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LOCAL BREVITIES

BUY AT HOME

Allison auction today.

Masonic regular tonight.

'Buckner auction Saturday after-

Mrs. Mary Bradley is home from

Vivan Hutchins'.

Stanley Styles is on grand jury duty at Grand Rapids.

Note a chance to make money in the ad of J. L. Clement & Sons.

Edyth and Gail Lounsberry spent Tuesday at J. Lounsberry's.

The past noble grands will meet with Mrs. Carson Rendel next Tuesday.

Rose Clark and Myrtle Newman spent Monday afternoon at Elma Hutchins'.

at Vivan Hutchins' from Friday until Sunday.

Frank Forrester was in Saturday and reports his golf course ready for the spring rains.

Cassius Barker, who is wintering in Florida, sent a fine box of orto Mrs. Frank Barker.

Mrs. H. W. Taylor and Mrs. Wauchek attended a bridge party in Paw Paw, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Anton Rikowski and son, Albert, spent Sunday with cows given the blood test by a their daughter, Mrs. V. Kalisiak.

Gobles v. Augusta today at 1:30 District tournament. Let's go.

Mrs. Henry Waguer and daughter Ruth spent one day last week community.

with her sister, Mrs. V. Kalisiak. Mrs. Leon Feely of Chicago announces the birth of a son, Leon,

on March 1st. Weight 7 pounds. Victor Kalisiak and son Harry and daughter Rose spent one day last week at home and left for Chicago Sunday

Clifford Bingham is home from Ann Arbor where he took the electrical engineers examination for civil service.

Haydens, has returned to her home in Kala nazoo.

Albert Allen has moved to the Arvin Myers house and Al Machin Burgett. is moving to the house he recently purchased of Guy Thayer.

Annual village statement in this dence that village affairs have been carefully managed the past year.

Gail Lounsberry and family and Vivan Hutchins and wife spent Sunday at Harry Stratton's and helped Carlos Stratton celebrate his birthday.

Mrs. Eva Westcott, who has been ill for some time, celebrated her 86th birthday February 21. Several callers helped her enjoy it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Mann of Groose Pointe and Mrs. A. L. Mann and three children of Dearborn visited Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Mann over the week end.

At the meeting Monday evening, the Community Church voted to ask two possible candidates to come again. One will be there Sunday at eleven. Every person not affiliated with another church here is urged to hear this man, and all others are invited. He is well worth your time

Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Hayden quietly celebrated their 61st wedding anniversary at their home here Sunday, March 1. This is some record and to prove that they are still interested in public affairs both came down to vote Monday as a good example to he younger ones. We congratulate them and trust they may yet celebrate many more | Saturday at Will Pullin's. anniversaries.

ity church Tuesday, March 10. 6:30 to 7:30. Program following.

All farmers and others interested should attend the bean meeting at opera house next Thursday afternoon. For particulars see or phone Gobles Mill.

Next Monday is village election. While Gobles has but one ticket, a Clara Hutchins spent Tuesday at large vote will show the candidates that we approve of them. Vote

> L. W. Goss has severed his connections with the Dixie Company. It is hoped he will find another job in Gobles as he and Mrs. Goss have made many friends here.

The regular meeting of the Van Buren County Child Health Committee will be held in the high school at Decatur at 7:30 Monday evening, March 9, 1931, slow time.

That wonderful picture of the Lura Daniels of Allegan visited life of Christ, The Passion Play, will be presented in moving pictures at the M. E. church Friday evening, March 13 at 7:30. Adults 25c; children 15c.

At the Primary election Monday, Harry Hough was renominated for another term as county school commissioner. Another proof of the tendency in this county to continue satisfactory servants.

Farmers south and east of Kendall are to be commended in paying their own costs in having over 160 representative from M. S. C. These tests are usual only on comour time, Kalamazoo college Gym. pulsion and the fact that these farmers are ahead of requirements is a credit to them and the

School Notes

The eighth grade history class is studying about the Oregon Treaty and settlement of Oregon country. For our project work we are reading "On to Oregon" by Honore Willsie Morrow, a story of the journey by covered wagon from St. Louis to the Willamette valley.

We lost a close game to Fenn-Mrs. D. K. Waber who has spent been defeated there 32-2. Gobles were served and all enjoyed a most dethe winter with her parents, the led for 3 quarters of the game and lightful evening. then Fennville pulled away to win. This was the last game on the home floor for Ullrey, Carpenter and

The tournament at Kalamazoo Thursday at 1:30. Gobles has a very good chance for winning, havissue. The balance on hand is evi- ing drawn Augusta for their first round game. The team this year has made a very good showing and we expect a big crowd. Admission 25 cents for 2 games.

(Honor roll next week)

Woman's Fortnightly Club

A very pleasant afternoon was spent at the home of Mrs. Curiss Feb. 25, 1931, when she entertained the Women's Fortnightly Club and other guests very informally with games and contests, prizes being day evening at Frank Reed's. given to winners,

Dainty refreshments were served.

BASE LINE

M. Wilmot and family visited noon on Ethel Eastman, Elmer Fuller and wife in Bloomingdale last Thursday.

W. A. Jacobs visited his wife in Kalamazoo Sunday,

Mrs. Sadie Smith returned from Chicago Saturday where she had been visiting a sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Woodruff visited their son Clair and wife in Kalamazoo Sun lay.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Pullin and daughter were Kalamazoo visitors Monday. Harley Merriam attended the

Allegan Co. republican convention in Allegan last Friday. Don Pullin of Kalamazoo spent

Lester Woodruff and wife spent

MANGE Proc. - COS AND -

35ct dinner served at Commun-Sunday evening with Geo. James and wife and Monday evening with Rob't. Banks and family near Bloomingdale.

> Clinton Debon and Will Helm and family of Michigan City, Ind., spent Saturday and Sunday at Muskrat Lake at their cottage.

Sunny Day Club

The Sunny Day club met at the Community house Feb. 26 At noon dinner was served to 71 who sure had enough to eat. The business meeting was omitted on account of the contest program which took place that day. Mrs. Coffinger's side did their stunt, and what a program it was, enjoyed by

The next meeting will be held at the Community house March 12. At that time the contest program, will be given by Mrs. Stech's side. Five plates were sent to the sick.

WAVERLY

Mr. and Mrs. Seba Powers visited his mother, Mrs. E. Powers of Cheshire Sun- a new well for Emmett Leversee.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schwieman and son of Kalamazoo visited at Roy Sage's

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dornan and son of Glenn spent the week end at R. B. Tay-

Mrs. Mildred Herron, Orville Bradshaw and family and Mr. and Mrs. John Gore of Kalamazoo were visitors at ArthurHer ron's Sunday.

Mrs. A. C. Blakeman spent Saturday

with her daughter, Mrs. Al Coulson of

Born, Sunday, March 1 to Mr. and Mrs.

W. C. Gault a son, weight 7 pounds, John William. Congratulations Bernard Blakeman of Kalamazoo and

father, A. C. Blakeman spent Monday in B. L. McCarty and family who have been spending some time at J. A. White's

returned to their home in Glenn last Fri-

A. B. Frisbie of Kalamazoo spent last week at his home here.

Mrs. L. G. Brown and son, Frank spent most of last week with her daughter, Mrs. Lucy Cross who is seriously ill. She was thirteen year old boy who made taken to the hospital in Plainwell Thursday where she will undergo medical treat.

Last Friday being the birthday of Frank Rasmussen 42 of his friends gave him a ville on our own floor after having surprise Friday evening. Refreshments

WAGERTOWN

There will be a social at the Grange hall tonight. Everybody invited.

Mrs. Joe Holderman, Mrs. Truax and Mrs. Olga Reed visited Tuesday at Mrs. Judson Holderman in Kalamazoo.

Raymond Day spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. John Beeman.

Ethel, Charley and Bernith Eastman spent Tuesday evening with Mrs. Kaats,

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Wood visited Sun. day afternoon at Charles Stowe's of Ban-

Charley Snyder spent Wednesday evening with Charley Eastman.

Rolla Eastman and family and Mr. and Mrs. Rilley of Otsego called Sunday even-

ing at Geo. Leach's. Norma Truax and children spentFriday afternoon with Helen Beeman.

Mr. and Mrs. John Snyder spent Wednesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Jay

Art Smith and Wm. Reed spent Mon-

Manning. Blanch Healy called Wednesday after.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Holderman spent Sunday at Joe Holderman's.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Goble spent Sunday at Geo. Leach's and Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Brant and Rex called in the afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Geo Bell visited Sunday

at Henry Miller's of Bloomingdale. Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Healy took din-

ner Monday with her mother, Mrs. Dora Haven of Bloomingdale.

Composition of Tinfoil

Tinfoil is thin sheets of tin. the metallic element. It is beaten thin with a wooden mallet. Leadfoil is made of lead. Both are used for wrapping purposes, but tinfoil is the more common. "Foil" in such compounds literally means leaf

If your subscription to The News has expired, please call at once and settle.

KENDALL

Gilbert Odell of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with his family here

Mr. and Mrs. Fay Richards and children ate Sunday dinner at Dewey Crakes'.

Lillian Ray of Allegan spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Ray.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Bell of Kalamazoo were callers Monday on Mrs. Amelia Odell.

Mrs. Etta Becker and little Mary Jane Schoolcraft spent the week end at South Haven with her sister, Mrs. Grills.

Charles Woodard is ill with a bad cold.

Mr. and Mrs. John Kane spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J Eldridge and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Coman and some friends of Waldron spent Wednesday afternoon and Thursday at Mrs. Coman's farm here.

Will Herman of Gobles is driving They struck a nice vein of water at 69 feet.

Mrs. Charlotte Kane of Mattawan visited her daughter, Mrs. Hazel Waber, several days last week. Mr. and Mrs. Waber and children took her home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tobey, son-in-law and daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Mann, have rented the Wheatland farm. Mr. and Mrs. Otis Bower have gone to Johnstown,

Blaine Brown was badly hurt last Tuesday by a car as he played in the road. His leg was fractured pear the hip and his arm broken in two places. He was taken to Bronson where he will be confined for several weeks.

Mrs. Herbert Knowles entertained the South Side Club very pleasantly Friday, February 27. There were 20 ladies present, two visitors. A short program was

caring for Mrs. Eva Brown's children while she is in Kalamazoo with Blaine.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chamberlin spent Sunday in Plainwell with Elmer and Mary Chamberlin.

spent Sunday afternoon friends in Grand Rapids.

Nina Hardy of Kalamazoo spent Sunday with her father. W. J.

Pinery district will have a play at the Pinery school house, Saturday, March 7. Everybody invited. Price 10 cents; children, half price.

Brundage, Sunday.

George Waber and Mr and Mrs John Dellinger of Kalamazoc were

Mrs. Chas. Adams of Bloomingdale spent Sunday in Kalamazoo, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John H. Shirlay.

ter Pauline.

Mrs. Amelia Odell conducted another of her home-talent song fests Sunday evening at Kendall All present felt well repaid for going.

ADVERTISING RATES

Obituaries, 25 lines free; all % cents per line will be charge Cards of Thanks, 50 cents. months, in advance.....

Copy for advertising must reach this offi-not later than Tuesday noon. All that com-in later can be laid one side until the issu-of the following week.

For Pine Grove Overseer

I hereby announce my candidacy for renomination for Overseer of Pine Grove highways and if elected will give the job my best efforts. Thanking you for past support I solicit it again.

M. J. Westcott.

Frank Barker for Justice of Peace

We, the friends of Frank Barker, think we should have a justice in the center of the township and we think he would make a very dignified Judge.

His Friends.

For Justice of the Peace

PineGrove township will be pleased to continue C. W. Wesler, asJustice for another term subject to the republican caucus and the will of the voters.

West Side Voters.

Highway Commissioner

Many taxpayers of Pine Grove township believe that the 'township' roads need a man for commisioner who knows how to improve and keep up roads at a low cost and they believe that Fred Green has proved his worth and commend him for your support at the republican caucus.

PdPolAd A Taxpayer

Your Commissioner's Announcement

The tax payers have been asking me of late what my attitude is on raising money for roads this year. My answer to this important question is: go slow this year on raising money, because we have a large return tax this year, and nearly as large last year.

This question is all up to you so my advice and last word on raising money is to use reason but raise enough to save what we already

Elmer Simmons, Com.

Card of Thanks

I wish to thank the readers of the News who in any way contributed to my success in the primaries last Monday. I appreciate the fact that many of my friends were not aware of the primary election, and that I was unable to see

them personally.

Sincerely,

Harry Hough. Announcement

I announce my withdrawal from the race for highway commissioner in Pine Grove township.

M. L. Mahieu.

For Township Clerk

I hereby announce myself a candidate for clerk of Pine Grove township subject to the Republican caucus, If elected will be always on the job at Kendall.

Allie Holmes.

Notice

The Republican caucus for the own ship of Pine Grove will be held at Town Hall in Kendall on Saturday, March 14 at 1:30 p.m. for the purpose of nominating township officers and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before it.

By order of Committee. Dated Feb. 27, 1931.

Entered at the Post Office at Gobles Mich., as second-class matter.
J. BERT TRAVIS, Publisher.

Indian relics wanted. See Van

Buy Firestone tires at L. & C.

Veal calves wanted. See or phone Lester Woodruff.

Suits and topcoats cleaned and and Thurs. Out of town customers leave cleaning at Ruell's grocery. Clare C. Stegeman, Dry Cleaning

1½ horse power gasoline engine truck and pump jack for sale cheap

Good 4-tray lamp heated oat sprouter and a Mann bone grinder for poultry for sale cheap. Al Wau-

Battery charging 50c at Randall's

out the Sheldon stock at right prices. Grant Brown.

Carload of new Fords just unloaded at Gamboe's. For installation of bath rooms and

taken care of. Wm. Peterson, li censed plumber. Call 29F21. 3 Good Jersey cows, fresh about 6

Registered roan Durham bull for service. Terms \$1 if paid in six months from date of service, after that time \$2 will be charged. Elmer

500 samples for 1931 patterns wall paper are here. 10 per cent discount on cash orders. Frank

Plumbing, windmills, electric oumps, tanks, supplies and service. Warren Goble.

Walter Stoughton. We sell baled hay and straw.

lamps and tank, for sale. Andy Sackett.

Lost-Set of 3-horse whiffletrees

between old cheese factory and my home. Andy Camfield.

For Sale—About 4 ton of good alfalfa hay on A. O. Anderson's farm at Lake Mill. See Irwin

seed oil house paint, \$2.60 per gallon. Fully guaranteed. Used cars wanted at Gamboe's.

herds will be serviced at our farm. W. I. Ray. Odd Fellows dance Friday, March 13. Everybody invited.

At I. O. O. F. hall, Gobles. Fence posts and wood for sale

Horses for sale. C. R. Austin, Glendale.

sale. I. E. Stockwell, Gobles, R 2. Good span of Geldings for sale, weight about 3000. See John Staken on Chet Wesler farm.

1 mi west of Kendall. Due to a cancellation of order.

will have 100 chicks on my March 16 hatch to sell at a bargain. Al Wauchek, phone.

GOBLES NEWS EVERY THURSDAY MORNING SUBSCRIPTION PRICE, \$1.50 A YEAR ADVANCE. IN CANADA, \$2.06.

Business Locals

Ryno.

See the new Ford models at

pressed \$1. Call for and deliver Mon. Plant, Allegan.

Wm. E. Wormeth.

chek, phone.

Garage. Phone me for coal. Am closing

septic tanks on farms and in town. All repair work will be promptly

weeks and 2 others to freshen soon for sale. L. W. Pullman, first house north Gobles school.

Simmons.

 $\mathbf{Roberts}$

Empire milking machine ready to run, only \$125, at Chevrolet Sales. Cows for sale, or trade for pigs.

Warren Goble. Gasoline lighting system, 4

Am ready for your well work of all kinds. Satisfaction guaranteed. Will Herman.

Day-old calves wanted. Phone Will Ferguson.

Goodrich, Gobles. See Frank Roberts for pure lin-

Only cows from blood tested

cheap. On Nash farm.

Alfalfa, corn fodder and corn for

For Sale-Complete Delco Lighting system plant. John Luptak

Mrs Nina Story of Kalamazoo is

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gallup

The Willing Worker's of the

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Simmons entertained Mr. and Mrs. Basil

callers at Louis Waber's Sunday. Mrs. Bertha Shirley and Mr. and

Mrs. O. P. Hudson entertained entertained Mrs. H. S. Sweet, Mrs. John Kane and Mrs. A. J. Eldridge Saturday afternoon, the occasion being her birthday. Other callers were Mrs. John Abbott and daugh

M. E. church. Mr. Cutler of Bloomingdale gave a trombone solo, Robert Schoolcraft, a violin selection, and four little girls, Mary Jane Schoolcraft, Mary Young, Alice Jean Odell and Joyce Harmen, sang the chorus of "In My Heart There Rings a Melody,' very pleasingly, Dale and Norma Kennedy sang a duet and the chorus rendered a number of songs.

CAMERA NEWS

Salvage Plane That Brought Death to Nine



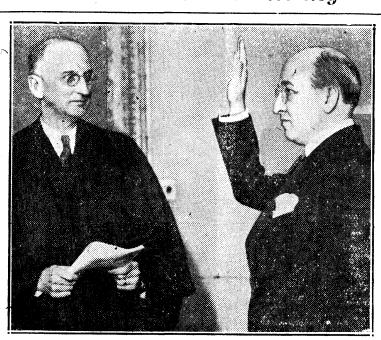
The Royal Air Force flying boat, which recently cr hed into the waters of Plymouth, England, carrying nine of its occupants to death, as it was salvaged from out of he water.

Unknown Horse Wins



You'd smile, too, if you'd just won \$600,000 because a horse you'd never heard of won a race you didn't even read about. That's what has happened again in 1932, and men and supplies ties. to lucky Valerio Zerbo, Brooklyn, N. Y., pictured above with his wife and are now being mobilized. "the smile that won't come off."

New United States Attorney



George Z. Medalie takes oath of office as successor to Charles E. Tuttle as United States district attorney for southern district of New York. He is shown here as he is being sworn in by Federal Judge John Clark Knox.

Attends Senate Probe



Exonerated by twelve bishops on charges of misconduct, Bishop Cannon, Jr., looks on the opening investigation by the Nye senate campaign committee in Washington of his Virginia anti-Smith activities in 1928

To Antarctic Again Ringneck Takes a



Admiral Richard E. Byrd, air con queror of both the north and south 116 wild rose. Various other weed tives in 1930, according to the annual poles, plans to visit Little America seeds also were taken in lesser quanti- report of H. M. Krebs, chief apiary

Highest Yet



the high "C" above high "C" note ence of such organizations will be one by a human voice.

Greek Beauty



Here is Miss Rodi-the Greek beauty queen for 1931 and candidate for the world beauty centest at Gal- and the Federal Farm Board has given parts, and each of the four parts into veston, Tex.

MORE ALFALFA IS NEEDED ON MICHIGAN SOIL

Michigan's alfalfa acreage has increased from 74,000 acres in 1919 to 598,000 in 1930, according to the reports of V. H. Church, agricultural incisors. They include also fire stopstatistician, but this amount is only ping in double walls and floors and the about one-fifth of the state's total hay elimination of an ueau space dark corners where the rat can hide. acreage and there are still many acres The sanitary features provide for which should be planted to the pre- hygienic storage of food, and the rat tive value of the feed. mier legume, in the opinion of the can not live without something to eat. farm crops department at Michigan State college.

prover is one of the reasons why the all buildings be made rat-proof. nodules on its roots so the nitrogen be- amount to less than the loss occasionceeding crops.

be used as a green feed for poultry.

Michigan farmers in 1930 and, ap- of garbage, prepared by the United parently, when the season is favorable States Public Health Service. the production of alfalfa seed will materially increase the state's agricul-

Variety of Food

That the ringneck pheasant is a general feeder, not specializing on any variety of plant or animal food, is the ficials in South Dakota following a ing and nesting places and the starstudy of the stomach contents of 285 pheasants shot in that state in a special investigation of ringneck food

The birds were collected over a period of an entire year, the number taken in any one month ranging from 10 to 38. The largest number was taken during the spring, summer and fall months.

ants take not only seeds and insects be obtained free on request adbut that they feed readily on the dressed to the United States Departleaves, flowers, stems and even the roots of many plants and that they de- D. C. vour insect eggs as well as larvae or

It was found that of the 285 pheasants studied 126 had taken corn, 106 wheat, 86 oats, 113 barley, 139 green foxtail, 138 yellow foxtail, 107 wild buckwheat, 38 wild sunflower, 45 ragweed, 28 smartweed, 42 bindweed and

In the investigation it was found agriculture. that the 285 pheasants devoured more | First of the aims toward which the than 100 species of insects, some of department has been working for sevthe most harmful being cutworms, eral years was to bring all bees and If the nest is soiled, and the egg armyworms, caterpillars, false chinch- beekeepers throughout the state under stained or discolored with wet straw, bugs, aphids, seed corn beetles, wire rigorous inspection. With the excepand grasshoppers.

neck will take almost any variety of are under supervision. food he can get and feeds chiefly on what is most convenient. If insects inspected during 1930, the inspection of any kind become unusually abun- work exceeded by 3,000 colonies the dant in a district the pheasants would 100,000 goal toward which the depart automatically turn their attention to ment has been aiming for three years. these insects, thus helping to combat the scourge of pests, it is believed.

lines in an attempt to settle many reported. When the inspection diviquestions still debatable.

Need United Effort To Aid Agriculture

farmers are responsible for adding 1928 and 281/2 in 1929. Leonor Rosas, 19-year-old Los An-millions of dollars to the annual farm geles girl and a pupil of former Pres- income of the state, according to J. F. ident De La Huerta of Mexico, reaches Cox, dean of agriculture at Michigan the most extreme pitch ever attained of the major factors in assisting agriculture to a better economic condition pheasants raised in the state game in the future.

> crops and livestock associations as ex-conservation departments. amples of organizations which have been successful in bringing about the ments' game division, fears that the adoption of better methods of pro- birds, tame from constant contact with duction, and he vited the Grange, the their attendants, may fall easy prey Farm Bureau, and the Farmers Clubs to poachers, or that they may die from as agencies which have aided in im-the rigors of the forest. proving economic and social con-

> ing the present difficult period was placed on all birds released, and huntemphasized by Dean Cox and he point- ers are requested to return them to ed out that the 35 different associa- the department. tions meeting at the college during "We do not know why the bands part in securing such united effort. "Perhaps the birds die of exposure. The local organizations now have the Perhaps they are being shot illegally, benefits of a national policy for the and it may be that hunters simply are betterment of farm conditions under negligent. Whatever the cause, we Board, the Dean said.

Dean Cox said that livestock organization members now can finance their feeding operations if they are Affiliated with the Livestock Exchange, financial assistance to fruit, potato, two parts, what would I have?" and grain organizations in Michigan. Little Tommy: "Potato Salad!"

Methods of Rat Proofing Described in New Bulletin

Modern building principles and rat proofing go hand in hand, says a new Farmers' Bulletin on "Rat Proofing Buildings and Premises" just issued Agriculture. These principles call for the nutritive value of such feed? the use of well-made concrete and steel, and other indestructible and noncombustile materials that are too much for even the sharpest of roden

rat-proof, says the bulletin. Cities two days old upon the ration treated The crops and soils departments at in growing numbers have added ratthe college are co-operating in holding proofing clauses to their building ormeetings in many Michigan counties dinances with such good effect that with and without calcium carbonate, to explain their reasons for urging others are sure to follow their lead consisted of yellow corn, middlings, more farmers to grow alfalfa. County Builders should therefore compare the agricultural agents are making the cost of rat-proofing during construclocal arrangements for the meetings. tion with the probable cost later, in The value of alfalfa as a soil im- case local laws should require that

crop finds favor with the soils depart- The cost of rat-proofing all the ment. The plant has the ability to take construction on many American nitrogen from the air and hold it in farms, the bulletin says, would comes available for plant food for suc- ed by rats on the same farms in a single year. The pamphlet gives de-Alfalfa furnishes one of the best tails and illustrates methods for ratroughages obtainable for feeding proofing all kinds of farm structures, dairy cattle and the hay can be used including barns, corncribs, granaries, for every other class of livestock. and poultry houses. It also considers Feeding trials at the college have the rat-proofing of city buildings, shown that the hay is readily eaten such as warehouses and markets, and noteworthy stimulation to the appeby hogs and that leafy, cut alfalfa can suggests city-wide efforts toward the suppression of the rat pest. The use of alfalfa as a seed crop cludes a model rat-proofing ordinance brought a welcome profit to many regulating the collection and disposal

Through the bulletin it is emphasized that the removal of the rat's food and shelter offers a practical means of permanent rat control. 'The number of rats on premises and the extent of their destructiveness are are usually in direct proportion to the food available and to the shelter afforded. Rat-proofing in the broadest sense embraces not only the exclusion conclusion reached by conservation of but also the elimination of their hidvation of the animals. Through open doors and in other ways, rats may frequently gain access to structures that are otherwise rat-proof, but they can not persist there unless they find safe retreats and food. When ratproofing becomes the regular practice the rat problem will have been large ly solved.'

The study revealed that the pheas-Farmers' Bulletin No. 1638-F, may ment of Agriculture, Washington,

Bee Campaign 100 Per Cent Success

Michigan's campaign for eradication of bee diseases in the state's apiaries virtually reached its four chief objecinspector for the state department of

The study revealed that the ring- of Michigan's 23,000 beekeepers now

With a mark of 103,472 colonies

Reduction of the percentage of bee disease to 31/4 per cent was one of the The stury will be carried on this major accomplishments of Michigan coming year along even more scientific apiary work in the past year, Krebs sion began its task several years ago 20 per cent of the colonies were found

The fourth goal, the apiary chief declared, was reduction of the per States Dean Cox colony cost of inspection. Average expense in 1930 came to 23.9 cents, Organized groups of Michigan as compared with 26 in 1927, 32 in

What Happens to State Raised Pheasants?

The question of what becomes of yard at Mason after they are released Dean Cox pointed to the various in the wilds is bothering the Michigan

P. S. Lovejoy, head of the depart-

The cause for this worry is the small number of metal leg bands re-The need for organized effort dur-turned by hunters. These bands are

Farmers Week would have a leading are not being returned," Lovejoy said. the direction of the Federal Farm are not getting the returns that we had hoped for.

Smart Boy

Teacher: "If I take a potato and divide it into two parts, then into four

POULTRY

TEST HEATED POULTRY RATION Does the heating of poultry rations to temperatures sufficiently high for by the United State Department of granulating the feed, seriously affect

> Investigations at the Wisconsin College of Agriculture indicate that no detrimental effects result when heating these feeds to temperatures of 140 to 149 degrees Fahrenheit for 24 hours, but that higher temperatures result in greatly reducing the nutri-

Chicks were used as the experi-All new buildings should be made mental animals and were started when in various ways. The ration used, soybean meal, skim milk powder and common salt, fortified after heating

with cod liver oil to prevent rickets. The ration did not seem to be impaired when it was heated to 140 to 149 degrees Fahrenheit. At 208 to 212 degrees Fahrenheit in the presence of absence of calcium carbinate. or when sodium carbonate constituted .5 per cent of the ration, some injurious effects on the nutritive value were noted. But at 250 degrees Fahrenheit there was a marked depressing effect on the nutritive properties of the ra-

In these experiments there was a tite and growth through the addition of yeast to the rations made up of the heated feeds. Extensive trials are now being conducted to supplement these preliminary reports.

IOWA LEADS IN POULTRY **SHIPMENTS**

Iowa led all other states in shipments of dressed poultry to the New. York market during 1930, with total shipments of 30,295,150 pounds, according to the Iowa Department of Agriculture.

Illinois ranked second to Iowa in total shipments of dressed poultry, of rats from buildings of all types while Minnesota ranked third. In the shipments of live poultry, Missouri ranked first, Illinois second and Indiana third.

"The major portion of Iowa's poulry production is fattened, dressed and prepared for shipment in packing houses within the state," says Carl N. Kennedy, assistant secretary of agriculture. "Missouri has developed her poultry business more on the basis of shipping live cars.

"At the present time, a considerable amount of Iowa poultry is being trucked directly from Iowa to Chicago," Mr. Kennedy reports. "This is particularly true in southeastern and eastern Iowa. Further deevlopment of the poultry marketing program is largely dependent upon the co-operation of both producers and dealers in a quality program based on a graded buying.

NEWLY LAID AND EGG EGGS

The EGG egg is the lowest quality f egg; it is a has been.

When the hen breaks into ecstatic cackling over her good deed for the day, she leaves her egg in the nest with a protective covering or bloom. droppings or damp earth even the worms, white grubs, leaf beetles, ants tion of a few scattered townships in good egg will lose some of its quality; five counties, according to Krebs, all it will more readily take up odors; it is more accessible to germs. In a short time the yolk, which if broken when first laid would stand up firm and well rounded, becomes flattened and spreads. The white which should be thick and firm is weakened; and the egg that was U.S. Special becomes U. S. Trade. Like the road in the old song: "The farther you go the tougher it gets."

HAVE HOPPERS FOR DIFFERENT **AGES**

It is bad for the youngest hatch when the older chicks get their feet under their table. A baby chick doubles its weight in six weeks and keeps on growing. Even when there isn't much difference in age, consider the handicaps in size of the earlier and later hatches. Equipment on even the smallest poultry plant should be of assorted sizes. Older chicks can't get enough water from a baby chick fountain—runts are made by overcrowding. Overcrowding occurs on the range as well as in the coops. The mighthave-beens in the poultry yard that really hurt are those losses caused by our own carelessness. Thought for the youngsters; care of the older hatches will fill your pocketbook with

PERHAPS HIGHER POULTRY PRICES

The poultry in storage on Dec. 1 in the United States totaled 83,000,-000 pounds, as compared with 116,-000-000 pounds a year ago. With prices as low as at present it should be moving into consumption rapidly. It appears that higher poultry prices should be available to farm flock owners by spring if not earlier. It should be an inducement to cull closely with egg prices continuing low.

Black Lake's Carp Fishing Nearing End

Carp fishing operations in Black lake have been temporarily halted owing to unsafe ice conditions and unless a continued cold spell develops the season will be closed. The season's haul of carp approximated 22 tons.

ACCLAIM NEW INSTITUTION AS FINEST IN U. P.

The medical fraternity of the upper peninsula district is well pleased with the General hospital of Stambaugh in which they have taken a live interest and given freely of their counsel. Individual members were unsparing in their commendation of the project undertaken by the mining companies and the generous manner in which the companies have equipped the building.

Much was left to the district physicians by the board of directors when it came to the type of equipment to be installed. Sitting as a medical advisory board, the physicians recommended the amount and type of surgical equipment desired and the mine companies not only met this request but in several instances went beyond the recommendations and added what might be termed "luxury items."

The excellent medical staff in the district, together with the complete fa-cilities afforded by the General hospital, will serve to make the hospital a medical and surgical center.

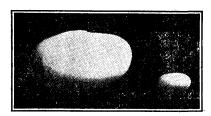
Physicians have shown their enthusiasm over the institution by declaring it is, without question, one of the best equipped hospitals of its size in the nation. Their opinion is corroborated by M. N. Willis, architect, of Duluth, who is authority for the statement the hospital is wothout an equal for its size in the country. A. C. Rink, representing the Brown and Gay Co. of Duluth, furnishers of surgical and sterilizing equipment, further substantiated the statement. In the seven northwest states he covers, the institution is the finest he has visited, he declared.

Under a policy announced by the mine companies, the hospital and its facilities will be open to all practicing physicians who undoubtedly will make full use of the opportunity. Each will be in charge of his own patients and the matron will be in general charge of administration.

Holland's Postmaster In Service for 42 Years

Postmaster Adrian J. Westveer recently, completed 42 years of service in the Holland postoffice. He began his postal career as clerk in 1889 and became postmaster in 1924. He was reappointed in 1928.

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MAY LOSE GUARDS

Efforts to maintain the Big Rapids unit of the National Guard in Big City druggist, a member of the naval Rapids are being made by Big Rapids reserve, and Secretary Ben L. Taylor natriotic organizations patriotic organizations.

to report.

Local citizens are aroused over the Local citizens are aroused over the possibility the Armory will be auctioned by the state. Big Rapids contributed \$25,000 toward construction of the Armory of the Armory.

The company consists of 63 men.

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BAYER

Great Lakes Naval Unit May See Cherry Festival MICHIGAN WEIGHT,

The Navy's Great Lakes training squadron may attend the cherry festival next July as a result of efforts made by Carl I. Campbell, Traverse Efforts to maintain the Big Rapids nade by Carl I. Campbell, Traverse and the Rapids of the National Guard in Big reserve, and Secretary Ben L. Taylor atriotic organizations.

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> The Great Lakes station commandsquadron for the festival in 1929.

He Retires After 20 Years as Head Of Bank in Ionia

It has been known to inner circles of the State Savings bank of Ionia that when its president, Thad B. Preston, had served 20 years in that capacity he would retire. That change has been brought about by the election of Circuit Judge Royal A. Hawley as Mr. Preston's successor.

Mr. Preston retains his financial inaffairs of the institution as ever. Few tive in the business affairs of the city than has Mr. Preston, a native of Ionia and a lifelong resident.

Produces New Plane

A new low-priced airplane will be placed upon the market soon by the Buhl Aircraft Company of Maryssigned for daily use. It is powered to the Consumers Power Co. at a speof the lowest priced planes on the vliet, but has announced it will leave market. The plane was designed by development of gas line extension in Buhl company.

span is 32 feet. The total weight, Watervliet township voted on a when loaded for flight; is 800 pounds, similar franchise and it was voted 40 to 80 horsepower. All models will a franchise through the township. be of the same general type, with the same metal fuselage, cockpit, instruments, landing gear and tail section, but may vary in other features.

Orders Detroit Planes

Dallas, Tulsa and Oklahoma City.

GAS TAXES EQUAL

Although Lieut. John Dumon of Company E denies the Big Rapids unit on day if the festival dates are set will be transferred, rumors have been making a bid for the outfit, according to report.

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time to motorists for purchase of 1931 Operator of Saugatuck

first made an effort to secure the per can and the gasoline tax \$15.20. present operator. The funds continue to be com-

parable. In 1930 the state highway department received \$21,427,760 net from the weight tax and \$21,673,878 net from the gas tax.

Niles Seeks Utilities Profits for City Work

At a joint meeting of the Niles common council and board of public works, it was decided to submit to Governor Wilber M. Brucker a charter amendment proposal which would per mit the transfer of funds from the terests in the bank, however, and de- municipally-owned water and electric clares he is as much interested in the departments to other funds for makmen have been more consistently accial committee on unemployment recently appointed by the mayor. About \$200,000 will be expended next spring if the amendment carries.

Watervliet's Residents Approve Gas Franchise

By a vote of 4 to 7 residents of The plane is a single-seater de- Watervliet approved a gas franchise with a 40-horsepower Szekely engine, cial election. The company proposes and will sell at \$1,250, making it one to extend high pressure gas to Water-Etinne Dormoy, chief engineer for the this territory to the National Gas & Power Co., which proposes to connect The fuselage of the new machine its gas properties at Benton Harbor is built entirely of metal. Its wing and South Haven.

The plane has been designed for inex- down 55 to 12. The company states perienced pilots and will accommodate it can bring its mains to Watervliet several types of engines, ranging from over a state trunkline highway without

State Has 732 Pilots

Michigan ranked sixth among the states at the end of 1930 both in point of planes and pilots, according to Department of Commerce figures. Orders for two low-wing Detroit It was listed as having 485 planes, of Lockheed transport ships have been which 371 are licensed by the federal placed with the Detroit Aircraft Cor- government, and 732 pilots. California poration by the Temple Bowen Air has 2,852 pilots; New York, 1,641; Line, operating between Fort Worth, Illinois, 931; Pennsylvania, 810, and Ohio, 802.

U. of M. Expert Urges Revision Of War Treaty

"Unless the treaty of Versailles is prastically revised another European war is imminent within the next ten years," Professor J. K. Pollock of the political science department of the University of Michigan, told the Wom en's Association of the University et the Detroit-Leland hotel recently.

The two great sore spots of Europe are the disarmament problem and the In the grist he explained Germany would be amply justified to break fiv of the Versailles treaty in view of th | 1934. fact that France has budgeted mor money for its defenses and army thi year then any year since the war, and this number, about 12,000 paid to emthat Italv has increased its standing bark on sightseeing planes, while an armv 10 per cent.

spent by the French in the erection and demonstration. In November the of an entirely new line of fortifica field was made the terminal of a plane tions, which will extend from the line to Buffalo, and shortly before the Mediterranean to the North sea, Dr Pollock said.

Outlining the conditions in the Pol ish corridor. which is the strip of land from Poland to the Baltic sea at Dan zig, dividing eastern Germany, he charged that this was a decided sore spot, which is becoming more infected as the years pass. He told of how farm lands are divided, and how, in one instance, where a German's house is split from his garden by the international boundary, the farmer is forced to get permission from the Polish government every time he wants ish government every time he wants ness races or the arrival of such notato pick some vegetables.

He branded three great political leaders of the day—Benite Mussolini Adalph Hitler and Mahatma Gandhi that it is only five miles from the cenrespectively, as international nuisance destructive demagogue and a phycho pathic case.

"Germany," declared the professor is the key bulwark against Communism entering western Europe." He continued with the statement that although the Social Democratic party which is in power new, is a stable and conservative group, that in the September 14 elections the National Socialist party, under Hitler, gained 107 seats in the reichstag, and the present government is shaky.

The possibility of a monarchy returning to Germany is very slight in the cpinion of Dr. Pollock, and if such were to happen, it would not be like that which was in effect prior to th war, but one in which the king would be only a figurehead.

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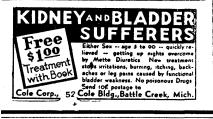
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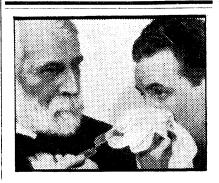
DETROIT AIRPORT SERVES HEAVY **COMMERCE**

A steady increase in business at the Detroit Municipal Airport since it was opened a year and a half ago is reported by William J. Wallace, engineer-manager of the airport. The average increase, based on that for "Polish corridor" situation, he said the first 18 months of operation, indicates that the hangar, the largest in the world, will be filled to capacity in

During the year, approximately 387,000 persons visited the field. Of unestimated number made flights with More than \$1.500.000,000 is being friends or for purposes of inspection year closed it became the terminal of a Chicago air service.

Outlining the conditions in the Polish corridor. which is the strip of land bought 66,548 gallons of gasoline and

bles as Dieudonne Coste and Maurice Bellonte. According to Wallace, the port's greatest asset lies in the fact. ter of the city.



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of the Armory.
Lieut. Dumon bases his belief that Company E wilk remain on the report of a recent inspection by state officers. Conditions in the Big Rapids unit were said to be satisfactory.
The company consists of 63 men.

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The Wedding Party

By SIDNEY BLAIR -

HELENA settled down happily into her seat in the special train that was taking the guests to Phyllis Ewing's wedding. It hardly seemed possible that she was part of that gay throng-and an important part, too, a bridesmaid. She'd been in her own little home town ever since last June, when she and Phyllis and the other bridesmaids were graduated from school, and all these other girls had been having such gay times since then-how sweet it was of Phyllis to want her now. They'd been roommates, of course, but Phyllis knew that she hadn't much money, and most girls wouldn't have thought of asking

There were gay greetings all about her-Hello, Sue; I hear you're going to Paris next month. So am I—see you on the Rue de la Paix!" "Nanette, did you hear about Madge? She eloped, my dear, and her father's raving; says he'll cut her off without a

"Oh, well, she'll soon get a divorce! Madge will try anything once, even love's young dream," retorted Nannette, dropping into a chair near Helena's. Then, suddenly recognizing her, "Oh, hello, Helena. Haven't seen you since you used to help me with my themes at school!"

Nannette turned her back when the inspection was over. "Speaking of love's young dream," she remarked, "wait till you see the best man. He's absolutely the best looking thing I ever saw. And with a whole week of parties and things in romantic scenery ahead of us-well, girls, just give me a free hand. I warn you all. I'm going to do my best to land the handsome Daniel."

"Is that his name?" "Who is he, Nan?" "What's he like?"

"Daniel Gray. He's just out of West Point a year. I've never met anyone like him. I had luncheon with Phyllis and her best beloved and him when she was buying her trousseau in town. and lost my heart right then."

Helena met Daniel Gray that afternoon, but Nannette ran over to him with a tale of the latest joke, and pulled him away before he had much more than acknowledged the introduction. Helena liked him, liked the nice, steady look in his eyes, his square

There was a dance that night, a very gay one. Daniel Gray danced with Helena, and told her a little about his life; he'd been stationed near Chicago this last year, but his regiment was going to the Philippines in just two weeks.

"Oh, how wonderful!" cried Helena, her blue eyes glowing. She was so small that she had to look up very far to catch the answering gleam in his dark ones. "How happy you must be at the thought of seeing so much of the world."

"I am," Daniel Gray answered. "I wouldn't want to stay all my life in the same place."

She saw little of him during the next few days. There were polo games between the men and girlsand she couldn't ride horseback. Nannette could, perfectly. They all went swimming a lot, too, but Helena couldn't swim way out to the raft, as Nannette could.

'Can't you do anything?" cried Nannette that night at dinner, disgustedly. Helena blushed, when everyone turned and looked at her. Then, suddenly, she threw back her head spiritedly.

"I can cook and straighten up a house, sew," she said, her voice trembling a little. "And I can make preserves, and play the piano a little, and take care of little children. That's ali." "Bravo, Helena!" cried Mr. Ewing.

"You're a dear, old-fashioned girl, and I wish Phyllis was going to make John half as good a wife as you'll make the man you marry!"

A dreadful thing happened two days later-two long days, they were, in which Helena spent most of her time with Mr. Ewing, except for one golden afternoon when Daniel Gray and she went for a long walk together, and talked as if they'd been friends all their lives. The dreadful thing was that the maid of honor came down with mumps.

"It's so inconsiderate of you!" wailed Phyllis. "If you'd just had something that didn't show!"

"Well, she didn't, so pick another maid of honor, Phyl," urged Nannette. "I'm an applicant for the position; in fact, I insist on having it—the dress will just fit me, and-"

"And it will fit Helena, too," said Phyllis, quietly. "I choose her." So it happened that little Helena walked down the aisle alone just in front of the bride, her lovely blue eyes

starry with joy, straight toward where Daniel Gray and the groom waited. And it happened, too, later that evening, that Daniel Gray took her to a secluded corner of the moonlit lawn. "I can't help rushing you, Helena, but-well, I fell in love with you at

first sight, and I'm sailing so soon, and I'll be so far away from you, for so long-unless you'll go with me, to cook, and straighten up a house-and play the piano a little-won't you marry me, please, Helena dear?"

Helena didn't answer in words. But Daniel found the answer quite understandable and satisfactory.

Air That Is Visible Liquid air is visible, having the appearance of water with a trace of bluing in it.

Willing to Rest Fame

on One Great Success That the composition of music can be profitable when the work of the composer is popular is undeniable, but the few fortunes that have been made by composers generally have been started rather than built up by the profits of their music. Rosini is generally supposed to have made a large fortune out of his operas, but he himself admitted that while he had nothing to complain about in this respect his wealth came rather from a number of successful speculations to which he was introduced by one of the Rothschild family. It is probable, too, that in his speculations, as in his music, he knew when to stop. When he had finished "William Tell" and seen that it was a great success he never attempted another opera, though he lived nearly forty years longer. When asked by an admirer why he did not try to repeat this success, knowing his own limitations (the chief of which was laziness), he replied, Why hunt the hare when you have killed the elephant?"

English Town Proud of Ancient Parish Church

The one hundredth anniversary of the Parish church of Manchester, England, was celebrated recently when the bishop of Coventry preached a special thanksgiving sermon. The church, which is one of the oldest in the country, stands on the same foundations of a Saxon church which was built in 930 A. D. Beautiful antique stained glass windows decorate the east wall. A peal of five bells, dating from 1350, still call the villagers to church. Five books, including Fox's "Book of Martyrs" are among the church's treasured possessions. Two of the more recent English martyrs, Robert Glover and Mrs. Joyce Lewis, worshiped at the shrine. Glover was burned at the stake at Coventry in 1555, and Mrs. Lewis met a similar fate at Lichfield two years later. The old church is in a wonderful state of preservation considering her ten centuries of life.

Famous Makers of "Comics"

The remote ancestry of the American serial comic would include the figures of "The Rake's Progress" and "Marriage a la Mode" of Hogarth, the work of Rowlandson and Cruickshank and the "Robert Macaire" of Daumier and Philipon. The indigenous product first found expression in the back pages of the American magazines of the later half of the Nineteenth century. Examples of this early work were Palmer Cox's "The Brownies" and the sketches of A. B. Frost. It was in the '90s that the comic serial found its way into the newspapers. "The Yellow Kid," a creation of that decade, contributed to the coinage of the term "yellow journalism." "The Yellow Kid" is generally credited to R. F. Outcault, who was the originator of "Buster Brown." Frederick Burr Opper, E. M. Hawarth, T. E. Powers, Gene Carr, creator of "Lady Bountiful," and Carl Schultz, creator of "Foxy Grandpa," were other outstanding comic artists of the period.

Dickens, the Aristocrat

No little consternation will be caused among the admirers of Charles Dickens, who have always regarded him as an out-and-out Democrat, a lover of common things and simple people, by the discovery that in the later years of his life he adopted an imposing armoral device to which he had no hereditary or legal right. Was it snobbery or merely whimsical fancy that induced him to embellish his entire library with a crest, depicting a lion holding in its paws a Maltese cross? Perhaps the noble crest on his dinner service helped him to forget the labels on those interminable rows of blacking bottles at Hungerford market. Dickens' crest remains Dickens' secret .-- London Morning Post.

Historic Sainte Chapelle

Saint Louis of France wanted to build a shrine worthy of containing sacred relics of the crown of thorns and the true cross which he had brought from the Holy land in one of his crusades. So he built La Sainte Chapelle in Paris in the purest gothic, which was at its height in his day. It is hard to believe that it is now six hundred and fifty years old, having survived three fires, the Revolution and the Commune. Restorations have, of course, taken place, but thousands of American tourists will agree that this one gem of architecture is worth the whole trip across the Atlantic. Its rose window stays in the memory as long as life lasts.

Scotsman's Rise

The manager of an Aberdeen firm called his bookkeeper into his private room.

"Sandy," he said, "the accountant is teaving and I'm gaun tae gie you

The young bookkeeper's face lit up with expectation.

"Thank you, sir," he replied. "And what will the salary be now?" The manager shook his head.

"The same as you're gettin', but ye'll ha'e a hat-peg to yourself now," he returned.-London Answers.

Provided for Old Custom At Sturmeister Newton (Dorset),

England, Frederick Giles Symonds, retired banker, left \$500 in trust in order that the vicar and churchwardens might be paid for keeping alive the old custom of ringing the curfew bell from Michelmas day to Lady day.

His Plaid Golf Socks

By HELEN ST. BERNARD

(Copyright.) **A BIRTHDAY present Gilbert Stone as Gil," said Mrs. Gilbert Stone as BIRTHDAY present for you, she placed a package before her husband. "A little late but Lizette never

gets her presents off on time." It was an oblong box, securely tied. "Not handkerchiefs, anyway," remarked the recipient. "Ties, I s'pose?"

"S'pose you open it and see. Here let me untie it for you. You make me nervous. Mrs. Manning called today. Asked me to play bridge at her table at the Country club Thursday afternoon. They are so hospitable to strangers out here in Cloverlawn."

"Better go slow on accepting those invitations, Milly. As I told you when we bought this place, I will not join the Country club or play golf. They may argue it is good business, but by George! If I have to put on short plaid panties and those devilish loud socks and knock a little pill around through the grass. . . . Good lord! What—is—it!"

Mildred dangled his birthday gift before his eyes. "Golf socks!"

Gil groaned and rested his face in his hand. "Golf socks! Where in thunder did Lizette get the idea that I played golf!"

"Because we moved out here to Cloverlawn, I presume. I think I did mention that the links were just back of the house and that there was a pretty club house. You know, both she and Dave think that anyone who doesn't play golf . . . well, they are pretty socks, anyway."

The plaid golf socks were on the living room table in their tissue wrapping when Mr. and Mrs. Anthony, neighbors, came in for their first call.

"A-ha!" remarked Mr. Anthony as he fingered them between thumb and forefinger. "Pretty nifty, I'll say. The person who picked these out, knew her stuff. The wife?"

"My sister," informed Gil shortly. "She has been buying golf socks for my brother-in-law for years and knows good ones, I guess. Shall we play bridge?"

The next evening when Gil returned home, Mildred informed him Mr. Anthony had left a new mashie which he wished Gil would try out. He would look him up on Saturday for a four-

"Ye-ah, I'll try it out," Gil growled. "On the heads of some of those golf hounds out here. What do you suppose is the latest? Came out on the train with Manning. He spouted Cloverlawn until he was exhausted. It seems there's a group of men coming out Saturday to inspect the golf course with a view to bringing a tournament here, and I'll be darned if he hasn't put me on the committee to go around the course with them. His wife's going to ask you to be one of the hostesses at the club that afternoon. Manning has got the idea from Anthony that I'm a golfer! Of all the

"And that means?" suggested Mildred hiding a smile.

"Ye-ah," he growled. "Rub it in. Of have to doll up like a luny Scot . . . but I warn you, Milly! If you look at me—once—I'll . . . I'll . . . But as a Cloverlawn investor and supposedly interested in the development out here. I must show my civic pride and make a darned fool of myself."

Mildred looked very cool and charming in her light georgette dress and big green hat as she presided over one of the tea tables at the Country club the following Saturday afternoon. She looked about for Gil. He was not to be seen anywhere. Mr. Manning was engaged in seeing to the comfort of the guests and Mr. Anthony, as usual, was telling about his recent admission to the "Hole-in-One-Club." Gil probably had had enough and had shed the golf outfit for a cold shower and flannels, or perhaps the oily overalls in the garage.

"If you are as enthusiastic about Cloverlawn as Gil is, Mrs. Stone," said Mr. Manning leaning over the table, "we sure have gained two real live assets to our community. By George, that husband of yours. . . . "Yes, I know . . . but where is he?

I haven't seen him. . . ." "Where is he? He borrowed my clubs and is taking a lesson from Scotty, the pro. Says he is rusty

on the game and wants to brush up before next week." One week later, at the dinner table.

Mildred asked laconically: "Have you written Lizette and thanked her for your birthday pres-

"No, by George, I haven't. Too darned busy. Got a birdie on the fourth hole tonight . . . must ask her to send me some more like them.

"Just another pair of devilish plaid golf socks. . . . " grinned Mildred.

Finger Sensitiveness

As the result of an experiment dealing with the left hand, it has been found that the index finger was most sensitive. The middle finger and thumb are next, being about the same; then the little finger, and finally the ring finger.

Too Idealistic

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Mortgage Sale

Default having been made in the con. ditions of a certain mortgage made and executed by Raymond Harvey and Mabel Harvey, husband and wife, to the First National Bank of Lawton, Michigan dated Derember 28, 1923 and recorded in Liber 123 of mortgages, page 341, Register of Deeds office, Van Buren County, Michigan and by said First National Bank of Lawton, Michigan assigned in writing to Isadore E. Shered, said assignment being recorded in the Registers' office of the County of VanBuren, State of Michigan, in Liber 121 of mortgages at page 400; and by said Isadore E. Shered assigned to David E. Rich on January 12, 1931, which last mentioned assignment is recorded in the Register's office of Van Buren County, Michigan in Liber 151 of mortgages on pages 24 and 25.

Whereas, the amount claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice is One Thousand (\$1000 00) Dollars of principal and Forty and 83-100 Dollars of interest together with Twenty-four and 67-100 Dollars paid for taxes and Thirty five (\$35.00) Dollars as an attorney fee together with any taxes which may be paid hereafter by the undersigned which will be added at the time of said sale and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover said debt now remaining secured by said mortgage, whereby the power of sale contained in said mortgage has become operative.

Now, Therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale con. course, it means short pants and those | tained in said mortgage and in pursuance devilish socks Lizette sent me. I'll of the statutes in such case made and provided, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises in said described at public auction, to the high. est bidder, at the north outer door of the Court House, in the Village of Paw Paw. Van Buren County, Michigan (that being the place for holding the Circuit Court in and for said County), on the 4th day of June A. D. 1931 at nine o'clock in the forenoon of said day (Central Standard Time), which said premises are described as follows, to-wit:

The following described land and prem ises, situated in the Township of Waverly County of Van Buren, State of Michigan, viz: Commencing Twenty seven (27) rods South from Northeast corner of Sec tion Seventeen (17), Township two (2) South, Range Fourteen (14) West; thence West Eighty-three (83) feet, South Twenty (20) rods, Five (5) feet, East Eighty. three (83) feet, North Twenty (20) rods and Five (5) feet to the place of begin-

Dated March 3rd, 1931. DAVID E. RICH,

Assignee of Mortgage Frank S. Weston,

Attorney for Mortgagee. Business Address: Kalamazoo, Mich.

Village Election

Notice is hereby given to the Qualified Electors of the Village of Gobles, State of Michigan that the next ensuing Annual Village Election will be held at Village Hall within said Village on

Monday, March 9, A. D. 1931 At which election the following village officers are to be elected, viz:

1 Village President; 1 Village Clerk; Village Treasurer; also 3 Trustees for 2 years; 1 Assessor.

years; 1 Assessor.

Sec. 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon or as soon thereafter as may be, and shall be continued open until five o'clock in the afternoon and no longer: Provided, that in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative body in cities and villages may, by resolution adopted fifteen days prior to the election and publi shed with the notice of election, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and may also privile that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day.

The polls of said election will be open at 7

The polls of said e.ection will be open at 7 o'clock a. m. and remain open until 5 o'clock p. m. of said day of election, unless the board of election inspectors shall, in their discretion, adjourn the polls at 12 o'clock, noon, for one bour-Dated this 2ndday of February, A. D. 1931.

G. V. Knight

Clerk of said Village.

for year ending February 28, 1931

Annual Statement

for the Village of Gobles

Cash on hand march 1, 1930..... \$ 1,750.48 Property tax collected..... Special paying tax collected Returned taxes from county Total receipts......\$10,132,28 Total disbursements..... 6,729,65 Cash on hand Feb.28, 1931 \$ 8 402,63 DISBURSEMENTS

Street and Light Mar 5, Petty Bros & Co, sooket and lamp., \$ 1.00 5. Ray Welce, grading streets...... 9.60 5 Mich Gas & Elec Co, street lights. 60,08 April 7 A O Schram, plowing snow...... 24.50 7 Ray Welch, grading streets..... 7 mich Gas & Elec Co, street lights. 60,08 uay 5 Lou Merwin. 3 days gråding streets 21.00 8 Petty Bros & Co, supplies..... 4.45 8 Otto Groves, 8 yds gravel etc...... 14,80 Mich Gas & Electric Co street light 60.08 6 Mich Gas & Elec Co. 3 fuses...... 3 90 June 13 mich Gas & Elec Co, street lights. 60.08 July 7 Mich Gas & Elec Co street lights ... 60,08 Aug 7 Mich Gas & Elec Co street lights... 60.08 Sept 12 Mich Gas & Elec Co street lights. 60.08 13 Mich Gas & Eles Co street lights. 5.33 7 Cash Supply Store. paint...... 12.45

Oct 10 Lou merwin 5 hrs grading streets... 3.50 8 Mich Gas and Elec Co street lights. 60.08 8 Mich Gas and Elec Co. stop light., 7 22 23 First State Bauk, paving coupon.. 12.50 Nov 7 Mich Gas and Elec Co, street light.. 60,08 7 mich Gas and Elec Co. stop light.. 8.04 Dec 4 Mich Gas and Elec Co, step light ... 6.15 Apr 7 4 Mich Gas and Elec Co, street light. 60.08 May 8

4 O Lohrberg, cleaning catch basins 15.00 Jan 8 mich Gas and Elec Co, street lights. 60.08 8 Mich Gas and Elec Co, stop light. 5.67 8 Otto Grove, labor and supplies 18 99

8 A Schram, clearing streets and . Feb 2 Mich Gas and Elec Co, street lights. 80 08

6 Mich Gas and Elec Co., stop light merch 5 Wm Kerman, Feb labor...... 8 80.00 5 Ray Welch, Feb labor 5 Grant Brown, 2200 lbs coal...... 5 Gobles News, new registration notice and ballots..... 5 Vern Knight, election outfit and stamps..... 3.2518 First State Bank, coupons 19 First State Bank. coupon...... 25 mich Trust Co. water bond and interest..... April 7 The Gobles News, election notices, minutes, insurance and

treasurer's bond..... 83.60 7 Vern Knight, half year salary as clerk and 2 days registration..... 7 A Watts, election board..... 7 Frank Veley, election board.... 19.32 7 Mrs. Grant Brown, election board 7 Mrs Elma Carpenter, election bd. 7 R A Bush, election board 7 C Merrifield, election board

7 Grant Brown, coal..... 7 Petty Bros & Co. 150-watt bulb ... 7 Ray Welch, M rch *alary...... \ 80 00 7 Wm Herman, March salary...... 7 Dr.A J Freisch, health officer.... May 8 Rolla Bush, April salary..... 8 H.J Dollidgworth, workmen,s

Compensation Insuaa ce 8 Geo Keller, cutting tree 8 Gobles News, minutes and alley notice,,,..... 8 Wm Herman, 2 days labor.....,

8 Bert Woodhouse, cutting tree.... 24 Frank Van Voorhees, band music for May 30, 1829, June 4 R H Bush, may salary etc...... B Joe Pelong, cement work, etc.... 6 Frank Thayer, work on moving

& K S Cmeney, labor..... & Ed Alway, assessor and member Board of Review 6 Gobles News, minutes and water notice. .,,..... 6 R Curties and Oo, supplies

6 Vern Knight, postage..... 6 Otto Groves grayel and labor

21 R C Willoughbuy, painting tank 7 W Goble, installing meter 7 J L Clement and Sons, supplies ..

7 Gobles News, water notice and minutes.... II First State Bink, note and int .. 28 First State Bank, coupons..... ug 7 Eagle Sign and Sales Corporation, stop lights and fixtures.....

7 Chas Howard, labor and fixtures 7 Gobles News, minutes and notice 7 Otto Groves, labor with truck....

7 G V Knight, postage..... 7 R H Bush, July salary Sept 5 Gobles News, notice and minutes 5 J C Gamboe, phone to Paw Paw. 5 First State Bank, coupons...... 5 C W Newcomb, labor and stove. 5 Ford Veley, labor..... 5 R H Bush, Aug salary..... 6 First State Bank, coupons 8 Vern Knight, half year salary... 8.R. H Bush, salary and supplies ... 8 J L Clement and Lons. supplies. Nov 7 R H Bush, Oct salary..... 7 Gobles Milling Co. 2 sax cement. 7 Natl Manufacturing Co, fire ex. extinguishers..... 1 Gobles News, minutes and notices Dec 4 R H Bush, Nov salary..... 4 Gobles News, minutes, water notice and envelopes..... 4 Petty Bros. supplies..... 4 Vern Knight, postage 2.00 4 John McDonald, postage and trip to Paw Paw 4 Gobles Milling Co coal..... 4 Frank Gorton, labor..... 4 Frank Coutson, snow plow repair 28 First State Bank, coupon...... 8 Gobles News, minutes and notice. 8 R H Bush salary and supplies ... 8 Dixie Service Station, supplies ... 8 First State Bank, paving bond coupous...... 200.00 21 First State &ank, coupons..... 87.50 Feb 5 Gobles News, minutes....... 5 R H Bush, Jan salary 11 First State Bank, coupons..... 256.25

Fire and Water Mar 5 Mich Gas and Blec, pump current \$ 28.80 Frank Gorton, labor 8 M O Johnson, labor..... 8 Standard Oil Co, kerosene, etc.,

8 R Curtiss and Co, supplies June 6 Mueller Co, supplies 6 G Kellar, labor on Hudson tap. . 6 Warren Goble, labor..... 6 Frank Gorton, hudson tap.. 6 M C R R Co. freight 13 Mich Gas and Elec pump current 34 99

July 7 Harry Veley, repair water main. 18.50 7 Associated Truck Line, cartage... 7 Petty Bros Co, bulbs etc 7 Frank Gorton, labor 11 20 7 Richards Mfg Co supplies 39.50 7 R Curciss and Co. supplies 11 Mich Gas and Elec pump current \$1.96 Aug 7 Frank Gorton labor..... 7 FrankCooley labor 7 Geo Keller labor. 7 Wm Herman, repairing pump. . 19.00 7 C Newcomb, labor on pump..... 7 Ford Veley trip to South Bend 7 G A Melvin tapping..... 7 RCurties and Co supplies...... 7 Mich Gas and Elec pump current. 7 State Firemen's Ass, membership

Sept 5 Warren Goble, Upham job 5 H B Stowman and Son repairs and trip to Kalamazoo 18 25 5 Richards Mfg Co goosenecks.....

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9 R Curtiss and Co supplies 12 Mich Gas and Elec pump current 22 Mich Trust Co water bond int .. 100,00 Oct 8 (4 A welvin tapping main....... 8 F E Gorton labor on water 8) E Scarlett 7 hours labor...... 8 L W Goss 3 gals high test gas

8 P P Petty 2 trips to South Haven BR Curtiss and Co supplies...... 8 Mich Fas and Rice C · pumping .. Nov 7 Otto Grove 3 days at pump station 7 Mich dis and Elec pumping Dec 4

4 Standard Oil co kerose ie sta.... Jan 8 R Curtise and Co supplies 8 Wolverine Service Station 10 lbs grease.....

8 Mich Gas and Blee Co pumping. \$6.26 Feb 5 Leon Randall day r lief man 5 A Schram anow plowing, ... 5 R Curtiss and Co supplies ..., 5 Gobies Milling Co 2100 lbs coal... 6 wich Gas and Elec Cs pumping., \$7.47

may 8 Frank Coulson repairing hot-cart John McDonald, Treasurer

In the Same Boat Billy came to school on Monday for the first time. Shortly after the open-

ing of the first session he walked up

to the teacher's desk and said, "I ain't got no pencil." The teacher, with a shocked expression on her face, said: "Oh, Billy, I

haven't any pencil." ▲ sympathetic look came over Billy's face and he replied: "Ye ain't? Well,

we're both in the same fix, ain't we?"

U. S. COLLEGES HAVE 871,184 **DURING 1930-31**

Student attendance at American universities and colleges for the college year 1930-31 shows an upward trend that exceeds the normal growth of recent years and approaches the percentage of increases of the postwar period, according to statistics contained in the annual study of Raymond Walters, dean of Swarthmore college, which recently was published in School and Society.

The total attendance, including part-time and summer school students was 871,184, according to reports received from 431 institutions of all classes in every state in the Union. Of these 578,111 were full-time students, an increase of 3½ per cent over the same period in 1929.

The order of the registration for full-time students in the various institutions of learning is given by Dean Walters as follows:

California (including the university at Berkeley and at Los Angeles), 17,-322; Columbia, 14,958; Illinois, 12,-709; Minnesota, 12,490; New York sity of Pennsylvania, 7,252; Pittsburgh, 7,098; Northwestern, 6,184; Texas, 5,970; Nebraska, 5,795; Boston University, 5,606; College of the City of New York, 5,312; Yale, 5,259; Oklahoma, 5,210; University of Iowa, 4,860; Temple University, 4,736; Hunter college, 4,614; Cincinnati,

When the enrollment is considered from the grand total standpoint, including summer and part-time stusixth in line.

The figures follow: Columbia, 33,144; New York University, 29,214; College of the City of New York, 24,752; California, 22,-797; Minnesota, 18,505; Hunter, 15, 447; Illinois, 14,169; Northwestern, 14,152; Pennsylvania, 13,828; Ohio State, 13,730; University of Southern California, 13,627; Pittsburgh, 13, 515; Boston, 12,713; Western Reserve, 12,450; Chicago, 11,757; Michigan, 11,756; Cincinnati, 11,454; Harvard, 10,855; Wisconsin, 10,668; University of Washington (Seattle), 10,-197; College of the City of Detroit, 9,342; Texas, 9,203; Nebraska, 8,-993, Temple, 8,992, and Fordham University, 8,781.

Poor Scholarship Greater Evil Than Drink to Students

There is vastly more danger to the younger generation from poor scholarship than from drinking, according son I recommend that we either help the opinion that a short period of to the records of the deans of the forty land-grant colleges and universibut a waste of time, as it gets neither ties of the country.

as Purdue, University of Illinois, Ohio take a lesson which should ordinarily be a set time for this and a set place acter." State, Rutgers, University of Wiscontake from 20 to 30 minutes. sin and the University of Minnesota.

233 were disciplined for drinking, which represents only sixteen hundredths of one per cent of all the stu-

There were 93,223 men students of Newaygo Schools Make whom 207 were disciplined for drinking, a matter of only one-fifth of one per cent. Thirty of these institutions are coeducational with 43,592 young women students, of which only 26 were disciplined for drinking, a mat the state just issued by E. E. Gallup, at Grant, where the pupils realized a the young women.

W. S. T. C. Men's Debate Team Has Busy Program

Two debates with Hillsdale college and one each with Central State Teachers college, Adrian, the University of Michigan and possibly two with Detroit City college are ahead for the men's debate teams of Western State Teachers college. Carroll P. Lahman is directing the teams.

The affirmative team includes Roland Faunce, Petoskey; Harold Rowley, Hillsdale, and Joe Hooker, Fre-

News for the Housewife

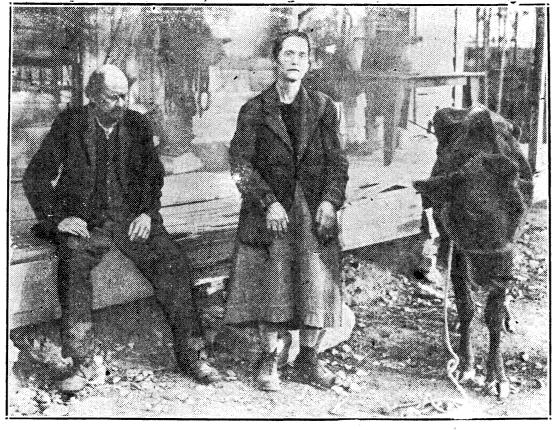
Delightful Incense-Put a little heap of ground cloves in your incense burner instead of the regular incense which you buy. The odor is very pleasing.

To Remove Jelly from Mold-Jelly or ice cream will slip out without sticking if a hot cloth is folded around the mold for a few minutes.

In Substituting Sour Milk for sweet in baking, use one teaspoon less of baking powder and add one-half tea-

spoon of soda for each cup of milk. For Your Bed Sheets-You will lengthen the life of your bed sheets considerably if you place the narrow hem at the head of the bed on alternate months. This distributes the wear more evenly.

Red Cross Aids Drought Victims



University, 12,147; Ohio State, 10,709; Michigan, 9,431; Wisconsin, 9,The suffering and privation to which the farmer and his family have been subjected by this strange twist of
401; Harvard, 8,446; University of
nature, the drought, is teld to you graphically in the poverty-stricken drought state of Arkansas. Here you see Washington (Seattle), 7,363; Univer Mr. and Mrs. William Hatch of Bucksville, Ark., with the one remaining cow. They have not applied for aid, as Mr. Hatch is too ill to go to town.

Solution to the Problem

I am all for teaching children in-

Until this plan is universally ac-

The child must be made to feel

640.15 was realized. The average

Other Smith Hughes schools in No-

for its execution.

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Today's Task

By FRANK K. GLEW

Grand Rapids, Michigan

Perhaps the job won't be much fun,

Before its many tasks are done,

A year of plan and constancy;

A time that's had to come our way;

Will have more chance on this old earth;

Will soothe the sting of testing strife;

Just what it means to live and grow!

A year of silver through the gray,

A year when folk of sterling worth

A year when human hearts will know

God, give us strength to clearly see

The worth of this adversity.

A time when finer things in life

But Nineteen-Thirty-One wil be

was \$1,661.56.

Again, I retreat, that without fam-

Mothercraft

By MRS. J. S. GOWARD

HOME WORK AND HABIT

When mother and dad dicker with after dinner when the family retires each other as to whose turn it is todents, three New York city institutions each other as to whose turn it is to the living room to take it easy and lead in enrollment, while another is work it does anything but inspire the prepare the youngster for hed it is work, it does anything but inspire the prepare the youngster for bed, it is youngster to studious ways.

This happens to be the average vote another 10 minutes reviewing parent's attitude toward home les- the spelling with the child or a simple sons; and I take it to be a reflection arithmetic problem. This is preferable of their attitude toward children's to playing "rough" or romping about problems in general. It is very disheartening and I know many parents to be overstimulated, but kept in a rewill resent the implication that they ceptive frame of mind for sleep. are negligent to duty.

However, the fact remains that no parent who is vitally interestel in aid- ily co-operation, home work is a ing his child to better living by sug- waste of time. This does not mean gestion and precept could become so that the entire family must horn in forgetful of his goal, as to make a and do Junior's lessons for him, but scene of home work time.

When father puts down his paper ness and willingness to help, should reluctantly and grumbles something the child come to them and ask them under his breath about a "nuisance," to make a point clear. who can blame the child, to whom getting down to study is hard work at dependence, even with home work best, from silently agreeing with dad But there are times when a child, and revealing by his efforts just how through no fault of his own, can't unimportant he, too, regards the grasp a particular subject. He needs whole business of home work.

Early Training

We must be definite in our dealings with our children. And for this rea- ing the home work idea. They are of or do not. The middle way is nothing time devoted to study under trained the child nor his parents anywhere. more productive of the desired re-These institutions hold more than a The parent is impatient and perhaps third of the college and university irritable. The child finds it difficult to undergraduates of the country and in-concentrate. And hence it takes him

school children ın partıcular 597; of this number poor scholarship 20 minutes at a time. Generally the him that to get a certain job done to lend itself to short periods. not so much a matter of tempera-

Just before dinner mother can ment as of training.

Reports of projects by agricultural

completed from which a profit of \$1,- \$80.34.

Urges Homemakers To Prevent Disease listen to the reading lesson.

The most valuable machine, the one needing the best care and the greatest attention in overhauling, is the human body, was the message given to the to the living room to take it easy and audience of homemakers during Farmers week by Dr. Bertha Van Hoosen, who is practicing surgeon advisable that mother or father dein Chicago.

Woman Physician

Dr. Van Hoosen said that the chief ideal of a doctor should not be to cure but to prevent disease and thus avoid the great economic loss and the anxiety which accompanies any illness.

One of the preventive measures recommended by the Chicago physician was the arrangement of a diet which would insure that the body receives some of each of the essential vitamines each day.

A breakfast menu mentioned by Dr. Van Hoosen contained a fruit, bran that parents must show their readiand milk, and an egg. She also advised the audience to drink plenty of

The homemakers section of the Farmers week program drew capacity crowds each day. Care of children, household management, selection of clothes and methods of increasing the income all had a place on the program.

extra help to save him from being dubbed "dumb" by the other chaps. Holland High Pupils Certain leading educators are fight

supervision in the school would be contest in religious education under letter structure and slant, while the living and to accept him for what he auspices of the Ottawa County Sunday School association. The general of shrewdness in matters of business. Though he admires dominant persubject is "The Value of the Bible in Physical vigor and good health are sonalities he couldn't live day in and cepted, we must build up a home clude such widely known institutions twice as long, if not longer, to assim- work habit ourselves. There should the Development of Christian Char- reflected in uniformly heavy pen day out, with one who would be in-

Out of 136,690 students in 1928 it should not be expected to apply them- and accept his responsibility. He will VanArk, Ralph Martinus, Helen Giewas found necessary to discipline 14,selves to lessons for more than 15 or thank us for it some day. It will teach

bink, Marjorie Vandenberg, Anne script of a strong will, shown in "t" to his will. Buursma and Barbara Evans. The crossings which frequently appear low He "knows" people, likes or dislikes accounted for 13,413, about ten per the minutes at a time. Generally the nim that to get a certain job done with he must get down to work and winner will be entered in the country on the stem of the letter. This is proof them at sight and never gets over his cent of the entire student body. Only pupils is of such a simple nature as do it. The ability to concentrate is contest March 17 in First Reformed that it has been quite a struggle for first impression. church contest.

Ionia Methodists To Launch Drive

Plans for a new Methodist Episcopal church at Ionia have been apwago county are Grant and Hesperia. proved by the building committee and students of Smith Hughes schools in Twenty-two projects were completed a building fund drive will be launched.

Sixty thousand dollars of insurance ter of only six one-hundredths of one state supervisor of agriculture, show net profit of \$793.94 or an average was received as a result of the fire per cent. Poor scholarship is respon- Fremont High school pupils who had profit of \$36.09 for each project, which destroyed the church last fall. sible for one hundred times as many projects last year realized a profit of while at Hesperia there were 12 proj- Several thousand dollars of brick was disciplinary cases as drinking among \$117.15 for each project completed, ects completed, showing a profit of salvaged. Plans call for an edifice to There were 14 projects started and \$964.13, making an average profit of cost around \$100,000.

Kite-Flying May Be a

A number of child fatalities resulting last year from the seemingly in their skin as clean as possible. nocent diversion of kite-flying has led the National Safety Council to issue a warning which, it is hoped, will reduce or eliminate the casualties during the approaching season.

parts of the country a year ago. Wire cleansing treatments. used for kite strings is always dangerous, in that it may come in contact with high tension wires. Wet string, too, acts as a conductor.

'Children should never go near they become entangled. It is much

"Another ever-present hazard in kite-flying is that of being run down in the street by passing automobiles," the Council says. only safe when carried on away from

His Neighbor: "Why are ye wearin' so many coats on such a hot day?"
Pat: "Well, ye see, I'm goin' to

History of Our Country At A Glance

ANNAPOLIS

In the little Southern city of Annapolis, Md., can be found the kernel of our navy.

Here is the acaremy that was founded mainly through the efforts of George Bancroft, great historian and one-time secretary of the navy. He pointed out to the government the need for such an institution which would place the navy officers

on an equal footing with those of the army.

Students of the Naval Academy are styled midshipment.

The course for the midshipmen is four years. During the first three years the midshipmen go to sea for practical application for three months during the summer time.

Micchipmen after graduation are commissioned as ensigns

in the navy and occasionally to fill vacancies in the marine corps and in certain of the staff corps of the navy.

There are certain physical requirements that have to be

fulfilled before a candidate can be accepted, and under no conditions is a midshipman to marry, and any one found to be married before his graduation shall be dismissed from the

Each candidate who has passed all the requirements for admission must deposit the sum of \$100 to cover part of the cost of his initial outfit. After being admitted he is credited with the sum of \$250, which is needed in addition to the \$100 to complete paying for his uniforms, books, etc. This amount of \$250 is deducted from his midshipman's pay of \$780 yearly

Each candidate before admission will be required to sign articles by which he binds himself to serve in the United States Navy during the pleasure of the President.

Your Handwriting And What It Tells

≒By JANET WINTON

HOTEL MAN, A CHARACTER Mr. Goulet to acquire self-control,

the present economic depression, Joseph E. Goulet, who owns and manages a hotel in New York City, writes to be analyzed, saying that he feels veals that he generally manages to deconvinced "that the business revival feat the more elemental forces of his has begun by the increase in hotel respective. Toward this end he must live

While all the world is gloomy over what with an impulse to give and to trust (his true nature) and acquired habits of thought and behavior to conserve and control. On the whole, the handwriting re-

ervations being made by out-of-town a regular, sane existence—as he must buyers." This is good news. And I believe feels an uncontrollable impulse to fly we can take his word for it. For as his off the handle from time to time.

by out of town

To Enter Contest | handwriting reveals, he is not gener- He should have quiet and congenialally given to either rashness or im- ity in his surroundings, too. And his Holland High school will enter six pulsiveness. The script is more or less mate should be gentle, unassertive and pupils in the third annual oratorical uniform as to the size of individual willing to conform to his standards of elongated style of the writing is proof is and just as he is.

cter." strokes. Large writing when backed clined to oppose his wishes. It would up by open "a" is an indication of bring out all those qualities in his in-

Herman | generosity.

Physical vigor and good health are sonalities, he couldn't live, day in and ner nature which he has striven so There is a conflicting sign in the hard to live down and to subjugate

Beauty And How To Improve It By RUTH CORBY

REMOVING BLEMISHES

face twice a day and cleaning the you eat.

If you are scrupulously clean, you "The chief danger," the warning cannot have these blemishes, and, of type of treatment. is from electric shock, as course, it is also true that if you DO evidenced in reports from various have them, you have failed in your

a lack of cleanliness inside the body ing. plete. And the longer a change of cleanse the face properly.

harmful to the skin. Laxatives give get the best results.

only temporary relief; the warning is Is a bath once a day, washing the there that you need a change in what

Sometimes' it is simple enough to teeth morning and night enough for absolute cleanliness? No, it isn't. Yet the very women who complain of If a noticeable improvement does not Dangerous Pastime blemishes, such as blackheads and pimples, are the same one who insist that blood and give you a diet list. At the they are exceptionally careful to keep same time internal cleanliness must their skin as clean as possible.

They contradict themselves. Blackheads and pimples are dirt—they are caused by dirt-filled pores refusing to eliminate the waste matter promptly. If you are scrupulously clean, you

Oily and Dry Skin

Since the oily skin is most subject to blemishes, we'll consider that first. What many women do not realize A treatment that I find very efficacious s that cleanliness inside is as essential is to use a thin cold cream and pat it in the treatment of these disfiguring well into the skin of the face and marks as washing the face. If the neck. Keep this up until the dirt is blood is circulating properly and is not thoroughly loosened, and then wash wires to retrieve their kites when filled with impurities, the skin will with soap and water and finish with a function normally, and will be able to hot and cold rinse. Some like to rebetter to lose the kite than lose your throw off, with little assistance, the verse the process and use the cold dist that collects on the skin. Usually, cream after the soap and water wash-

is due to an improper diet. In one A dry skn that has blemishes may case it may be caused by drinking too become dirty through using soap and "This sport, like little water; in another, by eating too water. The sensitive skin will be irrithat of coasting and playing ball, is little fruit. But the cause must be tated by the soap, and, theerfore, it is corrected before the cure can be com- rinsed off before it has a chance to

deit is postponed the more scarred the | Cold cream and skin tonic should be skin becomes from frequent blemishes, used instead as cleansers, taking care If there is no organic trouble, the that every part of the face is covered. digestive tract should be clear and Don't be niggardly with the cold working smoothly all the time. Even cream you use on a dry complexion. occasional attacks of constipation are Smear it on and work it in well to

paint me barn, and it says on the can, To obtain the best results put on at least three coats'."



WEEK OF MARCH 8

Weather conditions at the very beginning of the week of March 8 in most parts of Michigan are expected to be cool for the season. A storm center will have passed over the state at the end of last week or at the very beginning of this, so that rains or snows about Sunday will give way to clearing and colder.

However, temperatures will be again on the increase by about the middle of the week as the result of a low pressure center coming towards this state out of the northwest.

During Wednesday, Thursday and Friday we look for unsettled weather in most parts of Michigan caused by the passage of this western storm cen | said. ter over the lake region. We do not look for any great amount of pre- an idea. You know the money we cipitation during the visit of this storm found last night?" center, at least, not as great as during the storm of last week. There will be local showers or snow flurries in dress suit, and Julia and I will get some counties of the state during the some evening dresses-none of us ever amove mentioned period.

The week ends with clearing skies the theater and sit in a box." and falling temperatures.

March, the Beginning of the Year At one time the month of March they're rich. They show off," she told was considered the start of the new him. "And, Ford—" réaching across year which gave September and the the table she laid her hand on hisnext three months their present names taken from the Latin numeral rota before. Shall we?"

Even in the present day March is the beginning of the year to the est looking man in the theater, and farmer. This month is the ordinarily everybody will notice you," she said. accepted date for changes in farm "Please, Fred." ownership or in tenantry. It is also "All right—all right," he responded. the general settlement date for most "Anything to give satisfaction. What farm obligations.

To the Indians this is the awaken ing or crow moon. The chipmunk on the table cloth, laid down her fork, makes his first appearance of the year and partly closing her eyes, launched from under ground when the days are into a description of the gowns that warm and the badger blinks at the she would buy for Julia and herself. light. Snakes begin to crawl out of Pullen gathered the idea that her dress their winter retreats and the frogs was to be metallic in appearance, and make their first croaks of the year that Julia's was to be red, but beyond There are many beginnings during this this he was unable to follow. month, the time the sun makes its "Sound; nice," he commented, when first appearance of the year above the his wife paused for breath, half an equator.

We Wouldn't Be Either

his customers.'

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THE STORY SO FAR

The Pullen family have received a motor car, a houseful of furniture, and other gifts from an unknown friend. Mrs. Pullen is the imnocent victim of a neighborhood boycott fostered by Mrs. Hamilton, a gossip. Her pretty daughter, Julia, has quarreled with her boy friend, Sam Carlile. One night Mrs. Pullen discovers that \$750, removed from a hiding place by burglars, has mysteriously been replaced. The next night Carlile comes to the Pullen home in the rain, delivers a package and goes away. The parcel is addressed to Julia Pullen, in young Carlile's care.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

At dinner Mrs. Pullen arranged the gifts tastefully beside their plates, 'so we can look at 'em better," she explained.

Pullen's watch remained upon his wrist. "I've got to get used to it," he

"Fred," said Mrs. Pullen, "I've got

"Yep-it's in the bank,' 'he said. "Well, suppose you go and buy a some evening dresses—none of us ever had any, you know. And we'll go to thing about it!" Mrs. Pullen climbed

"What for?" he inquired.
"Why, that's what people do when

"we never had a chance to show off

"I'll feel like a fool," he predicted. "No you won't. You'll be the fin-

"All right—all right," he responded. kind of evening dress will you get?"

His wife at once placed her napkin

hour after they had returned to the living room.

"But I haven't told you all about it Spec: "Bet you couldn't guess why yet," she protested, and continued my pa ain't on speaking terms with happily to outline the details.

He blinked at her, and returned to Thelma: "What is he? Deaf and his newspaper. It was not until bedtime that she completed her discussion, with its occasional appeals to Pullen and his answers of "uh huh" and "yeah." Julia had listened for a time, smiling, and then had taken refuge in a book.

> "Hasn't this been a nice evening?" Mrs. Pullen inquired as she crept under the covers.

Her husband already had retired. 'Nice," he answered, vaguely. "Oh, by the way, Elsie. I knew I had something to tell you, but I forgot. A queer thing happened today. You awake?" she asked, opening the door. | know that young Parks who comes around here? Well, he dropped into the office today."

"To ask about Julia?" demanded Mrs. Pullen, deeply interested.

"No, worse than that. He said he inquired, all in a breath. was authorized to sell the mortgage on Mrs. Hamilton's house."

His wife sat upright in bed. "To ell you Mrs. Hamilton's mortgage!" exclaimed. "But, Fred-you wouldn't touch her old mortgage, would you?

know," he answered, thoughtfully, Parks came in. He said it was some-'but it might be a good thing for us thing I'd better not hear." to have.'

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pattering to the door, turned on the before she returned to bed. "What did you light the lamp for?"

crawled back under the covers.

should you want to do any favors for before long!" Mrs. Hamilton?"

"I don't," he said, surprised. "But why should it be a favor to buy the back to him. "You can say 'bunk', mortgage on her house?"

favor, goodness knows."

take it as a favor when you lend 'em to be Mrs. Murty!"
money on a mortgage," he admitted, "For Pete's sake!" he protested. sucing and pick in g. The vines and fruits being elevated conto suffer from wet weather and insects. It sets its fruit constantly throughout the season You will be pleased with it. Packet, 10c: 3 pkts., 25c; postpaid.

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List and way, Elsie. I suppose you've got to go on until it works out of your system, but don't say anything to Julia—she'll be court about it, but there might be an advantage in holding the mortgage on "Do you think I have?" ing and pictoria. This woman has done you a lot until it works out of your system, but persisted.

> His wife puzzled over the matter for a time. "Is it like our mortgage?" the subject of Mrs. Hamilton's mort- My shoulders are so thin." she asked. "Could we take the house away from her if she don't pay?"

"Something like that," he said. "Then let's not do it. It's too mean," he decided. "But-" he began.

do this-you get the mortgage, Fred, placidly enough. and if she can't pay, I'll go to her and say: 'Mrs. Hamilton, I'm not as mean the mother continued. "I always say boxbox with all our jewelry and fine as you are. I could turn you out of that quiet men are the easiest to get clothes and have you in that old gray house and home, but I'll not do it. You along with-in an office, of course take your time to pay up—and stop Julia—in an office." talking about me to all the neighbors.'" She turned a shining face to "Good legs," Mrs Pullen. Wouldn't that be the right

thing to do, Fred?" Her husband chuckled.

"Why," said he, "the mortgage, wouldn't belong to you and me. It asked Pullen. would belong to the real estate office. I'm only a trustee there, you know-I've got to turn the business back skinny That's dyspensia-skinny legs when the owner comes home. And Especially with knobby knees. Did you you couldn't go to Mrs. Hamilton or sav Mr. Mur'y has straight legs?" anybody, representing the office, El-

"I don't see why not," she told him. "You just cen't," said he. "That I said was he isn't fat."
n't the way business is done. What's "That's good," her mother apisn't the way business is done. What's business-I can't go spending money I'll see about it. I've got to think it

"Fred," she asked, "how did Mr. Parks come to be mixed up in it?"

"He said the mortgage belongs to a it. Mr. Murty sent him out-he knew

out of bed again, and hurried to her daughter's room. "Julia, are you when he passed on."

"How about thin-legged ones?"

"They're better than the fats," his wife informed him. "But not too

The girl's face was red, but she contrived to answer casually. "I didn't av." she said. "I never noticed. All

more, I've got to consider whether the proved. "Now you take a good look ton's mortgage. And every time he mortgage is a good investment for the at his legs today, and tell me about comes, Sam Carlile slams his desk from the office for private reasons, what kind of man he's going to be when he gets older."

"I don't think he can get so ter-looks as if he'd been eating nails." ribly much older," Julia said. "He's He glanced at Julia. She h nearly sixty now."

This answer plainly disturbed Mrs client of his firm, who wants to sell rullen, and she ate silently for a time moment she gave a little sigh and rough trouble now with socks in the we deal in that kind of stuff, a little." at last, "there was a man when I was turning, went upstairs. a girl. He married four wives. He was over seventy when he married the 'ast one. She got a lot of property Pullen.



"Goodness," said Julia, "you woke me up. Say that all over again, Mrs. Pullen obliged. mama."

"What?" came a sleepy voice from within.

"Did you know that Mr. Murty sent Mr. Parks to sell Mrs. Hamilton's mortgage to your papa?" the mother

"Goodness," said the girl. There Murty. was a stirring in the bed. "You woke me up. Say that all over again, mama. Mrs. Pullen obliged.

"Why," said Julia, "I remember I was taking dictation from Mr. Murty He was silent a moment. "I don't today, and he sent me out when Mr.

"There!" cried Mrs. Pullen triumphantly. "I knew it!"

She shut the door and sped back to Mrs. Pullen rolled out of bed, and Pullen's side, touching out the light

"Fred, it's as certain as anything," and his daughter came home. she told him, lowering her voice. "Mr. her husband complained, as she Murty is in love with Julia, and "I want to look at you while we help us. He knows about Mrs. Hamil talk," she told him. "It's awfully ton I think—" her tone was decided hard to talk in the dark. Fred, why "we'll have a wedding in the family

"Bunk!" said her husband. she said over her shoulder, "and I of walking." "It's lending money to her, isn't suppose you think you're pretty smart t?" his wife asked. "And that's a But a woman's intuition is always this family," his wife retorted. right, Fred. 'I've never been mistaken pretty lot of clothes we'd have if you ter to him. Pullen laughed. "People usually do when I feel this way. Julia is going

"but after you've got the mortgage, "You're running on a side track again, you went. and liked them, what was try to draw it, to show to the archithey don't like you. It's this way, Elsie. I suppose you've got to go on the use of looking any place else?" he tect." "Do you think I haven't any sense, your dress, Julia?" her place. She owns it herself, you Fred?" she inquired. "Of course I this family who's discreet."

At breakfast Mrs. Pullen revived gage, viewing the case from many angles. Also, she asked Julia casual questions concerning Mr. Murty. The dress suit?" girl stiffened at the first inquiry—her mother had asked if the lawyer had time." 'good legs''-but catching an amused

ways are the best. Always watch out property—" for a man with fat legs, Julia. It "What's funny about it?" she de- means apoplexy later on. They eat too

"Mama," said Julia. "Don't." "I wasn't doing anything," the older to get some rugs, Fred." woman protested. "What was there o cay 'don't' about?"

She subsided, however, and bade farewell to her husband and daughter without further reference to Mr

"Re sure and order your dress she instructed Pullen, as he

ther purchases proved to reduce the purchases proved to reduce the purchases proved to reduce the purchase days, instead of one. Twice she passed it over the varnished doorjamb beside her. "I've been so happy here, Fred, until lately!

"Still," she said, brightening, "if where the purchase of the purc setisfied, and on the evening of the Julia marries Mr. Murty we could give 'hird day the gowns were spread on her this place to live in" the living room couch when Pullen

od his daughter came home.

"Goodness knows I've tramped this wan to get married and Julia doesn't wan to get married and Julia doesn't wan to marry him, it's a first-class idea," jeered her husband.

"I've been to every store in wm. I found these in the first place went to. Aren't they pretty?"

"Men don't understand these want to marry him, it's a first-class idea," jeered her husband.

"Men don't understand these all \$3,250. \$1,000 down payment."

"D. F. CALTON, LEPANON, MEN own over" she said, as they entered wan to marry him, it's a first-class planned all this about the mortgage to the hall. "I've been to every store in idea," jeered her husband. town. I found these in the first place I went to. Aren't they pretty?'

places then?" her husband, inquired Julia has a mother to look after her. fting an edge of the heavy brocade You don't see what's going on under His wife flounced over, turning her that his wife had selected for herself. your very nose." You could have saved yourself a lot

bought them." Her temper showed igns of wear from her exertions.

"But if you saw these the first place

Mrs. Pullen returned. "Do you like

The girl was holding the gown beknow. Her husband deeded it to her. won't say anything. I'm the one in glass. "It's sweet," she said. "Will I look all right with such a low neck? "They're not thin," her mother said.

"Just slender. Fred, did you get that "Not yet," he said. "Haven't had

She dropped her hands in a gesture "I know," she interrupted. "We'll twinkle in Pullen's eye, she answered of despair. "And you leave us with all these nice things and we can't wear "Is Mr. Murty, now, a quiet man?" them! We're not going to sit in a suit, Fred Pullen.

"I might go in my bathrobe then," "He doesn't say much," she said he proposed, cheerfully. "But I've had "Good legs," Mrs. Pullen pursued something else on my mind. I had "are a sign of good health, and quiet Sam Carlile look up that Hamilton

Julia started, and turned.

"-and I found out that we can buy those two lots alongside for about half

what they're worth," the man went on turned her back. "Any old cubbyhole 'Elsie, if you want to build a new will do for me," she said. house, and knock the eye out of the Hamilton. How about it, Babe?"

"What does Sam say?" Julia asked, her eyes cast down.

"Sam? He doesn't say anything. Been going around as gloomy as a thundercloud. Hasn't been worth ten cents this week." He paused and laughed.

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"It's funny to watch that boy," Pullent went on. "This young Parks from your office, Julia, has been coming in every day, talking about Mrs. Hamil-'em tenight, and I'll tell you exactly shut, upsets his chair and goes out. Doesn't come back again for half an hour-and when he does come he

He glanced at Julia. She had draped her new dress over her arm, and was absently caressing the satiny rooms instead of only one, you're mis-

over her quarrel with Sam," said If you have three rooms and a bath to

wouldn't fall in love with one of those Carliles. Her mother has acted terrible, Fred." "But Sam hasn't. He's been a good

friend," said Pullen. "Yes, but it would be such a tri-

umph for Mrs. Carlile-to have Julia humbly marrying her son. Julia know, and big mirrors in the doors of wouldn't do that." "The dickens it would be a tri- ting dressed-" umph," commented her husband. "His

mother has raised so much cain because he stands up for Julia that the boy has left home-got a room for bling a bit. It looks as if I'd be makhimself down town some place."

the head of the couch, and was biting I think we can make the grade.' a corner of her handkerchief. The new gown lay over her lap. "How could we afford to build such a big house?" she asked, abandoning the affairs of young Carlile. "Well, I haven't a lot of money,"

her husband said, "but I have good yesterday?" connections through the real estate office. I could sell this housetwo of us, and all the dishes described "I don't want to sell it," said his

wife. "It's our home." "Well then, even if we don't sell it, I've got enough now to get started on the new place. I know a dandy architect, and he could draw the plans for

"Could we have a tile bathroom?" Mrs. Pullen asked.

"Three of 'em," her husband boasted. "The contractor who is building

"Of course. · Shall we build?"

His wife's bosom heaved in indecision. "I suppose so," she answered, brought out his car. "And I'll go down today and buy my dress and slowly." "I suppose so," she answered, ous drugs, India Herb Company, Centreville town today and buy my dress and slowly. "Though goodness knows I'll Mich. "Englished." "Every my eyes out to leave our nice." Evel Cream Carameter 134, the \$1.15 Englished. own today and buy my dress and ulia's."

Her purchases proved to require cheeks, and extending a hand she cheeks, and extending a ha

"Outside the fact that he has a big

things," said Mrs. Pullen, wagging her "Why did you go to all the other head in regret. "It's a good thing

You don't see what's going on under your very nose."

After dinner, Pullen got out a large sheet of paper and a pencil, and pushing back the cloth from the diningroup term to the cloth from th "You'd be a nice one to shop for ing back the cloth from the dining-

"We've got to decide how the new house is to be laid out," he explained. "You tell me what you want, and I'll

Julia, who had been moody and "A lot you know about buying," silent through the evening meal,

"Piffle," said her father. His eyes women around here, I can swing it! were serious, but there was a quiver I've looked into it and can get the at the corner of his mouth as he conmoney for the finest house in the tinued. "The first thing Sam Carlile neighborhood, right next door to Mrs. said when I told him he would have to look after the building of this house for me-

> The girl swung toward him in immediate interest.

"----was to ask where your suite was to be."

He arranged his paper before him with elaborate care, pretending not to note that she had come close, and was

pressing against his shoulder. "Am I to have a suite?" she asked,

orightly. "Absolutely. Boudoir, sleeping porch and bath," he assured her. "How about us?" asked Mrs. Pullen.

What will we have?" "We'll have a sleeping porch, too, and you'll have a dressing room and I'll have one," he said. "That's the latest way to build."

"Fred Pullen, if you think I'm going to pick up your clothes from three bathroom and pajamas under the bed "I think Julia is really suffering and underclothes on the closet floor. throw things around in, I'll never have "Nonsense," said his wife. She a chance to sit down."

Pullen tugged at his ear in perplexity. "I see," he said. "I see. I think I see your point, Elsie. It had just occurred to me that when you show people through the house, it would be interesting to show them your boudoir, and my den-a lot of your room to look in while you're get-

"But won't that cost a mint of money?" Mrs. Pullen asked. "Of course. But, Elsie, I'm gam-

ing a big income, and I'm counting on Mrs. Pullen had perched herself on spending a wad of it before I get it. (To be continued)

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"Could I have a poxcelain sink in the kitchen and some more cupboards?" temporized Mrs. Pullen.

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Hudson Lodge No. 325, F.& A.M Meetings the First Thursday evening of each month

Visiting Brothers Always Welcome DR. G. M. RILEY, W. M. THOMAS KETCHUM, Sec.

Methodist Church GOBLES Sunday School,10:00 o'clock. Morning Worship,11:00 KENDALL Morning Worship, 9:30.

Sunday School, 10:30, "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go unto the house of the Lord," Psalm 122:1.

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