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THREE BUILDINGS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Hose House, Legion Hall, Iron Works Storage House, and Contents of All Three Destroyed by Fire Monday

East Jordan suffered its worst fire loss in many years early Monday morning when flames destroyed the Hose House, Two Fire Trucks, Hose and other contents, the American Legion Hall, Bar and contents, and a storage building of the East Jordan Iron Works.

Mr. MacDaniels, who resides in the Mrs. Smith apartments across from the hose house, was the first to observe the flames causing a reflection on the walls of his room. An alarm was turned in at 3:05, but Mrs. Win. Nichols, telephone operator at the time, was unable to sound the alarm owing to the wires being burned out.

Fire departments at Ellsworth, Charlevoix, and Boyne City were immediately notified, and, while they all made a quick run, considering the distance, flames were out of control when they arrived in the above order. Their work consisted of subduing the blaze, but embers from the fire rose in the air and were carried several blocks north by a 19 mile per hour wind, straight up Main Street, igniting several roofs, but causing small damage.

The hose house housed two fire trucks, a 1928 Studebaker, and a new Chevrolet, purchased about a year ago, and all the hose and other equipment belonging to the City. These were completely destroyed. The flames spread to the American Legion hall and bar, which was destroyed. Flames also spread to the opposite side, destroying a storehouse owned by the East Jordan Iron Works.

It is thought by some that the fire originated from a defective boiler used in the basement of the hose house to keep the equipment warm.

The Legion Post had gone to considerable expense in furnishing their hall and installing a bar.

Loss is estimated at upwards of \$50,000. Insurance of \$11,500 was carried on the fire hall, trucks and contents. The Legion Hall has an insurance of \$8,000.

Legion Hall Built in 1887-8

The Legion Hall was originally built by C. H. Whittington, deceased, in 1887-8 to house a furniture store and undertaking establishment. It was a frame structure, 2 stories with basement. The hose house was a brick structure. The E. J. Iron Furnace building was erected previous to the Whittington building.

FIRE PROTECTION NOW

A Fire Truck, owned by the Conservation Department has been loaned the city for the time being. The State has also loaned the City another fire truck. The former arriving here Tuesday morning and the latter Tuesday night. Monday we were fairly well equipped with small units and equipment from neighboring towns.

Work of clearing up the debris of the Legion Hall got underway Wednesday by Legionnaires and by Wednesday night had done a very creditable job of clearing up their premises.

Income Tax Assistant At Postoffice Feb'y. 25th.

A deputy collector of internal revenue will be at the Post Office Building, East Jordan, Michigan, on Feb. 25, 1948, to assist taxpayers in the preparation of income tax returns.

Next Meeting of Civic Chorus at H.S. Feb'y 26th.

The next meeting of the Civic Chorus will be on Feb. 26, with a pot luck supper, at 7:00 o'clock, in the Home Ec. department of the high school.

A different day of the week for rehearsing must be decided upon because of the meeting of the extension class from C.S.T.C. on Thursday. The director, as well as several members of the chorus, is taking the extension work.

New music is on hand for a good hour's singing after the supper. If you have ever sung with the Civic Chorus, bring sandwiches and a dish to pass and come out for an evening's pleasure.

Sadie M. Liskum

Children Should Be Immunized

A STEP FORWARD IN ERADICATION OF DISEASES

"February, proclaimed Immunization Month by Governor Sigler, has been selected for family doctors to urge immunization of patients as a step toward virtual eradication of the diseases."

In keeping with the above quoted statement from the Detroit Free Press, the Northern Michigan Medical Society, and its component physicians, urge that all children be immunized against smallpox, diphtheria, whooping cough and lock jaw. The physicians feel it their civic duty to acquaint the public with the knowledge that these diseases are easily prevented, and can be almost totally eradicated.

In any such program of Public Health, the family doctor should be consulted and at his direction, the immunization procedures be accomplished.

The State Department of Public Health through its director and Supervisor of District No. 3, Dr. A. F. Litzemberger, is cooperating to the fullest extent with the Medical Society, and urges all parents to have their children immunized against these dread diseases by their Family Doctor.

No child should go unimmunized for lack of funds, and to those parents who are unable to pay for this service, Dr. Litzemberger's department has been and will continue to be accomplished our 100% immunized goal, by immunizing children in the various centers such as schools and farm groups as the demand grows.

The Northern Michigan Medical Society again urges you—have your children immunized, so that any possibility of even a remote case of whooping cough, diphtheria, smallpox or lock jaw, let alone an epidemic, cannot occur.

Taxes Now Due

Winter Taxes are now due and payable for the City of East Jordan at my office in the City Building. Unless paid by March 1st, the tax roll will be returned to the County Treasurer.

G.E. Freiberg
City Treasurer

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To Dog Owners

Dog Taxes are due and payable at my office in the City Building. If not paid by March 1st, the fees will be doubled.

G.E. Freiberg
City Treasurer

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CARD OF THANKS

May we in this manner express our deep appreciation to all those who were so helpful, and expressed their sympathy in so many kindly ways at the time of the death of our beloved father. We also wish to thank St. Joseph's choir and organist for their services.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stanek
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stanek
Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stanek
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stanek
Mr. and Mrs. Chester Walden

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Father and Son Banquet To be Held at Gymnasium, Feb'y 25

The Father and Son Banquet is to be held at the High School Gymnasium Wednesday, February 25th, at 6:30.

As mentioned in last week's Charlevoix County Herald the plans have been completed for a pleasing and enjoyable program. The sale of tickets is going rapidly and to avoid disappointments better get yours early as the number is limited.

Meeting Held to Discuss Agricultural Needs

On Thursday evening Feb. 12, the Agricultural Planning Committee of the Charlevoix County Farm Bureau, met at the home of Leonard Babel. A number of prominent farmers were called in to consider some problems confronting agriculture in Charlevoix County.

County Agent Reberman led a discussion on the need of a Soil Conservation District in the County. An Educational program has been set up so that all farmers will be familiar with the subject before they are called upon to vote on the question. Attend your various farm organizations to be better informed.

Fire Protection and Inspection Day

SET FOR TUESDAY, MARCH 2nd. FULL PROGRAM PLANNED.

Plans have now been completed for East Jordan's "Fire Prevention and Inspection Day" program. The date selected for this important event is March 2nd and the full program will be crowded into the one day of activity. The inspection schedule will include all commercial buildings of our business district while the educational program will reach its climax at the community get-together and banquet in the evening with a nationally known speaker as the guest-of-honor.

The value of this project is emphasized and amplified by the severe loss we have suffered this week and accentuates the acuteness of the situation and the ever present danger so constantly imminent at this time of the year. Preliminary investigations indicate this fire originated in a faulty heating unit—and this is a common cause of fire; combine this with the misuse of gasoline and all inflammable fluids, matches and careless smoking habits, defective wiring and electrical appliances and you have the start of three out of every four disasters. It will pay you all, home-owners included, to check these items—not tomorrow, but at once.

Tickets for the rally and banquet will shortly be on sale by the several sponsoring units (Chamber of Commerce, Rotary, Fire Dept., American Legion) and a complete schedule will appear in the columns of The Herald next week. By helping ourselves we will be helping our community.

Sunshine Extension Club

The Sunshine Extension Club met at the home of Mrs. Effie Weldy, Thursday evening Feb. 12. Nine members were present, also M.S.C. Home Demonstration Agent, Miss Emma Fero and County Extension Club Chairman, Lulu Clark.

Miss Fero gave the very interesting and educational lesson on Linoleum floor coverings and floor finishes.

The March meeting of the club will be with Mrs. Anna Keat. The date will be set in a few days.

After the project lesson, recreation leader Anna Keat, provided entertainment with Valentine puzzles and guess who presidents by nicknames. Prizes were won by Muriel Zoulek and Lillian LaCroix.

A nice lunch, chili being the main dish, was served by our hostess and enjoyed by all.

Drive Carefully Please

With sloppy weather here autoists and pedestrians are both urged to be careful. Autoists are urged to drive carefully, particularly in the main district to avoid spattering pedestrians.

In crossing streets, pedestrians are asked to keep away from approaching cars at a reasonable distance.

A little judgment on the part of both driver and pedestrians will save clothing from becoming smeared.

HARRY SIMMONS,
Chief of Police.

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WE NOW HAVE FIRE PROTECTION

EAST JORDAN NOW HAS TWO MODERN FIRE TRUCKS AS WELL AS OTHER PIECES OF FIRE FIGHTING EQUIPMENT

To the Citizens of East Jordan:— The question of Fire Protection has been asked time and again in the past few days, so I take this opportunity to let each know just what has been done as of the past few days, and some future plans.

Since 3:00 a. m. Monday when fate sent us another hard, and staggering, blow, your Council and Firemen have been constantly on the job, some of us didn't get much sleep, even when we tried, because we had your interest at heart, trying to get some sort of fire fighting equipment.

We now have the following pieces of equipment on hand:—

A 500 gallon pumper with a 100-gal. tank mounted on a Dodge chassis with hose, nozzles, etc, loaned to us by the Conservation Dept.

A 500 gallon pumper, with a 200-gal. tank mounted on a Ford chassis with hose, nozzles, etc, loaned to us by the State Fire Marshall, Mr. Renner, for 60 days if necessary.

A trailer pumper with Chrysler motor and 400 ft. of 2 1/2 in. hose loaned by Mr. Fass of Fass Foods, Central Lake.

Boyne City loaned us a trailer with chemical tank, hose, and other equipment. Also we have extra 2 1/2 in. hose and nozzles loaned to us from Ellsworth, Charlevoix and Boyne City.

To each of these we are very grateful for their interest in our fire protection. To Boyne City, Charlevoix and Ellsworth fire departments we are deeply indebted for their quick response and efforts in our darkest moments.

We have decided on the purchase of a new fire truck, with a 3-stage, 500 gallon per minute pump, with pressure up to 700 pounds, so we can have both high and low pressure service for your protection. Also a 400 gallon booster tank. All this will be mounted on a two-ton 1948 Chevrolet chassis, having the new air conditioned cab, 2-speed axle, heavy duty frame, latest hub improvement, and the new 1948 transmission.

The A. R. Sinclair Sales and Chevrolet factory went right to bat and gave us priority over everything and this new chassis came off the line Wednesday and will then go to the factory for body assembly. We expect delivery in 3 to 4 weeks.

Everyone must be on the alert until we can get back to normal again. The Foundry whistle will sound alarm day and night if possible, but should you be awakened by the church bells ringing at night you will also know that someone has had misfortune hit them. Go and help if possible.

In time our new fire hall will be built, but now we need co-operation. "Be your Brother's keeper."

— V. J. Whiteford, Mayor.

Frank Stanek, 82 Was Lifelong Resident of This Region.

Frank Stanek was born October 13, 1865 in Bohemia, and passed away, Saturday Feb. 14, 1948, at his home in Jordan Township, Antrim County. He was ailing for some time and was confined to his bed for about a week. He came to the United States with his parents when a child, and homesteaded on a farm in Jordan Township.

Mr. Stanek was united in marriage to Mary Rebec, May 24, 1892 at the Bohemian Settlement. Mrs. Stanek passed away, April 5, 1936.

Six children were born to them, one died in infancy, the other five survive: A daughter, Mrs. Josephine Walden, East Jordan, and four sons, Frank and William of East Jordan, Peter of Wilson Township and George of Jordan Township. Thirteen grandchildren and five great grandchildren also survive.

Mr. Stanek's life work was farming. He was a member of St. John's church at the Bohemian Settlement. Funeral services were held Monday, Feb. 16, 1948, at St. John's Catholic church in the Bohemian Settlement. Requiem High Mass was conducted by Rev. Jerome Szydlowski. Bearers were, Frank Kotalik, Frank Kortan, George Rebec, Wm. Rebec, Charles Stanek and Albert Stanek nephews of Mr. Stanek. Final resting place, St. John's Calvary Cemetery.

Relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were, Mrs. Christine Coats and Mrs. Florence Bergeron of Flint; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Sutter of Chesaning and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoffman of Petoskey.

Children's Pictures to Appear.

Photograph of East Jordan's "Citizens of Tomorrow", the children who had their pictures taken at the Doris Meredith Studio this fall, will be reproduced in this paper starting next week.


This is the first time we have been able to have a local photographer take these pictures for us and we believe you'll agree they are of excellent quality.

Many parents have praised the arrangements made this year—no one had to "wait in line," all settings were free, by appointments at the Studio.

Most Valuable Player

"Gayle Saxton, Alma College grid star who was voted the most valuable player after the 1945 season, accepted a position at Carson City High School as head athletic director and assistant English teacher. Saxton was an honor student at Alma. . . He is the third basketball coach at Carson City this season—and all three are Alma College graduates."

The
Trestleboard



DID YOU KNOW that there are 571 Chartered Masonic Lodges in the State of Michigan? There are 58 in the City of Detroit alone, 5 each in Grand Rapids, Flint and Saginaw, 4 in Lansing, 3 in Ann Arbor and Battle Creek, 2 in Alpena, and one in most of the smaller towns. Representatives from each of these constituent lodges will attend Grand Lodge in Flint this year, that being the home town of the present Grand Master. The Grand Lodge is regularly scheduled to convene the last week in May.

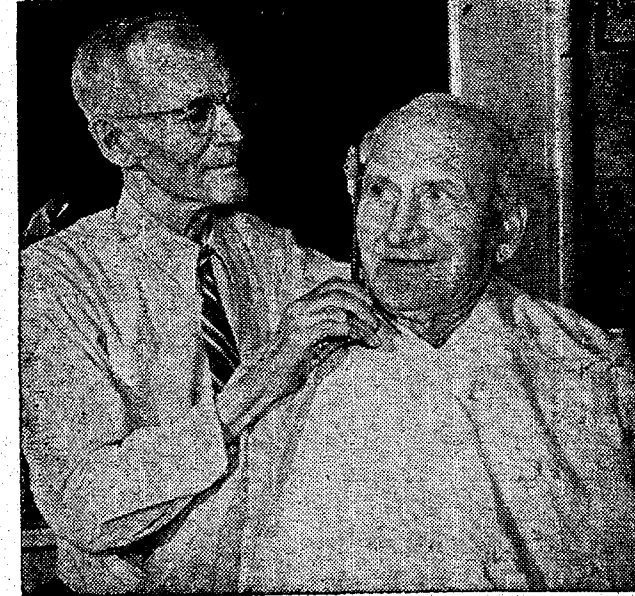
There were about sixty in attendance at the Star-Masonic get-together last week Thursday. W. E. Pengelly traveling passenger agent for the Greyhound Bus Co. gave a travelogue and showed films. Everyone there reported a most interesting and pleasant evening.

On Feb. 26th, the ladies of the OES have charge of a dinner to be served the officers and soliciting staff of the County Red Cross. The meal will be served in the basement parlors of the Presbyterian Church.

Tuesday night, Feb. 17th, there was held another Special Communication of the lodge. The Entered Apprentice degree was exemplified.

Inquiries concerning the purchase of preferred stock in the Masonic Temple Building Association have been coming in. No definite statement on this subject can be intelligently given until the matter has cleared the Securities Commission. We hope it will not be too long.

57 Years As Barber In East Jordan



East Jordan—Honest-to-goodness barbershop quartets were popular and a shave and a haircut cost only 35 cents back in 1891, when Frank Phillips, 75, started to learn the tontorial art at which he has labored 57 years—for which 55 years has been spent in the same location on the main street of this town.

Phillips got his first experience as a barber on Beaver Island as a lad of 16 when he went in search of a man who owed him \$35 for work. Unable to find the debtor, Phillips reports, he had to go to work to earn funds to pay his fare home.

When he got back to East Jordan he sought a place in a shop and the late Steve Cummings took him in as an apprentice.

"Sorry Looking Job."

His first patron was an East Jordan business man, who Phillips said was "good natured about the whole affair." It was a sorry looking job, Phillips recalled, and the man visited each of the village's five saloons to "show off" the haircut by the "boy in the Cummings shop."

But times changed and Phillips

became the leading barber in town. One of his present patrons is the fifth generation of one family that has patronized his shop, Phillips reports.

When Phillips says times have changed for the barber shop, he likes to reminisce about the 1890's, when this town was in the center of the lumber industry of the lower peninsula. Those were the days when many of his patrons were lumbermen, who came to town in the spring for a haircut and shave and got another haircut and shave before they returned to the woods in the fall.

Old Barbers Popular.

In those days the saloons and the barbershops were the most popular places in town. All of the five drinking places did a thriving business and the barber then worked long hours, staying until after midnight on Saturdays to shave the men of the town for Sunday morning church services.

Barbershop quartets were organized on a moment's notice—just about every patron of a shop had an idea he could sing.

— Courtesy Grand Rapids Press



BIG SAVINGS MADE

SIR Herbert Beerbohm Tree, English actor and manager, was interested only in the artistic merit of his productions. To achieve a desired effect, he spent money lavishly. On one occasion, he spent such huge sums that his backers protested vigorously. They threatened to withdraw their financial support unless he cut expenses immediately. Faced with this ultimatum, Tree looked about desperately for a way to effect economies.

For two days he went over the script with a fine comb. Finally he came up with a bright idea. It wasn't much of a saving, but it was the only thing he could think of. And what was this brain storm of economy? In the third act, one of his actors came on stage carrying a three cent newspaper under his arm. Tree ordered him to carry a one cent paper.

MADE POOR DEAL



The diner in the cafeteria rushed over to the manager. "I've been robbed" screamed the customer. "Somebody stole my topcoat. It was a brown coat, with raglan sleeves." "Hmhmhmhm," mused the manager, "now that you mention it, I just saw a guy walk out of here with that very coat."

The customer looked hastily toward the door. "Quick, quick!" he demanded. "What did the guy look like?"

The manager shook his head. "Terrible," he returned. "The sleeves were five inches too short!"

How He Lost It

Pete Gray, the one-armed ball player, when an American leaguer, often was irked by people asking him how he had lost his arm. One day after the game, an elderly lady fan, solicitous and worried, started asking Gray how he felt: was he tired, did he think he would make good?—and a dozen other queries which he tried to shake off courteously.

Finally the lady asked, "My son, how did you lose your arm?"

Gray did not hide his annoyance. "An old lady in Brooklyn talked it off me," he snarled as he dashed for a taxi.

Keep Expense Down

Jimmy—Pop, it says here that animals have a new fur coat every year.

Pop — Ssssh, my boy, your mother is in the next room.

Not Under Anything

A woman missed her gloves as she was leaving the restaurant where she had dined with her husband. Asking him to wait, she hurried back to look for them, searching first on the table and finally lifting the cloth to peer under it.

Just then a waiter hurried over to her. "Pardon me, madame," he said, "but the gentleman is over there by the door."

Persistence Pays

A life insurance agent called upon a big business man at the close of a busy day. When the agent had been admitted, the big fellow said:

"You ought to feel highly honored, young man. Do you know that today I have refused to see seven insurance men?"

"I know," said the agent, "I'm them!"

NO HOUSING PROBLEM



A clergyman at a dinner had listened to a talkative young man who had much to say on the Darwin theory. "I can't see," he argued, "what difference it would make to me if my grandfather was an ape." "No," commented the clergyman, "I can't see that it would. But it must have made a great difference to your grandmother."

PENINSULA...
(Edited by Mrs. E. Hayden)

Clarence Meggison of Charlevoix, called on Haydens, at Orchard Hill.

Orvel Bennett called on Mrs. Jessie Papinaeu, at Boyne City, Sunday.

22 to Sunday School at Pleasant View Farm. Largest attendance this quarter.

Mrs. Ray Loomis expects to go to Traverse City, Tuesday, to visit her sister, Mrs. Leo McGee.

Mrs. Dan Reich and Mrs. A. Reich visited Mrs. A.G. Reich at Charlevoix hospital, Thursday.

Mrs. Allen Reich and son, Dale Allen, returned home from Charlevoix hospital, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Reich spent Sat. P.M. with her mother. Mrs. J.W. Hayden is much weaker.

Bennett children and Beth Reich spent Sat. evening at the Frank Hayden home.

Mrs. Frank Russell is not improving. She expects to undergo an operation soon.

Mr. and Mrs. F.D. Russell are spending the winter with their daughter, Mrs. Sam Kamradt and family at Traverse City.

Mr. Marion Russell of Boyne City and Kenneth Russell of Peninsula, visited their mother in Traverse City this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Loomis and Mr. and Mrs. F.K. Hayden attended the

show "This Time For Keeks". I certainly enjoyed it as I spent a day on Mackinac Island 21 years ago.

Mrs. Dan Reich and Mrs. A. Reich called on Mrs. Lewis Kitson and son Jr. at Lockwood hospital, Friday. Mrs. Kitson had a set back but is getting along fine now.

Miss Beverly Bennett arrived by plane from Chicago, to spend ten days at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orvel Bennett. She is to report for work the 23rd. She visited Arlene Hayden Saturday evening.

Birthday Club met at Mrs. Ray Loomis, Feb. 12. Six members present. Afternoon spent playing Bingo. Dainty refreshments served by the hostess. Next meeting at Mrs. Chas. Arnott, March 25th.

Received word from Mr. and Mrs. Leo Beyer that they plan on spending the summer at Phoenix, Arizona, also Mrs. Beyer is taking a Nursing course and will be a Registered Practical Nurse when she is through. She is employed at the Butler Rest Home. Mr. Beyer is working at a meat packing plant.

THE ATOMIC DRINK

Science's newest boon to mankind, the Atomic Drink, is disclosed as a tasteless, colorless, odorless, dosage of radio-active iodine. See how it is conquering diffused toxic goiter by reading this revealing article in The American Weekly, famous magazine with this Sunday's (February 22) issue of The Detroit Sunday Times.

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Howard G. Moore, Pastor

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Sunday School — 11:15 a. m.

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During the past week you have noticed lower prices on many important food items in your A & P Stores.

These prices are a direct reflection of the reductions in the market cost of the food to us. Many of our customers are amazed to find these price reductions going into effect so quickly at the retail level. They wonder how we do it. There is no mystery about it.

We are able to reflect these market reductions promptly because of three basic policies:

1. We endeavor to buy our food from primary sources of supply, such as farmers, meat packers and grocery manufacturers, and move it directly to our stores and warehouses. This keeps down the cost of distribution to us and the price to you at all times.
2. When the cost of food to us goes down we do not wait until we have exhausted supplies on hand, but endeavor to reflect reductions in our retail prices promptly.
3. We are food merchants, not food speculators. We do not build up great reserves of food at any time. We are in the market from day to day, buying food to meet our customers' day-to-day needs.

The lower prices you are finding in A & P stores, coming as they do at a time when all of us are concerned with the high cost of living, have prompted many of our customers to ask us what the food price outlook is. Are there going to be further price reductions in these and other foods?

Frankly, it is impossible for anyone to predict future retail food prices without knowing whether the break in the commodity market is temporary or the beginning of a general trend. Grocers do not control the price they must pay for food. They can lower retail prices only to the extent to which they buy wisely, keep their own costs and profits down and pass along savings resulting from lower wholesale prices to their customer.

We base our retail price on the cost to us, plus our low cost of doing business, which includes our small profit of about 1 1/2 cents on each dollar of sales.

Therefore, we can say A & P prices will follow the market trend and that any further reduction in the cost of food to us, or in our costs of doing business, will promptly result in lower prices in our stores.

You can count on A & P to give you lower prices whenever and wherever it is possible. You can trust A & P to give you the most quality food for your money.

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WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Commodities Price Skid May Mean Beginning of a 'Healthy Deflation'; Russia Says U. S. Financed Hitler

Released by WNU Features.

PRICE SKID:
Deflation?

What, the harrassed American consumer wondered, was the real significance of the three-day skid in crop prices on the grain markets? Was it a harbinger of an economic crash or simply the beginning of a beneficent deflation?

No one, including grain market experts, could answer with any degree of certainty. Prices of corn and wheat had dropped the limit (8 cents for corn, 10 cents for wheat) on each of three days of chaotic trading on the Chicago board of trade. Hog prices were \$4 to \$5 per hundredweight under the all-time highs, and cattle prices slumped \$3 to \$4 per hundred pounds.

But government experts and experienced commodity traders alike were optimistic. They said it looked to them as though the market development was the beginning of a beneficial adjustment of inflationary food prices, and they counted these points in favor of such a trend:

1. The 1948 crop outlook in Europe is much brighter. Wheat acreage is up and winter rains have been helpful throughout western Europe, Russia and the Danube basin.
2. The U. S. will have a 160-million-bushel minimum wheat carryover (the amount left over from domestic consumption and exports) this year in contrast with the 82 million bushels carried over last year.
3. There was 25 per cent more wheat on hand on January 1 than a year ago.
4. Wheat exports under the Marshall plan will be smaller than those of recent years.
5. World production this year will be equal or exceed prewar figures.

These were healthy signs and they probably would redound to the good of the price-bedecked U. S. consumer, according to the experts' consensus.

Major impact of the fall-off in grain prices on the commodity markets would not be reflected in the housewife's market basket for a month or more, was the prediction; but there were some early portents that a price downturn might be on the way.

First crack in the high wall of family food costs appeared when prices of flour and lard descended in some sections—traceable directly to the collapse in values of wheat and corn.

The outlook, then, as stated conservatively by Paul S. Willis, president of the Grocery Manufacturers of America, was this: "Unless other cost factors, such as labor," offset lower commodity levels, "a halt to the upward price movement is indicated."

Meanwhile, the nation was holding its breath, ready to heave a sigh of relief or gasp of disappointment, whichever future developments warranted.

GUARANTEED:
Annual Wage

Some impartial economists and business administrators long have advocated the guaranteed annual wage for workers on a nationwide scale as an effective buffer against depressions, but the idea never has received general acceptance.

Now, however, it looked like it might be due for a shot in the arm. The President's council of economic advisors—a group whose findings carry a lot of weight with Mr. Truman—is expected to come out this spring with an official endorsement of the guaranteed annual wage.

The council currently is preparing a special report on the plan on the basis of how it operates in the few large concerns which guarantee workers a fixed yearly income regardless of seasonal or temporary layoffs.

Inklings of the council's judgment was given by Edwin G. Nourse, the chairman, who said: "The guaranteed wage doesn't lend itself to federal legislation. However, if it can become a part of American industrial practice, it will prove a highly desirable stabilization device for the entire economy."

Many industrialists, on the other hand, oppose the annual wage, insisting that such agreements would bind them to heavy outlays in time of depression, thus squeezing them between high costs and falling prices.

NO RETREAT:
Civil Rights

Did President Truman try to back down on his boldly stated civil rights program in order to appease rebellious southern Democrats in this election year?

"No, indeed; not at all," vehemently retorted Charles G. Ross, press secretary, when that report, attributed to a "highly placed senate source," came to the attention of the White House.

"There will be absolutely no retreat on any point," stated Ross, who characterized the story as being "made out of the whole cloth" and "without foundation and fact."

So, whether Mr. Truman ever had intended to modify his civil rights proposals or not, the die was cast and the Rubicon crossed, for better or worse.

The "high senate source" was quoted as saying that Mr. Truman planned a strategic retreat by issuing a statement soon, repeating his request for anti-lynch, anti-poll tax and other equal rights legislation, but—and this was the important part—omitting any reference to his previous demand for an end to racial segregation on public transportation vehicles.

Regardless of how much actual fire there was to the civil rights issue, it at least was generating a lot of smoke. Many observers viewed the situation as a bid by Mr. Truman for certain segments of the northern vote which was about 35 per cent election year bombast that would fade out and blow away as November neared.

HUSKERS:
Nostalgia

One of the numerous instances where a mellow, friendly institution has been shouldered out of the road by the march of the machine age is the virtual disappearance of the corn husking bee and the corn husking contest on Iowa farms.

The soul-satisfying staccato thump of a big ear of corn against the wagon bang board has been supplanted by the mindless corn picker crawling between two rows of the grain.

Experts estimated that 75 per cent of the 1947 Iowa crop of 9.5 million acres would have been machine picked.

Leslie M. Carl, federal-state crop statistician, said that in 1947 there was a mechanical picker for every 158,000 acres of corn.

Every progressive farmer knows, of course, that man can't compete with the machine when it comes to picking corn. A two-row corn picker can harvest 500 to 800 bushels a day, while a man working alone can pick only 80 to 100 bushels.

But that doesn't take the lure of the swiftly stripped ear and the bang board thud out of their hearts.

BAD HEALTH!
Danger on Farms

There was little joy and gladness at the third annual national conference on rural health in Chicago as more than 300 country doctors, county agents and rural health officers compared notes on the possible physiological benefits that living on a farm holds for U. S. citizens.

Their conclusions: Farm families might get lots of fresh air, but that is hardly sufficient to offset numerous other factors which tend to lower rural health standards.

"We have closed our eyes to the fact that poor housing, poor ventilation, poor nutrition, contaminated water and milk, and no insect or

rodent control can almost completely offset fresh air and sunshine," said Mrs. Gladys Talbot Edwards of Denver, getting the conference off to a start in a aura of self-accusation.

Her contention received support from Edward H. Mertz, also of Denver, executive secretary of the Farmers Educational foundation, who quoted figures:

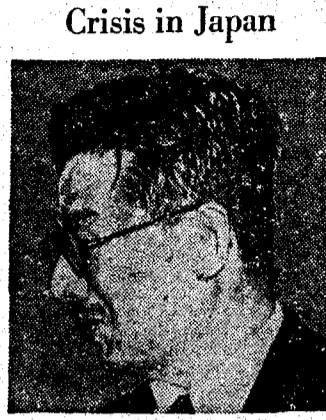
"We know that 40 per cent of the wives of low income farmers have neglected childbirth injuries; 10 per cent of their children are underweight; 65 per cent have decayed teeth. We know that only 14 per cent of all American farm mothers have the protection of hospital care when their babies are born."

EDUCATION PAYS
College Grads Get Higher Salaries

Starting salaries for college graduates have approximately doubled since 1939 and are generally \$10 to \$25 above those of last year, according to a 12-year review of employment trends completed by Northwestern National Life Insurance company.

Salaries offered 1947-48 mid-year graduates range from \$200 to \$235 a month for business administration and other non-technical graduates, compared with \$95 to \$110 before the war. For engineering graduates the range is from \$240 to \$275, compared with a median of \$135 to \$150 in 1939, the review stated.

While many seniors plan to return for graduate study under the G. I. bill of rights, demand for 1947-48 winter graduates remains strong.



Crisis in Japan

Resignation of Socialist Prime Minister Teiso Katayama and his entire cabinet has confronted Gen. Douglas MacArthur with a new Japanese government crisis. MacArthur, after a talk with Katayama, said: "His government has been confronted with serious political, economic and social dislocations which are the natural consequence of the war and the defeat."

REVERSAL?:
Palestine

Largely because of strong U. S. support in the United Nations, the plan for the partition of Palestine into independent Arab and Jewish states was put into effect. And since partition was approved the U. S. has felt, despite violent Arab objection, morally bound to uphold the act to which it had given its approval.

But now, according to reports from Washington, President Truman was being subjected to powerful pressure to reverse the U. S. policy in the U. N. on the forced partition of the Holy Land.

Key word in this development is oil. Some cabinet members, notably Secretary of Defense James Forrestal, fear that the U. S. and its cooperators in the partition vote do not recognize the danger to U. S. oil lines in the affected area.

President Truman and Secretary of State George Marshall remain unconvinced, however.

Pressure is for a frank reversal of the U. S. recognition of possibilities of a Jewish state in Palestine and for a complete about face in the U. N. on the whole subject.

What such a U. S. reversal of position at this time would mean is a frightening question. Some say it would precipitate a complete debacle for the United Nations. Others claim it would obliterate entirely the Democratic party aspirations in New York City.

COLD WAR:
Counter Charge

There was no longer any doubt that relations between the U. S. and Russia had deteriorated to the point of bitter, fruitless recriminations, name-calling and blame-laying.

The U. S. state department had got in the first telling blow along those lines by making public 260 captured Nazi documents which lay bare the politically sordid and selfish Soviet-German dealings prior to Hitler's military attack on Russia.

Prominent in this revelation was the plan worked out by Stalin and Hitler to partition Poland between them and shut Britain and the U. S. out of Europe, Asia and Africa.

Now, after three weeks of silent fuming, it was Russia's turn to offer the world an unsavory stew of the same kind of propaganda, casting aspersions at the western Allies.

American dollars and British and French diplomacy, said Moscow in an official statement, were responsible for allowing Hitler to unleash World War II. The Soviets' source material for this accusation was, of course, "important documents which were captured by Soviet troops during the smash-up of Hitlerite Germany."

The Soviet statement charged that:

1. "It was the billions of American dollars invested by overseas monopolies in the war economy of Hitler Germany that reestablished Germany's war potential and placed it into the hands of the Hitler regime."
2. Britain and France engineered a non-aggression pact between Germany and Poland in 1934 which was important "in the preparation of German aggression."

JORDAN TWP. TAX NOTICE

I will be in East Jordan Feb. 21—28 to collect Taxes for Jordan Township, (Meredith's Barber Shop.)
 7-2 Francis Nemeck, Treasurer.

CLOSING TIME
ON THE HERALD

All contributors of copy for your Charlevoix County Herald should endeavor to get same into this office as early in the week of publication as possible.

FRONT PAGE — All articles intended for the first page must be in the office by Tuesday night (6:00 p. m.) to insure publication.

MAT SERVICE — Those having mats for casting MUST have these in the office Tuesday noon for the current week's issue.

LOCALS — Please phone your local items to No. 35-W where Mrs. Ida Kinsey — who covers these columns — will care for them. These should be in not later than 6 o'clock Wednesday night.

Your Herald publisher is endeavoring to get each week's issue in the mails on Thursday afternoons. Your co-operation in getting news and advertising copy in our hands as early in the week as possible will be greatly appreciated.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

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You've heard about it, of course—an actual train that's touring the country to remind us again what true Democracy means. It carries such Americans as the Declaration of Independence, the Bill of Rights, and other immortal documents that guarantee every citizen his liberty.

A great idea! And from where I sit, we're all riding along with that Freedom Train—right now—by living in a country that protects our individual liberties—whether they apply to our right to vote, to choose our church, to speak our minds, or enjoy a glass of beer with friends.

Only thing is—we've got to prove ourselves worthy of the ride... by guarding zealously against whatever forces of intolerance encroach upon our American concepts of live-and-let-live, in a free and strong Democracy!

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WOOD — Green Mill Wood For Sale, \$15.00 per load delivered. — M. C. BRICKER & SONS, phone 264-F31, Boyne City, or write J. H. Bricker, R. 3, Boyne City 46-tf

FOR SALE — J.I. Case and Co. V. A.C. Tractor complete with lights, Starter, Hydraulic Lift—Two Row Cultivator and Hydraulic lift single 16" plow. Inquire FRANK ADDIS, R 2, Phone 161-F22. 7-3

WIRING SUPPLIES — Complete assortment on hand including metal and porcelain switch and outlet boxes, duplex receptacles, Romex wire, all sizes. Porcelain Recepticals — pull chain and keyless types. — SHERMAN'S FIRESTONE STORE, E. Jordan. 40-tf

FOR SALE—Used auto parts. I am wrecking the following cars, 1932 Chrysler 8 cylinder with good tires, 1935 Olds 6 cylinder, also some parts left for 1936 Ford and 1935 Master Chevrolet. Also many other parts too numerous to mention such as timing gear chains, pistons, rods, Starters, Generators and etc. for other makes of cars. — H.C. DURANT AUTO PARTS, 1 1/4 Miles East of Chebstonia, East Jordan, Mich., R. 1. 8x3

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FOR SALE — Roper Gas Range, like new.—MRS. MARION JACKSON, Phone 265, 304 Main St., East Jordan. 8x1

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WATCH REPAIRING — Quick service. — J. R. PORTER (Watchmaker) located in Railroad Bldg., Boyne City. 4-tf

IN STOCK — A quantity of 10x15 Metal Clasp Envelopes for sale at 5c each at THE HERALD Office. East Jordan. 37atf

FOR SALE — Potatoes. First size, No. 1, \$2.00. Egg size, No. 2, \$1.00 bu. Delivered or bring a sack. — BILL SHEPARD. 5x4

FOR SALE — Young parrakeets all colors. Also seed and cages.—PERRY LOOZE, 1/4 miles North of Peninsula Grange Hall. 6x3

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Penicillin For Teeth
Brushing your teeth with a tooth powder containing penicillin may make you less likely to have cavities or dental caries, according to experiments conducted at Western Reserve university.

That is the promising report of two doctors who used 252 human guinea pigs to study the use of penicillin as a weapon against tooth decay. In the experiment, 161 boys brushed their teeth for five months with a powder containing penicillin. At the end of the period, the doctors made counts of the number of adiosiphilus bacilli in the boys' mouths. This bacillus forms the acid which causes tooth decay.

Of the boys who had used penicillin in their tooth powder, 85 per cent had a lower bacillus count, while only 4 per cent had an increased count. Among the boys who had not had the penicillin powder, 43 per cent had fewer bacilli and 20 per cent had a higher count.

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ONE DID ITS PART

A CITY merchant is inordinately proud of his small suburban farm, from which he commutes daily. One day he was proudly conducting a visitor over his rural acres.

"You have a nice little place here," the visitor remarked.

"Yes, I think I have," was the reply.

"A nice garden."

"Yes."

"And some fine chickens."

"Especially fine chickens."

"You like chickens very much?" asked the visitor.

"Indeed, I do!" was the enthusiastic reply. "I tell you it is fine to take a basket every morning and go out after eggs."

At this point the little daughter of the amateur farmer brought the proceedings to a close by brightly chiming in. "Yes, sir, and sometimes we find one!"

NOT EVEN ADVERTISED



A man dropped his wig in the street and a boy picked it up and handed it to him.

"Thanks, my boy," said the owner of the wig. "You are the first genuine hair restorer I have ever seen."

Killing Two Birds

A tired mother was walking her wailing infant back and forth at one o'clock in the morning when the bedroom door opened. Hubby appeared on the scene carrying his shoes.

"Oh, gee," she thought, "maybe he can quiet her."

Instead, he said:

"Here, put these shoes on. While you're walking, you might as well break 'em in for me."

Or Are Lights

An ambitious little group of amateur performers was bravely contending with the manifold problems of mounting a tableau bearing the ambitious title of "Noah's Ark."

"Now, how shall we illuminate the ark?" asked one anxious participant.

"Oh, that's easy," rejoined a whimsical member. "With flood lights, of course."

Truthful Advertising

An accounting school advertised: "Short Course in Accounting for Women." A few days later a note reached the school's director. It said: "There is no accounting for women."

Exotic Delicacies

A mountaineer who came into town saw a bunch of bananas for the first time. He asked the dealer what they were.

"Bananas," he said; and then he good-naturedly added, "Try one."

"No, I reckon not," the man from the mountains replied. "I've got so many tastes now I can't satisfy. I ain't aimin' to take on any more."

After Santa Claus

Father was not greatly pleased by the school report brought to him by his hopeful. "How is it," he demanded, "that you stand so much lower in your studies for January than for December?"

"Why Dad," the boy replied in an injured tone, "don't you know that everything is marked down after the holidays?"

'TIS A GOOD WORLD



The knight of the road hit the lady of the house for a handout. As she passed over a sandwich she asked, "By the way, have you ever been offered a job?"

The tramp replied, "Only once, lady. Other than that I've met with nothing but kindness."

AN APPRECIATION

I wish to thank kind neighbors and other friends and relatives for their many acts of kindness shown me during my stay at the hospital. 8x1 Lyle Persons

Legally Speaking?

"George," remarked a friend, enthusiastically, "that wife of yours is a remarkable woman—she certainly has a will of her own!"

"Yes," moaned George, "and let me tell you, Harry, I'm the sole beneficiary."

Fresh Food!

The high point of the kiddies' party had arrived. The hostess tripped triumphantly into the tensely anticipative room bearing a heaping platter of gelatin dessert. As she placed it on the table, it quivered and shook. Most of the youngsters shouted with delight. But one, a pudgy tow-headed boy, started to leave the table.

"None of that stuff for me," he announced firmly. "It ain't dead yet."

COLLEGE EDUCATION



Blonde—I don't see how football players ever get clean.

Red-head—Don't be silly; what do you think the scrub teams are for?

Voice of Experience
"Do you think business is ever going to pick up again?" asked the reporter.

"Well," was the answer, "it's a lot like the weather. Two farmers got to talking about that one day during a long dry spell.

"Think it'll ever rain. Zeke?" asked Hi.

"Zeke took a long look at the sky, took a fresh bite of cut-plug, thought it over a moment, and said: 'Always has'."

Over-Cautious

"You remember when you cured my rheumatism a year ago, don't you, doctor?" asked the patient.

"and you told me not to get myself wet?"

"Yes," replied the doctor.

"Well, I just wanted to know if you think it's safe for me to take a bath now."

Study Club Activities

On Tuesday evening Feb. 10, The Study Club met with Mrs. Maud Porter, Mrs. Anna Sherman and Mrs. Meta Robinson assisting. The Gay Nineties program was in charge of Mrs. Agnes Hegerberg. Most of the club members attended in costume which added charm and interest to the party.

The program consisted of songs by the quartet and various members of the club, also readings suitable to the occasion. This meeting was the high light of the club year and was much enjoyed.

The club will meet with Mrs. Harriet Malpass, Tuesday evening, Feb. 24. Mrs. Betty Boswell and Leola Cole assisting. A book review by Mrs. Mattie Pammiter.

EXTENSION LEADERS TO STUDY WORK SIMPLIFICATION

The Antrim County Home Leader's Training Meeting will meet to study methods of work simplification as applied to the various tasks of homemaking at 10:00 A.M. Tuesday, February 24, 1948 at the Court House in Bellaire. Mrs. Catherine Love, Extension Specialist in Home Management, Michigan State College, will present the lesson.

The Homemakers can save much time and energy and make her job more interesting by a study of how she does it and how she can improve it. Such a study will give the worker a challenge to improve her methods of work.

All Extension Leaders are urged to be present at the Tuesday meeting.

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LOCAL NEWS

Barton Vance has been assigned to the Boston office of Ingersoll Rand Company, office of engineering.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Moore of Flint are spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Dixon, of Detroit, were over the week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Clark.

Genevieve Barnette was home over the week end from her studies at Aquinas College in Grand Rapids.

Leonard Barber has returned to his home from Charlevoix hospital where he was a surgical patient.

East Jordan Lodge I.O.O.F. will meet with the "Big 4" at Charlevoix Lodge on Wednesday, Feb. 26th.

Mrs. Tom Galmore and daughter Sherral Kay, returned home from Charlevoix hospital, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McWaters announce the birth of a son at Charlevoix hospital on Feb. 5.

Mrs. Elizabeth Green of Barley, England, is here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hurlbert.

Laymans Day will be observed Sunday February 22, at the Methodist church. The Layman will have charge of the service. The quartet will sing.

Jack and Frances Sommerville students of C.M.C. at Mt. Pleasant, spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Leo Sommerville.

Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Archer and son Larry of Muskegon, visited over the week end with the former parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Archer Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. W.T. Hatley arrived home from Sa Francisco, California Tuesday, and are now visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Moore.

Mrs. George Hoogewirth and Mrs. Carl Greene of Detroit were Friday guests at the home of their cousin, Charles Dennis Sr., and family.

Michigan Dry Cleaners. All work guaranteed. Chris's Men's Wear, agents, adv.

Ernest Koppkau went to Grand Rapids Thursday to enter the Ferguson-Droste-Ferguson hospital where he underwent surgery Saturday.

Lyle Persons returned home Saturday from Lockwood hospital, where he has been a surgical, also a pneumonia patient four weeks.

A Bake Sale, sponsored by the N.C. C. of St. Joseph Parish, will be held Saturday, Feb. 21, 1948 at the Michigan Public Service Office. advx

Mrs. Wade Healey, Mrs. Wm. Taylor, Jr., Mrs. Leo Sommerville and Mrs. Norman Bartlett were Traverse City visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Neumann, Sr., and Mrs. Wm. Neumann, Jr., were called to Saginaw, Monday, by the death and funeral of an aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Adams of Escanaba were guests last week of their daughter ad son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gouin.

The Norwegian Ladies Aid Society will meet with Mrs. Mike Gunderson, Thursday Feb. 26, at 2:30 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. George Palmateer of Petoskey, were Monday guests of his sister, Mrs. E. Koppkau and family.

Major and Mrs. Thomas Thacker announce the arrival of a daughter, Rebecca, at Houghton, Monday, Feb. 16.

Over the week end guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Maxwell were, her parents Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Petts and brother Ray Petts and daughter, Susan, of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. M. Swoboda left Thursday last for a vacation trip to California. Enroute they will visit friends in Arizona also will attend the Rodeo at Tucson.

Mrs. Gerald Sage and son Gerald D., returned to Eastport Tuesday evening, after spending Monday and Tuesday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clark.

Mrs. Pearl McHale is spending a few days in Traverse City, guest of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McHale and son Freddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Vance spent Monday and Tuesday in Traverse City visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Wirth Tennent.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strehl, Jr., received a nice valentine Feb. 14, when they became the parents of a son, Daniel John, at Lockwood hospital.

The National Council of Catholic Women will hold a bake sale Saturday, Feb. 21, beginning at 10:00 A. M. at the Michigan Public Service office. adv

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Barrick, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Kamradt and John Howell were at Kewadin Sunday where they attended the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Hockridge. The men were all members of the old Co. I, in World War 1.

Mr. and Mrs. W.I. Smith of Grand Rapids, were called here last week by the illness of her sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Sommerville, who is critically ill at Little Traverse Hospital, at Petoskey.

You can sell or trade your old stove, machine, washer or anything to Malpass Hdwe. Co. and get a new or better one. We now have the latest styles and kinds. See our beautiful spring rockers at \$12.50. adv.

The Methodist Youth Fellowship met Sunday evening in the church parlor. After the meeting a valentine party was held. Games were played and Valentines exchanged. Refreshments were served.

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The O.E.S. Past Matrons Club met with Mrs. Lulu Clark assisted by Mrs. Frances Benson Tuesday evening Feb. 17. After a delightful supper the President, Mrs. Agnes Darbee, conducted the business meeting. There were eleven present.

The M.Y.F. are sponsoring a family nite at the Methodist church Monday evening. Friends of the church are invited. Pot luck supper will be served at 6:30. After supper a program which has been planned by the young people will be given.

Francis Trojanek visited his sister Jean in Bay City Thursday and Friday. Jean and Robert Trojanek of Midland spent the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Albert Trojanek. Francis returned home with them.

Mrs. Mae Ward received word of the death, Friday of Mrs. J.J. Fahrner of Pittsburgh, Pa. Mrs. Fahrner was Miss Myrtle Ward, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ward formerly of East Jordan and step-daughter of Mrs. Mae Ward. Funeral services were held Tuesday at Pittsburgh.

The East Jordan Fire Dept., answered an alarm Friday evening at 10:30 o'clock to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. C. Barnett on the East Jordan-Boyerne Falls road where a fire of undetermined origin destroyed a woodshed unattached to the house containing coal.

The Mary Martha Class met with Mrs. E. Koppkau, Friday evening Feb. 13. After a pot luck supper, Valentines were exchanged, and the President, Mrs. Edith Swafford, called to order and the routine business was taken care of. Each member is asked to bring a dish towel at the next meeting for the church kitchen.

Allen D. Yerks of Sparta, died Saturday in a hospital in Clearwater, Fla., following a heart attack. Surviving are his wife, Grace, formerly Mrs. Irvin McGowan of East Jordan; two stepdaughters, Mrs. Charles C. Switzer and Miss Gladys McGowan of Sparta. Funeral services were held Monday evening in Clearwater at 7, P. M. Burial at North Bellmore, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Witte attended the funeral of Perry C. Poole, Monday, at the Van't Hof Funeral home in Grand Rapids. Mr. Poole was the father of Delos Poole of Laingsburg formerly of East Jordan. He was fatally injured when he slipped from a freight car of the Grand Trunk Western Railroad Co. at Grand Haven and died a few minutes after entering the Municipal hospital.

Mrs. Jane Bowen, Mrs. Minnie DesJardine, Mrs. Bertha Webster, Mrs. Amanda Shepard and Mrs. Ida Kinsey attended Harbor Springs Chapter O.E.S., at Harbor Springs, Wednesday evening, Feb. 18. A reception was given honoring Margaret Wessel, Grand Marshal of the Grand Chapter of Michigan, and a member of Harbor Springs chapter. Nine Chapters were represented. The Grand Officers exemplified the degree on four candidates. A banquet was served preceding the meeting. The Grand Soloist, Harold Kock of Dearborn, sang several numbers. The Charlevoix Trio favored with three numbers.

Lowly Corncob Utilized

In Nylon Manufacture

Even the corncob is finding its place in the synthetic world, point out Purdue university specialists. Along with cotton-seed hulls, bran of oats and rice, corncocks are being used in the making of nylon.

The cobs, hulls and other cellulosic materials are sources of a chemical known as-furfural. Approximately 200 million pounds of cobs or other agricultural by-products are needed to supply the maximum amount of furfural for only one company.

In the making of nylon, the hulls or cobs are pressure cooked in a weak acid, followed by a complicated purification process. This is followed by exacting and complicated processing to produce nylon "salt." From this "salt," nylon yarn is manufactured.

This new process provides a replaceable source for one of the basic chemicals needed for nylon. Twelve years of study and about one million dollars were used before experimentation on the new process was completed.

LOOKING BACKWARD

From the Herald Files of Forty, Thirty and Twenty Years Ago
Compiled by Mrs. Ida Kinsey

February 22, 1908

The East Jordan Board of Trade will hold its first annual Banquet March 5th. The committees in charge: Invitation, C.H. Whittington, E.A. Lewis, J.H. Graff; Program, F.E. Boosinger and B.A. Dole; Refreshments, Jos. W. Empey, John Kenny, H.I. McMillan.

Hugh, little son of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Dicken—who has been dangerously ill the past week—has a fighting chance for recovery now.

Adelbert Bennett and Miss Lylia McMillan were married by Rev. L.S. Mathews.

Mr. and Mrs. C.H. Whittington now occupy their newly purchased home, the former John Boosinger residence. Samuel Ramsey and family occupy the rooms vacated by the Whittingtons.

Among the Valentine parties given last Friday were the following:—Mrs. W.P. Porter, who entertained the High School Seniors; B.A. Dole entertained the Sabbath School Class; and Mrs. Mary Gillett and Miss Jessie Greenwood entertained friends.

Contractors Bert Wilhelm and John Monroe started Monday to build the dock for the new iron furnace and chemical plant. The dock to be 150 x 40ft. Some 600 spiles are to be used more than half being 45ft. long.

James Chanda and Miss Verschla Lenorky were married at St. Joseph church by Rev. P. Rinderman.

Plans are being made to open a night school for any man or woman, who would like to take a course in Elementary book-keeping, banking, corporations, penmanship, business arithmetic, business correspondence or elementary English. Notify Supt. Fuller.

Mrs. Ellsworth Sheldon, 33 years old, died, Jan. 12. She was a sister of Wm. H. Supernaw.

February 22, 1918

Two residences destroyed by fire. The homes of M.M. Mathers and William Heath were destroyed by fire this week with most of the household effects. A small insurance was

carried on both properties. Mrs. Eliza Bowman who has been visiting friends and relatives here for some time, left Monday for Ontario, Calif.

Mrs. James Gidley and daughter, Fern, left Thursday for Morris, Mich., called there by the illness of her mother, Mrs. A.D. Grigsby.

Miss Eunice Carr came home from Big Rapids Thursday, having completed her course at Ferris Institute.

The Electa Club was entertained at the home of Mrs. A. Dauto Thursday evening.

Births reported were a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rice Feb. 18, and a daughter, Mildred Irene, to Mr. and Mrs. Archie Quick.

Mrs. Whiteford left Monday for her home at Washington, after an extended visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Richard Supernaw.

The L.D.S. Auxiliary society will serve a pot luck lunch at the home of Mrs. D.E. Housknecht on the West Side, Feb. 28th. Price is 5 cents a plate. Everyone is invited to come.

Zero weather and trains stalled. No mail on the P.M.R.R. since first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. W.P. Porter left Wednesday for Pittsburgh, Pa., to visit their daughter, Miss Esther, and other relatives.

February 24, 1928

The E.J.H. Team lost to Elk Rapids 29 to 20, and Charlevoix 21 to 17.

A report of the Father and Son Banquet sponsored by the Methodist Fellowship Club. A very successful banquet; Two hundred and sixteen men and boys were seated. The High school orchestra furnished music.

Singing, led by John Seiler. Mrs. Len Swafford was chairman of the dining room. Mrs. Wright Carr and Mrs. Bert Fullerr assisted by Miss Hazel Crofoot of the Home Economics Dept. had charge of the kitchen. Vern Barnett was president of the Fellowship Club. A.E. Byrum, State Y.M.C.A. secretary, was the speaker. The mens double quartet sang two numbers. Others mentioned on committees

were, E.H. Clark, Roy E. Webster, W. H. Sloan, Ed. Bogart, James Ross, W.S. Snyder, Len Swafford and M.J. Williams.

Births reported were—a son to Mr. and Mrs. James Hignite. A son to Mr. and Mrs. Neil Sommerville, and a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. George Sommerville.

The East Jordan Fire Department's new fire truck received its baptism, Tuesday, when a carload of potatoes at the E.J. and S.R.R. depot caught fire from the heating stove. Loss was nominal.

Wm. Harrington fell on the icy walk near Bulow Bros. last Wednesday striking his head which rendered him unconscious. He was removed to his home, where he regained consciousness and is again about as usual.

Mr. Harrington became ill and their daughter Mrs. Nellie Sweet of Muskegon, came to care for her.

John Ter-Wee, Instructor and Director of the East Jordan High School band, accompanied the band of 45 pieces, attractively uniformed in red, black and yellow, to Petoskey, Wednesday, to the Winter Sport Carnival.

Snow Tractors Proving Superior to Snowshoes

The conservation department's two snow tractors in the Upper Peninsula are covering five times as much deeryard this winter as could have been covered on snowshoes, and they have yet to meet snow conditions that will stop them.

One of the snow tractors is a surplus army vehicle, the other a commercially produced job. They have been used mostly in the upper peninsula, assigned on a week to week basis among the peninsula's four district game managers, so all may make use of them during the season.

Snowshoes, with their two-mile an-hour travel rate, still are needed for getting the swamps, but the snow tractors get the game men into the yards and out again over old unplowed logging roads with the convenience of automobiles.

Game men report, in fact, that they have been taking the tractors where they would not take a car, pushing down or out of the way small brush and tag alders that have grown up on some of the little used old roads.

Maple Syrup Time Calls For Check Of Equipment

Get your maple syrup equipment ready. That's the advice of Ira Bull, forestry specialist at Michigan State college.

Early runs of sap, which come when the weather warms, are worth collecting. Waiting until the mild weather to wash out equipment may mean that the first run is over before you can get the pails out.

An adequate supply of cans or glass containers and labels should be purchased. Felt filters should be examined to see that there are no holes in them.

The forester also advises that thermometers be tested in boiling water to see if it reaches 212 or 211 degrees. The boiling point of water will decrease approximately one degree with every 500 feet above sea level.

If you use a hydrometer, see that it is in good condition.

An adequate wood supply is also a necessary part of syrup making. There is little time to cut fuel when the sap finally begins to flow.

THE WEATHER

Feb.	Temp.		Snow	Wind	Weather Cond'n
	Max	Min			
10	21	-24		NW	clear
11	28	4		SW	cloudy
12	26	7		SW	clear
13	27	4		SW	cloudy
14	26	10		NW	cloudy
15	27	-7		SW	pt cldy
16	43	19		SW	pt cldy

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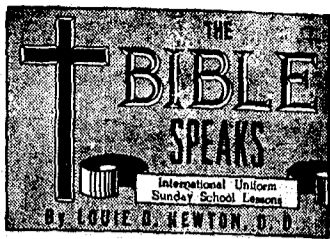
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1948 Trucks Add Comfort



Two of the comfort and convenience features of the 1948 Chevrolet truck and commercial car series are illustrated by the above view of one of the new light-delivery truck cabs. Gears are now shifted by a lever on the steering column; parking brakes are foot-operated and have been moved to the far left. The improvements clear the floor of obstructions and permit full enjoyment of the larger, roomier cabs.



SCRIPTURE: Acts 2:37-47; Ephesians 4:1-6
DEVOTIONAL READING: Ephesians 4:1-6, 11-13.

Christian Fellowship

Lesson for February 22, 1948

GEORGE WASHINGTON was a splendid example of Christian fellowship. If you will travel through the older portion of the United States, particularly in Virginia, you will come upon numerous instances of church pews marked as follows, "George Washington worshipped in this pew on blank date." Evidently, it was his custom to attend public worship in whatever community he spent the Lord's day.



Dr. Newton

Thus he entered into Christian fellowship, gaining a blessing and rendering a blessing.

The lesson passage for Sunday is found in Acts 2:37-47 and Ephesians 4:1-6, with several other passages which will be quoted before we finish the column for this week.

A HAPPY TIME IN CHURCH

READ Acts 2:41-47, and you will find a picture of a group of very happy people. Think of it, three thousand people professing faith in Jesus and receiving baptism in one day! But read on—they were not only happy at church, but they were happy because they were in the church. They continued steadfastly in the apostles' teachings and fellowship and breaking of bread and prayer.

They praised God and had favor with all the people. By their daily living they were convincing the world that fellowship in Christ is not only good on Sunday while we are at the meeting house, but good every day.

The happy homes are the homes where Christian fellowship abounds, and it is equally true in every area of life.

AT CHURCH WITH FRIENDS

"I was glad when they said unto me, Let us go unto the house of the Lord." Psalm 122:1.

THAT is poetry, you will agree, but it is also actual testimony not only of the Psalmist, but of countless junior boys and girls throughout our land who eagerly await the sound of the church bells. Boys and girls delight to go to Sunday school and worship when the life of the church is pervaded with Christian fellowship. There they meet the finest boys and girls in the community.

BELONGING TO THE CHURCH

THE passage in Acts 2:37-47 tells us how certain people, after hearing the great sermon by Peter, asked how they might be saved. He told them

"Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Spirit."

When we invite intermediate friends to attend Sunday school and worship services with us, and they come to know of the love of God, they, too, will want to be saved. It is then the high privilege of Christian boys and girls to lead their friends to accept Jesus Christ as Saviour, and come into the church.

In Ephesians 4:4-6, we read these words: "There is one body and one Spirit, just as you were called to the one hope that belongs to your call, one Lord, one faith, one baptism, one God and Father of us all, who is above all and through all and in all."

ALL ONE IN CHRIST.

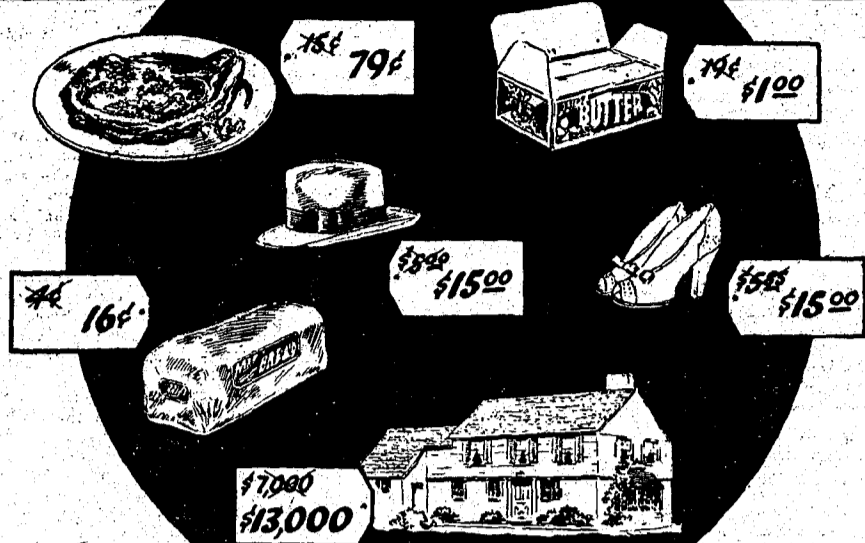
THE above passage from Ephesians teaches clearly that there is a brotherhood of man, real and abiding, when we accept the Fatherhood of God, through Jesus Christ. This is the meaning of the church. No amount of man-made creeds can save us. No amount of ritual and ceremony can save us. We are saved by grace through faith, and that is the gift of God. When we repent of our sins and believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, we are saved, and not until then.

The one adequate solvent for the crying needs of this frightened world is the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ. Just as thousands were saved on Pentecost and again on the Lord's Day when Peter preached in Solomon's porch, so today many may be saved where the Gospel is proclaimed in its simplicity and power.

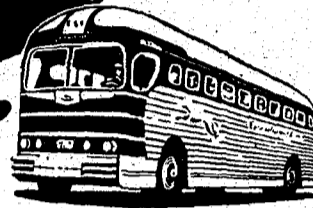
We are one in Christ, of every race and every tongue. The fellowship of Christian faith transcends every barrier—racial, economic, geographic, political, religious. We have but to proclaim the universality of this good news—proclaim it in our words and proclaim it in our daily lives. The world waits wistfully for the encompassing fellowship that is in Christ and in Christ alone.

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Rev. Joseph J. Malinowski, Pastor

MASSES

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Holydays — 6:00 and 7:30 a. m.
Week-day Masses — 8:00 a. m.

Church of God

Ora A. Holley — Pastor

Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.
Church Service — 11:00 a. m.
Sunday Eve — 8:00 p. m.
Friday evening Prayer Meeting at 8:00 o'clock.
You are invited to attend.

Lighthouse Mission

"BASEMENT CHURCH"
Corner Fourth and E. Division Sts.
Rev. Harley Barber, Pastor

Sunday School — 10:30 a. m.
Worship Service — 11:30 a. m.
Evening Service — 8:00 p. m.
Young Peoples P.Y.P.A. service — Sunday, 7:00 o'clock.
Wednesday evening prayer meeting 8:00 o'clock.

Presbyterian Church

Rev. C. S. Hastings — Pastor

10:30 a. m., Morning Worship.
11:45 a. m., Sunday School.
6:30 p. m., Young People's Meeting.

Full Gospel Church

Rev. Sanford Cook, pastor

Sunday School — 10 a. m.
Morning Worship — 11 a. m.
Evangelistic Service 8:00 p. m.
Prayer & Praise, Thursday, 8 p. m.

United Missionary Church

Rev. F. I. Rouse, Pastor

Preaching Service — 11:00 a. m.
Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.
Evening Service — 7:30 p. m.
Thursday Prayer Service — 8:00 p. m.

Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints

Pastor — Elder O. Olson

Church School — 10:00 o'clock.
Preaching — 11:00 o'clock.
Zion's League — 5:00 o'clock.
7:30 p. m. — Preaching service.
Prayer Meeting — Wednesday night at 8:00 o'clock.

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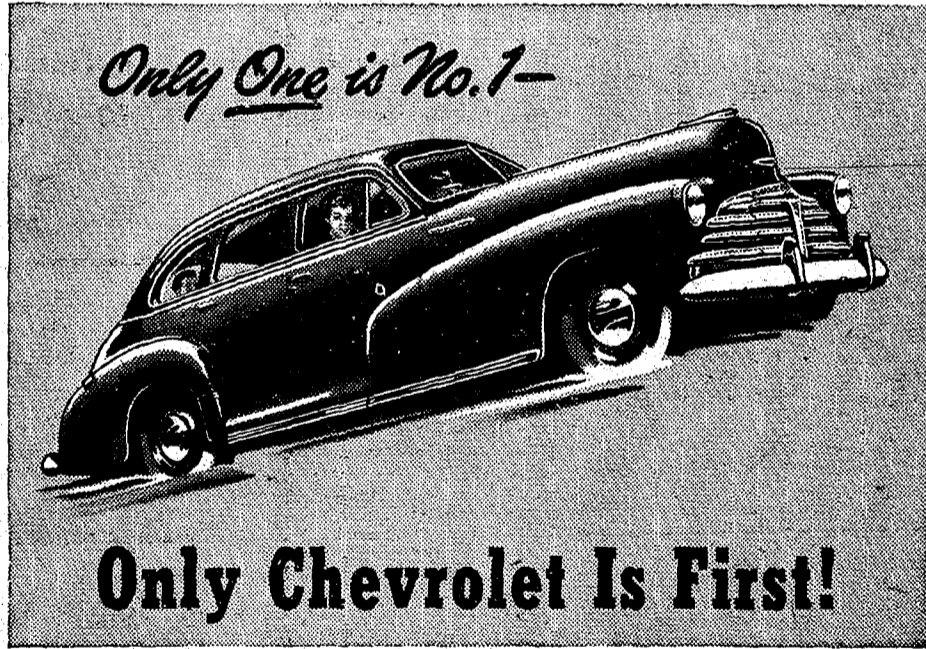
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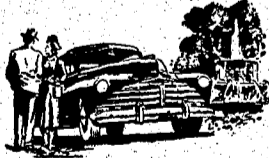
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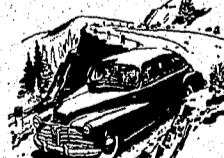


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Farm Topics

DAIRY MEETING PLANNED:

With many farmers in Charlevoix County joining our Artificial Breeding Association some difficulty in some herds is experienced with breeding difficulties. For various reasons cows are requiring additional services which makes it more expensive for the farmer. Dr. Glen Reed from Michigan State College has been scheduled to appear in this County and lead a discussion on this topic. One meeting will be held Tuesday afternoon February 24 at 2:00 P. M. in the Ellsworth Community Hall. Another meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon February 25 at 2:00 P. M. in the basement of the Boyne City Library. Whether you belong to a Artificial Breeding Association or use your own bull, you should plan on attending one of the above meetings.

FRUIT GROWERS TO MEET:

Friday February 27 the State Horticulture Society will hold their annual meeting in the Traverse City Auditorium, beginning at 9:30 A.M. A very complete program has been planned and all fruit growers should plan on attending this meeting.

SOIL CONSERVATION:

Two meetings were held last week in regards to the proposed Soil Conservation District in Charlevoix County. The East Jordan Rotary Club and their former guests met Tuesday afternoon at East Jordan, Guy Springer from Traverse City discussed the legal aspects of a district and answered the question, "where do we go from here?" Last Thursday evening all the leaders of the local Farm Bureau groups met at the home of Leonard Bobble and the discussion was led by the County Agricultural Agent on establishing a Soil Conser-

vation District. Mr. Springer and the County Agent spent Tuesday afternoon with Pather Kupinski of Boyne City and he has agreed to help us in the Boyne Falls area. More meetings along this nature are planned in the near future. Briefly the steps to obtaining a District are:

1. Petitions must be circulated and signed by land owners and sent to the State Committee. The State Committee then holds a hearing and the needs of conservation in Charlevoix County is discussed. After the hearing a public election is held—at which time it is decided by vote whether or not to form a District. Petitions will soon be circulated and all will have a chance to sign them if they desire.

A former drug addict tells her story! Don't miss "I Was A Drug Addict" in The American Weekly, the great magazine of true-life stories distributed with SUNDAY'S CHICAGO HERALD-AMERICAN.

Shipbuilding Swallows Steel
During the war the shipbuilding industry was the biggest user of steel, consuming more than 35 million tons.

Pete the Paper Puppet

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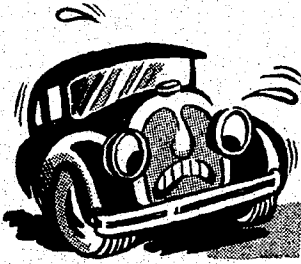
JOHN had been permitted to attend a stag dinner, and now he was back home telling his wife about it.

"We had a rather unpleasant moment just before the party broke up, dear," John related. "Harry Green started handing out a lot of gossip, and we had to reprove him sharply. As you know, we don't allow idle gossip at our parties."

"Most commendable," his wife commented. "Most commendable." John finished the account, and was preparing to turn out the lights, when he noticed a familiar questioning expression on his wife's face. "What is it, dear?" he asked. "Was there anything I forgot to tell you?"

"Yes, dear," said the little woman, "you might tell me what that gossip was that Harry Green told at the party."

JUST LIKE A WOMAN



A garage man answered the distress call of a woman motorist whose car had stalled. He made an examination and informed her it was out of gas.

"Will it hurt the car," she asked, "if I drive it home with the gas tank empty?"

Saying a Good Word

According to mountain country custom, everyone gathered to speak the highest tribute they could when the old feudist was laid away.

Finally, it came the turn of one of the departed's grizzled antagonists to voice his piece.

Removing his battered hat and hesitating a little, he said, at last: "Now, I tell you—Dave weren't al-lus as cussed ornery as he was sometimes."

Pat on the Back

"All men yearn for public adulation," said Ding, the famous cartoonist. "And don't let anyone tell you differently."

A friend of the artist's wife visited his studio and, looking about at his drawings, gushed, "Wonderful! You must get a great deal of praise from all sides."

Ding laughed. "Not a whit more than I need," he admitted.

Won't Be Long

"Eliza," said a friend of the family to the washerwoman, "have you seen Miss Edith's fiance?"

"No, ma'am, it ain't been in the wash yet."

Experienced

"For managers and overseers," proclaimed a great Chinese landowner, "always give me married men."

"And for what reason?" a visitor inquired.

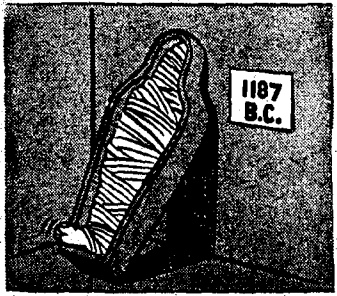
"Because," said the wealthy Chinese, "I abhor the muddled, unclear reports that have been sent to me by bachelors. They have never had to explain anything to a wife!"

Ill-Natured Effects

Down in Birmingham, Ala., recently, a negro woman hastily summoned a physician to attend her moaning, groaning husband.

"I ain't sure what's de matter wid him, doctor," she reported doubtfully, "but I think he done got hold of some of dat good-natured alcohol."

WELL! SOMETHING DID



Little boy (looking at a mummy in the museum)—I wonder what this sign "1187 B. C." means?

Other lad—I bet that's the license number of the car that hit him.

Motion Passed

In one of California's small coast towns a distinct earthquake shock was felt. When the municipal building rocked on its foundations, the city fathers, then in session, left quickly and without the usual formalities. The clerk, a man of rules and regulations, was hard put to give his minutes the proper official tone. Finally he evolved this: "On motion of the city hall, the council adjourned."

Going the Rounds

Wife—What did you get drunk for in the first place?

Husband—No, you're wrong. I didn't get drunk in the first place, it was in the last place.

Homemakers' Corner

Home Economics Specialists
Michigan State College

BALANCE MEALS WHEN YOU BALANCE BUDGET

When you cut down the amount of meat you serve your family in order to balance your food budget, don't forget to balance your meals with enough of the right substitutes.

There are some plant foods which contain fairly large amounts of most of the essentials we get from meat. Advises Anne Louise Kelly, instructor in nutrition research at Michigan State College.

Meat, fish, milk and eggs usually serve as the main sources of protein in our diet as well as sources of minerals and vitamins. Choosing foods that will make up equally for the loss of animal foods is difficult.

Of the plant foods one of the more important substitutes is dry beans. Dry beans are a good source of cal-

cium, iron, phosphorus, copper, manganese and several of the "B" vitamins. They also contain some of Vitamins A and E, liberal amounts of carbohydrates, some fat and more protein than any other vegetable.

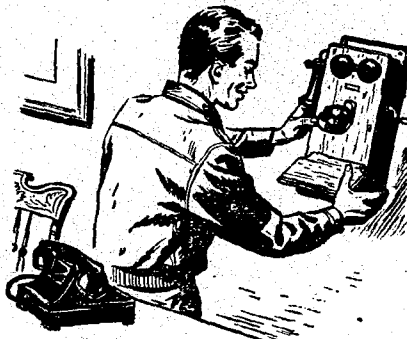
How you cook these beans is very important to the food value you get from them and also in making them more easily digested. They should be cooked a long time in moist slow heat. When you use them as a meat substitute add small amounts of lean meat in order to supply your family with enough protein.

Rural Tele-news



NUMBER PLEASE: Two dozen different kinds of Michigan Bell operators provide telephone service in Michigan—local, long distance, information and others. Latest is the mobile service operator who handles calls to and from motor vehicles.

BIGGER SPAN . . . LOWER COST: New high-strength steel wire now is being used for many rural lines instead of galvanized iron wire. The new wire, under certain conditions, lets us span our poles up to 350 feet apart. This means fewer poles and less hardware and reduces the cost of rural-line construction.



GOODBYE, OLD CRANK: Last year, some 2,700 Michigan Bell customers said goodbye to familiar crank-type telephones which were replaced with more modern equipment. Still more Michigan Bell customers in rural areas will have their telephones "changed over" this year. It's all a part of our \$13,500,000 postwar rural expansion and improvement program.

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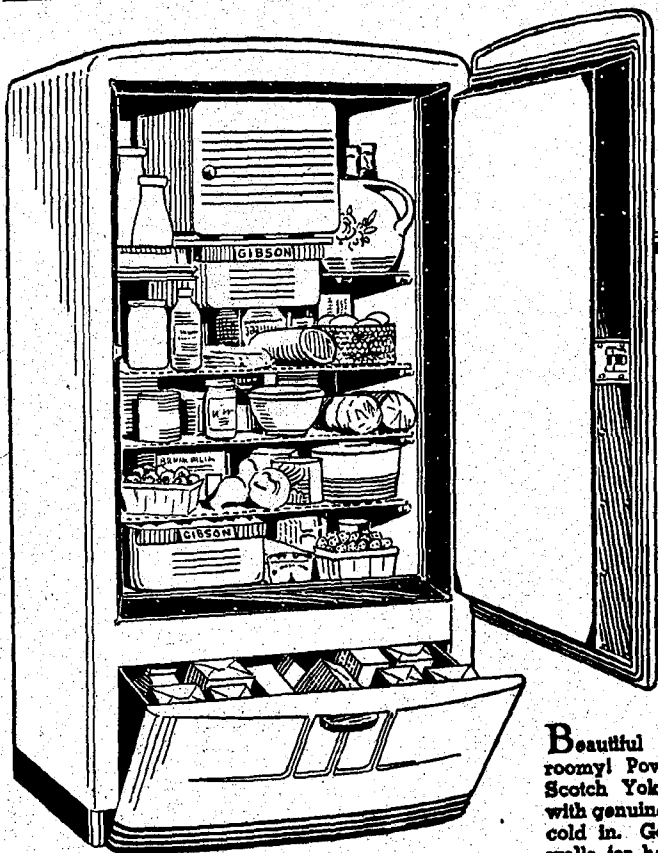


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MARRIAGES

Skrocki — Rablee

A very lovely wedding was solemnized Saturday, Feb. 7th, at the Resurrection Catholic Church in Lansing, Mich., where Margie Skrocki and Donald Rablee were united in marriage by Rev. John Gabriels.

The bride who was given in marriage by her brother, Chester Skrocki, chose for her wedding a taffeta gown with a sweetheart neckline, long tapering sleeves and a full skirt with a long train. Her long length veil was held in place by a beaded crown trimmed with satin. She carried a bridal bouquet of calla lilies. Clara Skrocki, sister of the bride, attended as maid of honor. She wore a pale blue gown of taffeta and was styled with a sweetheart neckline and full skirt. Her headdress was a crown of blue flowers thimmed with a matching veil. She carried red roses.

Richard Ballard, friend of the groom was best man, and Sue Nemecek, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. She wore a pale orchid taffeta gown with a sweetheart neckline and full skirt. Her headdress was a crown of matching flowers and veil. She carried pale pink roses.

Ruth Ann Kratochvil was junior bridesmaid. Her gown was yellow taffeta with a sweetheart neckline and

Hunt — Cihak

A quiet wedding took place at the Methodist Parsonage Friday, Feb. 13, at 8:00 P. M. when Rev. Howard G. Moore united in marriage Helen Hunt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bennett, and Emmanuel Cihak. They were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Kamradt. They will make their home in the city on Garfield Street.

full skirt. Her headdress was a crown of yellow flowers and she carried red roses and white carnations.

Mrs. Rablee selected for her son's wedding a black dress with matching accessories. Her corsage was of red roses and white carnations.

Following the wedding a breakfast was held at the "Pagoda" restaurant for the immediate family. A reception was held at the groom's home from two P.M. to five P.M. After a short wedding trip, the newlyweds will reside in Lansing where both are employed.

Out of town guests who attended the wedding were—Clara Skrocki, Chester Skrocki, Ruth Ann Kratochvil, Mrs. Adam Skrocki, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Nemecek of East Jordan and Mr. and Mrs. John Skrocki of Detroit.

Last Captives In Reich Freed

United States Is the First of Occupying Powers to Liberate Prisoners.

BERLIN.—The United States has released all German prisoners of war and completed destruction of top priority German military defense works in the United States zone, according to an announcement made by Gen. Lucius D. Clay.

The American military governor, in a review of demilitarization, said that from May 10, 1945, to June 30, 1947, the United States discharged 8,010,007 prisoners of war. The figure includes hundreds of thousands of Volksturm and other auxiliary troops captured as American armies advanced across Germany. Many were released within a few hours.

Several hundred thousand prisoners turned over to France and a lesser number to Great Britain are considered French and British prisoners subject to release by those nations.

First to Free All.

The Americans are the first of the four occupying powers to release all their German war prisoners. The Russians have announced they still hold 900,000. The British have 267,000 in the United Kingdom and 77,000 in the Middle East. Latest available figures also give the French several hundred thousand.

Steps taken toward disarmament of Germany are progressing actively, Clay said. Captured German war materials are being destroyed or converted for use in the peacetime economy. Explosives are being transformed into fertilizer for farms.

The German war potential is being reduced by destruction of war plants or removal of their equipment. Work has been completed on 36 of the 128 war plants listed for demilitarization. The progress report included:

Disposal of German war material is anywhere from 43 per cent complete for chemical warfare ammunition to 100 per cent for naval armaments and armored equipment.

100 Per Cent Destroyed.

Priority 1 installations are 100 per cent destroyed. These include 94.3 square kilometers of mine fields, more than 1,300 defensive construction, and U-boat pens.

Priority 2 installations are 60 per cent destroyed. These include V-weapons sites, fighter control and radar installations, permanent fortified land obstacles, permanent coastal defense, airfields, underground factories and depots and military research centers. These must be eliminated by January, 1949.

Military installations other than fortifications and defense works are 91 per cent disposed.

While the opportunity for Germany's military resurgence was being prevented through destruction of her war capacity, the report said that because revival of peacetime industry had made such limited progress "prospects for the months immediately ahead do not warrant great optimism."

"The industrial capacity for sustained expansion is available, but until considerable progress is made toward solution of the food, coal and transport problems, no vigorous resumption of the industrial upswing can be anticipated," the report said.

Crime, particularly thefts of food, clothing and wood, continued upward. Illegal border crossings, almost entirely infiltrations from the Soviet zone to the west, continued to mount. The report said 40,302 persons were turned back at the zonal frontier and 3,239 arrested.

Ways Have Been Found to Keep Walls of Houses Dry

MINNEAPOLIS.—The bugaboo of some homes—condensation of moisture on walls and ceilings—has been overcome, or can be prevented, according to Prof. Frank E. Rowley of University of Minnesota's engineering experiment station.

Rowley has written a nontechnical circular which was distributed to home owners, planners and builders in which he pointed out ways of preventing such condensation.

Paper or sheet vapor barriers may do the job in new construction, he said, while suitable paint on the interior of existing houses often will be a cure.

Basement moisture also may be eliminated, Rowley reported, by ventilation, insulation, the use of moisture-absorbing material and insulation of pipes.

Louisianan Builds Gallows; Shoots and Hangs Himself

HARAHAN, LA.—John Steirer executed himself after building a crude wooden gallows in the yard of his home and pulling a black hood over his head.

Sheriff John Stuart said that Steirer apparently effected the combination hanging and shooting in this fashion:

"He must have climbed up on a barrel after putting on the hood and slipping a noose around his neck. Then he shot himself in the right temple and tumbled off the barrel, tightening the rope around his neck."

Council Proceedings

The Regular Meeting of the Common Council was held Monday evening, February 16, 1948 at 7:30 P.M.

The meeting was called to order by Mayor Whiteford. Present: Mayor Whiteford, Alderman Malpass, Somerville, Griffin, Nowland, and Clark. Absent: Alderman Bussler.

Minutes of the last Regular and Special Meetings were read and approved.

Bills were presented for payment:

E.J. Co-operative	\$296.00
Quality Food Market	6.48
A.R. Sinclair Sales	31.25
General Sales Company	3.25
Firemen	35.50
Carl Moblo	103.70
Kenneth Isaman	80.25
Alex La Peer	21.10
Charles Dennis	2.80
Charles Chaddock	2.80
Harry Simmons Salary and Expense	102.50
Meals for prisoner	1.25
Workmen's Compensation Insurance	105.59
Eve and Dell's	1.00
Mrs. P.O. Hegerberg, gift	5.00

Total \$798.47
Move by Malpass and supported by Nowland that the bills be allowed and paid. Carried all ayes.

Moved by Clark and supported by Griffin that the following men be appointed to the City Planning Commission: Keith Dressel, and Obert Burrill for a term of two years each; Clyde Goodman, James Gidley, and Howard Porter for a term of three years each. Carried all ayes.

Moved by Somerville, and supported by Nowland that E.J. Iron Works make new nipples with standard thread for fire hydrants in the

Mrs. E.B. Garrison went to Grand Rapids, Tuesday, to attend a Training school in connection with the American Cancer Society.

City. Carried all ayes.

Moved by Malpass, and supported by Somerville that we accept the State Fire Marshall's loan of a truck for 60 days and the Conservation De-

partments loan of a truck. Carried all ayes.

Thelma Hegerberg, City Clerk.

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JORDAN...

(Edited by Mrs. Tom Kiser)

Mr. John Rude called on the Omland families last week.

Bill Zoulek called on Al Webb Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. David Wertz and children called on Mr. and Mrs. Albert Omland and family, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Skinner of Manacelona, called at the Frank Atkinson home Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Whitlow were last Monday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Weldy.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Kiser and son Ted, spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kiser.

P.F.C. Thomas G. Kiser Jr., is now stationed at Camp LeRoy Johnson, New Orleans, La.

Mrs. Tom Hayden of Boyne City called on her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Weldy, Monday.

Mrs. Lulu Clark, Mrs. Bessie Montroy, Mrs. Phelmena Webb and Mrs. Irene Kiser called on Mrs. Vivian Atkinson, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Dingman and children, Linda and Carl, of Central Lake, were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Al Webb.

Mrs. Frank Atkinson spent Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Mrs. Andrew Dubas, who has been on the sick list.

Mr. Jerry Webb, who is employed in Muskegon, was a week end guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Al Webb and daughter, Gail, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Verellen and Mrs. Gladys Wells.

SOUTH ARM...

(Edited by Mrs. Arnold Smith)

South Arm Grange is holding an open meeting Saturday, Feb. 21st.

Mr. and Mrs. Wally Goebel were Saturday evening callers at the Arnold-Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolin Dougherty and son, were Sunday dinner guests of their parents and Alfred Dougherty and family were supper guests.

Rev. Buck of Petoskey, will be at the Ranney Sunday School, Thursday, Feb. 19, for an evening meeting. All are welcome.

Grandma Moore has been spending the past week with the Walter Moore family, as Mrs. Moore has been ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Smith and children were Sunday dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Brintnall were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Archie Murphy and family. Mr. and Mrs. Homer Mason called in the afternoon.

Friday evening Mr. and Mrs. Verel Chawford entertained Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Goebel and family.

Irene Crawford, Georgia Murphy, Gertie Graham, Alma Hart and Stella Dougherty were Petoskey visitors Thursday, calling on Mrs. Mary Lord who is a patient at the Lockwood hospital.

WANTED — Clean rags for cleaning purposes. Urgently needed NOW. Will pay 5c per lb. for rags free from buttons, etc., and not less than 1 sq. foot in size. Cannot use heavy material like overalls, etc. THE HERALD OFFICE. 8-

It's easier to blame the farmer, the food retailer, than yourself.



Don't kick the farmer or the food retailer in the pants in all the current discussions regarding high food prices! They aren't responsible for high food prices.

Who is? Listen to Paul S. Willis, president of the Grocery Manufacturers of America, Inc. We heard him recently at a newspaper advertising convention in Chicago. Here is an excerpt worthy of careful consideration today, even though there appears to be some current trend toward lower prices:

"When will food prices come down? When all the elements of cost come down. If we wish to send vast quantities of food to the rest of the world—and I assume we do—then we must accept the inevitable consequence: scarcity and high prices at home.

"If we wish labor to have high wages and shorter hours, to enjoy a higher standard of living, then we must remember that this increases the cost and we must pay for it.

"If we want the government to engage in the multitudinous activities which it now supports, then we must accept that this costs money and means higher taxes here, and high taxes mean higher prices. If we want lower prices, the farmer, the manufacturer, the working man, the distributor, the transport industry and the government must put their heads together and see what each is doing, which may be eliminated, what each is charging which may be reduced.

"It is really very simple to figure out why food prices are still comparatively high. The quick answer is that the demand is greater than the supply... there are more dollars than there is food. Our own people are bidding for the supply while the whole world is bidding against them. That always makes high prices.

"Another answer is this: Food starts on the farm but before it reaches the homemaker it passes through many hands and processes. First the manufacturer must buy from the farmer. According to government figures, he had to pay \$2.65 in 1947 for farm products that cost him \$1 in 1939. He had to pay \$1.80 for the same amount of labor which cost him \$1 in 1939. At each step the cost of doing business... for labor, materials, equipment... is up from 75 to 100 per cent."

Are high food prices the result of high profits?

Food manufacturers' profit on the sales dollar was 4.6 cents in 1939, 3.9 cents in 1946, and 3.5 cents in 1947. Retailer profits are smaller, too, amounting to about 1.5 cents on the dollar. If both the manufacturer's and retailer's profits were wiped out on a can of beans, the consumer saving would be six tenths of a cent.

"What's the answer then?" you ask. "If the American people really want to help themselves and their country," added Mr. Willis, "then they must discard the philosophy of easy work and easy money, and substitute the hard work and hard money philosophy which enabled our forefathers to build this country to its present strength.

"All of the American people... industry, press and public... are in this thing together. All segments of our economy are responsible in one way or another for present high prices, and all must work together to bring about the adjustment necessary."

The trouble with this advice is that it's too old-fashioned, it's too sensible.

"Mr. Penney, I have a problem..."



"I do all the sewing for my family... and my three teen-age daughters need lots of pretty clothes. So I have to shop around continually for good buys in fabrics. And that takes time from my housework and sewing. I get so discouraged sometimes! Can't you help me?"



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