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## WASHTENAW COUNTY

Glen Peper of Ypsilanti, who mysteriously disappeared from home June 12th, was located at Aurora, Ill., working in a cannery.

Harlan H. Johnson, managing editor of the Ann Arbor Times, died Saturday night after an illness of several months. He was 47 years of age and leaves a widow, one daughter and two sons.

It is expected that there will be liberal honey exhibit at the county fair next fall. Pounds have been sold to date. The poultry interests of the country could also awaken an interest in their various stocks of purebred chickens if they would all make a showing of prize birds. The poultry business will increase henceforth because grain prices have dropped more than the price of eggs.

## LENAWEE COUNTY

Since congress has adjourned, Hon. Earl C. Michener, representative of the 2nd Michigan district, has returned to his home in Adrian. He is a member of the committee on the judiciary.

So rapidly are bountiful orders on rats, woodchucks, hawks and other obnoxious birds and animals coming to the county treasurer, he has been given permission by the board of supervisors to borrow \$10,000 if necessary to meet the obligations.

## SOCIETIES

MANCHESTER LODGE NO. 148, F. & A. M., meets at Masonic Hall the first Monday evening of each month. Visiting Companions cordially welcomed. Austin Youmn, High Priest. Ed. E. Hood, Record.

MERIDIAN CHAPTER NO. 48, R. & A. M., meets at Masonic Hall, First Thursday evening in each month. Visiting Companions cordially welcomed. Austin Youmn, High Priest. Ed. E. Hood, Record.

ADONIRAM COUNCIL NO. 24, R. & S. M., meets at Masonic Hall, First Tuesday evening in each month. Visiting Companions cordially welcomed. Austin Youmn, High Priest. Ed. E. Hood, Record.

MANCHESTER CHAPTER NO. 101, O. E. S., meets at Masonic Hall, First Tuesday evening in each month. Visiting Companions cordially welcomed. Fred Blodder, W. M. Mrs. Muri Sutton, Secretary.

RIVER RAISIN TEMPLE NO. 124, PYTHIAN SOCIETY, meets at 10th and Jefferson Thursday evening during July and August. Balance of year second, and fourth Thursday evening during September and October. Visiting Companions cordially welcomed. Mrs. Anna Davison, M. E. C., Mrs. Margaret Dicke, M. of R. & C.

## BUSINESS CARDS

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## FREEDOM STORE BURNS TO GROUND

Family Living Above Barely Escape  
With Their Lives—Old Vogel  
House Also Burns.

The Freedom store, conducted by Mrs. Wotring, burned to the ground early Friday morning and was a complete loss of both building and contents. With it also was burned the Vogel home, but a few feet distant.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

About midnight Mrs. Wotring and two sons and daughter returned from Ann Arbor and retired. About 2:00 a.m. the were awakened by smoke, which was so dense that they could scarcely make their way down stairs and out of the building. One of the boys was forced to jump from an upstairs window. The fire at that time was burning so fiercely that even clothing of the family was not saved and the large stock of general merchandise could not be even touched.

Adjoining the store on the east side was a garage containing an auto and truck. This was but a few feet from the Vogel home, which was soon in flames and about all that was saved was furniture and fittings on the ground floor.

Mrs. Wotring estimates her loss

at fully \$20,000, with about half that amount of insurance. Fred Waggoner also had a policy on the building.

The building, which was 20x70,

was erected by Fred Waggoner about 18 years ago, at the completion of which he opened the store with a general merchandise stock and conducted it with success for a number of years, selling out to Beatty & Dietle.

Mr. Beatty selling to Mrs. Wotring after Clarence Dietle had withdrawn from the firm. Mrs. Wotring came from Metamora, O., and had been in business less than a year.

The Vogel house was a landmark in Freedom and was well known as the home of Fred Vogel, one of the best known men in that section

## TRUELY MARVELS OF NATURE

Immense Trees in Calaveras Grove,  
California, Worth Trip Across  
Country to See.

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With Their Lives—Old Vogel  
House Also Burns.

One of the most interesting sightseeing places in California for the nature lover is Calaveras grove, famous for the grandeur and age of its big trees. The grove is privately owned and is in a small valley near the head waters of the San Antonio, at an elevation of 4,700 feet. In the grove are ten trees, each 30 feet in diameter and more than seventy trees between 15 and 30 feet in diameter.

One of the trees, now down, "the father of the forest," must have been 450 feet high and 40 feet in diameter, according to a New York Times writer.

In 1853 one of the largest trees 82 feet high, was cut down. Five men worked 25 days felling it, using large axes.

The stump of this tree has been smoothed off and now accommodates 32 dancers. In 1853 a newspaper, the Big Tree Bulletin, was printed there.

Near the stump is a section of the tree 25 feet in diameter and 20 feet long, beyond lies the immense trunk as it fell, measuring 302 feet from the base to the extremity. Upon this was situated a barroom and tenpin alley, stretching along its upper surface for a distance of 81 feet, affording ample space for two alley beds side by side.

We learn that former attendants of the ward school in this village will attempt to induce all teachers and scholars to attend a reunion here on Homecoming Day, Aug. 16.

A good idea.

About 15 Manchester Masons attended the ceremonies of laying the corner stone of the new Masonic Temple at Ann Arbor last Friday afternoon. Aside from marching in the procession to the temple and partaking of the supper served afterward, they took no part in the exercises, which were conducted by officers of the grand lodge.

We call the attention again of our business men and the common council to the untidy appearance of Exchange Place, which is strewn with paper and other rubbish. Some way should be provided to prevent the careless throwing of paper, etc., on the walks and in the street.

Receptacles should be provided into which

fondans and others should be required to place anything they desire to throw away.

Manchester friends at San Bernardino cottage at Wampler lake on the 4th were pleased to receive a call from Mr. and Mrs. Harold Tolford of Hudson. Mrs. Tolford will be remembered as Miss Opal Hagerman, who lived with her parents here where Mr. and Mrs. John Wuerthner now reside. Mr. Tolford is employed in one of the banks at Hudson and is also one of the officers of the base ball association there. Their mother, now Mrs. Ruhle, still resides in Blissfield.

Austin Vogel and his son Walter have good times fishing at Wampler lake, where they have a cottage and frequently spend a few days or a week, but they never had a livelier time than a few days ago when an 8-lb. garfish tried to run away with Anton's bobber. The fish got the bobber all right and it also got the line securely wound round its bill and though not hooked could not get loose. He made some fight all right and reduced the fish's pectoral to bits, but the elder Vogel held on at the same time crying to his son, "Help me, help me," at least that is what Walter says. Of course they thought he had hooked a bass or pickerel of whale-like proportions and were chagrined when the long bill came to the surface and the fight was over.

What Poetry Is Not.

Attitudes towards poetry are as various as its kinds. And the reader must have thought over these attitudes when he considered the problem of creating an audience or becoming a part of one, says Jeannette Marks

in the Egyptian book of Adam and Eve.

In this story he is represented as having been chosen of God "from all generations of men," to stand by the body of Adam after it had been brought back to Jerusalem. He is supposed to have remained with Adam's body under the protection of an angel until he encountered Abraham. He is one of the four mentioned in Holy Writ as "without father and without mother, without descent, having neither beginning of days nor end of life, but made like unto the son of God abiding for ever."

French "Convulsionnaires".

The Convulsionnaires were a curious group who flourished in France in the early part of the Eighteenth century.

They were in the habit of meeting in St. Medard's churchyard, in the suburbs of Paris, in which was located

the tomb of Abbe Francois de Paris, where countless miracles were alleged to have been performed.

The members of the sect threw themselves into the most violent contortions, rolled on the ground, imitated birds

and animals and fishes, and when entirely exhausted fainted, or went into convulsions.

"Of course, it helps my business some," he said. "But I wish people wouldn't do it, because it is wasteful. And waste, you know, is the great American habit that keeps the cost of living high."

Origin of Flavors.

Among the most remarkable glimpses into hidden corners of nature that scientific advance has afforded are the frequent discoveries of micro-organisms in unexpected places, where they produce phenomena heretofore supposed to rise from other causes. For instance, a scientist in Upsala, Sweden, ascertained that

in preparations of meat and fish containing salt to the amount of 15 per cent.

micro-organisms grow luxuriantly, and he concludes that the flavors and odors that are peculiar to various salt conserves are due to the micro-organisms with which they are crowded.

See Geographical Change.

A variety of corn grains was found

in the mortuary urns of prehistoric

graves, unearthed in Tennessee. The

only other cereal of its kind occurs in

the West Indies. This is taken by the

bureau of ethnology as proof of in-

tercommunion between the ancient

peoples of North America and those

islands, if not evidence that within

the time of man the West Indies were a

continuous part of the North American

mainland. As the locality in which

these graves have been found becomes

more fully searched, it is possible that

other surviving evidence in this con-

nection will be found.—Scientific American.

Faltering Faith.

"Do you believe in the wisdom of

the plain people as firmly as ever?"

"Up to the present time," replied

Senator Sorghum. "But if my an-

tagonist shows as much strength as

he claims at the next election it's go-

ing to shake my faith somewhat."

## COULDN'T PART FROM CLOCK

Elderly Lady's Most Cherished Posses-

sion Had to Accompany Her on

Long Visit.

After her children married and moved away, the woman reluctantly sold the house in which they had all been born and brought up, and moved into an apartment, taking for herself only her most cherished possessions. The best beloved of all her things was her grandfather's clock.

Finally her oldest daughter persuaded her to desert her apartment for a winter and come and stay with her.

"I wonder that you didn't bring the grandfather's clock!" her daughter said, as they drove from the station to the house. "Really, I'm surprised at you, mother."

Most of the hay harvest was com-

pleted and wheat harvest was begun

before July 1st, which is quite un-

usual in this section, however wheat

harvest is in full swing this week.

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A flush swept up the woman's

cheeks. "I—I did bring it," she whispered self-consciously. "I thought you wouldn't mind if I kept it in my room. It's coming or the next train

—this one didn't carry freight."

For a moment the daughter looked at her in amazement; then she threw back her head and laughed.

"You really brought it?" she de-

manded incredulously. "I might have known! You didn't bring the sideboard or anything?"

Still blushing, the mother shook her head. "Just the clock," she said. "I—I just couldn't bear to leave it there all alone."—New York Globe.

## FERTILIZER NEEDED WITH ALFALFA CROP

## JACKSON COUNTY

Postmaster John Shekell of Jackson will have completed his term Sept. 28th and it is not known who will succeed him.

E. W. Barber, for many years a Jackson newspaper editor and publisher, but now a resident of Crooked Lake, Florida, is 36 years of age and enjoys life.

Rodney Marks, Rose Squires and Ethel Evans of Jackson were riding on



# MID-SUMMER DISCOUNT SALE

Our semi-annual time for a Special Offering to our trade is again at hand. We would once more invite you to take advantage of this opportunity of securing some excellent bargains. Take advantage of these remarkable savings now, in order to provide for future as well as present needs.

## This Is YOUR Sale

Make it Yours and Save Money

Beginning Saturday, July 8th, continuing 15 Days, including July 22nd.

See Hand Bills for Particulars.

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ANN ARBOR, MICH.

## A Few Specials FOR THE HOME

We have listed here a number of items in China-ware and Glassware at special prices. There are many more to be found in our China Department.

Plain white cups and saucers, fine quality ware, per dozen ..... \$2.25

Clear glass water jugs in two-quart size at, each ..... 75c

A nest of five glass mixing bowls in different sizes.

12-quart aluminum kettles for ..... \$1.89

## Glasgow Brothers

129-135 E. Main Street JACKSON, MICH.

## MID-SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE

One lot Women's Coats, \$7.50. Better ones, \$12.75. Big reduction on Dress Skirts—choice \$10.00.

All Stout Skirts 1-4 Off.

Clearance Sale on Wool Dresses \$25.00.

Silk Dresses, reduced prices \$22.50, \$19.75, \$10.95.

Three lots of Sweaters—95c, \$1.95, \$2.95.

Time to buy Wash Dresses—\$3.49, \$4.49, \$8.95.

Girls' Organdy Dresses, \$2.95.

Men's and Boys' Suits 1-4 Off.

Men's Shoes, Hats, Underwear, Shirts much reduced.

Extraordinary values in Aluminum—45c and 88c.

### 1-4 OFF ON ALL RUGS AND FURNITURE

Linoleum, 4 yards wide, \$1.00 per yard.

One lot Window-Shades, second quality, 59c.

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### MANCHESTER ENTERPRISE

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A Winona, Minn., judge has hit the brake gear by saying to an auto speeder: "You can go to jail for 10 days or send your automobile there for 50."

In a public speech in his home town, Marion, Ohio, July 4th, President Harding touched upon the subject of prohibition, while advocating strict law enforcement, and said: "The 18th Amendment denies to a minority a fancied sense of personal liberty, but the amendment is the will of America and must be sustained by the government and public opinion, else contempt for the law will undermine our very foundations."

A few years ago, when the dry law went into effect, some people talked as though there could be no more celebrations on the Glorious 4th because there would be nothing to supply the "pep," but time has shown that it is now, celebrated in a far more safe and sane way and with a clear brain which enables every American citizen to reflect on what the day really means. Men are now able to see themselves as others see them, and when one does appear somewhat "lit up" he presents such a disgusting appearance that it clinches the dry law tighter than ever.

The new state park at Wapple-lake is a sure go eventually but until the project is fully worked out there can be no work done there. It is desirable to get complete title to all the land needed and that has not been done. Transfers of property contracted have not been signed and in fact one or two more desirable strips must be acquired to protect the tract from undesirable occupants. It takes time to adjust matters and get deeds of land and when that is accomplished the state officers will get busy making improvements. From all we can learn the park will possess features that none other has, at least in southern Michigan.

We believe that our farmers, especially those who have blooded stock or extra good grades should make preparations to take some at least to the Washtenaw county or some other county fair this coming fall. If they have fruit, grain, vegetables or anything having any merit they should take that. Michigan is making a strenuous effort to boost farm stock and products. Our states are doing the same and Michigan farmers cannot afford to fall behind. If they do, they will surely lose out in the struggle for better markets. True, it will be some effort, but try it once and you will be convinced that it is profitable. Besides, you can never build up the reputation of your farm-community by patronizing others. Go after premiums. If you get one in Washtenaw next year you will get one elsewhere if you try.

Lost—Pair gold rim eyeglasses, probably in Breitenwischer's store or in public library last Saturday. Will finder please return to Breitenwischer's store.

The Fieldcamp bucklesberry march will be open to pickers Friday, July 14 and every Tuesday and Friday thereafter.

Ferocious British Guiana Fish.

British Guiana is noted for a rare fish, the piranha, which, though hardly bigger than a herring, is ferocious to the point of incredibility. It will attack other fish and bite large pieces out of their fins and tail, will assault the steering paddles of a boat, and has been known, when in force, to kill men. The piranha is a notorious cannibal, devouring any of its comrades who may be wounded or in difficulties.

One traveler in British Guiana tells that in crossing the Essequibo his boat wounded a wild hog that was swimming across.

A shoal of piranhas settled upon the unfortunate hog. In a minute the water seemed to be boiling, so great was the activity of the little demons as they tore away pieces of the flesh.

But even the piranha has its uses.

Some Indian tribes leave their dead in the river for the piranhas to strip,

the bones, and then preserve the skeleton, dyed red, as a family heirloom.

Origin of the Compass.

In the reign of the Chinese emperor, Ho-ang-ti, in 209 B. C. a certain celestial discovered that if a narrow splinter of loadstone, or natural magnetic iron ore, found in Asia Minor, was placed upon a piece of wood and the latter allowed to float in a bowl of water, the iron would invariably point in a north and south direction.

This crude device was improved by

the addition of a circular wooden card

on which 24 rays were drawn. Each

one of these lines was given a name,

and the whole thing was called a "ting-ting-ching," which is the Chinese word for compass.

The south point of the circle was distinguished with a distinguishing mark, in the same manner as other nations today indicate the north point of their compass by a four-deal or an arrow.

The Chinese compass of the present day shows only the 24 points given to it 5,000 years ago.

Germ-Killing Walls.

The investigations of one hygienist

show that paper and tapestry wall

coverings in houses are favorable to

the preservation of disease germs.

On the other hand, walls covered with

stucco or good varnish cannot only be

readily freed from germs by washing,

but they possess the property of cleansing

themselves spontaneously from

germs lodged upon them.

It has been found that the germs of typhoid,

of cholera and of pneumonia, when

placed on such walls, perish within

24 hours, while on walls covered with

dried size they survive for weeks

and even months. Dampness increases

and prolongs the danger—Washington Star.

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Old papers at Enterprise office.

### TRAJAN'S SOUL IN HEAVEN?

Prayer of Pope Gregory Said to Have Resulted in Entry of Pagan into Paradise.

The Roman emperor Trajan was the only pagan, according to medieval theologians, who was received into Paradise. His salvation came about through the offices of Pope Gregory the Great. The pope was one day walking through Trajan's forum in Rome, musing on the emperor's many merits and grieving that so good a man should be eternally lost. He accordingly dropped to his knees and prayed for Trajan's salvation, and presently a voice was heard from on high announcing that his prayer was granted but that henceforth he must pray only for Christians.

There are several different conclusions to this legend. One of them narrates that Gregory, although his conduct was praiseworthy and successful, "broke the rules" by praying for Trajan's soul and was therefore punished by numerous distressing maladies. Another is to the effect that Trajan's soul was sent back to his body, which was duly baptized by Gregory, whereupon the soul took immediate wing to heaven.

The whole circumstance was one of the knottiest problems which the enthusiasts of the Middle ages endeavored to solve, for they all recognized the humanity which inspired Gregory's prayers, but could not forget that the unbaptized pagan was after all, an unbaptized pagan.

Mrs. Frank Lowery is learning to drive their Ford car.

Mrs. Adell Welch of Jackson visited in town Monday.

Lilith Hatch of Macon was in town Saturday on business.

Miss Bernice Dalka of Detroit is the guest of Mrs. F. H. Blosser.

Alfred Kuhl came from Detroit and spent the 4th with his parents.

Miss Blanche Yocom went to Hudson, Ind., to visit Dr. Tracy's daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Ypsilanti were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Knorp on Monday.

Philip Henzie and family are in Ann Arbor today, he being called there on legal business.

Herbert Dresselhouse of Detroit visited his brother Lewis and other friends the first of the week.

Mrs. George Rogers of Detroit visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Wurster, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Root accompanied the remains of their mother, Mrs. Crockett, to St. Clair, Monday.

Supt. of Schools Gottlieb Jacob, who is attending summer school at M. A. C., came home to spend the Fourth.

Members of the Nisle and Blesser families are spending the week at San Bernardino cottage, Wapple lake.

Mrs. L. C. Whitlark is in Ypsilanti attending a conference of Parent-Teacher associations at the State Normal.

John Gumper, Sr., and John, Jr., who are working in a factory at Ypsilanti, were home over Sunday and the 4th.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Whitlark, of Ypsilanti, are spending the week at San Bernardino cottage, Wapple lake.

Miss Hazel Burch came from Ft. Wayne, Ind., Saturday and visited her parents over the 4th. She was accompanied by her friend Miss Schlink of Auburn.

Mr. and Mrs. N. Schmidt of Ann Arbor are stopping at their cottage at Sand lake again this summer but expect to visit Manchester on Homecoming Day, Aug. 16th.

T. J. Thorn, sexton at Oak Grove cemetery, was injured by a fall a week or more ago and has been unable to work. Clarence Heim has been on the job and the grounds are kept in good order.

Former Manchester residents of Wapple-lake, who met many friends at Wapple-lake on the 4th, were M. Gaige and family, of Eaton Rapids. All members of the family say they like their new home, but have a tender spot in their heart for Manchester. Mr. Gaige was engaged in the baking-business for himself.

Wanted—Second-hand fire-proof safe. Inquire of F. O. Lough, Secretary Board of Education.

For Sale—New Indiana Silo 10x30, in good condition. Charles Green, route 1.

We don't recommend the taste, but you can eat Blue Devil Cleanser without injury.

Whatever you wish to purchase, make your wants known in an Enterprise liner.

Willis L. Watkins has dug up from his archives and presented to the Enterprise a poster for the first known celebration of the Glorious Fourth in Manchester. It was printed on a sheet of hand-made paper, which probably at one time was white, or nearly so, but it is now of a brownish shade with a tinge of pink. We are reproducing the poster here as near as possible to the original. Many of the names appearing are well known to our readers, though the owners have without doubt long since passed "over the river," though the last one but a few years ago. Manchester has had some notable celebrations in years past, and no wonder, when the example was set by such elaborate preparations as the following:

## PERSONAL

Lynn Burch was home from Detroit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Brown of San Diego, Cal., arrived in town Saturday. Mr. Brown will be remembered as the furniture upholsterer who did business here several years ago.

Mrs. Alice Tracy Goodell returns today from several days' sojourn in Detroit. Her cousin, Fitzland L. Wilson, pioneer inventor and Civil war veteran, died in that city on Monday.

Chas. Younghans came up from Toledo to spend Sunday and over the 4th shaking hands with old friends and visiting his sister, Mrs. Fred Houck. He had not been here since Christmas.

We learn that Herbert Leon Cope of the class of 1892, Manchester high school, who has become a noted impersonator and lecturer, is to give an entertainment at the Lethbridge, Canada, chautauqua course.

Last Thursday night, Frank Merle received a letter which came from his son Robert at Lethbridge, Alberta, Canada, to Jackson by airplane and from there in the regular mail. The cost of sending it was \$1.03.

A card

## Brief News Items

Village taxes are lower than they were last year.

We were favored with a needed rain Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Kate Conklin has bought a Ford sedan and is learning to drive.

The Union Savings Bank is having the front of the building freshly painted.

Howard Clark and men finished shingling Frank Lowery's residence Wednesday.

George Hamm has bought an Overland sedan and both he and Mrs. Hamm are learning to drive it.

Harry Calhoun bought the building formerly owned and occupied by the late H. L. Root on Exchange Place.

Screened-in porches are becoming not only popular but a necessity if one desires to sit outside, as mosquitoes are very annoying.

Interested citizens have been inquiring about Chautauqua this summer. The dates have just been received—Aug. 22 to 26, inclusive.

The Ginnivan Dramatic Co. are playing to good audiences this week. They have a new tent, the old one having been destroyed in a wind-storm at Reading.

Mollie Whelan of Franklin, who is a leading chicken raiser, has been a good patron of Dan Gage's incubator this spring. He had 7,800 eggs, most of which hatched out.

A Sharon ball team appeared on the diamond on the high school grounds Sunday afternoon and the Seating Co. nine played them a friendly game and defeated them by a score of 31 to 3.

Will Holt of the Riverside Confectionary is remodeling the second story of his building for living rooms. He will also cement the basement floor and install furnace to heat the entire building.

Frank Lowery drove over to Milford Saturday night to help truck the Ginnivan tent equipment here. In Bridgewater he had a blow-out early Sunday morning and had to call on Roy Blythe, who supplied another tire.

Many of our farmers did not knock off work in order to celebrate the 4th but put in a full day in the hay or wheat field. At least one of our implement dealers, Fred Houck, was busy filling orders for repairs. He was called from his home to the store four times before breakfast.

Members of the Welfare Association and their wives expect to have dinner this evening at 7:00 at the Farm hotel, Wampeter lake, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. August Oversmith of Moscow, Idaho, who are guests of relatives here. August graduated here in the class of '93 and after taking the law course at U. of M. went west, where he found both fame and fortune. He came back home this year to act as toastmaster at the Alumni reunion, June 22nd.

The annual school meeting will be at the high school building next Monday, as announced in another column. It is a time when every taxpayer, every parent should show interest in school matters. You would not want the board to vote for a new school building to cost \$150,000 without your being there, would you? Then be there to sanction the expenditure of lesser but just as important matters. Your presence indicates the interest you take in educational matters.

Some of our citizens while at Wampeter lake on the 4th took occasion to drive over to Vineyard lake and look at Sunset Park, the new resort on the east shore of the lake. It is really a desirable place, lying on rising ground, well wooded and dry, and well laid out in cottage lots on the court plan. Excellent water is secured by driving pipes down to the rock. A hotel site has been selected next to the Boy Scouts' camp on an elevated site. There is also a good bathing beach and excellent fishing grounds. It is said that 14 cottages will be built there this season.

The popularity of the Irish Hills on the Detroit-Chicago turnpike south of Wampeter lake has become widespread. People drive here from all parts of the state and from other states for the purpose of driving over the hills to view the wonderful country from their height. The fact that the state is establishing a new park at the east end of Wampeter lake has already become known through the extensive newspaper accounts given by the Enterprise and other papers. Indeed this section of Michigan is destined to become a popular resort for strangers from sections of Ohio, Indiana and Illinois less favored by nature. Let them come, and give all a cordial welcome.

**Card of Thanks.**  
We wish to thank our neighbors and friends for their many kindly acts and deeds of sympathy in our recent fire loss. We shall never forget these favors, and sincerely hope that you may never know what it means to be without a home.

Mrs. S. J. Watring,  
Carl and Velma,  
Mr. and Mrs. Louis Vogel  
And Son.

Edward Frensdorff of Hudson gave the address of the day at the 4th of July celebration in Somerset, Hillsdale county, speaking upon the subject "Your Duty to Your Country." A program of sports was carried out and a picnic dinner was served in a tent on the lawn of the Congregational church. An orchestra furnished music for the occasion and patriotic community singing was a feature of the program.

**Take Notice.**  
We will close our barber shops at 6 o'clock Monday and Thursday evenings.

Fish & Steinbaugh.  
Leonard Malady.  
George Withersell.

Horticulturists predict a plague of insect pests this summer and urge that all trees and shrubs be sprayed frequently.

Old Papers at Enterprise office.

## Wall-Paper Collecting.

The hobby of collecting wall-paper had a distinguished pioneer in Sir Walter Scott, who in one of his letters narrates his delight in a gift which came to him when he was staying at Abbotsford. He was in a quandary as to an appropriate wall-decoration for his "with-drawing room," which, with the library, was to be the most distinguished chamber in the mansion. Tapestry ran to no great a price, and as for ordinary designed wall-papers, they were lacking in distinction. But a friend who had sojourned for long in the East, and had brought home a collection of oriental objects, found among them a number of rolls of gilt Chinese paper, adorned with dragons and other reptiles of the imagination. He offered the rolls to Sir Walter, who saw in the design the very thing that suited. The paper stands today almost as fresh as when it was put up in the "Wizards" boudoir hall.

## "Once Won't Hurt You."

All the troubles of the would-be dieter aren't due to lack of will power. A woman playright says friends are responsible for inducing one to disregard the doctor's orders, however friendly their motives may be.

"I'm having the hardest time," she writes, according to the New York Sun, "keeping to my diet. Well-meaning friends invite me to lunch and to dinner and they are offended if I don't sample everything on the menu. Just once won't hurt you," they argue—or, "well, I've planned this dinner for you and you've got to eat it." The result is you generally always do eat it—with subsequent regrets. The only remedy is to stay home for all meals—and that takes more will power than it does to diet."

## Icy-Hot of Course.

Bert Acosta, the air champion, said at a banquet in Omaha:

"It is so cold in an airplane when you reach great altitudes that if you try to describe the weather, up there you feel like a liar.

"Yes, you feel like the farm hand who said:

"Yer, mighty cold day. But, 'taint nothin' to what I seen to hum wunst in the Vermont mountings. Why, one day in pig-killin' time it was so dum cold that we had a kittle o' b'ilin' water settin' on the stove, and when we took it out in the yard, it friz so dum quick the ice was hot."

## CHURCH NOTES.

Emmanuel's church, Fourth Sunday after Trinity, English service at 10:00. Julian Nachau of Chillicothe will sing. Sunday school at 11:15.

Methodist Episcopal church, Divine service Sunday at 10:00 a.m. Sunday school at 11:15. Vacation Bible school starts Monday, July 10 at 9:00 a.m. Mid-week prayer service Wednesday at 7:30 p.m.

Christian Science services are held in rooms in Mrs. Conklin's building on Jefferson street. Sunday morning at 10:30. Subject: "Sacrament." Golden text, Psalms 51:17: "The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit: a broken and contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise."

The Wednesday evening service, which includes testimonials of Christian Science healing, begins at 7:30.

Binder Twine at the Manchester Co-Op Blacksmith Shop at farmers' prices. Get your order in now.

For Rent. House and lot on City road. Inquire of E. E. Stark, phone 133.

For Sale. A second-hand binder in good shape at Dresselhouse & Davitder's.

Mrs. Frank Ambler of Brooklyn was in town today on business.

Home never was so sweet before Blue Devil Cleanser.

Old Papers at Enterprise office.

## MICKIE SAYS

IF YA HAD A VOICE AT COULD BE HEARD FORTY MILES, WOULD IT HELP YA TELL FOLKS WHAT YA GOT TO SELL? WELL SIR, AN AD IN OUR PAPER WILL GIVE YA A FORTY MILE VOICE.

Nature's Linemen. The downy woodpecker, the hairy woodpecker and the flicker all seem possessed with a mania for killing destructive wood-boring larvae, says the American Forestry Magazine. Better equipped than a telephone lineman for climbing, supported by a spurred tail, provided with hooked claws for clinging to the bark; hammer-headed, chisel-headed, and armed with a tremendously long, strong, lance-pointed, barbed, extensible tongue, the woodpecker drills through the wood directly into the spot where the borers lies hidden pushes in the tip of his barbed tongue, sears the victim and whips it quickly into his open beak.

Drama in Crimson Gutch. "How did you come to mob that show?"

"They advertised 'Ten Nights in a Barroom,'" answered Cactus Joe, "and the stage licking wasn't nothing but sarsparilla."

A Heavy Burden. Ethel Stein carries her age well, doesn't she?

Clara—Yes. It's a wonder she doesn't grow tired of the burden.

June Weddings. For either engraved or printed invitations or announcements come to the Enterprise office. First-class work and reasonable prices.

Wanted. Fat hens. Will pay 20 cents a pound for fat hens weighing five pounds and over, delivered at my place. Henry Luckhardt.

Dated June 30th, 1922.

JAMES D. GAGE,  
LAWRENCE P. WILMUTER,  
Commissioner.

Malleable range in very good condition for sale by R. B. Haessler.

## NOVEL USE FOR GRAMOPHONE

Machine Can Be Used to Tell Fortunes If One Is Tired of Listening to Music.

You can have all kinds of fun with a gramophone.

It can become, for example, a most amusing fortune-teller. Prepare a cardboard disc, just the size of the turn-table, with a hole in its center for the pin. This can be done by placing a record on a sheet of cardboard, marking a pencil line round it, and cutting out with a pair of scissors.

On the disc paste a paper circle marked off round the edge into two divisions about two inches wide, in each of which have been written predictions, humorous or otherwise. The disc is placed on the turn-table, and a strip of cardboard about eight inches long and one inch wide is prepared. A hole rather larger than the diameter of the center pin is made at one end.

This is slipped over the pin, and the other end is bent down to form a support for the slip so that it will stand clear of the disc. An arrow is drawn upon it to act as a pointer.

Set the machine in motion and invite the company to consult the oracle. They do this by pressing the brake of the gramophone. The division on the disc opposite which the arrow on the fixed slip stops gives the "fortune" of the victim.

## ONE OF OLDEST TRADITIONS

Picturesque Legend of the Slaughter of St. Ursula and the Eleven Thousand Virgins.

The legend of St. Ursula is one of the most picturesque of ancient traditions. It relates that she was the daughter of the Briton, Theonorus, and was desired in marriage by heathen prince named Holofernes. She consented on the condition that he became a Christian, and allowed her three years in which to make a pilgrimage.

He consented, and Ursula set out accompanied by 11,000 virgins. They journeyed up the Rhine as far as Basle and thence, by foot, to Rome, where they were joined, for their return march, by the pope and a retinue of clergy.

When they reached Cologne, on the return trip, they were attacked by hordes of wild Hunnish barbarians, and all were slain, although Attila, the leader of the Huns, attempted to save the life of Ursula that she might become his wife. She fell, however, pierced with an arrow, which has become her attribute in pictorial representations.

As soon as the massacre was over angels appeared, in number equal to the slaughtered virgins, and put the barbarians to flight. Soon after a church was erected among the graves in honor of St. Ursula.

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## Commissioners' Notice.

No. 17366

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Joseph Stiedel, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence in the Township of Bridgewater in said county, on the 28th day of August and on the 23rd day of October next, at ten o'clock A. M., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated June 27, 1922.

Louis Schellenger.

William Rentschler.

Commissioners.

## Commissioners' Notice.

No. 17364

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Washtenaw, ss. The undersigned having been appointed by the Probate Court for said county, Commissioners to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands of all persons against the estate of Lawrence P. Malady, late of said county, deceased, hereby give notice that four months from date are allowed, by order of said Probate Court, for creditors to present their claims against the estate of said deceased, and that they will meet at the late residence in the village of North Branch in said county, on the 24th day of August and on the 25th day of October next, at ten o'clock A. M., of each of said days, to receive, examine and adjust said claims.

Dated April 26th, 1922.

WILLIS L. WATKINS.

FRED A. LEHMAN.

Commissioners.

## Blue Devil hits the bottom, others skim the top.

For Sale. Rabbits for breeding and eating purposes. Mrs. Kies, phone 134-F-21.

Lost. Black pocket bill book containing \$5 bill. Will finder please return to Enterprise office.

The Pythian Sisters and K. of P. and families will have a picnic dinner at Schneider's grove, Pleasant lake, Thursday, July 20. Bring sandwiches, one article and dishes. Sports of all kinds will be had. Everyone come and help make this a success. Gentlemen and lady friends are invited.

## BORN

WELLHOFF.—In Sharon, on Saturday, July 1, 1922, to Mr. and Mrs. Albert Wellhoff, a daughter.

## DIED

CROCKETT.—At the home of her daughter, Mrs. B. C. Root, in this village, on Friday, June 30, 1922, of complication of diseases, Mrs. Louise Crockett, aged 63 years.

The funeral was held at the house. Sunday afternoon and the remains were taken to St. Clair on Monday for burial in the family lot.

## Semi-Annual Clearance

July 8 to 22 **SALE** July 8 to 22

The greatest merchandising event of the year. This sale should be of special interest to every man, woman and child. It includes everything in Clothing, Dry Goods and Shoes. Sale begins Saturday, July 8th and continues to and including Saturday, July 22nd.

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## ERSKINE DALE—PIONEER

By John Fox, Jr.

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## COUSIN BARBARA

**SYNOPSIS.** To the Kentucky wilds, a boy named Dave Yandell, Jerome Sanders, in the time immediately preceding the Revolution, comes a white boy fleeing from a tribe of Shawnees by whom he had been captured and adopted as a son of the country. He is a youth who charms and attracts the favorable attention of Dave Yandell, a leader among the settlers. The boy warns his new friends of the coming of a Shawnee war party. The fort is attacked and only saved by a timely appearance of a party of Virginians. The leader of these is fatally wounded, but in his dying moments recognizes the fugitive youth as his son.

## CHAPTER IV

The little girl rose startled, but her bleeding was too fine for betrayal, and she went to him with hand outstretched. The boy took it as he had taken her father's, firmly and without rising. The father frowned and smiled—how could the lad have learned manners? And then he, too, saw the hole in the moccasin, through which the bleeding had started again.

"Take him into the kitchen, Barbara, and tell Hannah to wash his foot and bandage it."

The boy looked uncomfortable and shook his head, but the little girl was smiling and she told him to come



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with such sweet impetuosity that he rose helplessly. Old Hannah's eyes made a bewildered start.

"You go on back an' wait for yo' company, little miss; I'll 'tend to him!"

And when the boy still protested, she flared up:

"Look here, son, little miss tell me to wash yo' feet, an' I'se gwinter do it, if I got to be you feet; now you keep still—What you come from?"

His answer was a somewhat haughty grunt, that at once touched the quick instincts of the old negress, and checked further question. Swiftly and silently she bound his foot, and with great respect she led him to a little room in one cell of the great house, in which was a tub of warm water.

"One master say you been travelin' an' mibe you like to refresh yo'self wid a hot bath. Dur's some o' little master's clothes on de bed dar, an' a pair o' his shoes, an' I know dey'll jus' fit you sing. You'll find all de folks on de front porch when you git through."

She closed the door. Once, winter and summer, the boy had daily plunged into the river with his Indian companions, but he had never had a bath in his life, and he did not know what the word meant; yet he had learned so much at the fort that he had no trouble making out what the tub of water was for. For the same reason he felt no surprise when he picked up the clothes; he was only puzzled how to get into them. He tried, and struggling with the breeches he threw one hand out to the wall to keep from falling and caught a red cord with a bushy red tassel; where there was a ringing that made him spring away from it. A moment later there was a knock at his door.

"Did you ring, suh?" asked a voice. What that meant he did not know, and he made no answer. The door was opened slightly and a woolly head appeared.

"Do you want anything, suh?"

"No."

"Den I reckon hit was anudder bell—rassuh."

The boy began putting on his own clothes.

Outside Colonel Dale and Barbara had strolled down the big path to the sun-dial, the colonel telling the story of the little Kentucky kinsman—the little girl listening and wide-eyed.

"Is he going to live here with us, papa?"

"Perhaps. You must be very nice to him. He has lived a rude, rough life, but I can see he is very sensible."

At the head of the river there was the fisher-trapping path, and the song of the black oarsmen came across the yellow flood.

"There they come!" said Barbara. And from his window the little Kentuckian saw the company coming up the path, brave with gay clothes and smiles and gallantries. The colonel walked with a grand lady at the head; behind were the belles and beaux, and bringing up the rear was Barbara, escorted by a youth of his own age, who carried his hat under his arm and bore himself as haughtily as his elders. No sooner did he see them mounting to the porch than there was the sound of hymn in the rear, and looking out of the other window he

had saw a coach and four dash through the gate, and swing around the road that encircled the great trees, and up to the rear portico, where there was a joyous clatter of greetings. Where did all those people come from? Were they going to stay there and would he have to be among them? All the men were dressed alike, and not one was dressed like him. Panic assailed him, and once more he looked at the clothes on the bed, and then without hesitation walked through the hallway, and stopped on the threshold of the front door. A half figure he made there, and for the moment the gay talk and laughter quite ceased. The story of him already had been told, and already was

swearing from cabin to cabin to the farthest edge of the great plantation. No son of Powhatan could have stood there with more dignity, and young Harry Dale's face broke into a smile of welcome. His father being indoors he went forward with hand outstretched.

"I am your cousin Harry," he said, and taking him by the arm he led him on the round of presentation.

"Mrs. Willoughby, may I present my cousin from Kentucky?"

"This is your cousin, Miss Katherine Date; another cousin, Miss Mary; and this is your cousin Hugh."

And the young ladies greeted him with frank, eager interest, and the young gentlemen suddenly repressed patronizing smiles and gave him a grave greeting, for if ever a rapier flashed from the piercing black eye of that little Kentucky backwoodsman when his cousin Hugh, with a rather whimsical smile, bowed with a politeness that was a trifle too elaborate. Mrs. General Willoughby guessed how the lad's heart was thumping with the effort to conceal his embarrassment, and when a tinge of color spread on each side of his set mouth and his eyes began to waver uncertainly, her intuition was quick and kind.

"Barbara," she asked, "have you shown your cousin your ponies?"

The little girl saw her mother and laughed merrily:

"Why, I haven't had time to show him anything. Come on, cousin."

The boy followed her down the steps in his mossy moccasins, along a grass path between hedges of ancient box, around an ell, and past the kitchen and toward the stables. At the gate the little girl called impertinently:

"Ephraim, bring one of my ponies!"

"And in a moment out came a sturdy little slave whose head was all black skin, black wool and white teeth, leading two creamy-white little horses that shook the lad's composture at last, for he knew ponies as far back as he could remember—but he had never seen the like of them. His hand almost trembled when he ran over their sleek coats, and unconsciously he dropped into his Indian speech and did not know it until the girl asked him again.

"Why, what are you saying to my ponies?"

And he blushed, for the little girl's artless prattling and friendliness were already beginning to make him quite human.

"That's injin talk,"

Hugh had followed them.

"Barbara, your mother wants you," he said, and the little girl turned toward the house. The stranger was ill at ease with Hugh and the latter knew it.

"It must be very exciting where you live."

"How?"

"Oh, fighting Indians and shooting deer and turkeys and buffalo. It must be great fun."

"Nobody does it for fun—it's mighty hard work."

"My uncle—your father—used to tell us about his wonderful adventures out there."

"He had no chance to tell me."

"But yours must have been more wonderful than his."

The boy gave a little grunt that was a survival of his Indian life, and turned to go back to the house.

"But all this, I suppose, is as strange to you."

"More."

Hugh was polite and apparently sincere in interest, but the lad was vaguely disturbed and he quickened his step. The porch was empty when they turned the corner of the house, but young Harry Dale came running down the steps, his honest face aight, and caught the little Kentuckian by the arm.

"Get ready for supper, Hugh—come on, cousin," he said, and led the stranger o' his room and pointed to the clothes on the bed.

"Don't they fit?" he asked, smiling.

"I don't know—I don't know how to git into 'em."

Young Harry laughed joyously.

"Of course not. I wouldn't know how to put yours on either. You just wait," he cried, and disappeared to run quickly with an armful of clothes.

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## LESSON FOR JULY 9

DANIEL INTERPRETING NEBUCHADNEZZAR'S DREAM

LESSON TEXT: Daniel 2.

THE DREAM—The kingdoms of this world are to become the kingdoms of our Lord, and of His Christ, and He shall reign forever and ever.—Rev. 11:15.

REFERENCE MATERIAL—Isa. 9:6, 7:13, 14:47; John 18:38.

PRIMARY TOPIC—How God Answered Daniel's Prayer.

JUNIOR TOPIC—Daniel Reveals the King's Dream.

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—How Daniel Met a Severe Test.

YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—God's World-Kingdom: Its Nature and Method.

1. Nebuchadnezzar's Dream (v. 1-13).

This dream made a tremendous impression upon the king's mind, but he had forgotten its content. He urgently demanded of the wise men that they make known the dream and its interpretation, promising great honor and rewards if they made known and interpreted the dream, and we and disaster if they failed. These miserable deceivers tried to gain "time" by insisting that the dream should be made known in order that they might interpret it. Because of their failure the king was very furious and commanded all the wise men of Babylon to be slain. This action seems to be severe, but in view of the fact that these deceivers made their living by preying upon the credulity of the people it was but just that they either make good or be cut off.

11. The Revelation of the Dream (v. 14-35).

When the decree was in process of execution Daniel was sought out to be slain. He sought an interview with the king and obtained time. Note:

1. The prayer meeting in Babylon (v. 14-18). Daniel was the leader in that prayer meeting. He called his fellows together and most definitely prayed to God. Their lives were at stake; their need was great.

2. Daniel's ascription of praise to God (v. 19-23). God heard their prayer and Daniel responded in lofty strains of praise to God.

3. Daniel before the king (v. 24-30). Because he had been with the Lord and had obtained wisdom, he was confident and calm before the great king. Though thus honored with his wisdom from God he behaved himself with becoming humility.

4. The content of the dream (v. 31-35). Daniel made known to the king that in his dream he had beheld a great image with a head of gold, breast and arms of silver, belly and thighs of brass, legs of iron and feet part of iron and part of clay. He held the image smitten by a stone and the stone became a great mountain.

III. The Interpretation of the Dream (v. 36-46).

1. The head of gold represented the Chaldean monarchy with Nebuchadnezzar as its head (v. 37, 38). With the accession of Nebuchadnezzar to the throne, the times of the Gentiles began.

2. The breast and arms of silver represented the Medo-Persian power (v. 39). The Medo-Persian empire was a kingdom inferior to the Chaldean.

3. The belly and thighs of brass represented the Grecian empire under Alexander the Great (v. 40).

4. The legs of iron represented the Roman empire (v. 40-45).

(1) The two legs represented the eastern and western divisions of the Roman empire. (2) The feet of iron and clay represented the two elements of human government, which inhered in the Roman empire and are present today in all forms of government, namely, absolutism and socialism, or imperialism and democracy. These elements have no coherency. The admixture of the iron with clay represents the mingling of the seeds of men, the intermarriage of the royal houses. This has characterized all the nations of the earth, indicating their efforts to unite the ruling families of the earth by means of intermarriage.

5. The stone cut out of the mountain (v. 44, 45). This is the kingdom of heaven so graphically set forth in the New Testament, for the kingdom of heaven is the kingdom which the God of heaven shall set up. (1) The stone is Christ (Isa. 28:16; Matt. 21:42-44). (2) When did the stone strike? The impact of the stone was upon the feet of the colossus (v. 44). This shows that it did not strike at Christ's first coming, but at his second coming. (3) The kingdom of heaven shall not be divided at that time; not even the division of the empire as represented by the two legs had taken place as yet. The stone smiting the feet shows that the stone will strike when the Roman empire shall have been divided up into ten kingdoms. (4) The kingdom of heaven shall be built upon the ruins of the colossus; not by destroying it. Gentile dominion shall end in a crash; upon its ruins shall be built the kingdom of heaven. The action of the stone is of judgment, not grace. The text plainly says it is "after" the stone has done its smiting work that it becomes a great mountain and fills the whole earth (see Psalms 2: 5, 6; Zech. 14:9). Just as the first part of this dream was literally fulfilled, so shall the last part be fulfilled. Messiah's kingdom shall be a real and literal kingdom.

The Last Best Fruit.

The last best fruit which comes to life perfection, even is the kindliest soul, is tenderness toward the hard.

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