

WOLVES THREATEN UNARMED TRAPPER

The question as to whether timber wolves will attack humans in Michigan is frequently raised for discussion among outdoor men. When next Dan Spencer, Ishpeming trapper, hears the subject argued he will have something definite and authoritative to say about it.

Spencer has been a trapper for many years, and has tramped miles at a time through the wilderness, following his lines, but he has never carried a rifle. On a recent trip, going unarmed as usual, he met a pair of timber wolves, face to face, and to his amazement with provocation the animals threatened to attack him.

"One of them started toward me," he says, and I yelled at the top of my voice. The wolf halted, and then for several seconds the pair of them stood there, only a few yards away, and we eyed each other steadily. Finally they drew away, but when I started for camp they came on again and trailed me for more than a hundred yards."

Spencer declared he will never go a foot from camp again without a rifle.

\$63,000 Is Pledged Kalamazoo Hospital

The \$250,000-fund campaign toward providing a million dollar new Borgess hospital for Kalamazoo, opened with pledges on hand for one-fourth the amount sought. Charles A. Blaney, chairman of the committee in charge of special gifts, announced that approximately \$63,000 had been pledged.

Nearly five hundred workers from 12 towns assembled for the opening dinner. The principal speaker was the Rev. Father Michael J. Bourke, Ann Arbor, diocesan director of hospitals and charities.

The drive for a quarter of a million is the largest fund effort ever attempted in Kalamazoo.

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Busting River Levees Engulf Vast Area



In spite of efforts of thousands of men, working chiefly under the direction of the United States army engineer department, the Mississippi's great levee system has been giving way under the tremendous strain of the stream's unprecedented flood. The top picture shows last-minute efforts to save with sand bags Reelfoot levee, three miles below Hickman, Ky. A short time after this photo was taken, wind and waves effected serious damage at the spot the picture was taken and warning was issued that the levee, protecting 90,000 acres in Kentucky and Tennessee, probably would surrender to the Father of Waters any minute. Photo on lower left shows a house and shed, caught in swirling waters when a levee broke across the river from Hickman, at Dorena, Mo. The break, itself, is pictured in the photo on the lower right. Chickens, geese and furniture are seen piled on the last vestige of dry ground, awaiting a rescue boat. Numerous workers on the Mississippi levees have been reported swept to death.

OIL FIRM SIGNS UP 300 FATHOM LEASES

Visions of an oil boom for Eaton county are looming on the horizon. Representatives of two Pittsburgh oil companies have filed 300 oil and gas leases on farm land lying south and west of Charlotte, aggregating probably more than 30,000 acres of land.

For more than a year it has been known that certain groups of speculators have been quietly signing up land owners, but it was not generally known how far the movement had gone. The usual basis of payment has been \$1 for a lease for two years, with renewal rights of 25 cents per acre.

In the event of striking oil, the royalty to the land owner is to be one-eighth of the product, and \$100 per year for each gas well from which the product is marketed.

The two companies that have filed leases thus far are the Wittmer Oil company of Pittsburgh and the Morse Oil and Gas company of McKeesport, just out of Pittsburgh.

Two or three test wells for oil will be drilled in the county within the next two or three weeks, according to D. W. Fortney, well known Carmel township farmer. One of the first wells will be put down in Carmel, but the exact location has not yet been determined.

The leases filed are in Kalamo, Bellevue, Carmel, Eaton and Walton townships.

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SYNDICATE BUYS RESORT PROPERTY

A syndicate headed by Fred C. McCrea and Al. Jackson of Muskegon with Chicago capital, has completed a deal for resort property that involves the transfer of 175 acres of land near Highland Park valued at \$100,000.

The deal probably will double the resort area of Highland Park and will speed the completion of a beautiful scenic drive through the hills from Sheldon road. To Lake Michigan and up the lake shore to the present parking oval at the Grand Haven state park.

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Arguments in favor of removing the plant to Michigan are that it would be less exposed to air raids in wartime and that the salt wells in East Tawas would make possible the production of chemicals at cost of one twenty-fifth of what the government can produce them at Edgewood.

The proposition submitted to the war department contemplates the lease of 172 acres of land at East Tawas to the government, in turn for which the government agrees to lease all but a few of the plants now at Edgewood to Berger and his associates. The latter would pay all expenses of removal, maintain them in a going condition, and pay the government \$1,250,000 in fifty annual payments. In case of war or other emergency the government would have the right to take over and operate the plants.

Van Buren Fair Yearbook Is Ready for Distribution

The yearbook of the Van Buren county fair is off the presses and will be ready for distribution at once.

The book, showing many changes in the premiums to be offered at the fair in Hartford Sept. 28 to Oct. 1, is being issued early to permit its distribution among the rural schools before they close for the summer. Additional emphasis is placed upon the school exhibits this year. The book this year is the largest ever issued by the fair.

The possibility for increasing the sale of fruit depends mainly upon the producers. If they grow first class fruits of high quality varieties, those which when eaten "call for more" there will be no surplus.

Hydraulic Drive Auto to Be Built at Port Huron

Announcement of the proposed construction of a new automobile, differing radically from anything now in the market, has been made by the Port Huron Corporation which recently purchased the business of the Port Huron Thresher Company through G. L. McMullen, attorney for the corporation. The new car will be of hydraulic drive construction and will be without brakes, clutch, gear transmission, differential and accelerator. Production of the car is expected to be underway within a year, states Mr. McMullen.

Complete cars will be produced at the South Park plant of the corporation, the hydraulic apparatus to be built there and the car assembled from parts made elsewhere. The omission of many devices formerly essential parts of all motor cars is the result of the employment of hydraulic transmission, so called, to actuate the rear wheels of the machine. Three working models, one of which has been driven several hundred thousand miles, were recently driven from Chicago to the Port Huron plant.

The power of the gasoline motor is transferred to the rear wheels of the new vehicle by means of a hydraulic pump located in the position occupied by the transmission of the ordinary automobile.

The hydraulic driven car may be thrown into reverse while moving ahead at full speed without damage, and this process is used in making an emergency stop. When the throttle is thrown from the high position into reverse the car comes to a smooth stop and then starts backward.

The braking efficiency of the new car is five times as great as that of the ordinary machine equipped with four-wheel brakes and it is said that the car can be brought to a standstill from a speed of 55 miles an hour within a space of 10 feet.

The motor of the hydraulically driven car runs at a constant speed and no accelerator is necessary. Low speed motors, running at 1,200 r. p. m. have been found ideal for these machines. The use of low speed motors and the discarding of expensive transmissions and other parts will enable these cars to be produced more cheaply than the conventionally designed motor car, Port Huron Corporation officials say.

M. S. C. Has Its Own Traffic Court Now

Spring and the influx of so-called student automobiles have caused Michigan State college authorities to formulate their own traffic system with a college police court at its head.

Now the speeders and other traffic law violators will be stopped by student Patrol Officer Don Bremer, a former marshal of East Lansing, and ordered to appear before the collegiate justice of the peace, John Phelan, dean of the college.

NORMALITIES ADD TO RESERVE PLANTING

Attired in old clothes and carrying shovels, more than 2,000 students of Western Normal, headed by the band and the faculty, hiked a mile from the campus to the Kleinstuck biological reserve, where for more than an hour they participated in planting of pines. Approximately 10,000 pines were planted on the reserve in one afternoon.

This is part of the biggest reforestation projects in the entire state outside the work of the state forestry department and it was carried out so as to make it a gala event for the student body. Motion pictures of the activity was taken and will be shown throughout the state.

The reserve on which trees were planted was donated to the state of Michigan a few years ago by Mrs. Caroline Kleinstuck of Kalamazoo, to be used as a biological reserve by Western State Normal, Kalamazoo college, and the Kalamazoo schools.

It is a tract of about 50 acres of peat bog land, the denuded portions of which were planted. Altogether 13,000 pines have been planted, nearly 3,000 having been planted by nature study classes before the big planting.

Under the direction of Dr. L. A. Kenoyer, head of the biology department, Miss Theodosia Hadley and Miss Laverne Argabright of the faculty, the reserve had been divided into sections assigned to each group in the schools, each organization planting one section.

The project will be brought to a close Arbor day when Leigh J. Young state conservation commissioner, and Mrs. Kleinstuck will be the principal speakers. In this program Kalamazoo college and Kalamazoo High school

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We want to introduce the reader to Mike Martin, who probably knows more about keeping a person in fighting condition than anyone else living. For 20 years, at various universities and with the New York Yankees, Cincinnati Reds and now as trainer of the Washington Ball Club, Mike Martin has won fame as a lightning quick fixer of sprains, pains, aches, etc. Mike Martin is a genius. He can take men claimed to be too old, stiff or rheumatic to play baseball at all and make them as frisky, vigorous,

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HE CAN HELP YOU Mike Martin has had a little folder printed, telling how he quickly banishes stiff, swollen joints, achy lame backs or feet, various rheumatic pains, etc. He has arranged with leading druggists here in town to sell you generous sized bottles of the liniment they use at the ball park. He has made it a long time for his own use. Athletes on other teams kept Mike busy making his "Mike Martin Liniment." Trainers, coaches, colleges, big league teams all over the country buy it by the gallon from Mike. Now, Mike Martin, swamped with demands for this liniment, and directions how to use it, has employed a big sales company to distribute it and they are supplying all the druggists—Mike still superintends the making of it—during odd times between acting as trainer of the 1924 and 1925 American League champion Washington Ball Club.

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Week of May 15

General Conditions for Week: Radical changes in day to day weather is to be expected the greater part of this week in Michigan.

Detailed weather forecast: Cold weather of last week will moderate somewhat at beginning of this week resulting in general showers and some wind.

By middle of week another storm center will have reached this state resulting in warmer weather, thunder, wind and perhaps some hail locally along with some general rains.

Correcting farmers' ills: Twenty-five percent of the farmers' troubles could be eliminated by banking on long distant predictions coupled with keen sighted reasoning much as the stock broker of the grain market.

Temperatures during March were above normal as we predicted last February, another score against those who refuse to keep up with the times.

The increase in pear production in the United States during the past six years has come entirely from the Pacific coast states.

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"I think not," Claypole replied. "I'm pretty sure that it has not yet left the care of the holy nuns. Have you read the newspapers this morning?"

"No," I said. Claypole handed me a copy of La Suisse open at the local news, where I saw a small paragraph marked with a line of red pencil.

"Let's away," he chanted, "and part the glories of this happy day. Flourish and exeunt omnes." We shook hands, and I left the room.

"Strikes me," he said, "that the unfortunate messenger of the lord high muckamuck who calls himself the Center is now knocking at the heavenly gates."

"You remember," he went on, "I told you about poor Harold Lynch. He was murdered. We were never able to find out who did it, but I am pretty well sure it was the same gang."

"There is not going to be a next time," said Claypole quietly, "not if Cyrus P. Claypole and Robert W. Quexter can prevent it."

"There they are," he said. "They don't look particularly bright, but they were the best I could find. They have orders not to lose sight of you for an instant."



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ed individuals, quietly dressed, who were loitering on the sidewalk. "There's a taxi waiting for you at the corner," continued Claypole.

"I nodded. He looked at me a moment, anxious as I thought, and unusually excited. Then with a return to his normal manner:

"Very good, monsieur," replied the first man to whom I had spoken. "But we have orders not to leave you unaccompanied, so if you don't mind I will come with you to the convent."

"I looked around as we were crossing the pont du Mont Blanc, and saw a small two-seater Citroen, with two men in it whom I recognized as my official protectors.

"A few minutes later we stopped opposite a stone building with a notice on it 'Swiss customs house.' The driver got out and informed me that he would be a few moments showing his papers before we could proceed.

"The owner of this outfit presently came out of the customs house and proceeded to start his engine. As it sprang to life he turned his head and I caught a glimpse of his face. It was yellow and flat, and the man himself was of small stature and slightly made.

"I need not warn you of the danger," he continued. "That reminds me. I've got the police, after much persuasion, to give us some of that protection we asked for yesterday."

"I looked around once more and noted that the Citroen car had decreased the distance between us, which was now not more than fifty yards or so.

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"I can't make it out," he said. "It's apparently the ignition, though I cleaned the plugs only this morning."

"Only a few hundred yards," he replied. "You can already see the beginning of the village and the convent is just on the other side near the chateau of Voltaire. Perhaps the friends of monsieur could give him a lift."

"I will ask them," I said. "How long will it take you to get the engine running?" "Perhaps some little time," he answered. I cannot get any sort of spark."

"I had gone some hundred yards when I heard the quiet chugging of a motor bicycle. It had a queer sort of muffled sound. I remembered with a shiver of apprehension the man with the flat, yellow face.

"I turned a corner and before me the road ran straight to the first houses of Ferney. There was no motor bicycle in sight. The sound of the engine came from a gap in the hedge on my right.

Turning toward the gap I saw it at last. The engine was quietly turning over, but the rider was bending over the side car and appeared to be manipulating something inside it. He looked around at me as I passed, his expressionless face with its narrow eyes gleaming like a yellow mask in the sunlight.

At last I was at Ferney. It proved to be a village with a long, narrow street, houses on each side. I walked up the street and presently arrived at a little square on the left-hand side in the middle of which was a bronze statue of some merit, of the great Voltaire, leaning on his stick, his little wizened face quizzically puckered.

There was a rumble and creak of wheels behind me, and looking around I saw that one of the hay carts, drawn by two heavy plow horses, was breasting the rise of the street behind me. It came slowly forward, and soon it had passed the detective who was now only some ten yards in my rear.

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Then, all at once, it seemed to me that the street became more crowded. Besides the peasant woman with baskets on their arms, I noticed that there were occasional groups of loutish youths, who looked as though they might be fresh from the plow. My attention was particularly engaged by a group of four who were drinking at a small cafe on the right-hand side of the road.

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"I turned around and looked for the other car. I saw to my amazement that the Citroen also had its bonnet up, and that the driver was looking inside. I walked down the road till I reached it.

"Ignition," came the voice of the other man from the depths of the bonnet, and he withdrew a flushed face. "It was running all right a moment ago, and the plugs are quite clean. I don't understand it."

of them arose and said a word to the others. I passed on; but hearing footsteps behind me, I looked over my shoulder and saw the four of them walking slowly up the village street in my rear with linked arms.

I heard a burst of laughter, then a sudden silence, then one of them struck up a song. They did not in the least attempt to molest me, but I felt sure that their attention was upon me, and that if I attempted to retrace my steps they would have found means to prevent it.

In order to test this impression I stopped and looked for a moment in the window of a little store in the village street. The four men were almost upon me before they could stop, but they nevertheless drew up behind me and affected to hold a lively conversation in the middle of the road.

I now had no doubt at all that these men were in the service of the gang and I was compelled to admire its efficiency. I had set out from Geneva with two cars and followed by two detectives. I was now alone, on foot and wholly unprotected, with all my communications cut.

By now I had come to the end of the village and looking to my right I saw a low stone building with one or two barred windows giving on the road and a door set in the middle of the wall.

"Monsieur desire?" she inquired. I asked her if it was here that the washing was done for the Hotel du Lac.

"But yes, monsieur," she said, "the washing of the Hotel du Lac, the Metropole, the Touring et Balance and several Pensions in Geneva."

"Certainly, monsieur," replied the nun, and motioned me to enter. I walked down a small stone passage. The nun opened a door and I found myself in a musty parlor giving on to a small courtyard on which long lines of clean linen were drying in the sunshine.

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"If monsieur will wait," said the nun, and she left the room. I sat there alone and cuddled my brains. I felt by this time convinced that I should not be allowed to get very far with the handkerchief once I had quitted the convent.

I rose and approached the window, gazing idly at the flapping linen outside. Presently I noticed attached to one of the many drying lines two or three women's handkerchiefs, of a kind very much like the one which I had picked up; and for which I had come. A sudden thought struck me. I stealthily opened the window and, keeping an eye on the door of the room, made a long arm and plucked the nearest handkerchief off the line.

A few minutes later the old nun reappeared, carrying a small parcel of collars and underlinen which I recognized as belonging to myself. (To be continued)

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NORMAL PREPARES FOR SUMMER TERM

To the 40 members of the regular faculty who will teach in Central Normal's twenty-seventh annual summer session, June 27 to Aug. 5, 1927, are to be added 20 special instructors drawn from the ranks of leading educators in Michigan and other states.

Enrollment day has been set for Monday, June 27, while classes will meet for the first time the following day, and the term will officially end Friday noon, Aug. 5.

Members of Central's summer faculty from other schools and colleges already obtained by President E. C. Warriner, include: Roy W. Hamilton, Alma college, English; J. L. Middaugh, Benton Harbor public schools, manual arts; Lawrence H. Conrad, University of Michigan, English; Alfred A. Boer, Cadillac High, commerce; Arthur A. Rather, superintendent of schools at Ionia, psychology and education; Frank W. Dalton, Ionia public schools, commerce; B. C. Shankland, superintendent of schools at Cadillac; Milton Simpson, Kalamazoo college, English; E. R. Phelps, Detroit City college, physics; Sawyer Falk, Hillsdale college, reading.

Preparations are being made to care for one of the largest enrollments in the long history of the summer session. In 1926 almost 1,300 students were in attendance during the six weeks term. While a few of the classes offered will meet but once a day the great majority on the curriculum will assemble twice daily and as a result will carry four term hours of credit (the equivalent of the credit for a class during a regular term).

Special programs have been arranged for general assemblies which are scheduled for all the Fridays during the term.

Holland Will Fight Scarlet Fever By Immunizing Kiddies

It was decided at a joint session of the health board to put on an immunization campaign against scarlet fever similar to those carried on the last few years against smallpox and diphtheria.

Dr. C. C. Young of the state board of health, spoke to the boards on the Dick's test and immunization plans that have been used here. The tests have been carried on in state institutions for the last four years and have proved very successful.

Holland will be one of the first cities in the state to carry on this kind of campaign. It is planned to administer the Dick test to all the pupils. This will show who are immune and then will receive no further treatment. The others will receive treatments, similar to those given for diphtheria. It is hoped to have the work completed before school closes in June. The materials will be furnished free of charge by the state and it is expected that the physicians will offer their services gratis.

Mothers, Grandmothers In Saugatuck Initiation

The Saugatuck chapter, O. E. S., held an unusual initiatory program recently. Members initiated were the Misses Eileen Kreager, Beatrice Brown and Marion Edgcomb, three high school seniors, the unusual feature being that the three mothers of the girls, Mrs. Allie Kreager, Mrs. Jennie Brown and Mrs. Bess Edgcomb, and the two grandmothers of Miss Edgcomb, Mrs. W. G. Edgcomb and Mrs. W. B. Smalley, took part in the work, the two latter being worthy matron and associate matron.

DOEMS I LOVE

By CHARLES HANSON TOWNE

Three Quatrains, by Robert Loveman. Loveman was born in Ohio in 1864, and died only a few months ago. His short, energetic lyrics were as fine, very often, as those of Father Tabb. He was fond of the quatrain—of saying much in the compass of four brief lines, and he gained an enormous magazine vogue at one period of his career. His famous lines, perhaps, are those beginning, "It is not raining rain to me, it's raining daffodils," which have been quoted from one end of the country to the other. He excelled in what might be termed marginal verses—airy nothings which were found, upon analysis, to be more solid than far more pretentious work.

A DIAMOND
Look how it sparkles, see it greet
With laughing light the ambient
air;
One lottle drop of sunshine sweet
Held in eternal bondage there.

MARCH
Whither doth now this fellow flee
With outstretched arms at such
made pace?

Can the young rascal thinking be
To catch a glimpse of April's face?

A SUNSET
The Sun, departing, kissed the summer
Sky,
Then bent an instant o'er her beating
breast;

She lifts to him a timid, tear-stained
eye,
And lo! her blushes crimson all
the west.

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Pola Negri Rumored Wed



Rumors that all Pola Negri's baggage she took to London is marked "Princess Mdivani" have led her friends to believe she has already become the bride of Princess Moivani, a shipmate on her recent ocean voyage.

LUDINGTON MAY HAVE NEW CHURCH

Ludington probably will have another modern church plant this summer as a result of action by the Community church congregation. It has authorized Clay F. Olmstead, chairman of the board of trustees, to name a committee of ten to present plans, with estimate of cost, for a new building.

Preliminary investigation made by the board of trustees points to a church auditorium with a maximum seating capacity of 1,500; a community hall and stage, class rooms, and minister's office. This would require an investment, it is thought, of at least \$100,000.

The new building probably will be erected on the site of the former Congregational church and parsonage, which has a frontage of 120 feet on North Harrison street and a depth of 180 feet.

The Community church is the society representing consolidation of the Congregational and Presbyterian bodies three years ago. Services are held in the former Congregational building with the former Presbyterian church used as a community house.

First M. E. Church at Lowell Is Improved

The auditorium of First M. E. church, Rev. Lloyd H. Nixon, pastor, has been decorated, pews and woodwork have been refinished, new lighting fixtures with dimmer attachments installed, a new carpet provided for the pulpit platform and the Euodian class has purchased and installed a new altar of oak in Gothic arch design for the remodeled platform of the church. The Ladies' Aid society co-operated with the trustees in the plans for improvement.

Funeral Money Lures Manistee Man To His Death in Burning Home

Because he went back into his burning house to save his wallet, containing some \$400 he had saved for his funeral expenses, Alfred Wilson, 84, of Weston, lost his life. Henry Wilson, son of the dead man, and the son's wife and 10-year-old daughter are left homeless without clothing or food.

The Manistee Red Cross chapter set about rushing clothing, bedding and food to the family.

Sparks from the chimney started the fire and the family escaped easily. The old man and his son tried to battle it with pails of water, but soon gave up. Then the old man went back to get his money and perished in the flames.

Van Buren Red Cross to Sponsor Nutrition Work

Pupils in Van Buren county schools are to benefit from the services of a nutrition worker of the first three months of the 1927 school year, according to Miss Ola Killefer, secretary of the Red Cross chapter. The national chapter will send out a worker from headquarters at St. Louis, whose duty it will be to investigate, advise, suggest and plan diets and nutrition for the pupils in the various schools.

Two young men, one from South Haven and one from Paw Paw, will be sent to the Culver Military academy some time during the month of June to take short courses in life saving. Choice of the candidates will probably be left to the Boy Scout chapter.

Seven hundred dollars is the quota assigned to Van Buren to raise for the Mississippi flood fund relief, according to John W. Swoap of Covert, president of the organization.

Insect Life



The ragtime king who has been told he should be on the stage.

Why Call It "Copper Country?"

"I haven't the faintest idea who named this section 'The Copper Country,'" said a Hancock banker, "but I think I understand how he came to do it.

"When copper was discovered here, the locality was thickly wooded and uninhabited save by the Indians. There were no cities, and the land was in truth a 'country', a place set off by itself, with the easiest access by water. It was known on the maps as the Keweenaw peninsula, but such a name could never come into common use by Americans, who have a great passion for brevity in nomenclature.

"When Hancock, Laurium, Houghton, Calumet and our other communities grew up, none of their names could be taken as descriptive of the whole locality. either could the name of a particular county be given to it for copper is found in Houghton, Keweenaw and Ontonagon counties, to say nothing of other prospects farther west.

"My impression is that our present name of 'The Copper Country' just grewed, like Topsy did. It is a good name, too. It has everything—brevity, alliteration, rhythm, assonance, meaning and a solid, substantial, ringing sound to it like the metal it produces.

"When people speak of the copper country a definite and concrete picture enters the mind of most hearers. The picture conjured up by these words which slip so easily off the tongue, is one of a beautiful country, easy of access, interesting to visitors, richly endowed by nature, and inhabited by a thriving and industrious population."

Muskegon Woman Winner in Contest

Miss Elizabeth Farmer, of Muskegon, won first honorable mention and a prize of \$25 in a contest conducted by Scribner's magazine for the fine arts department of the General Federation of Women's clubs, with an essay on "America's Distinctive Contribution to Painting and Sculpture."

Mrs. Harriet C. Long of Madison, who won a prize of \$300 for the best list of 200 books written by American authors and published in America, mentioned the following books by Michigan authors in her list:

Some Fascinating Biographies: Paul Henry DeKruif, "Microbe Hunters."

Travels Over the World: Harry Alverson Franck, "Vagabond Journey Around the World."

Novels Old and New: Sherwin Cody, "A Selection From the World's Greatest Short Stories."

From Our Romantic Past: Helene Adeline Guerber, "Book of the Epic," and "Legends of the Middle Ages."

Of Books and Authors: John Albert Macy, "Story of the World's Literature."

Science: Royal Samuel Copeland, "Health Book."

The World About Us: Liberty Hyde Bailey, "Manual of Hardening;" Walter Byron McDougall, "Mushrooms;" Charles Lathrop Peck, "Trees as Good Citizens."

Books of Special Interest: Arthur Pond, "Iron Man in Industry."

Manistique Plans Advertising Campaign

The Manistique chamber of commerce has included \$2,500 in its 1927 budget for advertising the city of Manistique and vicinity. The Manistique city council has also appropriated \$800 for the same purpose.

The information bureau so ably conducted by Frank Warfield in 1926 will be continued this year. A large amount of local advertising, including colored descriptive folders, will be issued. The city and chamber of commerce will participate in the Chicago Outdoor Life show in May.

Adrian College Fund Gets \$50,000 Gift

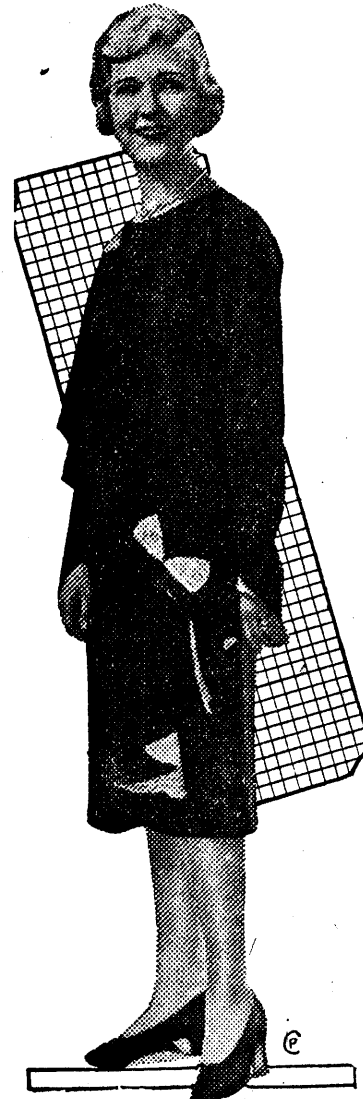
President Harlan T. Feeman, of Adrian college, announced the gift of \$50,000 from the First Methodist Protestant church of the city of Pittsburgh, to the Adrian College endowment fund of \$500,000. The Pittsburgh conference is pledged to raise \$167,500, of which \$75,000, had been pledged before this announcement. Dr. Feeman also stated that from sources outside the Pittsburgh conference pledges totaling \$25,000 have been received and that a banker of Conneville, Pa., had made a conditional pledge of \$25,000.

Lowell Parents, Pupils Stumble in Spelling Bee

Pupils and parents of this community tripped and stumbled over words in the English language at a spelling bee, Supt. W. W. Gums setting the traps from spellers not in use in the school and from newspapers and magazines. Mrs. D. M. Matthews, Mrs. L. Rutherford, Mabel Hall, an eighth grader, and Ethel Myers, seventh grade, all failed on "stereopticon" and in the next trial Mrs. Matthews won on "resurrection." "Kidnapers," "provision," "occurrence" and "Cincinnati" caused the most difficulty in the ranks of spellers.

"Why so sober, Jones?"
"I put \$1,000 into a 'going' business."

Black and Blue



Black and blue, but intentionally so, is this attractive afternoon dress of black satin and pencil blue chiffon. It is trimmed with blue rhinestone ornaments. Laura LaPlante posed.

Menus for May Breakfasts

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| I | Fruit Bouillion with Whipped Cream |
| | Braised Capon filled with Mushroom Gravy |
| | Buttered Carrots and Peas |
| | Potato Rosettes |
| | Hot Buttered Rolls |
| | Tulip Salad Cheese Straws |
| | Cherry Macaroons |
| | Pineapple Ice |
| | Coffee |
| II | Pineapple Points with Maraschino Cherries |
| | Stuffed Leg of Lamb with Mint Jelly Sauce |
| | Creamed New Potatoes |
| | Green Beans Finger Rolls |
| | Conserve Butter |
| | Cucumber Salad Saltines |
| | Cream Puffs filled with Strawberry Fluff |
| | Coffee |

RECIPES

Cheese Straws
Roll out plain pastry to ¼-inch thickness. Sprinkle with salt, cayenne and grated American cheese. Fold in three layers. Roll out again, spread and roll as before. Cut in strips ½-inch wide and 4 or 5 inches long. Bake in hot oven (400 degrees F.) 5 or 6 minutes.

Cherry Macaroons
1 cup almonds (blanched)
1 cup sugar
3 egg whites
¼ pound candied cherries
1 level teaspoon Calumet Baking Powder.

Grind the almonds, add half of the sugar. Beat the egg whites until real frothy, then add the rest of the sugar and baking powder. Beat until stiff, fold in almond and sugar mixture with about three-fourths of the cherries cut fine. Put the rest on top of the macaroons. Bake at 300 degrees F. for about 20 minutes.—By Marion Jane Parker, Home Economics Department, Calumet Baking Powder Co.

WITH WOMEN of TODAY

A fight for an eight-hour working day for women in Illinois has as its champion Mrs. Lottie Holman O'Neill of Downer's Grove, the first woman senator of the state.

The spirit of this woman lawmaker was shown in her generalship of the fight waged over the passage of the bill. In a little more than two hours it was bombarded by no less than eight amendments. Under Mrs. O'Neill's leadership the amendments were fought off, tabled or defeated.

Win Prizes
Mrs. Harriet C. Long of Madison, Wis.; Miss Opal Bullard of Sioux City, Ia., and Mrs. William F. Schluezn of Waterville, Wash., won the first prizes in the literature, music and art divisions, respectively, in a recent \$1,000 contest conducted by Scribner's magazine at the invitation of the department of fine arts of the General Federation of Women's Clubs. The object of the contest was to encourage interest in the creative work of America.

Revive Art of Needlework
With the organization of Chicago women of a Needlework and Textile Guild, the art of needlework will doubtless be revived. Mrs. Potter Palmer, Mrs. Chauncey Borland and Mrs. Gustavus Swift are sponsors of

LIVING AND LOVING

By Mrs. Virginia Lee IN THE SPRING

Not only the young man's fancy turns to thoughts of love in the spring, but the young woman's also. And not only when the calendar says spring is here does this thing happen, but when the spring time of life arrives—that magic period between childhood and adulthood.

"Dear Mrs. Lee: My little daughter has come to the age when she has beaux. She is fifteen. Her father says he will not have boys coming to the house. That she is too young and there must be no nonsense. I feel the same way and yet I remember that I had boy friends when I was fourteen or fifteen and I wonder what is the best thing to do. She is our only child. Young Once."

You and your husband better have a good old "reminece" about the days when you were both in your teens. He may also, if he thinks hard, remember that he had a few youthful fancies about this time and reverse his decision about the nonsense. It is the natural and inevitable thing that about this time in their lives young people get interested in one another and why parents make such a fuss about it is beyond me. If you are wise you will let the little girl bring her boy friends to the house as freely as her girl friends and will adopt a friendly attitude toward them. She will meet them on the corner, if she can't at home, and you don't want your girl to have to act the sneak, do you?

Dear Mrs. Lee: What qualities should a girl look for in the ideal husband? Should she consider marriage with a man who has no money and no particular family connections? Should she choose one who is older than she or one the same age, and would you rather marry one who is popular with the girls or one who is quiet and studious and does not care much for society? Inquisitive."

The man you fall in love with will seem to you the ideal man, Inquisitive, whatever his qualities. When you have been married to him a short time you will find that he is not at all what you thought. And maybe in some ways you will be disappointed, but in others, the chances are you will find he is so much nicer than you imagined that you will be happier than ever. Money, family and position mean nothing when you are in love, although I should say that, generally speaking, it is necessary for a man to be able to earn a living for his family, but even that handicap has been overcome. Congeniality, mutual trust and appreciation are what make happy marriages.

Household Suggestions

My sink looked disgraceful and the scouring powders did not do any good. A piece of sandpaper did the work, and it's as nice as new, and did not injure the enamel.

To preserve brooms dip them for a minute or two in a kettle of boiling suds once a week and they will last much longer, making them tough and pliable. A carpet wears much longer swept with a broom cared for in this manner.

In order to prevent soot from accumulating on the bottoms of utensils used in cooking over the wood fire, rub the bottoms of the utensils with soap before setting them over the fire. You will find they will wash off easily without scouring.

If a cake icing proves to be so thin that it will run down the side of a cake, pin a paper closely around the cake, extending slightly above the cake. Put on the icing, leaving the paper until the icing is cool.—By Marion Jane Parker, Home Economics Department, Calumet Baking Powder Co.



Mrs. Lottie H. O'Neill

a permanent exhibition of needle crafts at the Chicago Art Institute. This collection is to be changed frequently to show all phases of the art. Lectures will be given on its history.

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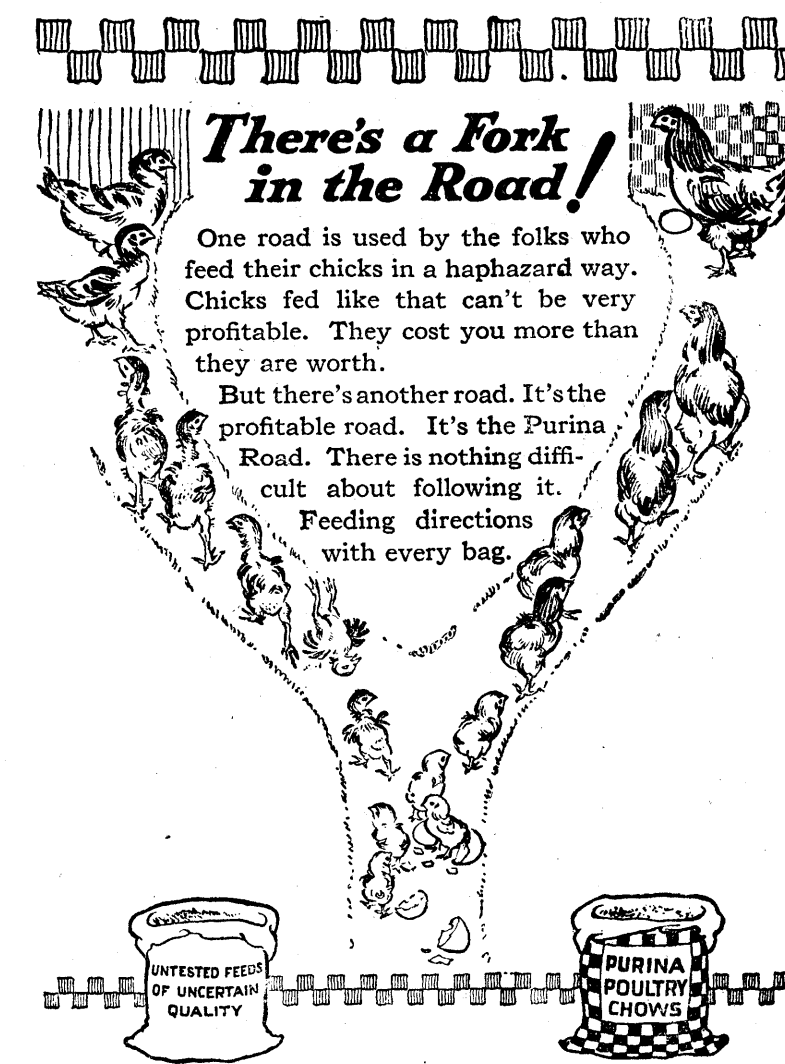
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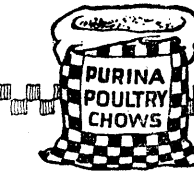
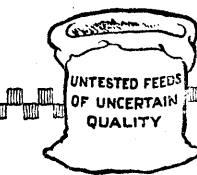


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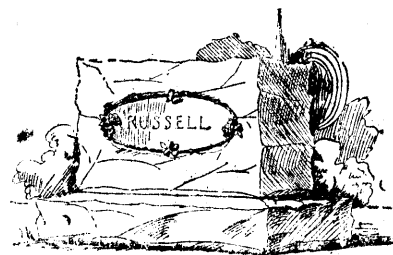
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