyed his presentation of the subject matter.

On Tuesday afternoon, in connection with the Boyne Falls Agr'l Day, Jim Hays spoke on "Mistakes That Other Dairymen Make." His remarks kept the large audience of parents and students in an uproar but the main things to consider in profitable dairying were gotten across to the dairymen and will be remembered. Each year the patrons of the consolidated school are invited in for an all day session featured by a wonderful banquet at noon and a most attractive program touching upon the more important interests of farm families.

On Wednesday night, April third, Mr. Thomas Thacker, Vocational Agricultural Instructor at East Jordan, had a fine group of fifty young men and parents present at their final event of the winter months. In this case, a splendid group of young men, recent graduates of the high school, have been studying dairying in a series of fifteen night meetings. Mr. Hays, by mentioning the mistakes that neighbors make, presented the

"Frequent water drinking," said the professor, "prevents becoming stiff in the joints."

"Yes," said the co-ed, "but some of the joints don't serve water."

## Pomona Grange Changes Meeting Date. Will Be Held Friday, April 19

Pomona Grange No. 40 will meet with Wilson Grange Friday evening, April 19, 1940, instead of April 12 as first advertised.

Co-operative supper will be served at 6:30. Mrs. Hazel Murray has planned a very interesting program, including an address by Mrs. Dora Stockman, chairman of the Home Economics Committee of Michigan State Grange. Mrs. Stockman will also judge the poster contest being conducted by the Home Economics Committee of Charlevoix Pomona Grange. Every Grange is urged to be well represented. Visitors are welcome.

## MAIL IS COSTLY

Ferndale — A firm in Bangkok, Siam, bought a setting of 15 hen's eggs from a local man, and paid more for postage than for the eggs themselves. Eggs cost \$10, and air mail postage cost was \$34.10.

## F. F. A. Sponsors Donkey Basketball

PRELIMINARY A NOVELTY — SAXTON BROTHERS VS. AGRICULTURAL CLASS MEMBERS

Something new in the line of sports attractions will be featured here Saturday evening, April 13th, when Donkey Basketball will make its debut at the local high school gym. Thrills, spills and laughs aplenty always accompany this freak entertainment. All passing, shooting, and guarding must be done while mounted. One may dismount to get a loose ball. Eight donkeys are used, and by the way these fellows often outsmart their rider. See men try to mount with a ball under their arms, and donkeys that not always care to have a passenger. Each center rides a tricycle, to which is attached a basket, suspended from a long pole. It is to be a game the Farmers vs. the City-men.

In the preliminary in a basketball game not to be played on donkeys, the part time agricultural class boys team will play a team composed of Saxton brothers, Gayle, Richard, William, Charles and Robert.

The FFA organization is sponsoring the affair, after which will be a free dance. Both round and square dancing. There also is to be a cake walk. The preliminary is to begin at 7:30 and the main attraction at 8:30. Admission 25c and 15c. Remember the night, Saturday evening, April 13th. Don't miss it. It may be but the one chance of your lifetime.

practices and methods to adopt for best results.

## BUILDING SEPTIC TANKS WITH AMUNDSON

On Wednesday, April 3rd, George Amundson, Specialist in Agr'l Engineering, discussed septic tanks and water systems to two farm groups, one at Charlevoix and the other at Boyne City. The Charlevoix group met in the new City Building and the Boyne City group met in the Library. Mr. Amundson very expertly discussed the principles and construction of septic tanks. By having a model tank to demonstrate with and colored slides, he showed the various steps in the construction of a tank. Apparently, from the response, a great many more septic tanks and water systems will be installed in the county than there have been for many years. Farmers are more and more interested in having the modern conveniences that years ago were out of their reach. Now, with the opportunities that are present with the use of electricity, greater attention is being given to equipment and installations that make farm life more enjoyable.

## CONSERVATION WITH WELSH

Charles Welsh, of the State Department of Conservation, showed moving pictures on conservation subjects at East Jordan and Walloon Lake on Tuesday, April 2nd. A new film, the essentials of conservation, was shown for the first time in this section. The first reel, developed in cartoon fashion, showed the relationship between air, water, and soil in such a way that even a young student could understand. The second reel was on archery and the various stages in the development of this popular sport. The third reel entitled "The Red Poacher," certainly illustrated the damage from forest fire. It very nicely showed how the Conservation Department, through its highly efficient personnel and modern fire fighting equipment, prevents great losses from fires. The deer yard study, supervised by Mr. Walcutt at East Jordan, has been greatly interested in this study and is accomplishing excellent results.

B. C. Mellenecamp  
Co. Agr'l Agent.

## Drivers' License Exams Simplified

NEW FORMS SHORTEN TIME, MAKE "CRIBBING" DIFFICULT, STATE POLICE SAY

Modified examination forms were being handed applicants for drivers' licenses throughout the state this week.

New examination sheets together with a revised chart of traffic signals had been distributed by the safety and traffic division of the Michigan State Police with instructions to all stations to place them into immediate use.

"Cribbing" is made difficult through use of the new blanks. Since examinations have been required, one blank has been handed out for written examination answers. A glimpse at the applicant's paper at the adjoining table might have occasionally helped in the past but hereafter his blank will be different from his neighbor's. In fact, the new set consists of six different sets.

Instead of seeking to trip the applicant and make his appearance before examiners more involved, Capt. C. J. Scavarda of the state police says the new blanks are simplified and will speed up the required tests.

"The examinations are designed to require only sufficient knowledge of traffic laws and regulations to assure us that the applicant will make a reasonably safe driver," Captain Scavarda said. "Our new form discloses the information we want through use of simple questions. The new test charts places needed emphasis on matters of safety which experience has shown to hazy in the minds of most applicants."

The new chart for the first time touches the matter of traffic regulations as they concern the blind pedestrian with a white cane. In other respects, the chart touches on pedestrian safety.

Familiarity with the pamphlet "What Every Driver Must Know" distributed by the secretary of state with each notice of expiration of driving license, remains the requirement of satisfactory passing the examination for license renewal. The booklet high-spots Michigan's safety and traffic laws.

A survey of 1939 statistics on drivers' examinations showed that 53 per cent of those who failed on their appearance for an examination successfully passed after a brief study of "What Every Driver Must Know" on their second appearance before the examiner." Captain Scavarda said.

"Approximately 48,000 persons in Michigan last year qualified as better drivers through operation of the drivers' examination law," Scavarda said. "That number," he said, "failed on their first examination but received licenses on later examinations through correction of vision, greater familiarity with fundamental traffic and safety laws or through acquiring mechanical aids to compensate physical handicaps that prevented them originally qualifying as safe drivers."

## WHOOPIING COUGH

The beauties of spring exert a compelling influence on almost everyone at this time of year. Lost in admiration of these new beauties it is easy to forget that certain diseases also put on a special display with the coming of warmer weather. One of the worst of these spring diseases is whooping cough.

Of all the diseases with which the health department has to deal whooping cough is one of the most difficult to control. This is because it is extremely communicable, and also because it begins so innocently — like a common cold. It is during this early mild period when it is spread most readily. One should always view with suspicion a cold which brings with it a cough that is worse at night. After from one to two weeks of preliminary coughing, the true "whoop" begins. This may last seven or eight weeks, but the disease is usually not so communicable after the early weeks.

The dangers of whooping cough are greatest in children under three. In these ages it causes more deaths than diphtheria and scarlet fever combined. Between the years 1921 and 1935 in the city of Baltimore it was shown that in infants with whooping cough one in every ten died.

Recent studies have shown that this deadly disease can be prevented in a high percentage of cases. To do this parents must take their infants to the family physician for a series of simple treatments. This is recommended at about the time the baby is six months old.

If whooping cough does occur, proper treatment is necessary. A physician must be called at once, and his orders carefully followed. Visitors are kept away. It should never be forgotten that whooping cough is a most serious disease.



WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS BY JOSEPH W. LaBINE

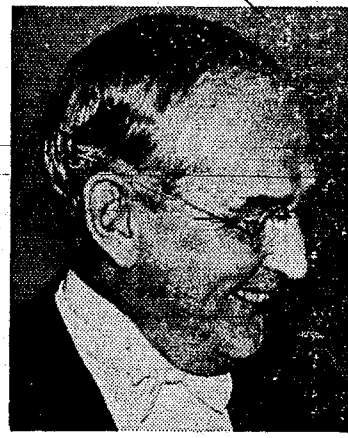
## Dewey Campaign Gains Steam With N. Y., Wisconsin Victories; Third Term Grows Less Likely

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.)  
Released by Western Newspaper Union.

### POLITICS: In the Spring

From coast to coast in early April the grass roots were turning green. For politicians more than anyone else, the fresh spring air was filled with anticipation. Congress grew restless, prompting Senate Majority Leader Alben Barkley to forecast adjournment in June just before the national conventions.

More pointed harbingers of an election year were primaries in New York and Wisconsin, which sent youthful Tom Dewey's star a-soaring and left Cactus Jack Garner's supporters hanging on the ropes. In the Empire state, whose delegates will be uninstructed, G. O. P. Hope-



MICHIGAN'S VANDENBERG  
Dewey also beat Roosevelt.

ful Frank Gannett was nevertheless pigeon-holed in the public mind. In America's Dairyland, Tom Dewey not only outpointed Michigan's Sen. Arthur Vandenberg for G. O. P. delegates but also got more votes than Franklin Roosevelt got in the Democratic primary.

If third termites thought the President's Wisconsin victory over Jack Garner was a favorable sign, they also saw signs to the contrary. In Los Angeles Eleanor Roosevelt spoke her personal opinion; she was against a third term "except in extraordinary circumstances." If Europe's war was such a circumstance, Sumner Welles had probably convinced the President that the White House can never bring the Allies and Germany to peace.

At Monongah, W. Va., meanwhile, C. I. O.'s John Lewis threatened to start his own third party unless the Democrats choose a platform and candidates suitable to him. Definitely not acceptable, C. I. O. has already intimidated, is Franklin Roosevelt. And Montana's Sen. Burton K. Wheeler, whom John Lewis would like to see President, made it plain at San Francisco that he does not expect the President to run, that he himself is not a third party candidate, but that he would become Democratic candidate should the party invite him.

### CONGRESS:

#### Fraud?

Mad as hornets were New York's Rep. Ham Fish and North Carolina's Sen. Bob Reynolds. By bundling Ambassador Bill Bullitt back to France aboard the clipper, Secretary of State Hull had cheated them out of an investigation. Subject: The German "white book" charges, intimating Bullitt had promised Jerzy Potocki, Polish ambassador to the U. S., that America would fight along with France and Britain against Germany.

Meanwhile the enterprising New

York News branded as frauds the papers which Germany claimed to have taken from Polish archives when Warsaw was seized. Basis for the News' charge was the testimony of three translators who indicated that "the German propaganda ministry has slipped some new words into the Polish language." Two translators "commented that the report was written in such poor Polish that no statesman could have been guilty of its authorship." Two words, they said, were not even in the Polish language; a third was archaic.

Also in congress:  
By limiting debate, the senate expedited approval of a house resolution to extend for three years the administration's reciprocal trade program. Biggest stumbling block was the attempt to retain senate ratification power over such treaties.

Economy, already blasted by a \$300,000,000 boost in the farm bill, went by the boards again when the senate appropriations subcommittee added \$44,000,000 for civil functions of the war department. Still ahead was the relief bill, which spending forces hoped to boost \$500,000,000 above the President's \$1,000,000,000 request.

The farm credit administration got a going-over in both houses. In the senate, National Grange Master L. J. Taber appealed for a bill to make FCA independent again, removing it from the agriculture department where it was placed by governmental reorganization last year. In the house, farm leaders opposed a bill to liberalize FCA loans to farmers. Reason: It might stand in the way of parity prices. The treasury, which saw interest rates going up, opposed a flat 3 per cent rate on FCA loans.

### WHITE HOUSE:

#### Week's Work

From Grangeville, Idaho, 67-year-old Mrs. Elva Canfield set out on horseback for a six-week job, counting noses among the hardy souls who live in a 1,000-square-mile area in the Seven Devils mountains. Throughout the rest of the nation 120,000 other canvassers did likewise. In Washington, Sen. Charles Tobey of New Hampshire ushered in the sixteenth decennial census with a radio address urging Ameri-



NO. 1 AND NO. 1  
A mortgage on the White House?

cans not to answer questions which "violate the constitutional right of privacy."

The day it started, No. 1 Census Taker William L. Austin counted the nose of America's No. 1 Citizen, Franklin Roosevelt (see photo). While photographers blazed away, the President asked and was assured that his census form was confidential. Skipped over lightly was the question on whether he held a mortgage on his residence, the White House.

Pet project of the week, however, was Franklin Roosevelt's third government reorganization order, to become effective in 60 days unless specifically rejected by either house or senate. Main aims:

(1) Creation of a federal fiscal officer, a permanent civil service employee with rank of assistant treasury secretary, who would rule the public debt service, commissioner of accounts and deposits, and U. S. treasurer.

(2) Assumption by the treasury of jurisdiction over the quasi-independent federal alcohol administration.

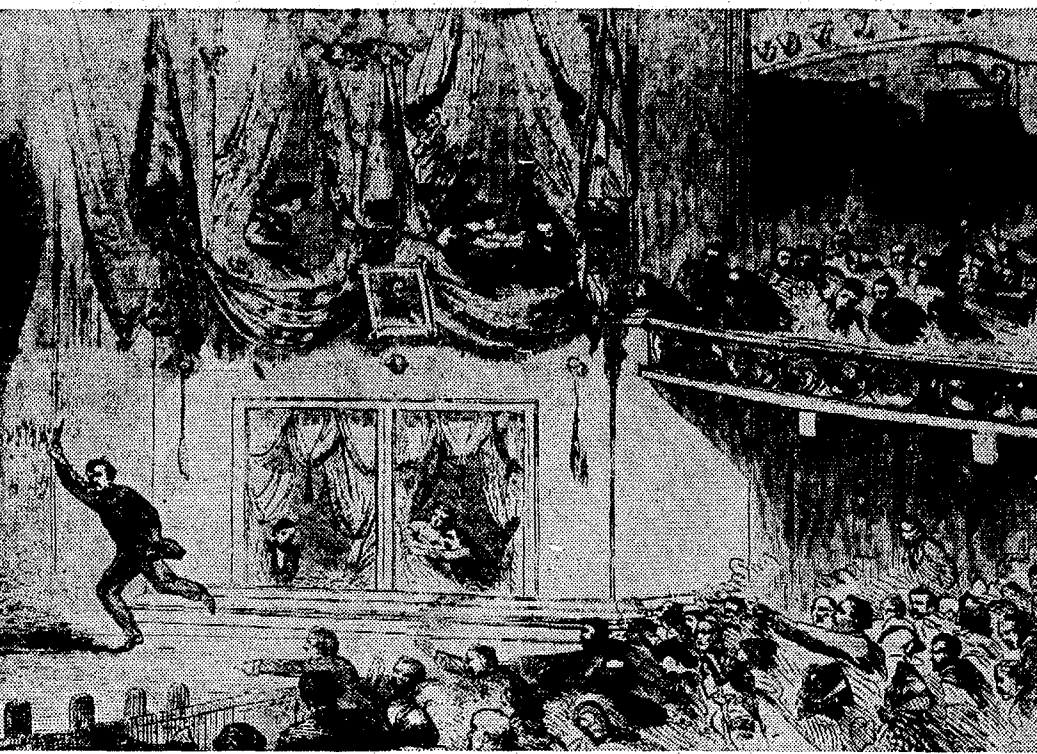
(3) Creation of a "surplus marketing administration," composed of the AAA's division of marketing and the federal surplus commodities corporation.

### MEDICINE:

#### At Cleveland

Death from coronary thrombosis is really caused by suffocation of the heart, which fails to receive oxygen. At Cleveland, where the American College of Physicians met, a past president told how bay-windowed business men can avoid thrombosis. Dr. William J. Kerr of San Francisco pointed out that elastic belts which hold up "adiposities" raise the diaphragm, thus drawing more oxygen into the heart.

## Seventy-Five Years Ago This Month The Whole World Was in Mourning for America's First Martyred President



"STOP THAT MAN!"—John Wilkes Booth flees across the stage of Ford's theater in Washington after firing the shot which ended the life of Abraham Lincoln. (From a drawing in Harper's Weekly, April 29, 1865.)

By ELMO SCOTT WATSON  
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

IT IS the evening of April 14, 1865—Good Friday.

On the stage of Ford's theater in Washington the famous actress, Laura Keane, is playing in a delightful comedy, "Our American Cousin." Joining in the laughter that sweeps through the audience from time to time is a gaunt, sad-faced man sitting at ease in a high-backed, satin-upholstered rocking chair in an upper stage box. Abraham Lincoln is forgetting for a few minutes the crushing responsibilities which he, as Chief Executive of a nation torn asunder in civil war, has been bearing for four long years.

The third act of the play begins. The President leans over to whisper something to Mrs. Lincoln who sits beside him. Neither the Lincolns nor Maj. Harry R. Rathbone and a Miss Harris, who accompanied them to the theater, notice that a dark-moustached young man has slipped through the door at the rear of the box and is now standing behind the President.

The next moment there is the muffled sound of a shot. It is unnoticed by the players on the stage or the audience, still chuckling over the last funny line they have heard. But the President's head drops forward on his breast.

Startled, Major Rathbone looks around. Through the smoke he sees the dark young man with a pistol in his hand and hears him mutter something which sounds like "Freedom!" The major leaps to his feet and grapples with the intruder, who slashes at him with a knife, tears loose from the officer's grasp and springs to the front of the box.

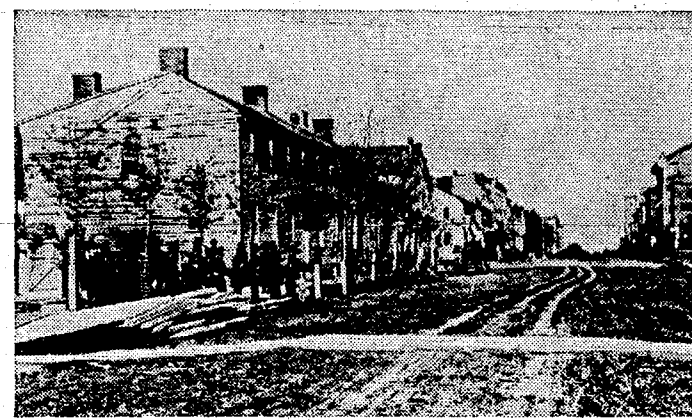
As he vaults over the railing, his spur catches in an American flag which drapes the front of the box. He drops heavily to the stage with one leg doubled under him, then scrambles to his feet. With blood streaming from his wounded arms, Rathbone rushes to the front of the box.

"Stop that man! Stop him!" he shouts. "The President has been shot!"

But everyone is too stunned to move for a moment. The young man, waving aloft the bloody knife, drags himself across the stage and disappears in the wings. But before he does so, the startled actors recognize in the white face and the black eyes blazing with fanatical hatred the familiar features of one of their own profession—John Wilkes Booth.

All this has taken place in less time than it takes to tell it. The next moment Ford's theater is a pandemonium of screaming women and shouting men, shoving, pushing, breaking chairs, crashing through railings and trampling upon each other as they surge toward the stage or try to climb up to the box where the moaning Mrs. Lincoln is supporting her stricken husband and Major Rathbone is trying vainly to open the door which the assassin had barred from the inside.

Now the soldiers of the President's guard come bursting into the theater and with fixed bayonets and drawn pistols they charge the milling crowd. Their hoarse shouts of "Clear out! Clear out, you sons of hell!" rise above the tumult as they



IN SPRINGFIELD—Outside the old Globe tavern, where Abraham Lincoln and Mary Todd spent their honeymoon, members of the martyred President's cabinet and other dignitaries awaited the arrival of the funeral train in Lincoln's home town.

drive the half-crazed audience out of the theater.

Meanwhile Rathbone has succeeded in unbarring the door to the box and several people, among them a surgeon, rush in. They see the tall form of the President slumped forward in his chair, his sad eyes closed, never to open again. Someone brings a shutter, torn from a building near by, and they lay his gaunt form upon it. They carry him out of the theater to the house of Charles Peterson across the street.

Ford's theater is empty, deserted now. Its curtain has been run down upon the comedy, "Our American Cousin"—and upon one of the greatest tragedies in American history.

### Death at 7:22 A. M.

The next morning Washington newspapers carried this story:

"The body of President Lincoln, who died from an assassin's bullet at 7:22 o'clock this morning, was removed from the Peterson residence opposite Ford's theater to the executive mansion in a hearse and wrapped in the American flag. It was escorted by a small squad of cavalry and by Gen. Augur and other military officials on foot. A dense crowd accompanied the remains to the White House, where a military guard excluded the people, allowing none but persons of the household and personal friends of the deceased to enter. Gen. Grant arrived here at 2 o'clock in a special train from Philadelphia. His presence tends somewhat to allay the excitement. The last lines penned by Mr. Lincoln were written on a card about 8:15 p. m., while seated in his carriage in front of the White House just before he started for the theater. They were addressed to the Hon. George Ashmun and were as follows: 'Allow Mr. Sherman and friends to come to me at 9 a. m. tomorrow.'

"A. Lincoln."

Leaf through the pages of James G. Blaine's "Twenty Years in Congress," published in 1886, and read there this description of the events which followed:

"The remains of the late President lay in state at the executive mansion for four days. The entire city seemed as a house of mourning. The martial music which had been resounding in glad celebration of the national triumph had ceased; public edifice and private mansion were alike draped with the insignia of grief.

"Funeral services, conducted by the leading clergymen of the city, were held in the east room on Wednesday, the 19th of April. Amid the solemn tolling of church bells, and the still more solemn thundering of minute guns from the vast line of fortifications which had protected Washington, the body, escorted by

an imposing military and civic procession, was transferred to the rotunda of the Capitol.

"The day was observed throughout the Union as one of fasting and prayer. Services in the churches throughout the land were held in unison with the services at the executive mansion, and were everywhere attended with exhibition of profound personal grief.

### The South in Sorrow.

"In all the cities of Canada business was suspended, public meetings of condolence with a kindred people were held, and prayers were read in the churches.

"Throughout the Confederate states, where war had ceased but peace had not yet come, the people joined in significant expressions of sorrow over the death of him whose very name they had been taught to execrate.

"Early in the morning of the 21st the body was removed from the capitol and placed on the funeral car which was to transport it to its final resting place in Illinois. The remains of a little son who had died three years before were taken from their burial place in Georgetown and borne with those of his father for final sepulture in the stately mausoleum which the public mind had already decreed to the illustrious martyr. The train which moved from the national capital was attended on its course by extraordinary manifestations of grief on the part of the people."

As for the story of that sorrowful journey westward, no one has ever told it better than Carl Sandburg, poet and Lincoln biographer. The closing words of his masterpiece, "Abraham Lincoln: The War Years," (published this year by Harcourt, Brace and company)—words whose stark simplicity remind one of such writings as the Gettysburg Address—are these:

"There was a funeral.  
It took long to pass its many given points.

"Many millions of people saw it.  
"The line of march ran seventeen hundred miles.

"Yes, there was a funeral.  
"From his White House in Washington—where it began—they carried his coffin, and followed it nights and days for twelve days.

"Bells tolling, bells sobbing the requiem, the salute guns, cannon rumbling their inarticulate thunder.

"To Springfield, Illinois, the old home town, the Sangamon nearby, the New Salem hilltop nearby, for the final rest of the cherished dust.  
"And the night came with great quiet.

"And there was rest.  
"The prairie years, the war years, were over."

## IMPROVED UNIFORM INTERNATIONAL SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

By HAROLD L. LUNDQUIST, D. D.  
Dean of The Moody Bible Institute  
of Chicago.  
(Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

### Lesson for April 14

Lesson subjects and Scripture texts selected and copyrighted by International Council of Religious Education; used by permission.

#### HOSEA TELLS OF GOD'S FORGIVING LOVE

LESSON TEXT—Hosea 6:1-7; 14:4-9.  
GOLDEN TEXT—If we confess our sins, he is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness.—1 John 1:9.

God loves sinners! This is the message of the Bible. God hates sin, but He loves sinners and is eager that they should repent and receive His forgiveness. God even loves the backslider, the one who has been in fellowship with Him, tasted the joys of the eternal promised land and then turned back to the feshpots of the world. This is the special message of the book of Hosea, for he deals with a backsliding and rebellious Israel, so determined to turn against God's love that they are described in 11:7 (R. V.) as being "bent on backsliding."

Israel failed to heed God's warning, did not respond to His loving call, and went on to judgment. May none of us be so foolish and stubborn. God is now calling sinners in love and compassion, doing everything in His power to lead them to repentance and spiritual healing. "Today, if ye will hear his voice, harden not your hearts" (Ps. 95:7, 8).

#### I. God Calling Sinners (6:1, 2).

The great loving heart of God longs after wayward men. Though they have in deliberate unbelief turned from Him, yet He sends His messenger to bring them His gracious invitation. No more beautiful word can be spoken than "Come." It speaks of an open door, of a forgiving spirit, of a desire for renewed fellowship.

Come, O sinner, and meet the Saviour. He it is who by both life and death has revealed the fullness of God's love to you. In Him you will find entrance into eternal life and joy. He says, "I am the door, by me if any man enter in he shall be saved" (John 10:9).

Observe also the word "return." The invitation from God is not only to those who have never known Him, but also to the backslider. How many miserably unhappy backslidden Christians there are in the world! Friend, if you are one of them, this invitation is especially for you!

#### II. God's Dealings With Sinners (6:3-7).

Our Lord is both compassionate and faithful in His dealings with sinners. He will win them with love and tenderness if they permit Him to do so, but if necessary He can also use the rod of punishment or the storm of unpleasant circumstances to drive them to Him. Remember that both the tenderness and the severity of God are expressions of His love.

With Israel God wanted to come as the gentle, reviving rain from heaven (v. 3), but because of their unrepentant attitude (v. 4) He had to come forth as One who hews down and destroys (v. 5). Even in thus breaking down and destroying He is only preparing to rebuild. As the surgeon must first hurt in order to heal, God must sometimes cut deeply in order to remove the blight of sin.

These lines will probably be read by many who have wondered at the dealings of God with them. Perhaps they have been inclined to condemn Him as being unkind or severe. Let them be assured that God is love and that back of all of His dealings with men there is His tender purpose to bring them unto Himself for salvation or for blessing.

#### III. God Healing Sinners (14:4-9).

When sinners come to Him with words of repentance (14:1) God is ready to meet them and to heal all of their sins and backslidings. Observe that not only will He heal their past sins, but will cause their present position to be such that He may "love them freely" (v. 4), and then their future will be one of great glory. God is infinitely gracious and pours out His love without measure upon the sinner who returns to Him.

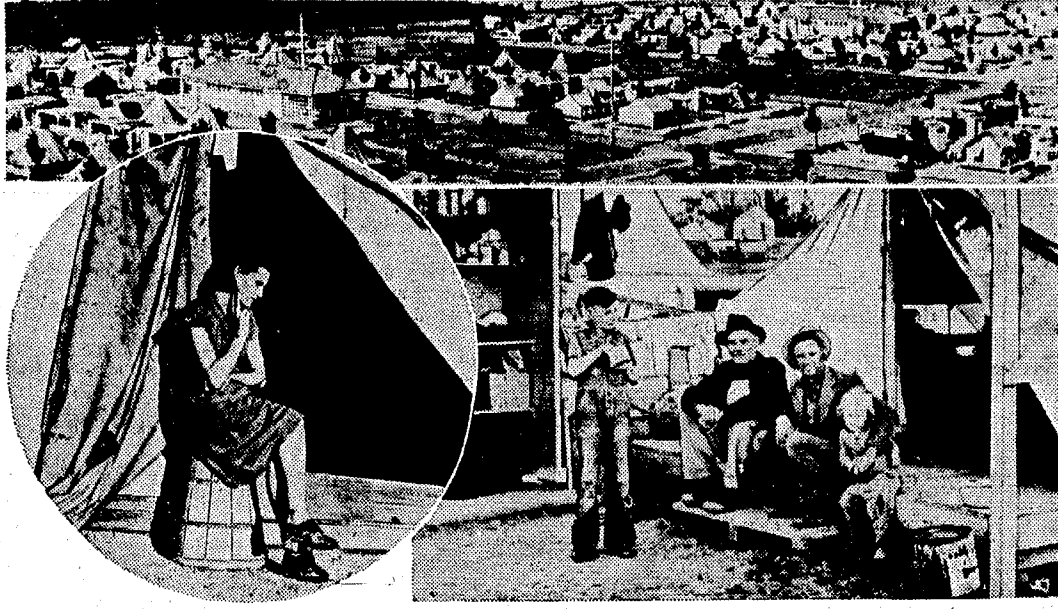
Verses 5 to 8 give a beautiful picture of God's blessings on the life of the regenerated man. The lily (v. 5) speaks of stately royal beauty. Lebanon (v. 6) is strength and stability, even as the great cedars of Lebanon were treasured for their strength. The spreading branches (v. 6) tell of expansion and growth. The olive tree (v. 8), the corn and the vine (v. 7), all speak of fruitfulness and usefulness. The smell of Lebanon (v. 8) is the smell of cedar and bespeaks a life so fragrant that it spreads around it the "sweet savor of Christ" (II Cor. 2:15). The evergreen fir tree (v. 8) speaks of constant freshness and beauty.

God has all these things in mind for every Christian, that is, for every sinner who will repent and turn to Him through Christ, and for every backslider who will return to Him today.

Walk in Love  
Walk in love, as Christ also hath loved us.—Ephesians 5:2.



## Portable Camps Follow Nation's Migratory Workers



Health and living conditions of some 350,000 migrant workers have been improved by government-established portable camps which follow laborers through California, Oregon, Idaho, Washington and other states. A typical portable camp, above, located now in California, has about 200 tent platforms which are hauled by truck. It also has a first-aid and children's clinic built into a trailer, and a trailer which contains 24 shower baths. There are six of these portable camps in existence. Each camp has a trained nurse and complete sanitary facilities. Camp affairs are handled by a camp council, elected by camp residents. The Farm Security administration also has established 26 permanent camps which take care of 7,000 migrant families. Lower left: A young migrant mother in the door of her "home." Lower right: Cupboard and tent platform, standard equipment of mobile camps.

## Tommies Do Their Bit to Relieve French Agriculture



With so many men of the French peasantry at the front, a general shortage of labor has resulted on the farms of France. With a view toward alleviating the plight of their allies, these British soldiers lend a hand. The women of the farms know what is to be done and under their directions the Tommies, armed with pitchforks, attack their new agricultural jobs.

### Royal Artillery Tunes Up for Action



Both men and guns become rusty through inactivity, according to the British censor, so the royal artillery keeps tuned up by regular gunnery practice while awaiting action on France's western front. This crew is at loading exercises in a camouflaged gun pit, somewhere in the forward zone.

### Candidate Dewey Addresses Chicagoans



Thomas E. Dewey, racket-busting New York district attorney and candidate for the Republican presidential nomination, as he addressed a G. O. P. mass meeting in Chicago recently. It was the second speech of Dewey's current midwest invasion. He charged that corrupt practices existed in the administration of relief.

### Winning Form



Mrs. Floretta D. McCutcheon, 52, world's champion woman bowler, demonstrates her winning form in New York city alleys. She has rolled 10 perfect "300" games since she took up the sport at the age of 35.

### A King at Play



King Ananda Mahidol of Thailand (Siam) romps with his mother and a toy rabbit at Lausanne, Switzerland, where the young king attends school. A council of regents rules Thailand during his minority.

## Bruckart's Washington Digest

# Government Ownership of Land Creates Serious Taxing Problem

Revenue Formerly Collected From Private Property Now Unavailable to Local Units Because of Extensive Federal Holdings.

By WILLIAM BRUCKART  
WNU Service, National Press Bldg.,  
Washington, D. C.

WASHINGTON. — Through some six weeks, the house committee on military affairs has been holding hearings on a question that is vital to the entire nation, but yet it has attracted little attention outside of the areas directly concerned. The problem is one of taxes which six southern states are not collecting. That is, taxes which they used to collect from private property but are not available to those states now because the federal government has taken over the property.

To be more specific, these taxes once were a fine source of revenue for running the state and county and city governments and the schools and the policing and the building of highways and such like in the states of Alabama, Tennessee, Kentucky, North Carolina, Mississippi and Georgia. But along came the idealism of Sen. George Norris of Nebraska, who wanted the government to drive out all private ownership of electric power, and along came TVA, the Tennessee Valley authority that has grown like stomach ulcers within the economic body of the southland. When it came, it took over millions upon millions of dollars of property that had been taxed by the state and local governments. So, after some seven or eight years, the governments of those states and cities and counties want money with which to pay the cost of legitimate government.

The original TVA laws provided that this gigantic government-owned octopus should contribute to those state governments—certain sums in lieu of taxes, but this was directed only in the case of Tennessee and Alabama. The others were not mentioned. Those states were to receive 5 per cent of the gross proceeds of the sale of power by TVA. As stated, the money was to be paid to the state governments, alone. Nothing was said about the counties or the cities or smaller towns that must have tax revenue upon which to live.

### Operation of TVA Program Would Set Basic Power Rates

But the omission of the counties in Alabama and Tennessee was only one phase of the trouble that was to come. You see, the TVA boys and the dreams of the government-ownership crowd wanted to expand the functions and the capacity and the scope of TVA. It was to be, in the words of President Roosevelt, a great yardstick by which the country was to be able to measure the cost of electric power. From the TVA were to come basic rates by which you and I were to know whether private electric companies were charging you and me and the rest of us too much for lighting our homes, etc.

So, it was only natural that the TVA and its backers soon were promoting something bigger and better in the way of its operations. Like some dread disease, the pressure of TVA on privately owned power companies became too heavy to bear, and they were swallowed up. In one gulp, for instance, the government-owned TVA took over the vast properties of the Tennessee Electric Power company for \$100,000,000. I understand that TVA got quite a bargain, but the sale of the property to TVA was no bargain for the taxpayers in the areas it served and, moreover, it was a terrible blow to the state and county and city governments in those regions. They had been receiving vast sums each year as taxes on these properties. In one scratch of a pen, the TVA almost put the local governments on relief, for all of the millions of taxable property became non-taxable when the federal agency—the TVA—took title to the property.

The government ownership crowd which is driving hard now for government ownership of a lot of other things were as happy as a kid with a new toy train. But like that same youngster, they did not stop to figure out just where their train was going. Certainly, the honeyed-words of the TVA promoters in the southland did not disclose to the taxpayers of those areas what the deal was going to cost them, ultimately.

### Taxable Property Reduced In Areas Served by TVA

It took several years of operation, actual practical experience, for those taxpayers and the officials of

their state and county and city governments to get hold of the horrible facts that are now being faced—the same facts that have brought scores of officials and others before the house committee on military affairs, seeking relief.

The cold facts are that scores of those counties in the six states mentioned have had their taxable property so reduced in quantity by the continued expansion of TVA that they are almost undergoing tax starvation. The committee record is replete with testimony showing tax rate increases in almost every area served by TVA, and evidence of expectation of further tax increases. It is a simple statement, in most instances. The witnesses—governors, county judges, mayors, spokesmen for groups of citizens—told almost identical stories. TVA had taken over so much taxable property that there was nothing left to tax for use of those local governments. The governments had to have running expenses. Thus, the tax rates were increased.

Members of the committee on military affairs are quite well aware of the job that confronts them in trying to write legislation that will solve the tax problem for the various areas. The states want the money paid to them; the counties want a share paid direct to them, and the cities are squealing, too.

But there is much more to the problem than just the TVA area. You see, the government ownership gang has fought for and brought about construction of scores of other publicly owned dams and power projects. On the West coast, in the inter-mountain area, in Nebraska, where Senator Norris lives, in the eastern and southern sections—exactly the same tax problem—confronts those taxpayers or will come up to haunt them, soon. Whatever the committee does, it is presenting to the house of representatives a precedent-making legislative proposal. No one can envision its far-reaching possibilities.

### Legislation Will Provide Compensation for Tax Losses

There will be a bill of some kind, undoubtedly, that will provide that TVA pay more money to the regions where it operates. They ought to have it. But the thing that makes my blood boil is that the people of those areas have been lied to and propagandized so thoroughly that they were not able to understand how a scheming group was selling them down the river. That is, they did not see it until too late.

Right now, they are in the position where they cannot run their own affairs. They must come to congress and beg on bended knee for help which they ought to be able to give themselves from their own resources which are their own no longer. They have surrendered again to the federal government which, in the nature of things, is very difficult for them to reach for expression of their needs and an explanation of their own wishes.

There was included in the committee a set of figures which I am going to list here. The figures show that 441 of the principal, privately owned power and light companies paid \$317,742,200 in taxes in 1939. This tax, the record showed, amounted to 15.5 per cent of the total revenue of those companies.

Here are the amounts, by states, that these companies paid: Maine, \$2,189,000; New Hampshire, \$2,484,300; Vermont, \$1,226,500; Massachusetts, \$1,017,400; Rhode Island, \$1,824,200; Connecticut, \$5,324,000; New York, \$61,996,900; New Jersey, \$17,494,900; Pennsylvania, \$25,002,100; Ohio, \$16,960,200; Indiana, \$7,988,100; Illinois, \$28,422,000; Michigan, \$10,624,000; Wisconsin, \$8,817,000; Minnesota, \$4,904,700; Iowa, \$1,892,900; Missouri, \$5,859,900; North Dakota, \$721,400; South Dakota, \$509,500; Nebraska, \$1,731,600; Kansas, \$1,862,700; Delaware, Maryland and District of Columbia, \$7,120,500; Virginia, \$3,152,200; West Virginia, \$4,294,200; North and South Carolina, \$8,971,000; Georgia, \$2,392,800; Florida, \$2,461,000; Kentucky, \$3,093,200; Tennessee, \$4,374,400; Alabama, \$3,734,800; Mississippi, \$1,212,600; Arkansas, \$1,353,500; Louisiana, \$3,657,300; Oklahoma, \$3,311,000; Texas, \$8,237,300; Montana, \$2,009,900; Idaho and Utah, \$3,383,500; Wyoming, \$263,100; Colorado, \$2,419,300; New Mexico, \$154,800; Arizona, \$673,300; Nevada, \$285,200; Washington, \$3,850,900; Oregon, \$3,443,800; California, \$21,134,000.

Study of these tax payments (and they do not represent all of the privately owned companies that are paying taxes) ought to show even the most stupid person that gradual expansion of government ownership means the slow but sure destruction of another source of funds for paying the cost of government. And this slow destruction is taking place at a time when every government unit from the small village to the state and federal governments are in debt up to their necks and the taxpayers are being bled white by current taxation methods.

## Things to make

WE OFFER here two new cut-outs. Practical as well as decorative features are incorporated in the duck; decorative-ness alone is the purpose of the sunbonnet girl. These designs, of course, are to be traced on wall-board, plywood or thin lumber. Jig, coping or keyhole saw may



be used to cut them out, and when painted they become attractive ornaments for your lawn.

Outlines for the 19-inch duck and his "Keep Off Grass" sign are on pattern Z9086, 15 cents. A "Use Walk" sign is also given. In about 24-inch size, the ever-popular sunbonnet girl and her sprinkling can are on pattern Z9088, 15 cents.

Select one or both of these clever cutout figures. General cutout directions, as well as specific painting suggestions come with each pattern. Send order to:

AUNT MARTHA  
Box 166-W Kansas City, Mo.  
Enclose 15 cents for each pattern desired. Pattern No. ....  
Name .....  
Address .....

## Strange Facts

The "Soul Window"  
Who's a Hog?  
Army Aboard!

In Switzerland, the bedrooms of many houses still contain a "soul window" or a miniature window near the ceiling, which is supposed to serve as a special exit for the soul at the time of death.

Unlike such animals as dogs, monkeys and horses, hogs do not overeat when having access to large quantities of food.

The largest number of persons ever carried on a ship were the 14,426 American army officers, men, nurses and crew members who arrived in New York from Brest on April 2, 1919, aboard the Leviathan. On the trip 320 cooks working in three eight-hour shifts managed to prepare only two meals a day.—Collier's.

## AWFUL CASE of ugly surface PIMPLES

We want to help!  
No matter what you've tried for disfiguring surface pimples and blemishes without success—here's an amazingly successful Doctor's formula—powerfully soothing Zemo—which quickly relieves intense itching and starts right in to help nature promote FAST healing. Results from few days' use of Zemo should thrill you! Praised from coast to coast. So clean, dainty yet so EFFECTIVE. Liquid or Ointment form. Used in best homes yet costs only 35¢, 60¢, \$1.

Do It Well  
The talent of success is nothing more than doing what you can do well, and doing well whatever you do, without a thought of fame.—Longfellow.

**"Black Leaf 40" Kills Many Insects**  
ON FLOWERS • FRUITS VEGETABLES & SHRUBS  
Demand original sealed bottles, from your dealer  
4051

**MODERNIZE**  
Whether you're planning a party or remodeling a room you should follow the advertisements...to learn what's new...and cheaper...and better. And the place to find out about new things is right here in this newspaper. Its columns are filled with important messages which you should read regularly.



**Charlevoix County Herald**  
C. A. LISK, Editor and Publisher.

Entered at the Postoffice at East Jordan, Michigan, as second class mail matter.

**NATIONAL EDITORIAL ASSOCIATION**  
1940 Active Member

**ADVERTISING RATE**  
Readers in Local Happenings column:  
Three lines or less ..... 30c  
Over three lines, per line ..... 10c  
Display Rates on Request

All suppers, entertainments and other meetings, which are held to raise money to promote some special interest, will be charged for at our regular rates, unless accompanied by advertising or job work.

**TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION**  
(Payable in Advance)  
One Year ..... \$1.50  
Six Months ..... .75  
Three Months ..... .50  
(Anywhere in the United States)  
Canada ..... \$2.00 per year.

**MAKE YOUR FOR SALE SIGN WORK, NOT SHIRK PUT IT HERE, IN THE WANT ADS**

First Insertion ..... 25c  
Over 25 words, per word ..... 1c  
Subsequent Insertions  
(If ordered with first insertion)  
25 words or less ..... 15c  
Over 25 words, per word ..... 1/2c  
10c extra per insertion if charged.

**HELP WANTED**

**HELP WANTED** — Men to cut and peel Poplar Bolts. Will pay \$2.50 per cord. Pay day every two weeks. FRANK REBECK, R. 4, on M-32, East Jordan. 15x3

**AGENT WANTED** — Experienced Salesman to sell fast selling Super (all purpose) paint Cleaner. Must have car. Excellent profit for agent. Must have enough cash for initial stock. House to house. Exclusive territory. — WRITE BOX 95, Traverse City, Michigan. 14-2

**WANTED**

**WANTED** — To buy on contract six room house, or larger, conveniently located for Beauty Shop and home in East Jordan. — ERNEST PREMOR, P. O. Box 171, Holt, Michigan. 13x6

**FOR SALE — MISCELLANEOUS**

**FOR SALE** — One used Kalamazoo Range — not too good — not much money — E. H. CLARK. 15-1

**FOR RENT** — Two room, furnished Apartment. VIOLET BUSTARD Phone 247-F2 15x2

**FOR SALE** — Two-way Riding Plow in good condition. A. J. WELDY, near German Settlement. 15x2

**FOR SALE** — New Furnished Cabin and Lot on Lake Charlevoix. LEO. LA LONDE, Phone 68, East Jordan. 13-3

**FOR SALE** — 2-room Furnished Cabin, Screened in Porch, good location, ART SEYMOUR, Phone 98, East Jordan. 15-1

**FOR SALE** — Alfalfa Hay — baled in No. 1 condition. First and second cuttings. WILLIAM ZITKA, R. 2, East Jordan. 15x2

**FOR SALE** — Grimm Alfalfa Seed. Loose Alfalfa Hay — first cutting. HESTON SHEPARD, phone 129-F2, R. 2, East Jordan. 15x2

**HAY FOR SALE** — Loose, first and second cuttings of Alfalfa. MRS. DAN SWANSON, phone 162-F21, R. 2, East Jordan. 14x2

**FOR SALE** or will trade for Cattle — Sorrel Mare, wt. approximate 1300. LEO. LA LONDE, phone 68, 410 Main St. East Jordan. 14-2

**FOR SALE** — Fordson Tractor in first-class condition, spade lugs. Will sell for \$85.00. M. J. WILLIAMS, R. 4, East Jordan. 14x1

**FOR SALE** — Or exchange for good medium size house. 40 acre Farm, Good Buildings, good Soil, good Road. N. A. HARPER, Charlevoix, Mich. 14x2

**FOR SALE** — Best Beer Garden in Charlevoix County in good location. If anyone has a house or farm for sale or exchange see ART SEYMOUR or phone 98. 15x1

**500 USED TIRES** — Like New. All standard makes; all sizes; guaranteed 90 days — \$2.75 to \$3.50. 500 cans of Paint; Batteries, Generators, Fuel Pumps (exchange). Mufflers for all makes of cars. BOYNE CITY AUTO PARTS, 210 Water St. Phone 23. 13-t.f.

**FOR SALE** — Baby Chicks every week until July. Free range Northern bred. Blood tested. Sexed and started chicks. From Northern Michigan's oldest Hatchery, Mammoth Wishbone and Jamesway incubators. Custom Hatching, chicken, turkey and duck eggs. — CHERRYVALE HATCHERY, Phone 166-F2. 12-t.f.

**Garden Gossip**

Edited by Caroline Harrington

Letters and questions on garden topics will be welcome. They will be published and discussed in this column.

Dear Mrs. Harrington:

You should see our display of birds' nests! We have 28 mounted, and most of them identified. We used your "Key to the Nests of the Common Summer Resident Birds of Northern North America," by Dr. A. A. Allen.

When we mounted the nests we wrote how we could tell what kind of birds made them. We have:—

3 Oriole nests, — 2 country and 1 town.

4 Vireo nests, all different. Vireo nests are fully suspended, but are much smaller than oriole nests and are firmer.

2 Goldfinch nests. They are lined with thistle-down, are built in the vertical fork of a small tree or bush, and are higher than wide. The top of the nest is oval.

1 Yellow Warbler nest. We had two nests, but we gave one to a first-grade teacher to take to her class in Pontiac. It is hard to tell a yellow warbler's from a goldfinch's nest, but the warbler doesn't use thistle-down, and its nest is a little wider. It also is in a vertical fork.

1 Rose-breasted Grosbeak nest. It is so flimsy we don't see how it can hold any eggs, and there is no lining to make the babies comfortable. We think grosbeaks must be very careless parents.

1 Hummingbird nest. That is cute. It is very tiny, made of cottony material, felted together, covered with lichens from the maple tree, and held together with cobwebs and spit. There were two eggs, about the size of a pea bean. When the babies were about as big as bumble-bees they flew away.

1 Song-sparrow nest which we found in the top of a lilac bush. It is quite hard to be sure what kind of a sparrow builds each nest. We have two other nests we think were made by field and chipping sparrows. They are made of tiny roots and some have horse hair lining.

1 Kingbird's nest. Thick, well-formed, but very shallow.

1 Yellow-breasted chat's nest. Mostly of grasses, rootlets, leaves, no hair lining, over 2 inches inside diameter.

1 Bronzed Grackle nest, much like a Robin's, built in an old barn, and over 4 inches inside diameter.

1 Phoebe nest. It took us a long time to identify it. It is covered with moss, and the description said with "an outer layer of mud." But the mud is in tiny balls. We know we have identified it correctly because we know now where there is another nest just like it, and the phoebes come back to it year after year.

**PRaise FOR THE PROGRAM COMMITTEE**

Detroit, Mich.

Dear Mrs. Harrington: It was a happy surprise to receive the East Jordan Garden Club Year book last week. The programs all sound most interesting, and I am sure I shall enjoy being a member.

Mrs. Ferris D. Stone  
Thank you, Mrs. Stone. The Program Committee will be pleased with your praise, and all of us look forward to the time when our out-of-town members can be with us.

3 Crude, rough nests, found in apple trees, made mostly of large quack grass roots, one with mud in the foundation, and lined with white chicken feathers. The description of a house sparrow's nest comes closest to these of any we can find. These nests are big and messy like the sparrow nests in barns, but nothing like chipping sparrow nests.

We have another nest we think belongs to a cedar waxwing. It is thick, well-formed, with some cottony material, about one and a half inches deep, but it doesn't have the "usual streamer of grass tops." It also fits the description of a least flycatcher's nest, but there is no snake skin woven in. Besides, we have 1 robin's nest, and a nest which we think may have been made by a catbird. Also we have a small nest made entirely of dried grass, and we don't know what kind it is.

We are going to take our nests to Bellaire for the Antrim County 4-H Achievement Day. Our Nature Club is a 4-H Club. We'd be glad to put it up somewhere in East Jordan if people want to see it.

Finkton Nature Club.

Your collection of birds' nests should attract a lot of attention at the Antrim County 4-H Achievement Day, and a lot of people here will want to see it. Too. I have spoken to Mrs. Pray who is chairman of the East Jordan Garden Club program committee, and she is enthusiastic about your generous offer to display it for us. She will write to you and arrange a date.

Your club has done a fine piece of work in identifying so many nests. Older and more experienced bird students than you young people of Finkton school find difficulty in accurately identifying nests. They are so carefully hidden that we seldom see them while they are in use, so all the evidence must be circumstantial.

Careful observation is necessary, but once you have learned and made a habit of careful observation, you have a tool as valuable as "common sense," and one that no one ever can take away from you. Folks who have cultivated the habit of careful observation know how important it is not to fool ourselves into thinking we have seen what we have not seen. Why do you suppose there is no thistle-down in the yellow warbler's nest? Do you really think the rosebeak a "careless parent?" I suspect a better reason for the flimsy nest. Is it the ground-nests that are made of root-lets? How tell the difference between town and country oriole nests? I know your observations have taught you the answers to these questions, and sometime I hope you will weave them together with more of your observation into another letter for Garden Gossip. This letter I am sending to Miss Margaret Gross of the Audubon Society. She knows and loves birds, and studies them all the time. It will please her that you are doing such splendid work with and for birds.

Your letter is "so full of a number of things" — makes me remember how cleverly the lichens are "planted" on the hummingbird's nest, how the kingbirds bravely chase the crows, how the wrens cannot make up their minds, how the orioles flash their wings in the sun! Keep on with your bird studies, and write often to Garden Gossip, please. Your work encourages me to think that I, too, may learn to more accurately identify birds' nests.

The tulips which we will display at our May Garden Club meetings are just beginning to thrust their spears up through the soil into the spring sunshine and storm.

The week of April 14th to 21st is "Know Michigan Week," — a week significant to us who live in Charlevoix County where the tourist industry is so important.

Garden Club meets at 2:30 p. m., Tuesday, April 16th, at the City Building. Supplementing the program, representatives of each committee will report, telling us what they hope to accomplish in the Garden Club this year.

Hostesses: Mrs. A. J. Hite; Mrs. Al. Rogers. Come and bring a guest. Each member is requested to answer roll call with a list of the vegetables she plans to raise this summer.

Did you notice that thin film of red dust left by yesterday's (April 4th) rainstorm? This is just another installment of top soil from the Dust Bowl, — and a reminder that we, too, have a soil erosion problem. You have only to ride out into the country to see the hills scored deep with gulleys which grow deeper and wider with every rain. The hills, denuded of trees are now about to give up every vestige of vegetation. Soon they will not grow even the present thin pasture for our cattle.

Next Week's Garden Gossip: Watch for a most interesting letter from Mrs. Asa Loveday about the Detroit Flower Show where she spent four hours.

**SOUTH ARM**

(Edited by Ruth Goebel)

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heileman and family called on Bert Mayhew Sunday p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Heileman and family called on Frank Trojanek Sunday p. m.

Miss Betty Moore and Gerald Moore were week end visitors of their grandmother, Mrs. Bell Wright.

Audrey Crawford spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Versal Crawford at East Jordan.

Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Hayes were dinner guests at the Arnold Smith home, recently.

Mrs. Charles Allen has been ill for the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Sloan spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Dunlap of Boyne City.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alm of East Jordan spent Sunday afternoon at the Gilkerson home.

**DELIGHTFUL SURPRISE PARTY**

Mrs. R. V. Liskum was completely and delightfully surprised by the members of the Finkton School (Button's Corners) Community last Friday evening. The people of the community have had a series of parties at the schoolhouse during the fall and winter months, the ladies having quilted four quilts while the young people played games and the men visited. Last Friday was to be the last party with no quilt to be made. What was Mrs. Liskum's surprise, to find, upon her arrival at the schoolhouse, that the lamps were lighted, the fire built, and a beautiful quilt on the quilting frames. On examining the quilt she found that many of the blocks were pieced from material of which her 4-H Club girls had made dresses under her leadership. Each block was embroidered with the name of the maker. The mothers, aunts and grandmothers had also made blocks enough to complete the quilt. About that time several people came out from hiding and said, "It's yours." The evening was spent in finishing the quilting and in playing circle games. Ice cream and cake were served. About fifty guests were present. Mrs. Liskum is leaving the Finkton School in the spring and will teach the Pleasant Valley (Churchill's Corners) School next year.

**PENINSULA**

(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

"Bob" Evert Jarman of Gravel Hill, south side, went to the University hospital, Ann Arbor, with Ralph Price, Wednesday, for a check up. He returned Thursday evening.

The Geo. Staley family of Stoney Ridge farm had for company last week, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Crowell of Dave Staley Hill, east side, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Loomis, Gravel Hill, north side Friday evening; Mrs. C. C. Mullett of Fremont, Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Stibbitts Sr. and Irvin Stibbitts Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stibbitts of Traverse City, Rev. C. W. Sidebotham and Mr. and Mrs. John P. Seiler of East Jordan, Sunday.

Howard and Herbert Gould of Wyandotte came up for the Smelt Run Saturday evening and visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Gould Sr. in Mountain Dist. They returned Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Looze and little daughter of Charlevoix (Mr. Looze is with the Life Guard) who visited Mrs. Looze's sister, Mrs. Charles Felt and family on the lake shore drive, Saturday night, called on Mr. Looze's brother, Perry Looze and family at Cherry Hill, Sunday afternoon.

Fred Wurn, who was confined to his bed by illness several days last week is better again and is now able to help with the milking, Mrs. Wurn is still improving.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Wurn and two children of Boyne City spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wurn in Star Dist.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Kitson of Three Bells Dist. and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Healey of Willow Brook farm attended the funeral of Leonard Dow in Boyne City, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Willfred Arnott and son Jack of Maple Lawn farm were Sunday dinner guests of his brother, Charles Arnott and family at Maple Lawn farm.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hitchcock of East Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. Aura Babcock and family and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forister of Roscommon called on the F. K. Hayden family at Pleasant View farm Sunday afternoon.

Miss Vernetta Faust of Three Bells Dist. will begin work for Mrs. Joe Leu near the Peninsula Grange Hall, Monday.

John Beyer of Petoskey spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Beyer in Chaddock Dist. and called on his sister, Mr. and Mrs. F. K. Hayden and family at Pleasant View farm Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Reich of Lone Ash farm had for Sunday dinner 11 of their 12 children. They were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Leshar and four children of Petoskey, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Platte and Mrs. Roy Johnson and little daughter of Lansing who were up for the smelt dip and Mr. and Mrs. John Reich and little daughter of Three Bells Dist. and A. G., Edna, Calvin, Pary, Luella and Elizabeth at home making twenty-one in all. The absent one was their oldest son, Daniel Reich and family of Detroit. The Lansing bunch pulled in at 3 a. m. Saturday and all attended the smelt dip. They plan to return to Lansing, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Crowell and family of Dave Staley Hill were Sunday dinner guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Gaunt in Three Bells Dist.

Walter Ross of Norwood spent Thursday night with the Alfred Crowell family at Dave Staley Hill, and Friday night with the Will Gaunt family in Three Bells Dist.

There was a very small turnout at the Star school house Sunday to hear Rev. C. W. Sidebotham's talk, but those who did hear it were well repaid.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Barber of Chestonia moved onto the Porter Cherry farm, Knoll Crest, last week, as did the new owners of the Elmer Faust place Mountain Ash farm, and the Spellenburger family on the Ernie Staley place in Mountain Dist.

Mrs. David Gaunt, who was confined to her bed part of last week by illness, is able to be up again.

Early pigs are rather making a record, Will Gaunt has eighteen in one litter last Thursday and Leo Beyer 16 in one litter the same day. Not to be outdone the turkey hens got a move on. Geo. Staley has got several eggs and Mrs. Will Gaunt got a turkey egg April 1.

Our snow banks are settling but Orchard Hill boasts of drifts three feet deep, yet. For the most part the roads are very good, but there are still some mud holes.

The Directors of the Community Club held their first annual meeting at the Center Thursday evening and transacted such business as came before it.

**PIKE WAS HUNGRY**

White Cloud — Rowland Hawley caught a two-pound pike that must have had a giant appetite. When he cleaned the fish, he found inside it 33 minnows. There were 20 blue gills, two wall-eyed pike, two black bass, and nine unidentified fish.

**Christ Evangelical Lutheran**

(German Settlement)  
V. Fölten — Pastor

2:30 p. m. — English Worship.  
Walter League meets every 1st and 3rd Thursday of the month.  
Ladies Aid meets every 2nd Thursday of the month.

**SOUTH WILSON**

(Edited by Miss Anna Brinthal)

Herman Schultz of Muskegon Hts. spent the fore part of the week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schultz of North Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Zoulek visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Zoulek of Echo, Sunday.

Mrs. Joseph Cihak called on Mrs. Peter Zoulek Monday forenoon.

Herman Schultz of Muskegon Hts. and Luther Brinthal and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spencer and family of Boyne City, Monday evening.

Miss Dorothy Haney, who is employed at Petoskey, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Haney.

Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Spencer and son Wm. Spencer, Jr. of Boyne City visited at Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Schultz' Sunday.

Leslie and Fred Haney Jr. left Monday for Lorain, Ohio, where they expect to sail the Great Lakes on the Str. Mataafa.

**Announcem't**

Having Recently Purchased the Matt's Shoe Shop in the Loveday Building, I solicit a continuation of the fine patronage given in the past.

**General Repairing**

**Wear-U-Well**

Mens' Ladies' Childrens' Shoes — Arctics Rubbers — Rubber Boots

**Harry B. Slate**

EAST JORDAN — MICH.

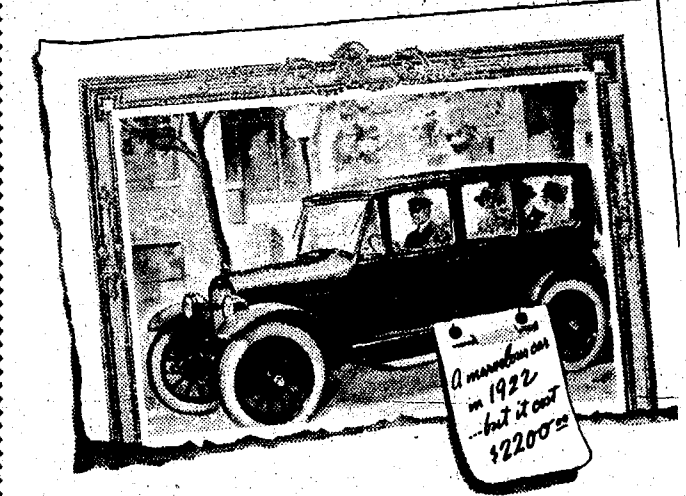
**WE DON'T MEET PRICES WE MAKE THEM!!**  
OURS IS KNOWN AS THE "STORE THAT WILL NOT BE UNDERSOLD." QUALITY GOODS TOO.

O'CEDAR FLOOR WAX Qt. with pt. free ..... 89c  
Pt. with 1/2 pt. free ..... 49c  
O'CEDAR DUST MOPS ..... 75c  
MAGIC GLASS CLEANER ..... 10c  
EXTRA LARGE CLOTHES RACK ..... \$1.70

**Roller Skates** Chicago and Union per pair **\$1.25**  
WE ALSO HAVE SKATE REPAIRS

**W. A. PORTER**

PLUMBING — HEATING — HARDWARE  
AGENCY FOR HOLLAND FURNACE CO.  
LET US ESTIMATE THAT JOB FOR YOU — NOW!  
MAIN STREET — EAST JORDAN — PHONE 19



... but what has this automobile to do with your ELECTRIC SERVICE?

FRANKLY, it has nothing to do with your electric service. We use it here to illustrate a point.

Automobiles were "rich man's toys" not so many years ago. They cost a lot of money and they cost a lot to run. They were gas-eaters and oil-eaters. The hills they could climb in high were few and far between. If you got them up to fifty miles an hour, the noise and vibration were terrific.

Today millions of American families can afford beautiful, powerful cars that outsmart, outshine and outperform the best models of the Twenties in every way, yet cost less than half as much.

This progress has not been confined to the automobile. Time was when electric service provided only your light. Today you can use more lights, a radio, refrigerator, vacuum cleaner, washing machine and other appliances, and the electricity to operate all of these costs very little more than you used to pay for light alone.

Like the automobile, your electric service improves steadily year after year. At the same time, its price comes down. This is possible because of the constant effort of the people of your electric company to improve service and reduce rates. It's an effort that goes on and on. Because of it, your electric service will be better and cheaper in the future than it is today. The credit belongs to a group of people who are never content to rest on their laurels, who strive to do their job just a little better today than they did it yesterday. They're the people of your electric company.

**MORE FOR YOUR MONEY**

In the last 10 to 15 years, the engineering improvements and operating economies of your electric company have made it possible to cut the average price of household electricity just about in half. Many customers now using more household appliances, lots of light, a radio and refrigerator pay very little more to operate all of these than they used to pay for light alone.

**MICHIGAN PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY**

# Local Happenings

Mrs. Ira Foote entered Ford hospital Detroit this week for observation.

Charles Dennis Jr., left Sunday for Stanton, where he has employment.

Mrs. Elizabeth Montroy of Detroit, is visiting relatives in Boyne City and East Jordan.

Rodney Rogers a student at the U. of M., is spending his spring vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rogers.

The Mary Martha Class will be entertained at the home of Mrs. Ira Bartlett Friday, April 19. Pot luck supper at 6:30.

Francis Bishaw, Leslie and Freddie Hanev left Monday, for Lorain, Ohio, Lakes this season on the Steamer, where they will sail on the Great Mataafa.

We buy direct from factory. That's why we sell fresh Paint for \$1.95 per gallon. We have also new Lumber, Paper-glass, Doors and Roofing. Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

C. E. Drain will furnish entertainment at the next Townsend meetings Monday night April 15th, at 8 o'clock, at the I. O. F. hall in East Jordan. Free will offering.

Mrs. C. H. Whittington returned home last Saturday, after spending the winter months with her son Fred and family in Cleveland, Ohio. She also visited her son Frank and family in Kalamazoo enroute home.

Mr. Ernest James Nichols and daughter Ernestine of Osawatimie, Kansas, and Reuben Nichols of Pueblo, Colorado, were here the fore part of the week visiting their mother and grandmother, Mrs. James Nichols and other relatives.

Mrs. Frank Rice of Iron Mountain, is guest of her brother, James St. Arno and family.

Marcella Muma a student at C. S. T. C. is spending her spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Muma.

East Jordan Garden Club meeting to be held at the City Building Tuesday, April 16. An interesting program is planned.

Miss Grace Mathews is spending the week from her teaching at Elk Rapids, with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. O. Mathews.

Harriet C. Smith is spending her spring vacation from her studies at W. S. T. C., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Conway.

3 Tractors \$25.00 up, 2 good Trucks, 5 Cars, good Plows \$7.50 and all kinds of Machinery and Seeds for sale on easy payments or trade. Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

Friday Circle of Presbyterian Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. M. F. Lewis on Friday April 12. Mrs. LeRoy Sherman and Mrs. E. Wade assistant hostesses. Members are reminded to bring favorite receipts.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Sherman accompanied their daughter Anna Jean to Alma Sunday, where she will resume her studies. Mrs. M. B. Palmist accompanied them and visited relatives in Clare and Saginaw.

Wm. Heath returned to his home in East Jordan last week end, after spending the winter months in Kalamazoo. Mr. and Mrs. John Baker and son Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Len Blaisdell accompanied him and spent the week end here.

## Seymour Burbank Passed Away, Thursday

Seymour Burbank passed away at his home on the West Side, Thursday morning. He had been ailing for some two years.

Funeral services will probably be held this Saturday afternoon at 2:00 o'clock from his late home. At this writing, arrangements have not been completed.

Mrs. Hollis Fruin of Battle Creek was guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cook last week.

Miss Irene Jorae of Mt. Pleasant, was week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rogers.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Bennett in Bowen's Addition was completely destroyed by fire Thursday morning.

Evelyn Collins is a surgical patient at Charlevoix hospital, having undergone an operation for appendicitis the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Montroy of Detroit, were week end guests of the former's brother, Joe Montroy also relatives in Boyne City.

The Phil Gotthro family moved into the house on William Street recently vacated by the Ed Nemecek family last Wednesday.

All kinds of new and used Furniture, Stoves, Rugs, etc., for sale on easy payments or trade. Special prices to newlyweds, Malpass Hdwe. Co. adv.

The Jay L. Campbell family left Wednesday for their home in Christopher Lake, Sask. After visiting relatives in East Jordan and other points in Michigan. Last Sunday a get together was held at the home of Mrs. Mildred Breakey and her mother Mrs. Campbell and the following guests were present:— Mr. and Mrs. J. Spaulding and son, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Brewer and son, of Summit City, Mrs. Flora Spaulding of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. George Ryan and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sheldon of Traverse City, Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Knight of Kingsley, Mr. and Mrs. George Campbell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Campbell and family of Fife Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Elliot of Auburn Heights.

**St. Joseph Church**  
East Jordan  
**St. John's Church**  
Bohemian Settlement  
Rev. Joseph J. Malinowski, Pastor  
Sunday, April 14, 1940.  
8:30 a. m. — Settlement.  
10:30 a. m. — East Jordan.

**Presbyterian Church**  
C. W. Sidebotham, Pastor  
C. R. Harper, Foreign Pastor  
"A Church for Folks."  
10:30 a. m. — Morning Worship.  
11:45 Sunday School.  
6:00 a. m. Young People to meet at church to take cars to go to union meeting at Charlevoix.  
6:30 p. m. — Open Forum.  
8:00 p. m. Adult Bible Class.

**First M. E. Church**  
Rev. J. C. Matthews, Pastor  
Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.  
Preaching — 11:15 a. m.  
Epworth League — 7:45 p. m.

**Full Gospel Church**  
Rev. Arden Ragsdale, Pastor  
Sunday School — 11 o'clock.  
Morning Worship — 12 o'clock.  
Evangelistic Service — 8 o'clock.  
Thursday — Prayer and Praise Service — 8 o'clock. Everyone welcome.

**Mennonite Brethren In Christ Church**  
Rev. H. L. Matteson, Pastor.  
The Church With A Gospel Message.  
Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship — 11:00 a. m.  
Evangelistic Service — 8:00 p. m.  
Mid-week Prayer Service, Thursday — 8:00 p. m.  
All are Welcome.

**REORGANIZED Latter Day Saints Church**  
C. H. McKinnon, Pastor  
10:00 a. m. — Church School.  
11:00 a. m. — Morning Service.  
7:30 p. m. — Evening Service.  
7:30 p. m., Wednesday Prayer Service.  
8:00 p. m., Thursday — Zion's League.

**Seventh-day Adventist**  
S. W. Hyde — Pastor  
Sabbath School — 10:30 a. m. Saturday.  
Church Service — 11:30 a. m. Saturday.

**Church of God**  
Rev. S. J. High — Pastor  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School.  
11:00 a. m. — Morning Worship.  
8:00 p. m. — Evening Worship.  
8:00 p. m. Thursday — Prayer meeting at the church.

Jack Bowman has been appointed to a position with the Conservation Dept. in the Upper Peninsula.

Elizabeth Penfold underwent an operation for appendicitis at Lockwood General hospital last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd VanStainburg of Flint, were visiting East Jordan friends and relatives last week end.

Miss Phoebe VanAllsburg of Muskegon Heights, was week end guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Porter.

Gilbert Joynt was week end guest of his sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Malone in Grand Rapids.

Howard (Bud) Porter Jr., is spending his vacation from his studies at U. of M. Ann Arbor, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Porter.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Stokes and son Roger of Jackson, were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth LaValley and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kube of Clare and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Russ of Battle Creek were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strehl, Wednesday.

Good Goodyear All Weather Tires, \$3.95 and lots of new and used Parts for Chevrolet and Ford A and V8 cars. We also trade cars or sell on easy payments. Malpass Hdwe. Co. ad

## ECHO

(Edited by Mrs. Denzil Wilson)

Rev. Scott Bartholomew came Monday to spend a few days with his wife, son and family at the Carroll Bartholomew home.

Denzil Wilson was a caller at Lyle Warner's and Archie Graham's Tuesday forenoon.

Elmer Murray was a business caller at Cadillac, Tuesday.

The Ladies Get-to-Gether Club of North Echo met Thursday with Mrs. Edwin Constantine. There were eleven members and two visitors present.

Evelyn Collins and "Pete" Peterson were Thursday morning callers at Reva Wilson's.

Mr. Drain of Chestonia worked for Elmer Murray Tuesday and Friday.

Carroll Bartholomew and family, also his mother were Sunday visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Murray's and family.

Peggy Woodcock of East Jordan spent Wednesday with Reva Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brace were Friday morning callers at Denzil Wilson's.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Jeffries of Charlevoix have been spending a few days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Derenzy and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Wilson and family spent Sunday at the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Richardson at Norwood.

Dora Derenzy has been confined to her home the past few days with the flu.

Jane Ellen Vance is spending her spring vacation from her studies at Mt. Pleasant with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Vance and family.

## MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage and the note accompanying the same dated January 3, 1939, made by Leslie R. Horn, a single man, of Detroit, Michigan, to the Utica Milling Company, a Corporation of Utica, Michigan, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds of Charlevoix County, Michigan, on January 5, 1939, in liber 77 of Mortgages, on page 495 and default having been made in the payments of the interest and taxes due on said mortgaged premises, and said default continuing and the whole sum unpaid and claimed to be due at the date of this notice for principal and interest, being the sum of Eight Hundred Two Dollars and fifty (\$802.50) cents, and no suits or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted for the recovery of the debt now remaining, secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof.

Now Therefore By virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by sale of the premises therein described at public auction to the highest bidder at the front door of the Charlevoix County Courthouse, in the City of Charlevoix, Charlevoix County, Michigan, on the eighth day of June, 1940, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and all legal costs. The said mortgage premises are situated in the township of Chandler, County of Charlevoix, State of Michigan, and are described as follows:

The Southeast Quarter of the Northeast Quarter (SE 1/4 NE 1/4) of Section Fourteen (14), Town Thirty-three (33) North, Range Four (4) West, containing forty acres more or less.

Dated this third day of March, 1940. The Utica Milling Company, a corporation, By Howard G. Crisman, Vice-President Mortgages.

Roy J. Crandell Attorney for Mortgagee Standish, Michigan, adv. 11-18

# NEED MONEY

for Planting a Crop?

Nature will raise weeds for you for nothing. But to raise a "money crop" costs money, and planting season sometimes finds even the most responsible farmers in need of ready cash. Every Spring such farmers look to us for cooperation in purchasing machinery, tools, seed, fertilizer, etc., and we are pleased to do our part. We shall be glad to have you talk over your needs with us.

## STATE BANK of EAST JORDAN

MEMBER FEDERAL DEPOSIT INSURANCE CORPORATION

There is No Substitute for Money in the Bank

## THE SHOW PLACE OF THE NORTH TEMPLE THEATRE EAST JORDAN

SATURDAY ONLY, APR. 13 Matinee 2:30 — 10c - 15c  
Eves 7:15 - 9 - 10c - 25c

### HOP-A-LONG CASSIDY RIDES AGAIN! THE SHOWDOWN

COMEDY — SCREEN VARIETY — LATEST NEWS  
SUNDAY — MONDAY Sun. Matinee 2:30 10c - 15c  
Eves 7 and 9:20 10c - 25c

### SPENCER TRACY — ROBERT YOUNG — WALTER BRENNAN NORTHWEST PASSAGE

IN LIVING TECHNICOLOR  
TUESDAY ONLY — FAMILY NITE — 2 for 25c  
SIDNEY TOLER — JEAN ROGERS

### Charley Chan In Panama

CORTOON COMEDY — DRUMS OF FU MANCHU  
WED. — THUR. — FRI. Apr. 17-18-19 Eves 7 and 9:20  
Adm. 10c - 25c

### JOHN STEINBECK'S DRAMATIC THUNDERBOLT The GRAPES of WRATH

WITH HENRY FONDA HEADING A NOTABLE CAST

TRY HERALD WANT ADS FOR RESULTS!

## MELLO-GLOSS WALL PAINT



### A RICH, SATINY WALL FINISH THAT SOAP AND WATER KEEPS BEAUTIFUL

It's easy to apply this semi-gloss wall paint to any wall surface. And what's more important, with LOWE BROTHERS MELLO-GLOSS you need not worry about keeping your walls free from spots, stains, and smudges. Ordinary soap and water restores the original beauty of MELLO-GLOSS' satiny lustre and quickly removes all stains—even ink. Come in today for information about your painting problem and ask us for new book, "Modern Color Styling for Your Home." Gives the latest ideas on color trends in a form that is practical and usable.



## W. A. PORTER

HARDWARE — PLUMBING — HEATING  
Phone 19 — East Jordan

Lowe Brothers  
QUALITY UNSURPASSED SINCE 1847

## C. W. Hipp's Specials

- Saturday - Monday  
APRIL 13th — 15th
- ARROW SHIRTS \$1.69
  - GIMBEL HATS — New Spring Styles \$2.95 - \$3.95
  - SUN VALLEY TIES, 55c value 3 for \$1.00
  - NEW BRADLEY SWEATERS \$2.95 & \$3.95
  - ROCKFORD SOX 12 pair for \$1.00
  - BIB OVERALLS, \$1.25 value 89c
  - MENS RUBBER BOOTS \$1.30 each
  - MENS OXFORDS, \$5.00 value \$3.95
  - WOLVERINE HORSE HIDE SHOES \$2.95 - \$3.95
  - LADIES ROLLINS HOSE 85c

SATURDAY AND MONDAY ONLY  
**C. W. HIPPI**  
Next Door to Postoffice — East Jordan

## Rexall Original APRIL 17 to 20

# ONE CENT SALE

4 BIG DAYS

TWO FOR THE PRICE OF ONE PLUS ONE CENT WEDNESDAY THURSDAY FRIDAY SATURDAY

MORE THAN 250 GREAT VALUES DURING THIS GREAT SALE  
Millions of thrifty shoppers are fast friends of this gigantic drug store merchandising event. We want more friends for this bigger, better sale. Watch for it! Attend it!  
BE HERE EARLY FOR VALUES THAT HAVE NO EQUAL

## GIDLEY & MAC DRUGGISTS — EAST JORDAN

THE DRUG STORE FOR LOWEST PRICES IN TOWN

Listen to Great ALL STAR RADIO SHOW \*\*\*  
Watch the newspapers—watch our windows for latest news on our big radio show—featuring Glen Gray and the Casa Loma Orchestra, Tony Martin, the 3 Rogues, and other top notch radio stars.



## Here's an Easy Way To Do Smocking

By RUTH WYETH SPEARS

A MOTHER writes: "I have enjoyed using the embroidery stitches in SEWING Book 2. I find a great deal of pleasure in handwork for the dresses of my little five-year-old, and am particularly interested in smocking."

Here is a trick that is useful for making honeycomb smocking in points without a special pattern. The fullness of any dress may be basted into tucks of graduated length, as at A. Even a little fullness in the center front or at the neckline may be smocked in one or two points. Always baste the center front tuck first



and then work each way from it. The smocking starts at the left and is done with colored thread. Begin at the top of the second tuck. Catch it to the tuck at the left with three stitches. Work from the top down along each tuck as shown. The stitch at B is made by sliding the needle along inside the tuck.

NOTE: If you like to do handwork you will want a copy of Mrs. Spears' Book 2. It contains directions for making 42 embroidery stitches with their authentic names. Also illustrations of five processes of mending fabrics; making doll clothes, and gift items. Books are 10 cents each—please order by number—No. 1, 2, 3 and 4. Each book contains an assortment of 32-pages of curtains; slip covers; rag rugs; toys; gifts and novelties for bazaars. With your order for four booklets you will receive a FREE set of three Quilt Block patterns of Mrs. Spears' Favorite Early American Quilts. Send orders to:

MRS. RUTH WYETH SPEARS  
Drawer 10  
Bedford Hills, New York  
Enclose 10 cents for one book, or 40 cents for four books and set of quilt block patterns.  
Name .....  
Address .....

## Making Amends Was Bit Out of Paperhanger's Line

Whitley was having some decorating done, including the re-papering of the dining-room and the bath-room. His wife was away, so he left the men on the job when he went to business.

When he returned they were just finishing. But there had been some mistake. The dining-room paper was in the bath-room, while the dining-room showed an elegant design in green tiles and purple water-lilies.

"What are you going to do about it?" demanded the angry householder, when he'd pointed out the mistake.

"I dunno," said the paperhanger, scratching his head. "I'd willingly move the bath—but it's a plumber's job."

## OLD FOLKS

Here is Amazing Relief of Conditions Due to Sluggish Bowels  
**Nature's Remedy**  
If you think all laxatives are alike, just try this. So mild, thorough, refreshing, invigorating. Dependable relief from sick headaches, bilious spells, tired feeling when arising, constipation. Get a 25c box of N.R. from your drugist. Make the test—then if not delighted, return the box to us. We will refund the purchase price. That's fair. Get N.R. Tablets today.  
**NO TO-NIGHT**

WNU—O 15—40

Driving Force  
Nothing great was ever achieved without enthusiasm.—Emerson.

Today's popularity of Doan's Pills, after many years of world-wide use, surely must be accepted as evidence of their satisfactory use. And favorable public opinion supports that of the able physicians who test the value of Doan's under exacting laboratory conditions.

These physicians, too, approve every word of advertising you read, the objective of which is only to recommend Doan's Pills as a good diuretic treatment for disorder of the kidney function and for relief of the pain and worry it causes. If more people were aware of how the kidneys must constantly remove waste that cannot stay in the blood without injury to health, there would be better understanding of why the whole body suffers when kidneys lag, and diuretic medication would be more often employed. Burning, scanty or too frequent urination sometimes warn of disturbed kidney function. You may suffer nagging backache, persistent headache, attacks of dizziness, getting up nights, swelling, pinpoints under the eyes—feet weak, nervous, all played out.

Use Doan's Pills. It is better to rely on a medicine that has won world-wide acclaim than on something less favorably known. Ask your neighbor!

DOAN'S PILLS

# EAST AND WEST

BY TALBOT MUNDY

TALBOT MUNDY—WNU SERVICE

## CHAPTER IX—Continued

Norwood thought a minute. "If Rundhia should be planning a coup of some kind, don't you think he'd be cunning enough to kick up a smoke screen?"

"Rundhia is more impetuous than cunning," the Resident answered. "Norwood thought again, scowling, for half a minute. Then:

"D'you think he's sufficiently impetuous to try to kill several birds with one stone?"

"He might be. He's an impatient fellow—not at all good at waiting for what he makes up his mind that he wants."

"If he could prejudice the case against the priests, by accusing them of having bribed me. And if he could break me for taking a bribe. And break you for knowing about it but doing nothing—there would be a scandal that might distract attention from whatever else he might be doing at the moment."

"I concede that," said the Resident. "But if I report you as charged with having accepted a bribe, can you disprove it? If you could identify the Brahmin who, you say, put those diamonds into your pocket without your knowledge, he would say on the witness stand that you had demanded a bribe, and that he saw some unknown person hand it to you. How can you prove you didn't know those diamonds were in your pocket? Can you?"

"No," said Norwood. "Stay away from the palace. Better wait until Rundhia makes the first move."

"You don't believe in taking bulls by the horns?"

"Norwood, I had a premonition the moment you arrived, that that red hair of yours would set fire to things. We're in a fine mess. It's either you or Rundhia. It breaks you, if he can make his accusations good. Witnesses come cheap in Kadur. He could hire them by the dozen. But if he fails to make it good, I think I can guarantee you it shall break him."

"Hardly fair to me, is it, to compel me to sit still and be shot at?"

"What do you suggest?"

"First, I'll write that statement. Then I'd like to have a talk with Miss Lynn Harding."

## CHAPTER X

Moses Lafayette O'Leary, with a cigar in his teeth, wearing a clean striped shirt and a snow-white solar topee, strolled along the widest street of the bazaar; it was about fourteen feet wide, lined on either hand by rows of open shops in which bunnias sat cross-legged and admired the gracious ways of God, who brings business to people who wait patiently.

A sacred bull, abominably fat from plundering the sacks of grain in front of the corn-chandlers' shops, blocked O'Leary's way. He kicked the brute. It bellowed with rage and plunged into a Cheap Jack shop, upsetting tables and trays. The Cheap Jack and his family abused O'Leary instead of the bull, but O'Leary took no notice of such a trifle as that, beyond tilting the topee a bit further over his right eye. He was using his left eye. He had spotted Noor Mahlam lurking in a doorway, and he knew Noor Mahlam waited for him; he looked as if he had been waiting a long time, exhausting nearly all the philosophy from behind that serenely wrinkled forehead.

"Wipe your spectacles," said Moses. "Don't you recognize me?"

Noor Mahlam began to answer in the vernacular. Moses interrupted: "Speak English. If you've business with me, I don't want it known all over the bazaar. Where's that three hundred rupees you promised me?"

"You are too late," said Noor Mahlam.

"You mean you've spent it?"

"That is a foolish question. If I had spent it, I could get more—twice, three times as much."

"Uh-huh," said Moses. "What do you mean? You were watching for me. What do you want?"

"Someone has taken a very much bigger bribe than three hundred rupees," said Noor Mahlam.

"Who has?"

"Someone. You know him."

"You paid it to him?"

"No. Others paid it to him, and there were witnesses. But an impartial witness, who could testify to having seen the bribe in someone's tunic pocket, would be worth not three hundred rupees, but three times that much, or even more—say a thousand. That is a lot of money."

O'Leary grinned: "You show it to me."

Noor Mahlam blinked behind his spectacles: "You take me for a simpleton? You think I carry fortunes in my pocket, to tempt the bazaar thieves?"

"Terms for witness," said O'Leary, "are cash in advance."

Noor Mahlam blinked again. "If you will come with me—"

"I won't," said O'Leary. "I'm an

easy man to deal with. Here, now or never."

Noor Mahlam's attitude changed subtly. His almost invisible mouth grimaced into a smile behind the hair that usually masked revelation: "Ah, sahib! If it were only you that we must deal with. You we could count on. You we could trust. Your intelligence is such that we could safely pay you in advance and confidently count upon your testimony."

"You can cut the fat off the ham," said Moses. "Trot out the meat. What do you want that's worth a thousand rupees of anybody's money? It ain't your money."

"Sahib, Miss Harding saw a certain person drop from his pocket a packet containing diamonds of great value."

"Easy!" said O'Leary. "Easy. Now I get you! You and I can do business. You're a sensible man. The blokes who selected you to proposition me picked a winner, they did. Sure. You pay me a thousand rupees; and all I've got to do is to get a haircut and borrow an officer's uniform, and go and make love to the gal. That's simple. She'll fall head over heels in love with me as sure as my name's Moses. Then all I've got to do is teach the lady how to get a British officer in trou-



Norwood's voice startled her.

ble. Oh, it's crafty! Come on, hand over your thousand rupees."

"But, sahib, listen to me."

"No. My ears are too full of your wisdom. They won't hold any more. D'you notice the toe o' my boot? It's just been clobbered. It's hard. It's going to land right in your stomach if you waste any more o' my time. Who's that bloke watching you?"

Noor Mahlam turned, stared, blinked and shook his head:

"I don't know who he is," he answered. "But I have been told that it is very dangerous to know too much and to refuse generous offers of payment for a very simple little thing that a man of your talents can easily do."

"What do you want me to do?"

"Invent an excuse to speak to Miss Lynn Harding. Tell her that a reward has been offered for a lost packet of diamonds, which are said to have been dropped by someone near the palace guesthouse veranda. Should you say it subtly, she will answer innocently. She will tell you what she saw. If you should take a witness with you—"

"Sergeant Stoddart, for instance?"

"Yes, the sergeant would do perfectly. Then there would be two reliable witnesses to what she said, and she would not retract. There would be a thousand rupees for you."

"And Captain Norwood?"

"That will be his business. It is unfortunate but—"

"I'm a halfbreed, I am," Moses answered. "And I'm a sinner, if you know what that means. I could use that thousand rupees. But I'd rather go to hell for pulling out your tongue by the roots than for framing my officer. He has his faults, but he's a gentleman and I've kept him out o' trouble for thirteen years. Go and tell that to the Brahmins. Scram!"

Noor Mahlam smiled again. "There are means," he remarked, "for compelling silence."

"Yeah, I know," said Moses. "You signal that bloke in the red turban, and he sticks a knife in my back. I'll give him the signal and let's see what happens. Here goes!"

Somewhere Moses had learned soccer, and learned it well. His right toe landed accurately on the bulge of Noor Mahlam's belly and almost buried itself. Moses right fist moved eight inches like a piston. A hook to the jaw staggered Noor Mahlam backwards into a dark doorway, where he lay writhing. There was no need to waste any more attention on Noor Mahlam.

But the man in a red turban, who had been watching the conversation, made a signal. A constable, who had been loitering through the bazaar, abruptly turned his back and walked away. The man in the red turban rushed at Moses, not showing his knife until he was almost within stabbing distance. But his tempo was wrong. Perhaps he never learned soccer. Certainly he had never learned boxing; he carried his chin much too far forward. It was an absolutely perfect target for Moses' toe, which very nearly broke from the impact. The man in the red turban dropped without a groan, motionless, stunned. Moses picked up his knife, wiped it carefully, smelt the blade and ran his thumb gently along the edge. A very dirty looking person in a huge soiled white turban and ragged clothing emerged from a doorway and grinned at Moses. Moses handed him the knife:

"Khabardar hona! Zahr!—Watch out. That thing's poisoned. I can smell it. See here now: I'm off to the cock-fights—after that, a woman—I don't know yet which woman, but she'll be a tiger-cat, so stand by. There'll be others laying for me. Use that knife if you have to. I've got to dig to the bottom of this."

Norwood smiled. "I wish to speak to Miss Lynn Harding—alone."

Mrs. Harding set her mouth grimly: "I will not even deliver a message to her unless I approve the message. I am tired of being used as a mere convenience."

"Packing up to go?" asked Norwood. "Miss Harding going away with you?"

"If not, it will be the last she will ever see of me. I have received an impertinent note from the Maharane."

"Well, I must see Miss Harding before she leaves. I want a statement from her."

"I will have nothing to do with it! Statement? What kind of statement?"

Norwood began to look courteously determined. His smile froze slightly:

"I didn't come here to consult you," he said, "I want to know what Miss Lynn Harding saw."

"Well, if you can find her, ask her. She will very likely not tell you the truth."

"That is your privilege, Captain Norwood. I am also privileged to have my doubts. Rumors reach even me. That babu doctor can no more keep a story to himself than he can diagnose an ailment."

"Oh. What has he told you about me?"

"He appeared to be well informed. Ask him about it—if you care to."

"I am asking you, Mrs. Harding."

"Yes, I heard you. I don't repeat gossip. I don't wish to be mixed up in it. In all my life, I have never met so many unscrupulous persons in one place at the same time. The Maharane is my hostess at the moment, so I reserve comment about her, beyond saying that she knew I have disapproved Lynn's conduct. She has had the audacity to invite Lynn to stay on with her after I leave. I forbid it, of course. Equally, of course, Lynn will do as she pleases. If Lynn accepts the invitation, I am through with her forever."

Norwood's pugnacity broke restraint. He stood up. He looked utterly unconcerned and good-humored except for the fact that his eyes looked steadily at Aunt Harding's. He didn't raise his voice. He didn't betray anger. He spoke quite calmly:

"Lynn is a lovely girl. Has anyone ever said that of you, Mrs. Harding?"

"Did you come here to insult me?"

"No, Mrs. Harding. I am being more polite than perhaps the occasion warrants."

"Oh. If that is your opinion—"

He interrupted: "My opinion is this: if Lynn Harding should get into trouble, God Almighty will hold you answerable. There isn't a high-spirited girl in the world who wouldn't—"

"I won't listen to you."

"Sorry to contradict a lady, but you shall listen. It is your clear duty, Mrs. Harding, to have yourself carried to the palace if you can't walk."

"Oh? What on earth for?"

"If you can persuade your niece to go away with you tonight, that may save not only her, but more than one other person from disastrous consequences."

"Oh. So you want her out of the way! What has Lynn done to you? I have heard a rumor that you are in trouble. But what authority does that give you to lecture me? Why don't you go to the palace? Aren't you welcome there?"

"I have told you what your duty is," said Norwood. "There my own duty ends, as far as you are concerned. Good afternoon, Mrs. Harding."

(TO BE CONTINUED)

## Bible Story Tells of First Sundial in World History

"The earliest mention of a sundial is, of course, in the Bible, on the occasion of the good King Hezekiah's prayer to God, when sick and aging, that He would extend his life, apparently for the sole but excellent reason that he loved it," says Richard Le Gallienne in "From a Paris Scrapbook." "He dreaded 'to behold man no more with the inhabitants of the world, for,' he cried, 'O Lord, by these things men live, and in all these things is the life of my spirit'—perhaps the most human cry in all literature."

"And God took pity on him, granting him a reprieve of 15 years, putting back the clock of time: 'Behold I will bring again the shadow of the degrees, which is gone down in the sundial of Ahaz 10 degrees backward. So the sun returned 10 degrees, by which it was gone down.'"

This gracious miracle happened about 700 B. C. King Charles V gave the first public clock to Paris in 1370, says Mr. Le Gallienne. "The clock we still see, with its beautiful dial, set in the Tour de Horloge of the Palais de Justice," he adds. "It was made by the famous clockmaker Henry de Vick, and a similar clock (still in going order) had

been installed in Dover castle, England, a few years before (1348)."

In olden days, most men about town carried two watches on their fobs, to check one by the other. Yet this precaution was rather useless, Mr. Le Gallienne says, for when they didn't agree it was a question of which to believe. For instance:

"A witty story is told of the famous dandy, the Marechal de Richelieu, who always carried two, both so beautiful that one day a certain great lady admired them so much that she asked to hold them in her hands that she might examine them closer. Then, to her great confusion, she let them slip out of her fingers and they fell to the ground. The gallant Marechal did his best to comfort her. 'Don't distress yourself,' he said gaily, 'It is the first time I ever saw them go together.'"

Antwerp Has a Conscience.

Although Conscience square is near the cathedral in Antwerp, Belgium, it has nothing to do with the inner monitor, but is named for Hendrik Conscience, Flemish Sir Walter Scott, and author of "The Lion of Flanders."

## CLASSIFIED DEPARTMENT

**BABY CHICKS**  
CHICKS ASSORTED HEAVIES \$3.75 per 100  
No Orphans! No Quills!  
We Guarantee Live Delivery. We Pay Postage.  
ATLAS CHICK CO., St. Louis, Mo.

**POULTRY SUPPLIES & EQUIPMENT**  
LOW FACTORY PRICES  
Wire Fences, FRNS 100-Page Catalog, FREE!  
FEIN PRODUCTS, 8248 West 82nd Street, Chicago

**HOTEL**  
Wabash Ave. Hotel, 27 E. Harrison, Chicago.  
Near Burn dance. Chicago. Daily \$1.00.  
Weekly \$5 up. Paul Marshall, Res. Mgr.

## Lowly Maggot an Aid To Flower Breeders

USE of the loathsome maggot in the development of more lovely flowers for the gardeners of the world constitutes a little-known phase of the science of flower breeding.

Often in his work the flower breeder obtains outstanding, single-plant specimens which give promise of becoming sensational, new flower creations. This remarkable plant individual must be protected from contamination (cross-pollination) by neighbor flowers. So the breeder encloses it, as it grows, in a muslin cage.

If the plant is to mature properly and produce seed, however, its flowers must be pollinated, but only with the pollen grains of that plant itself. Scientists call this "selfing."

Pollination by hand of all the caged plants on a flower breeding plot would be long, tedious work, so Gordon Morrison, Ferry-Morse Seed Station hybridist, enlists the aid of the maggot. It is the maggot of the objectionable blowfly, moreover. Blowfly maggots in the pupae stage are placed in the flower cage, subsequently maturing into flies. The insects are extremely active and they fly from flower to flower on the caged plant, doing an excellent job of spreading pollen from one blossom to another. The plant then proceeds to produce its prized crop of seed.

Thus the long-despised maggots do their part to help make the world more beautiful. Even so, let's hope flower breeders find a way to put them out of existence after they have done their pollination chore.

Need More Than "Salve" To Quickly Relieve DISTRESS!  
Before you go to bed rub your throat, chest and back with warming, soothing Musterole. You get such QUICK relief because Musterole is MORE than just a salve. It's a marvelous stimulating "counter-irritant" which helps break up local congestion and pain due to colds. Its soothing vapors ease breathing. Used by millions for over 80 years! \$3.00 Regular. Regular Children's (mild) and Extra Strong, 40¢. Hospital Size, \$5.00.

## NIGHT COUGHS DUE TO COLDS

Disarmed Misfortune  
Happy the man who can endure the highest and the lowest fortune. He, who has endured such vicissitudes with equanimity, has deprived misfortune of its power.—Seneca.

## MUSTEROLE

ADVISES YOUNG GIRLS ENTERING WOMANHOOD  
Thousands of young girls entering womanhood have found a "real friend" in Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to help them get "smiling thru" restlessness, moodiness, nervous (mild) and relieve cramps, headache, backache and embarrassing fainting spells due to female functional irregularities. Famous for over 60 years. WORTH TRYING!

## MERCHANTS

## Your Advertising Dollar

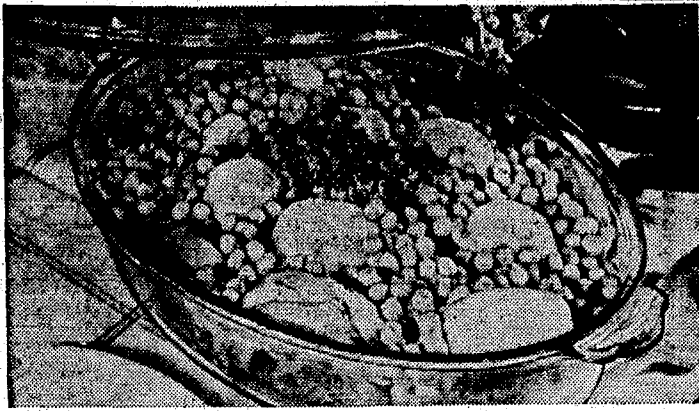
buys something more than space and circulation in the columns of this newspaper. It buys space and circulation plus the favorable consideration of our readers for this newspaper and its advertising patrons.

## LET US TELL YOU MORE ABOUT IT



# Household News

By Eleanor Howe



LAMB CHOPS EN CASSEROLE MAKE A "BUSY-DAY DINNER" (See Recipes Below)

## Busy-Day Meals

There's something about the first warm, sunny days of spring that makes a woman don her working clothes, roll up her sleeves and get started on house cleaning.

In spite of all the work involved, spring cleaning does give your spirits a lift. And it's very apt to spur you on to such heights that unless you've planned your cleaning campaign with all the finesse of an army general, the end of house cleaning is likely to find you with a shining, immaculate house, but an exceedingly weary body and a very disturbed family! But with a definite plan of action to guide you, even your meals can be served on schedule, and they can be good meals; a simple meal with a hot main dish that can be partly prepared the day before, is one solution to the problem of how to keep your family well fed and happy even at house cleaning time.

Plan a meal that requires little watching, one that is easy to serve and one that won't be spoiled if it isn't eaten on the stroke of 12:00. Serve the meal "help-yourself-style," using paper plates and napkins, because these are the things that make hot meals practical even in the thick clean-up by flying brooms and dust mops.

You'll find worthwhile suggestions for busy-day meals, below.

### Spanish Roll.

- Round steak, 2½ inches thick
- 1 No. 2 can tomatoes
- 1 small can mushrooms
- 1 medium onion (cut fine)
- 1 green pepper (cut fine)
- ¼ teaspoon cayenne pepper
- 4 whole cloves
- Dash of allspice
- ½ teaspoon salt
- Noodles

Dredge steak with flour and sear on both sides. Place in casserole, and add tomatoes, mushrooms, onion, green peppers and seasoning. Cover and bake about 2½ hours in a slow oven (300 degrees). Half an hour before serving, boil some noodles in salted water. Drain. Place steak on large platter, surround with noodles, and cover with the sauce.



### Busy-Day Cake.

(Makes one 8-inch cake)

- ¼ cup butter
- 1 cup sugar
- 2 eggs
- ½ cup milk
- 1 teaspoon flavoring extract
- 1½ cups flour (cake flour preferred)
- 1½ teaspoons baking powder
- ¼ teaspoon salt

Soften the butter by creaming. Then add sugar, unbeaten eggs, milk, flavoring extract, and the dry ingredients which have been sifted together. With a rotary beater or electric mixer, beat for 2 or 3 minutes, or until the batter is light and very smooth. Pour into greased pan 8 by 8 by 2 inches deep, and cover evenly with the following mixture:

- ½ cup sweet chocolate (grated)
  - ½ cup nut meats (cut fine)
- Bake in a moderate oven (350 degrees) for 35 to 40 minutes.

### Lamb Chops en Casserole.

(Serves 6)

- 8 lamb chops
- ¼ teaspoon salt
- Few grains pepper
- 15 small new potatoes
- 2 lbs. fresh peas, (2 cups shelled)
- ¼ cup water
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 tablespoon butter

Cut fat from the chops, sprinkle them with ¼ teaspoon salt and few grains pepper and brown slightly on both sides. Arrange the chops

around the sides of a shallow casserole, 2 quart size. In the center, place the scraped new potatoes and shelled peas. Add water, sprinkle with salt and put bits of butter over the top. Cover the dish and bake in a moderately hot oven (375 degrees) about 1½ hours, or until the vegetables are tender.

### Old Fashioned Rice Pudding.

- ¾ cup rice
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 quart milk
- ½ teaspoon salt

Wash rice and mix with 1 cup sugar, 1 quart milk and salt. Place in hot oven (425 degrees). Stir into pudding frequently the brown crust that forms. As it thickens pour it ½ cup milk. Bake for about 1½ hours and serve hot or cold.

### All in One Dinner.

(Serves 5-6)

- 3 cups raw potatoes (sliced)
- 2 teaspoons salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- 6 loin pork chops
- 3 cups spanish onions (sliced)
- 1 tablespoon butter
- 1 can condensed tomato soup
- ¼ cups sweet milk

In a greased casserole arrange a layer of the sliced potatoes. Season with salt and pepper. Then add a layer of pork chops and season these with salt and pepper. Cover with a layer of onions. Dot with butter and season. Add additional layers of potatoes, chops and onions, as needed. Combine the tomato soup and the milk and pour into the casserole. Cover, and bake in a moderate oven (375 degrees) for about 1½ hours.

### Spring Salads for Spring Tonics.

No sulphur and molasses needed for a spring tonic, when you serve spring salads! Next week Eleanor Howe will give you some of her own favorite, tested recipes for simple and delicious salads, fruit salads, vegetable salads and molded salads, too. Be sure to read this column next week.

### Apple Crisp

(Serves 6)

- 6 tart apples (peeled and sliced)
- ½ cup brown sugar
- 1 teaspoon cinnamon
- ½ cup water
- ½ cup general purpose flour
- ½ cup white sugar
- 3 tablespoons butter

Pare, core, and slice apples. Put in a greased baking dish. Mix together the brown sugar and the cinnamon, and sprinkle over apples. Pour water over all. Mix together the flour and the sugar, and cut in the butter. Sprinkle this crumbly mixture over the apples. Bake in moderate oven (350 degrees) 50 to 55 minutes, or until apples are tender and top brown.

- ### Pa's Lima Beans and Sausage.
- 1 pound country sausage
  - 2 medium sized onions (sliced)
  - 1 can lima beans
  - 2 cups canned tomatoes
  - 1 teaspoon salt
  - ½ teaspoon chili powder

Shape sausage into flat cakes and pan fry, with the onions, until the sausage is done. Drain off all but ½ cup of the fat, add remaining ingredients and simmer for 30 minutes.

### Get Your Copy of 'Household Hints' Now.

This busy house cleaning season is when you'll appreciate, most, Eleanor Howe's exceedingly useful booklet, "Household Hints." In it you'll find suggestions for cleaning painted kitchen walls, and old paintings; hints for removing oil paint and varnish; tricks to try when washing windows and you'll find 350 simple, easy-to-use, tried and true helps for house cleaning and every day house-keeping.

To get your copy of this booklet, send 10 cents in coin to "Household Hints," care Eleanor Howe, 919 North Michigan Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

## Fashion Bids You 'Say It' in Snow White Lingerie Accents

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



WHAT with the lavishment of prettifying, spick and span, fresh as a daisy frilly, frothy lace-trimmed neckwear and other lingerie touches with which fashion is so generously endowing us this season, it's going to be more fun dressing up this spring and summer than it has been for years.

When you visit the neckwear departments, cancel all other engagements for that day, for come early as you will you are sure to linger unmindful of the passing of time, with so much to intrigue. Among the myriads of new ideas sure to capture your fancy you will see such cunning items as detachable pocket and collar sets as pictured below to the right in the illustration. The pockets are fashioned of the daintiest organdy you ever saw with infinitesimal tucks and exquisitely embroidered and the collar has a youthful square neckline. A set like this will work miracles on the simplest basic dress. The decorative pockets can be sewed right on the dress, or slipped on to a belt or tie them on with perky ribbons.

Another item that is going to lay siege to your heart is a crisp, sheer organdy plastron that covers the entire front of your bodice just like you see above to the left in this group. It slips on like magic and like magic it works wonders in making the simplest dress look very important all of a sudden. Note it has organdy insets and a pert organdy bow at the back waistline. Since it launders beautifully you will have no trouble in keeping it fresh and immaculate. There are times when one wants to look very tailored. It is at such

a moment you will appreciate an immaculate starched white dickey to wear either outside your navy or black suit or inside the jacket fronts if you prefer. Top your outfit with an amusing little plaid high-crown bumper sailor as centered in this group and you will look the part of a fashion sophisticate stepping out in swank attire.

Yokes are smartly appearing in dresses this season. So take a look at the charming separate yokes you can buy at the neckwear counters. They are on display in endless variety. A square style in eyelet pique (see above to the right in the group) gives you a decidedly new top interest to any dress. It is needless to point out the merits of eyeleted pique so far as laundering qualities are concerned. Looks like new after every tubbing.

Highly important in the fashion picture are revers on coats, on suits and on boleros. See the handsome one of embroidered pique that gives the feminine touch to the fetching suit pictured below to the left. Add white gloves and you will be carrying out the niceties of the present mode to perfection.

When you go browsing about among the fascinating displays of neckwear and lingerie novelties which are so importantly part of the style picture for spring and summer one of the items you must not miss is the frothy frilly jabots that are fashion favorites, also the youthful flattering harlequin sets that fill all about your throat with the theme repeated about your wrists and sometimes you add a matching frill or two to your fashionable patch pockets. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

## Long Torso Lines Making Big Talk

Zest for the nipped-in wasp waist effect is on the wane. Now it is the long torso line that is making conversation. The newest dresses are styled with long torso tops that go fingertip-length, the skirt portion beginning at that point. In suits it is the long-jacket types that are coming in.

Couturier collections in Paris are featuring sleek suave lines designated as the new mermaid silhouette. To be sure the flaring skirt and pleated-all-around skirts are not out by any means. There is a contest, however, between and it looks as if the next move will be the straighter contour.

Already corsetieres are answering the challenge to designers of foundation garments, with the prospect that there will be a decided change in corsets and corselets.

## Favor Jackets of Contrasting Color

There is tremendous interest in jackets of contrasting color. Light-colored wool jackets go with checked skirts, while plaid silk jackets cover plaid silk blouses and top skirts of black or navy blue. Evening suits show colored jackets and blouses with dark skirts.

## Short Skirt Stays For Spring Wear

The fashion silhouette for spring 1940 has kept a small neat waist, less constrained than the winter's wasp waist. Skirts are still short and often fairly full. (Paris has even shortened a few to mid-knee.) Necklines are generally fairly high and shoulders slightly widened.

## Smart Hairdress



More than ever fashion is placing high-pressure emphasis on the fact that well-groomed, becomingly styled hair is an absolute essential. The hair dress pictured lives up to all the demands of perfect grooming that can be achieved only when the hair is kept healthy and vibrant with meticulous care. Which calls to mind something amazing that recently happened in the realm of hair culture. It is the creation of a waterless shampoo from the laboratory of Jean Jordeau. A few drops of the shampoo (using no water whatsoever) will lather luxuriously on the hair. After a vigorous scalp massage, a rub with a coarse towel will remove every speck of the shampoo, leaving one's tresses exquisitely clean and lustrous. In the coiffure here pictured note that the modified pompadour and hair at the sides have an upward trend.

## Patterns SEWING CIRCLE



net. Simple as it is, the pattern includes a step-by-step sew chart as well as complete directions. Gingham, seersucker, percale and chambray all come in colors which are particularly nice for tots' play togs like this. Barbara Bell Pattern No. 1928-B is designed for sizes 2, 3, 4, 5, and 6 years. Size 3 requires 3½ yards of 35-inch material without nap for the ensemble; 5½ yards ricrac braid. Send order to:

SEWING CIRCLE PATTERN DEPT.  
Room 1324  
211 W. Wacker Dr. Chicago  
Enclose 15 cents in coins for  
Pattern No. .... Size .....



Lady, lady... It is HOUSECLEANING time. Better O-Cedar it!

All your furniture, all your woodwork and floors can have again that silken soft and lustrous look they used to have. O-Cedar them! Watch the winter film of dirt leave! Watch the clean wood (tile or linoleum) take on the lustrous soft and silken look you loved a year, ten years, ago. Ask for genuine.



MOPS, WAX, DUSTERS, CLEANERS AND O-CEDAR FLY AND MOTH SPRAY

USING this one clever pattern (1928-B), you can make a pretty complete play wardrobe for your young hopeful. It includes a scrap of a sun-suit, a sweet little frock, and a nice, scoopy, eye-shading bonnet, and every one of the three trifles takes practically no time to make. They're all just as comfortable to play in as they are cute to look at.

The sun-suit consists of straps and gathers in the back, and is perfectly straight in the front. The yoke of the frock is extended into wings of kimono sleeves, and rows of braid trim every possible edge of both the frock and the bon-

## AROUND THE HOUSE

Never run the vacuum cleaner over loose tacks or other metal objects on the floor. They may puncture or cut the dust bag.

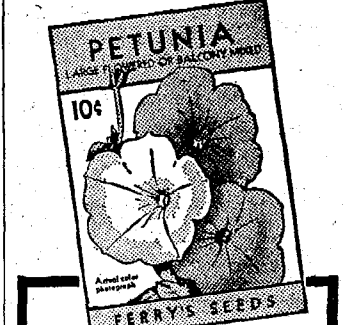
Try this fruit sauce on your favorite ice cream. Melt a cupful of jam or jelly in a double boiler. Add a fourth of a cup of orange juice. Serve the sauce warm.

When preparing oranges for a dessert, pour boiling water over them and let them stand five minutes. This will make them much easier to peel.

Corduroy garments should be washed in mild soapsuds and rinsed thoroughly in warm water before being hung up to dry.

Soaking dough-encrusted bowls and dishes in cold water before washing them in hot, soapy water makes the task easier.

A whole egg beaten into fresh-squeezed orange juice and dusted with nutmeg makes a nourishing drink for convalescents.



They Keep their promise!

FERRY'S SEEDS produce flowers and vegetables like those shown in actual color photographs on the packets. Buy the convenient way from your dealer's display.

FERRY'S DATED SEEDS

Fruit of Patience  
Patience is bitter, but its fruit is sweet.—Rousseau.

Their famous FLAVOR is the result of a secret known only to KELLOGG'S

SWITCH TO SOMETHING YOU'LL LIKE!

Made by Kellogg's in Battle Creek

**Insurance**  
 AUTOMOBILE, LIFE, FIRE  
 and WINDSTORM  
**CITY and COUNTRY**  
 RELIABLE COMPANIES  
**GEORGE JAQUAYS**  
 R. F. D. No. 4 Phone 166-F3  
 EAST JORDAN, MICH.

**FRANK PHILLIPS**  
 Tonsorial Artist  
 WHEN IN NEED OF ANYTHING  
 IN MY LINE, CALL IN  
 AND SEE ME.

**R. G. WATSON**  
 FUNERAL  
 DIRECTOR  
 Phone — 66  
 MONUMENTS  
 EAST JORDAN, MICH.

**BENJAMIN BUSTARD**  
 and **PAUL LOVELAND**  
 GENERAL BUILDING AND  
 LICENSED ELECTRICAL  
 CONTRACTORS  
 New or Repair Work of All Kinds  
 REASONABLE TERMS  
 Phone 247 — East Jordan  
 Address: P. O. Box 64, E. Jordan

**RADISH SEED**  
**CONTRACTS**  
 SEED TESTED AND  
 PAID FOR AT  
 CENTRAL LAKE  
 Write or Call  
**Guy Morse & Son**  
 Phone 87  
 Central Lake, Mich.

**FARMERS**  
**ATTENTION**  
 DEAD STOCK  
 REMOVAL  
 Phone Collect  
 Prompt Service  
**VALLEY**  
**CHEMICAL CO.**  
 Telephone Gaylord 123

**Constipated?**  
 "For years I had occasional constipation,  
 awful gas bloating, headaches and back pain.  
 Adlerika always helped right away. Now, I  
 eat sausage, bananas, pie, anything I want.  
 Never felt better." Mrs. Mabel Schott.  
**ADLERIKA**  
 Gidley & Mac, Druggist.

➔ **LEAF-SPOT**  
*Season Will  
 Soon Be Here*  
 ➔ **BE SAFE**  
*Use a  
 Proved Spray*  
 ➔ **CUPRO-K**  
 ORDER YOUR  
 SUPPLY NOW  
 ROHM & HAAS CO., INC.  
 PHILADELPHIA, PA.

**Council Proceedings**  
 Regular annual meeting of the Council of the City of East Jordan, held on the 4th day of April, 1940.  
 Present: Aldermen Bussler, Sinclair, Maddock, Shaw, Kenny and Mayor Healey.  
 Absent — Alderman Malpass.  
 Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. The following bills were presented for payment:  
 Mich. Public Service Co., lights and power \$285.85  
 John Kenny, coal 25.50  
 LeRoy Sherman, rent 10.00  
 Mary Green, sounding siren 15.00  
 Healey Sales Co., labor and material 36.49  
 W. A. Porter, labor and mtrl. 51.44  
 Bud Strehl, wood 3.00  
 E. J. Co-op Creamery, ice shaver 8.25  
 G. Thomas, gas and oil 18.94  
 Marvin Benson, gas and oil 14.82  
 E. J. Co-op Co., gas and oil 21.08  
 Coffee Cup, meals 2.00  
 Union Office Supply Co., mdse. 7.50  
 E. J. Fire Dept., 4 fires 47.50  
 Elmer Reed, labor 2.25  
 Edd Kalek, labor 3.60  
 Geo. Weaver, labor 25.20  
 Clarence Carney, labor 5.40  
 Cort Hayes, labor 2.10  
 Theo Scott, labor 2.10  
 Edd Nemecek, Jr., labor 5.00  
 Win. Nichols, labor 8.00  
 Lee Wright, labor 4.00  
 Election Board, annual election 35.00  
 City officers, salaries 575.00  
 John Whiteford, labor 10.00  
 Geo. Wright, janitor 10.00  
 Harry Simmons, salary 62.50  
 Henry Scholls, salary and exp. 11.00  
 G. E. Boswell, sal. and expense 64.00  
 W. Aldrich, sal. and expense 46.00  
 Moved by Shaw, supported by Maddock, that the bills be paid. Carried, all ayes.  
 Moved by Bussler, supported by Kenny, that the applications for Tavern Licenses of John B. LaLonde, Ed Nemecek Sr., and Clarence Bowman be approved. Carried all ayes.  
 The following resolution was offered by Alderman Kenny who moved its adoption, supported by Alderman Maddock: Resolved that the Common Council of the City of East Jordan, having met for the purpose of determining the results of the Annual City Election held on Monday, the 1st day of April, 1940, do hereby declare the results to be as follows:—  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Mayor was 403. Clarence Healey having received 403 was declared elected to the office of Mayor.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Justice of the Peace was 343. Charles Murphy having received 343 was declared elected Justice of the Peace.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Alderman in the 1st ward was 178 of which Thomas Bussler received 99 and Earl Gee 79. Thomas Bussler having received the greater number of votes was declared elected Alderman of the 1st ward.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Supervisor in the 1st ward was 157. Wm. Bashaw having received 157 was declared elected Supervisor of the 1st ward.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Constable in the 1st ward was 137. Wm. Taylor having received 137 was declared elected Constable of the 1st ward.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Alderman in the 2nd ward was 68. Alex Sinclair having received 68 was declared elected Alderman of the 2nd ward.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Supervisor in the 2nd ward was 72. Robert F. Barnett having received 72 was declared elected Supervisor of the 2nd ward.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Constable in the 2nd ward was 63. Cort Hayes having received 63 was declared elected Constable of the 2nd ward.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Alderman in the 3rd ward was 269 of which William H. Malpass received 135 and Thomas St. Charles received 134. William H. Malpass having received the greater number of votes was declared elected Alderman of the 3rd ward.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Supervisor in the 3rd ward was 77. Barney Milstein having received 77 was declared elected Supervisor of the 3rd ward.  
 Whole number of votes cast for the office of Constable in the 3rd ward was 71. Ed Kamradt having received 71 was declared elected Constable of the 3rd ward.  
 Whole number of votes cast on the sale of Water Front was 484 of which 344 were cast for the sale and 140 against the sale. The Water Front sale was declared carried.  
 Whole number of votes cast on the Bonding proposition was 378 of which 264 were cast in favor of Bonding and 114 against. The Bonding proposition having the necessary majority was declared carried.  
 Adopted by the Common Council of the City of East Jordan on the 4th day of April, 1940, by an aye and nay vote as follows: All ayes.  
 Moved to adjourn.  
 WM. ALDRICH, City Clerk.

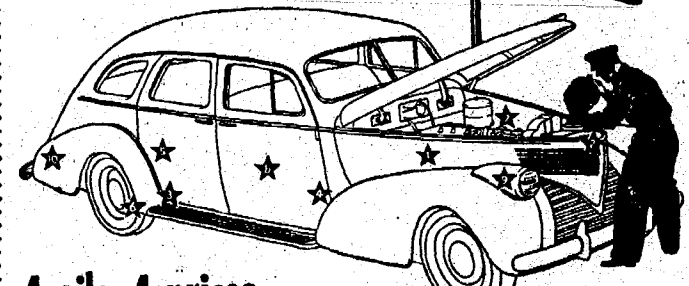
**Careful Attention Must Be Given To Prevent Re-Appearance of Late Blight**  
 The three meetings conducted last week Friday were of great importance to all potato growers in the county. There has been so many wrong impressions of the disease that it seems worthwhile to recommend certain practices as protective measures.  
 In the first place, late blight is carried in the seed and, as a result of last year's heavy infection, practically all seed potatoes have the disease in varying degrees. Also, the infection moves from the seed upward into the stalk and leaves of the potato plant. Under favorable weather conditions in September the infection spreads from a few diseased plants to healthy plants growing alongside. Spread of the disease takes place by means of spores produced on the diseased plants which are splashed and blown to nearby healthy vines.  
 The nearest approach to protection is to carefully sort over the seed potatoes and remove all tubers showing sunken or depressed areas which are good indications of the disease. Underneath each sunken area will be found brownish areas extending usually an eighth to a quarter of an inch in the flesh. Seed treatment accomplishes some protection against blight but does not kill the fungus when it is underneath the skin and in the flesh of the tuber.  
 The program to follow would certainly be, first, to take more than the usual amount of time in sorting the potatoes that are to be used for seed purposes. Then use seed treatment, either Corrosive Sublimate or Semesan Bel which will help in the control and, in addition, prevent scab and scurf. No doubt Semesan Bel will be used much more than Corrosive Sublimate as it is much cheaper in price and will do the same job.  
 It is then best to spread out the potatoes so that they will green sprout. This gives you a second check on the vitality of the tubers and the weak sprouts should be eliminated. Better yet, it would be good sound advice to buy seed that is known to be free from blight and start a little seed plot of sufficient size to give you the desired quantity of seed needed for 1941. The majority of farmers have been extremely careless in their seed selection and, in many cases, it would pay big dividends to establish a new source of seed. See your local dealer who will have some suggestions to offer as to where you can get good seed.  
 B. C. Mellenkamp  
 Co. Agr'l Agent.

**DO YOU DARE TO KEEP A DIARY?**  
 An article disclosing startling facts for those who keep an intimate record of their lives — from legal, scientific and historical viewpoints — will be found in The American Weekly with the April 14 issue of The Detroit Sunday Times. This article reveals that science is studying whether it's wise or foolish to list all our daily experiences. Be sure to get The Detroit Sunday Times.

**State Social Welfare Commission**  
 During the calendar year of 1939 the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation through the State Social Welfare Commission distributed approximately 86,400,000 pounds of food products purchased in Michigan and other states to relief clients.  
 Total purchases of the Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation in Michigan agricultural markets totaled approximately 79,000,000 pounds of surplus farm commodities.  
 The surplus purchase and distribution operations in Michigan are part of a national program conducted by the Corporation for the purpose of stabilizing agricultural markets, improving farm income, and conserving for families in need surplus food in danger of waste.  
 Commodities purchased in Michigan were bought at a cost of approximately \$1,500,000. Fruits and vegetables were purchased directly from producers and producer co-operatives, and other products were obtained by the Corporation on a competitive bid basis.  
 In addition the Corporation donated to the Michigan Department of Social Welfare quantities of such commodities as butter, eggs, evaporated milk, oat and wheat cereals, rice, grapefruit juice, fresh grapefruit, various canned foods, and sweet potatoes.  
 In addition to the direct distribution to eligible relief clients the Corporation cooperates with State and Federal agencies furnishing supplies to undernourished school children.  
 The children are served school lunches prepared in whole, or in part, from commodities made available to the local sponsoring groups.  
 An average of 185,300 Michigan families, financially unable to buy sufficient food to meet daily dietary requirements, were served in this way monthly.  
 Approximately 65,200 children and 1,086 schools participated in the hot lunch distribution program.  
 The Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation's purchase programs, the Michigan Social Welfare Commission pointed out, are conducted only at the request of producers and representatives of agricultural industries. Primarily the programs seek to relieve pressure upon markets during periods of large surpluses.  
 In addition the Corporation, it was stated, seeks to benefit the growers through advocacy of the adoption of sounder marketing practices. For example, it sets requirements in the grading and packaging of Michigan apples, peaches, onions and mixed vegetables.  
 In the distribution an effort is made to send portions of the commodities purchased into areas where the use of such products may not constitute a normal part of the consumer's diet, to encourage the creation of wider consumer outlets.  
 Commodities purchased in Michigan included 494,200 bushels of fresh apples; 39,699,500 pounds of dry beans; 791,700 pounds of fresh vegetables; 22,500 barrels of corn meal; 10,050 barrels of graham flour; 18,300 barrels of white flour; 378,000 pounds of dry skim milk; 759,800 pounds of onions; and 72,800 bushels of fresh peaches.  
 Apples purchased in Michigan last year were sent into Arkansas, Illinois, Louisiana, Minnesota, Mississippi, Missouri, Oklahoma, and Wisconsin; the peaches into Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Mississippi, New York, Tennessee and Wisconsin; the onions into Ohio; and the dry beans into thirty other States, the Dist. of Columbia, Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.


**MAIL SCHEDULE EAST JORDAN P.O. OUTGOING**  
 6:30 a. m. — North and South, first class and newspapers. Tied at 5:30 p. m. previous night.  
 12:00 m. — North, first class. South, parcel post.  
 3:00 p. m. — South to points from Grand Rapids.  
 NOTE — All first class mail and parcel post should be in Post-office one-half hour before putting time.  
**INCOMING**  
 6:30 a. m., 2:40 p. m., 3:00 p. m.

**Dr. H. M. HARRINGTON**  
 Physician and Surgeon  
 Office Hours:  
 2 to 5 P. M. — 7 to 8 P. M.  
 Office in Lumber Co. Building  
 Office Phone — 140-F2  
 Residence Phone — 140-F3

**10 STAR**  
**SPRING TUNE-UP**  
 Low cost "lift" for winter-weary cars!  
 ★ 1. Replace old winter oil with fresh, clean Iso-Vis in proper summer grade. Notice how it lasts. ★ 2. Drain anti-freeze. Flush radiator. ★ 3. Lubricate chassis with Standard Lubricants. ★ 4. Service transmission with Standard Gear Lubricant. ★ 5. Service differential with Standard Gear Lubricant. ★ 6. Check tires. ★ 7. Test spark plugs. ★ 8. Test battery. ★ 9. Check lights. ★ 10. Fill 'er up with a tankful of Red Crown, Standard's regular-priced gasoline that's higher-than-ever in anti-knock.  
  
**4 oils, 4 prices**  
 ISO-VIS... in cans 30¢ a quart\* POLARINE... in bulk 20¢ a quart\* Enjoy a National Credit Card Apply to any Standard Oil Dealer.  
 STANOLIND in bulk 15¢ a quart\* (Prevailing dealer prices) \*plus taxes  
 QUAKER STATE... in cans 35¢ a quart\*  
**STANDARD OIL DEALERS**  
 We Handle Standard Oil Products **BADER'S** Standard Service Cor. Main & Garfield Sts. EAST JORDAN, MICH.  
 We Handle Standard Oil Products **VOGEL'S** Standard Service Cor. Mill and Second Sts. EAST JORDAN, MICH.

**Keep Kidneys Active If You Don't**  
 If kidneys do not regularly eliminate excess acids and other waste, it can lead to getting up nights, frequent scanty or off-color passage, rheumatic pain, headache or headache. Heed nature's warning. Act quickly. Get a kidney evacuant. Ask any druggist for BUKETS. Your 25¢ back in 4 days if not pleased. Locally at Gidley & Mac, Druggists.

**PROBATE ORDER**  
 State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Charlevoix.  
 At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Charlevoix in said County, on the 27th day of March, A. D. 1940.  
 Present: Hon. Ervan A. Ruegsegger, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Emily (Emily) I. Jarman, Deceased.  
 Mercy E. Perry, a daughter, having filed in said court her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of her death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized,  
 It is Ordered, That the 26th day of April A. D. 1940, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.  
 ERVAN A. RUEGSEGGER, Judge of Probate.

**PROMPT, DEPENDABLE and COURTEOUS**  
  
 Every time you use your telephone... whether you merely wish to have a social chat, place an order for groceries, or summon a doctor at midnight... the service you receive is prompt, dependable and courteous. Scientific research, and constantly improving equipment and methods are among the factors that make this possible. But none is more important than the spirit of service of the more than 8000 men and women who serve the telephone in Michigan.  
**MICHIGAN BELL TELEPHONE COMPANY**  
 Bringing to the People of Michigan the Advantages of the Nation-wide Bell Telephone System