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PUBLICITY

Salaries and expenses for federal government expenses for publicity (or propaganda which ever you rate it at) cost \$27,700,000.00 in 1941—the cost of 109 Flying Fortresses. This item plus postage (if paid) makes the total approximately \$69,000,000.00. And a lot of bureaus and alphabetic organizations didn't get into the report. Most newspapers receive releases from hundreds of interested parties, all of which buy paper, pay salaries for preparation, and then send it out expecting the papers to publish it. They can't do it, not 1 100th of it. We are saving the fine expensive envelopes for future use, and making newspaper wrappers out of the releases—most of them. It would take us four hours a day to read it, say nothing of publishing it. Between clamoring for first page by rival but meritorious local projects, and the deluge of government papers and releases, aspirin is about as essential in the small newspaper office as is the ink can. Browsing through this material for local items is like living a thousand years for one sunshiny day.

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Continued expressed the typical American boy idea when he told his Mom—“It’s lots more fun to work for national defense than to just play around.” And you should see these boys of ours gathering the waste materials and carting it to the junk yard.

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OVER-OPTIMISM IS DANGEROUS

A run of favorable war news, such as the Midway island battle following the tremendous RAF blows at Cologne and Essen, always is followed by a wave of excessive optimism.

Lately one has heard frequently in conversation the confident prediction that the war is due to end before this year is over with an Axis capitulation.

That kind of talk is dangerous. It is true the outlook is more promising than it has been. There is less doubt than before of an EVENTUAL United Nations victory. But no one with access to informed military quarters is making the mistake of ever hoping, much less predicting, a successful outcome in 1942.

That kind of seership is reserved to the ignorant, unin-

formed of war's hazards in general and in particular of the danger spots on the current world-wide war map. Such ignorance is excusable perhaps; Washington's own reticence and mistaken confusing of “good morale” with optimism in part is to blame for it.

But it definitely is a dangerous ignorance, because it breeds an over-confidence we can ill afford to indulge. A let-down in our national sense of urgency in the war effort readily could result in the present circumstances prolonging the war for years. Such a let-down could proceed from over-confidence itself or—what is quite as likely—from despondency over a sudden shift of the war news from “good” to unrelievedly bad.

President Roosevelt, not long ago, issued a warning against excessive optimism. He urged the people in effect to assume that the war is going to be a long, a tough but, eventually, a victorious struggle, and then to stick to that assumption in the face of any turn the fighting might take.

That was very good advice, and we wish the President News.

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Few causes have been advanced by the people that lower their standards.

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A PRAYER

Almighty and everlasting God, in communion with the saints in all ages, we who strive to do thy holy will on earth, offer unto thee our common supplications. We pray for the completion of thy Kingdom in all the earth; that our nation may become a stronghold of right, a refuge of the oppressed, and a home of freedom. Be near to those who are in peril on land or sea or in the air. Strengthen failing hearts; comfort the sick and dying; be thou the light of every darkened home, we pray in the name of Christ Jesus our Lord. Amen.

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It is always easy to see how she fits some other person.

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The main trouble with centralized government is that it rests too much power in too few hands. But so long as we can control it, then we have nothing to fear from it and perhaps we may gain something. I am convinced the American people will rise to the occasion. But we need leaders.—Mayor Jaffries of Detroit.

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Waterford News

By NORMA L. HAZLETT

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Law were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Martin Sunday, June 21.

Mr. and Mrs. George Huebler and

Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Huebler and

one, Bob and Jack of Garden City,

were at the wedding of Jack Huebler to Very Judele, daughter

of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Judele of

Ann Arbor. The wedding took place

at 3 o'clock in the afternoon at the

Zion Lutheran church Ann Arbor.

The new bride is that colorful

girl with hair which is not

straight or wavy but curly.

Bob and Jack are about

the same age, 18.

The bride is a graduate of the

University of Michigan and the

groom is a graduate of the

University of Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Law are

from Waterford, and Mr. and

Mrs. Frank Law are from Water-

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News of West Point Park

By Mrs. Wm. H. Zwahlen
Mrs. May Tallman, who resides with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tallman is spending a couple of weeks with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. George Welch has been on the sick list for several days.

Donald Boehmeyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bohmeyer, is recovering nicely from an operation he underwent at Mt. Carmel hospital early last week.

Mrs. Owen Carroll, who underwent a severe operation at Highland Park Osteopathic hospital last Tuesday, is said to be getting along as well as can be expected.

Alfred Schultz of Shadydale avenue, has recovered after being confined to his home for several days with an infection in his leg.

Joyce Verhol spent several days this past week visiting friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tallman and family spent the week end with relatives in northern Michigan.

"Grandpa" Thatcher, after a visit with relatives in Indiana, has returned to the home of his daughter Mrs. Max Sanford.

Wayne Ault and Donald Voorhees attended the ball games at

Howard Auditorium, Detroit, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hoffman and family of Detroit, were guests of Mrs. Austin Ault, last Thursday evening.

Mrs. Edwin Johnson and children, Eddie and Marion, and Mrs. Peterson Ault attended the Iredell school picnic, Thursday evening.

The Rev. Gordon Cameron, pastor of the Neighborhood church, has

become a grandfather. A son was born Friday, June 19, to Mr. and Mrs. Avery Cameron in Harper hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Zwahlen and daughter, Shirley, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Middlewood, attended a party Saturday evening, given in honor of Charles Decker of Detroit, who will leave this week for the U. S. Army. Charles is a nephew of Mr. Zwahlen.

The Posner family of Farmington road spent the last week visiting with Mrs. Posner's relatives in Canada.

Several wandering horses caused considerable excitement and some little damage to lawns and vegetable gardens in the Folker subdivision district Thursday night of last week. It was discovered that

youngsters had opened a gate releasing them from pasture. They

are now safely padlocked by the owner.

Mrs. John Garchow and Mrs. Jack Harcourt gave a miscellaneous shower last Thursday evening, in honor of Miss Marjorie Helmick at Mrs. Garchow's home on Merriman road.

Mrs. and Mrs. Joe DeSagro and children, Pearl, and

Saturday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Addis.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Walker, who have been making their home with Mrs. Albert Eichman, was operated on last Tuesday at Mt. Carmel hospital.

Howard and Darrel Middlewood, who spent last week as the guests of their aunt, Mrs. Esther Middlewood of Benton Harbor, returned home Sunday, landing in Wayne, where their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Middlewood, met them.

News from Walled Lake

By C. E. HUTTON
The Walled Lake Park company has designated June 29 as "Scrap Rubber Day" at the Walled Lake park. This will offer as an attraction 11 stations who will collect all the scrap rubber from all park visitors. Each person bringing 1½ pounds of rubber will receive a minimum of 15 pounds of rubber. An additional 9½ strip set of coupons will be given for each additional 15 pounds of rubber brought in.

The Rev. Andrew F. Niemir has designated each person bringing a minimum of 15 pounds of rubber to be referred to Walled Lake and additional 9½ strip set of coupons to be given for each additional 15 pounds of rubber brought in.

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Detroit conference at Flint, last week. He will preach Sunday at 10 a.m., his subject being "Faithfulness in Tribes." Church school is at 11:15 o'clock, with Charles Lee, superintendent.

Organization for air raid protection has been completed in the Walled Lake area. It was announced Friday night at the air raid telephone office, with operators assigned as OCD members, co-operating with the senior air warden whose post will be at the Walled Lake school.

The first aid station for this zone will be at the post office, where all needed facilities are available. A first aid chest for this area has been assigned to Dr. O. R. McLean, who will head the first aid unit. Willow Camp and Fourteen Mile road, between Willow Camp and Fourteen Mile road, returning on West Main to the signal light. George Carpenter will supervise the number 4 sector, which includes the area on East Lake drive, between Willow Camp and Fourteen Mile road.

Emergency police for this area have been appointed and include William Glover, Harry Vreeland and

Carl Emerson, who will be warden of sector number 5, extending from the south boundary at the

school, north to South Commerce road, west to Williams street, and east at Pontiac Trail. Frank Bennett will cover number 6 sector, running a quarter mile on Pontiac Trail. Sector 7 will be handled by Lee Knapp, including Welch road sector.

Communications will be arranged through arrangements with the local telephone office, with operators assigned as OCD members, co-operating with the senior air warden whose post will be at the Walled Lake school.

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Coordination of regular and emergency fire protection units with the local defense plan are completed under Fire Chief Harry Segnitz. Equipment includes standard and auxiliary apparatus.

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Carl Emerson, who will be warden of sector number 5, extending from the south boundary at the

number of persons in each home, and other information. During emergencies, each warden will be in direct charge of protective activities.

There is yet a full need for sector wardens, to be appointed by wardens of each area.

Officers are asked to contact

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MILLER, BALDWIN & BOOS,
Attorneys
2155 Penobscot Bldg., Detroit, Mich.
MORTGAGE SALE — Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Lucas E. Alexander, of the City of Detroit, Wayne County, Michigan, to Standard Savings and Loan Association, a Michigan corporation, of the same place dated the 23rd day of September, A.D. 1941, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Wayne, on the 23rd day of September, A.D. 1941, in book 290, page 524, of Mortgages, on page 524 of which it is recited to be due on the 1st day of October, A.D. 1942, the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Four Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-one and 72/100 (\$4,381.72) Dollars. No suit or proceedings at law or in equity having been instituted to recover the debt secured by said mortgage or any part thereof. Now therefore, by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and pursuant to the statute of the State of Michigan in such case made and provided, notice is hereby given that the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale at public auction to the highest bidder, at the South entrance of Congress Street entrance to the County Building in the City of Detroit, on the 1st day of October, A.D. 1942, at the hour of 10 o'clock A.M., the building being the building where the County Court for the County of Wayne is held, in the premises described in Schedule A, so far as necessary to pay the amount due as aforesaid on said mortgage with the interest thereon and all legal costs, charges and expenses, including attorney fees, allowed by law, and all sum or sums which may be paid by the undersigned to protect its interest in the premises described as follows: All that certain piece or parcel of land situate in the City of Detroit in the County of Wayne, Michigan, and State of Michigan and described as follows:

To the Supervisor, Township of Northville, Wayne County, Michigan, Sir: You are hereby notified that the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Wayne, Michigan, did, at a meeting of said Board held Friday, May 29, 1942 decide and determine that the certain street or road described in the minutes of said Board should be a County Road under the jurisdiction of the Board of County Road Commissioners: The minutes of said meeting fully describing said section of road are hereby made a part of this notice and are as follows:

Minutes of the meeting of the Board of County Road Commissioners of the County of Wayne, held at 309 Burling Tower, Detroit, Michigan, at 10:00 a.m., Friday, May 29, 1942, the date of this notice, for principal and interest, the sum of Four Thousand Three Hundred Eighty-one and 72/100 (\$4,381.72) Dollars.

It is ordered that the Board assume jurisdiction over the following sections of road in the Township of Novi:

(A true copy)

Clyfford L. Nelson, Deputy Probate Register

Joseph A. Murphy, Judge of Probate

John Foreman, a dinner guest Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Foreman of South Lyon, was graduated from the Northville high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne attended a reception at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Correll of Northville, given in honor of their daughter, Louise, who was graduated from the Northville high school.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Letts of South Lyon, were supper guests Friday of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Payne.

Mrs. John Foreman was a dinner guest Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Foreman of South Lyon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Beardster of Beeton, were callers Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitlock, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Whitlock and family of Detroit.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lewis Sunday, were Winifred and Nable Carter of Wayne, Mr. Evans, Mr. Turner, Mr. Hubbard and Mr. Hamilton of Ypsilanti.

Miss Frances Lewis is planning to have a child service station in Detroit Thursday.

The ladies of the Methodist church of Novi, invites the ladies of all churches to attend a community luncheon Tuesday, July 6.

Admission is 50 cents.

The Congregational Sunday School will hold its picnic at Riverwood Park Thursday afternoon and evening, July 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rider, whose

fortieth wedding anniversary

was Sunday, were surprised when

42 of their relatives came to help

celebrate the occasion. They

will be present with a radio also

and other nice gifts. Out-of-town

friends from Detroit, St. Cloud,

Wayne, Dearborn and

Akron, Ohio, were invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Proctor

of Novi, their children, Marjorie and

George, were Thursday

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CHURCH NEWS

First Methodist Church
W. Leslie Williams, Pastor
Sunday—
10 a.m.—Church School. A class for every age.
11 a.m.—Church worship service and holy communion.

Following the morning services there will be a basket dinner in the church house in honor of the Russell Steininger family. The congregation and all organizations of the church are invited to be present. Bring your own service and sugar and the usual dish. A brief program will take place at the tables.

Thursday, at 7:30 p.m., choir practice will be held.

Our Lady of Victory Church
Sunday Masses: 8:30 and 10:30 a.m.
Week Day Masses: 7:30 a.m.
Confession: 7:30 p.m., Saturday.

Salem Federated Church
Rev. C. A. Pennell, Minister
Sunday Services:
10:30 a.m.—Worship. The pastor will bring the second message in a series on Jacob and Esau, speaking on the subject, "The Man Whom God Loved."

11:45 a.m.—Bible School. Curtis Hamilton is superintendent.
7:30 p.m.—Hymn-sing. Robert Whittaker is leader. An offering will be taken for Chinese Relief.

St. Paul's Ev. Lutheran Church
(Mr. Syred)
Corner of Elm and High Streets
E. E. Rosso, Pastor
Sunday worship at 10 a.m.
Sunday School and Bible Classes

11 a.m.—Sunday School Teachers, Friday 8 p.m.

Ladies' Aid, each second Thursday 2 p.m.

Voters meeting, first Sunday of each month.

Walter Leaguers, 8 p.m., each second Tuesday of the month.

Confirmation class, 10 a.m. Saturday.

The First Presbyterian Church
Rev. Harold F. Fredsell, Pastor
Sunday

The Church School, John W. Blackburn, superintendent, will meet during the summer season at 11 a.m. The opening worship service will be held with the adults in church and during the second hymn the boys and girls will go to their class rooms under the various teachers. Mr. C. H. Brown is in charge of the nursery. Mrs. Ruth Curd is the nursery and Mrs. C. H. Young the junior.

11 a.m. Worship for the Third Sunday After Trinity. The Sacrament of Holy Communion will be observed, followed by the reception of man bread by profession of faith. The Elders will again receive the "tokens" from each communicant, an acknowledgement of previous personal preparation in coming to the table of the Lord.

12 a.m. to 12 in the second week of the Community Church School which meets each day of the week excepting Saturday. Open to all boys and girls who seek to share in the Christian way of life.

Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Service meeting in Holy Marriage. Miss Muriel Newman and Miss Allen.

7:30 p.m.—Achievement program of the Vacation Church school for the parents and friends of the children. The Psalms, the discoveries of

OBITUARY

Mrs. George Stanley

MacNabb of Wilton, Conn.; and two grandchildren, Chetella and Stephen MacNabb.

Burial was in the Rural Hill cemetery.

CARD OF THANKS
I wish to thank my friends and neighbors, also the Orient chapter, Methodist church, Fellowship class, and the Woman's Society of Christian Service for the kindness, cards and flowers sent me during my illness. I would also like to thank Dr. Russell M. Atchison for his services.

Mrs. Stanley died Friday in her home in Redford township, a victim of a heart attack. She was born 71 years ago in Vassar, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Asa White.

In 1896 she was united in marriage to Mr. Stanley at Nov. In the early 90's the couple came to Northville, where they operated a hotel until 1917. Here they were active in community enterprises and Mrs. Stanley was a member of the King's Daughters. They later moved to Royal Oak. For the past few years, their home has been in Redford township.

Surviving Mrs. Stanley are her husband, a daughter, Mrs. William DeLavigne, and a son,

Mrs. Ralph Foreman.

CARD OF THANKS
I want to thank the people in this community for the splendid response they've made to the rubber campaign.

Joe Stanton, Joseph McNeil, proprietor.

IN MEMORY
In loving memory of Andries, son of Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Keller, who left us in 1923.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Keller and family.

Notice!

The Village Planning Commission will hold public hearings on the proposed Village Zoning Ordinance for Northville on the evenings of July 8 and July 22 at 8 p.m. in the Village Hall for the purpose of explaining the provisions of the proposed ordinance.

Mary Alexander,
Village Clerk

"When You Think of Hardware Think of Hammer"

Summer VALUES ON PARADE

FOR VICTORY BUY UNITED STATES WAR BONDS AND STAMPS

SHOPPING BAG Made of strong Auto Seat Cover material. Big wide handles for comfortable grip. Looks like a purse when folded. \$2.25

ELECTRIC BROILER Fits your own frying pan. Place your meat right on the surface of the pan. \$2.65

HOLSTER SET U. S. Army Set. Embossed leather, studded with jewels. Pearl necklace belt. \$9.85

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FOLEY FOOD MILL \$1.25
All-in-One Contraption

HOUSEHOLD SCALE \$2.98
Weights up to 25 lbs.

MEASURING CUP 15¢
Pyrax for Hot or Cold

EXTENSION STRAINER 49¢
8-Feet Hose or Frame

JAR WRENCH 20¢
Open or Seal Mason Jars

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Strong Red or Green Material

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WHITE EXTRACT VEGETABLE REFRESHER Double the efficiency of any refresher with this self-cooling freezer. \$8.95

WOODEN SALAD BOWL Hand Carved 1-lb. Wooden Bowl with Wooden Fork and Spoon. \$1.79

HIBBARD COLD PACK CANNERS Double porcelain enameled steel canister. 17-quart \$1.35
20-quart \$1.58
25-quart \$1.95

WASTEBASKET Attractive, simulated leather, embossed design. 12 inches high. \$9.85

PYREX MATCHED MIXING BOWLS 3-cone set. \$1.50
4-cone set. \$1.75
5-cone set. \$2.00
Can be used for hot cold foods.

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Hammer's Hardware

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ADDED SAVINGS With Your FOOD DOLLAR

CHIPSO or RINSO or SUPER SUDS	large pkg. 23¢	ARMOUR'S TREAT SWEET LIFE CATSUP	12-oz. can 33¢
	large pkg. 23¢	NAAS SUPREME	14-oz. bot. 14¢
BLU SUDS	2 pkgs. 15¢	Perfection	14-oz. bot. 10¢
BABY FOODS Gerbers	4 cans 25¢	Shoestring	No. 2 cans 28¢
Orchard Farm CARROTS	2 No. 2 cans 15¢	Durkee's	1-lb. 25¢
Gibbled	2 No. 2 cans 25¢	Shredded	1-lb. pkg. 19¢
All Gold Golden Bantam CORN	2 1-lb. cans 25¢	SUNSHINE HI HO	2-lb. pkg. 22¢
Fruit COCKTAIL	No. 2 1/2 cans 10¢	KREMEL	3 pkgs. 14¢
Silver Floss SAUERKRAUT	2 No. 2 cans 25¢	SPRY or CRISCO	3-lb. can 69¢
Honey SUGAR PEAS	2 No. 2 cans 25¢	RED CROSS PAPER TOWELS	3 rolls 25¢
Hohey Dew Whole Kernel CORN	1-lb. can 25¢	SWEET LIFE PEANUT BUTTER	2-lb. jar 37¢
Borden's Chocolate	5-lb. bag 27¢	AEROWAX	quart bottle 45¢
Golden Ray Chinook SALMON	1-lb. can 23¢	JOHNSON'S GLO COAT	pint can 59¢
PILLSBURY'S FLOUR	3 large bars 28¢	MINERAL OIL	quart bottle 49¢
SWAN SOAP	2 No. 2 cans 33¢	OLIVILO SOAP	3 bars 16¢
PEACHES VAL VITA	1-lb. pkg. 21¢	ROMAN CLEANSER	2 bottles 15¢
JESSO COFFEE	3 rolls 25¢	COFFEE	Sweet Life 1-lb. 28¢ (2-lb. can 55¢) can 28¢
TOILET TISSUE Delcoy	Lushus 2-lb. jar 15¢	SODA CRACKERS Majestic 2-lb. pkg. 17¢	SHIVER COW MILK 4 tall cans 31¢
APPLE BUTTER Indiana 46-oz. car. 15¢			
TOMATO JUICE			

MEAT MONEY SAVERS

This Week's Special **PORK LOIN ROAST 29¢ lb.**

SPARERIBS Fresh	lb. 21¢	LUNCHEON MEAT Spiced	1/2-lb. 25¢
ROAST OF BEEF Armour's Brand Standing Rib	lb. 29¢	BEER SALAMI	1/2-lb. 29¢
VEAL CHOPS Shoulder Cut	lb. 27¢	SKINLESS VIENNASE	lb. 25¢
VEAL SHOULDER ROAST	lb. 27¢	RING BOLOGNA	ib. 23¢
LAMB CHOPS Shoulder Cut	lb. 27¢	SLAB BACON End Piece	lb. 27¢
FRESH GROUND BEEF lb. 21¢		BAKED HAM Shank Half Ready-To-Eat lb. 35¢	
SLICED BACON Sugar Cured lb. 33¢		RED FISH FILLETS lb. 25¢	
BOILED HAM Swifts Prem or Horwitz Waf. Slic. 1/2 lb. 33¢		COTTAGE CHEESE lb. 15¢	

DAIRY SPECIALS

GOLDDALE BUTTER	lb. 39¢
BROOKFIELD BUTTER	lb. 41¢
TASTY CHEESE FOOD American	2-lb. loaf 53¢
TASTY CHEESE FOOD Pimento	2-lb. loaf 55¢
ROYAL SPRED OLEO	2 lbs. 31¢

PRODUCE ITEMS

LEMONS Large	dozen 33¢
DRY ONIONS 5 lbs.	19¢
ORANGES California	dozen 33¢
LEAF LETTUCE Fancy	lb. 9¢
HOME GROWN CABBAGE	lb. 5¢

WOLF'S MARKET
125 E. Main St.
Entrance From Parking Lot

Couple Leaves for Motor Trip After Exchanging Vows Friday Evening

Carroll Jean Carlson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur C. Carlson, Mr. and Mrs. Hansen, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Hansen of Plymouth, exchanged their marriage vows at eight o'clock Friday evening, June 19, before the Rev. Harold P. Fredsell in the Presbyterian church house.

Garden flowers were used in procession at the altar. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Gerald V. Harrison.

Mr. Carlson gave his daughter in marriage. She wore a gown of white silk taffeta made with a simple peacock bodice and a full skirt. Her flowers were white roses and lilies of the valley.

Her only attendant was her sister, Hafriet Carlson, who was dressed in pink taffeta. She carried pink roses and blue bachelor buttons.

The party held in the Presbyterian church house, which was decorated with balsoms, Thirteen members gathered for her daughter's wedding, accented by a corsage of sweet peas. Mrs. Hansen wore a Sunday guest of the John W. Dickey's were Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Johnson of Flint, and Mrs. Fredlike Mrs. Carlson's.

The bridal party and 100 guests attended the reception which followed.

Vacation Bible School Enrollment Exceeds 100

The Community Daily Vacation Bible school being held at the Presbyterian church is off to a start with an enrollment that surpasses the 100 mark.

They will have their home work done.

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Wednesday, July 2, at 7:30 p.m., the closing program will be presented in the Presbyterian church. At this time the project work will be displayed and an account of the program of the two weeks' work will be presented. The program is open to the public.

Recreation

(Continued from front page)

and from 7 to 9 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Ping-pong, softball and bone

games, including quoits, are sup-

ervised at the Social building.

Ping-pong players will start

when more sets are enrolled in the afternoon session. Supervisor Park

abundances.

The regular program for the

younger children will be directed

by Mrs. Park and will be in full

swing Monday, July 6, at the con-

clusion of the Vacation Bible school.

Sofball leagues are orga-

nized for girls. Girls already

entered in the Class A division are

the Elv Coddie team and the teams

from South Lyon. Entry will be

accepted from three more teams.

Last year we will line up for

the Class B division.

Mrs. Ruth Carl and

son, Robert Russell Malcolm

spent the weekend at Albion, where

they were the guests of Mrs. Archibald's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter T. Edwards.

The last office opening will be

held at the new plant in the rear of

the gift shoppe and the company

has been determined

to be the first of any

kind of industry to be

located in Northville.

The regular office hours will be

from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. and

closed Saturday afternoons.

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News Around Northville

Buzzie Sow is working at Ham-
mer's Hardware store.

Mr. and Mrs. John K. Nelson,
formerly of Northville, have moved
from Walled Lake, and are now
living on Starkweather Avenue,
Plymouth.

Best equipped optometric service
in Michigan. Dr. John A. Ross
of Plymouth and Don Knapp who
has a personal interest in each arranges the program. Mr. And-
erson, an ex-patentee, was master
of ceremonies.

Donna Pickering and Pat Mc-
Clellan are new clerks at the D.
& C. Store.

Frederick Kern of Bayonne, N. J.,
is here visiting his mother, Mrs.
Archie Kern.

Miss Rita Healey of the Detroit
Edison Office, will start her vaca-
tion July 3.

Chief of Police Frank A. Rod-
oker will start auxiliary police in-
struction next week for a group in
Waterford.

Mrs. C. C. Yerkes was hosted
Tuesday to the members of her
contract club.

Louis Herick took his final ex-
amination Monday and is on call
for army service.

Ninth wedding anniversary con-
gratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Frank
D. Hart, June 24.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Falconer
visited the William Rose family
Sunday at Whitmore Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Hammond
and Walker and Hazel Hammond,
are visiting this week in Algoma.

E. N. Plapert fractured his left
hand this week end at Strawberry
Lake, as he was mending a tire.

Mrs. Bert Adams is spending a
three-week vacation visiting her
sons at Marion O. Charleson, W.
Va., and Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Mary Jane Boelens is at
State Normal College, Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warner Neal
of Washington, D. C., expect to
vacation here the week of July 20.

Barbara Jean Wiley or Ann Ar-
bor, spent the week end with her
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank
Lillard.

Twenty-eighth wedding anniver-
sary congratulations to Mr. and
Mrs. T. R. Carrington, Wednesday,

June 24.

BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS

To
Jack Morris, July 1.
Mrs. Leslie Maloy, July 2.
Francis Huff, July 3.
Dr. E. B. Cavell, Jr., July 4.
Collette Hart, July 4.
Frank and Louis Eaton, July 4.
Gil Glasson, July 4.

Martin Scholtz was a guest at
Rotary Tuesday noon.

Pvt. W. F. Richmond and William
McGee left Wednesday night for
Hubbard Lake. There the famous
season opened Thursday morning.

Pvt. and Mrs. Donald J. Lanning
were owner guests Wednesday of
Mr. and Mrs. John Jacoby. Pvt.
Lanning left Thursday for Fort
Custer.

Because of the holiday shopping,
The Record will get in the mail
Thursday in time for Thursday af-
ternoon delivery, July 2. This means
that copy will have to be in a day
earlier.

Air Warden Club J. Smith an-
nounces that Air Raid Wardens
will attend fun and classes at
the Methodist church beginning Tues-
day, June 30. A 10-hour course is
being held 7:30 p.m., given spe-
cially for the Wardens part of the
requirements of a Warden's duties.

The Fellowship class of the Meth-
odist church will meet Saturday
evening for the annual social. The
evening reception for the Russell H.
Schaeffer family, Sunday, June 28.

The affair will be a potluck dinner
to be served in the church house
following the morning worship.

All the organizations of the church
are invited. Each person is to
bring his own table service and a
potluck dish.

Three Northville boys are at
tending the Boys State which is in
session on the Michigan State col-
lege campus, East Lansing. They
are Richard Simons, Robert
Vogel and Frank Hunter. They
will return to East Lansing last Thurs-
day in company with George Sun-
mons and Charles Schoutz. Mr.
Schoutz is to drive the boys for
their return to Northville.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Hartman
spent Sunday to the 20th celebra-
ting their 28th wedding anniver-
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Mrs. Bert Adams is spending a
three-week vacation visiting her
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Beginning Monday, June 29, the
Red Cross First Aid class will be held
from 1:30 to 2:30 p.m. in the
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CUTTING NAVY TAPE

Behind Admiral King's forthcoming

order slashing navy red tape 50

per cent and ordering more navy

officers out of Washington, was an

interesting comparison with the

Japanese navy, conducted back-

stage by some of the President's

advisors.

Americans, recently familiar with

Japan, have reported that the Jap-

anese navy is staffed by only about

1,000 personnel in Tokyo. In con-

trast, the navy department in Wash-

ington has more than 32,000, not in-

cluding the navy yard.

The Japanese navy also is report-

ed to have cut red tape and gov-

ernment reports to the bone and it

gives wide latitude to commanders

at sea. The U. S. navy also

gives wide latitude to commanders

in distant posts, such as Admiral

Leary in New Zealand. Admiral

Kimball at Pearl Harbor. But in

home waters, especially, in anti-

submarine warfare along the East

coast, insiders say the navy has suf-

fered from a constant stream of re-

ports and orders to and from Wash-

ington requiring tremendous staff

work for the paper work alone.

No Admiral King offers promo-

tions to officers who will decrease

Washington bureaus rather

than increase them.

GASOLINE CZAR

The chairman dynamo who runs the

gasoline system of the U. S. A.

is a merchant's son and a former

member of Congress.

He is most harassed man in

Washington. He is constantly on the

verge of breaking into a broad smile.

He is 45 years old, he has gray

hair about the ears, thin hair on

top, works so late into the night

that his wife, mother of a new-born

son, seldom sees him. "I gener-

ally have to be the 2 a. m. feeding,"

he says.

Ed Gurney was born in Vermont

and grew up in Canada.

Winston Churchill's latest speech,

which came on the radio immediately

before the army hour, was jammed by a guttural Teutonic voice

carefully obscuring Churchill's own

pauses in an effort to escape detec-

tion.

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**CONSUMERS POWER
COMPANY****Michigan Mirror**

(Continued from front page)
how to keep it so it will retain its nutritive value.

Sewing bees is just another possibility suggested by the U. S. Department of Commerce. Since wool is needed for our Army, housewives may recycle coats, cut down adult garments for children, re-knit garments, return dresses, and use the needle and thread to make and mend family clothing at a minimum of expense and material.

Old used wool can be used again to make new warm woolens. Don't throw away any woolen garments no matter how badly worn.

Farm income is up. In 1939 the average farm family's income totalled \$1,443; last year, \$1,628, and 1943 it may reach \$2,385.

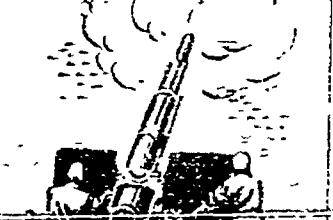
You probably will never again have as good a chance as now to improve business in your town," states the "Small Town Manual."

The tire shortage is bringing new opportunities to small towns. People are more inclined than ever before to shop at home. Make sure that farm families choose your town rather than some other one to do their trading in."

There is the silver lining — and the big challenge. But a plan is needed. And when it comes to promotion, remember Burnham's often quoted advice: "Make no small plans — they have no power to stir men's minds." Such a community program, carefully conceived and consistently supported, may contribute much right at home in helping to win the war as well as improving business.

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• None of my opponents ever have, can, or dare make this statement.
• The coming century belongs to the people, the working people — vote to protect your rights.
• DEMOCRATIC PARTY.

CEMETERY**TO THE PEOPLE OF NORTHLVILLE:**

For a number of years the management of the Rural Hill Cemetery has been a subject of discussion. Particularly is that true at the present time and probably with justification in view of the unkempt condition of the grounds this spring and Decoration Day. Because of this criticism, and in particular because of left-vs.-articles, and an editorial which appeared in The Northville Record, I consulted the editor of The Record and explained the condition from my standpoint as manager of the cemetery. After a full explanation it was decided that I should have an opportunity to express this explanation before the public. I do not blame any person for criticizing the condition of the cemetery both as to the condition of the ground and the condition of the records. I felt as acutely as anyone the unkempt condition of the cemetery itself this spring and wish to assure the people of Northville that I did everything in my power to remedy that situation.

In December 1940, I was appointed manager of the cemetery by the cemetery board. At that time I found that the cemetery virtually had no records whatsoever, that there was no possibility of finding out where or when any particular person had been buried. Lots had long since been disrupted, drives had been abandoned, others had been put in their place, burials had been made out of line, on wrong lots, secretly and possibly illegally. The lack of competent records was the most serious handicap to the management of the cemetery at that time. True, the financial condition of the cemetery was considerably weaker than it had been before the depression, however, it was my opinion then and still is that the cemetery not only can pay its own way but can create a substantial fund for perpetual care in the future.

Acting upon instructions of the board to take the matter in hand and do anything I felt was necessary I proposed to the board that the cemetery be reorganized and placed upon a perpetual care basis. Certain members of the board objected to the use of the trust funds for the cost of surveying and reorganizing. I recommended that the board re-appointed me to the Court of Common Councils in order disposition of trust funds for the purpose of re-organizing the entire organization of the cemetery, lot mowing and determining where all the bodies were buried. Having once done this it would have been easy for me to sell lots on the perpetual care plan and to raise substantial capital funds from former lot owners

which could easily replace what principal was used for the expense of reorganization. This plan, however, was not adopted by the board because of the insistence of one or two members that the trust funds must not be used for anything except the interest thereof to be used for to keep the preserve record in the board. I then proposed a second plan which was that I obtain a surveyor, Mr. Sidney Strong of Plymouth, a registered land surveyor and a man who has had considerable experience in planning cemeteries was hired and it was agreed between myself and Mr. Strong, at the express instructions of the board, that he be paid \$800, which is ridiculously low for the work involved. Mr. Strong being a public minded citizen agreed to this matter and he agreed that he would wait until it was possible to pay him out of income. Mr. Strong has completed three-quarters of the job of surveying and has not yet received one cent for his work.

By clever rephrasing he has enabled us to have at least ten per cent more salable lots in the future, which naturally will easily repay the cemetery for his services. Meanwhile I prepared in my office a plan of reorganization which was to be presented to the public in July of this year, as soon as the surveying is completed. That plan consisted of having forms printed whereby each and every person claiming any interest in any lot in the cemetery was to fill out the form and file it in my office. After these forms had been filed it was then going to be possible to obtain the active ownership list which we need in order to approach people to place money in the perpetual care fund. We already have a few pledges but we have made no collections because we are not yet ready to put the entire plan into operation. Every lot that has been sold in the last two years has been sold under the perpetual care basis. When the claims had been filed and old deeds that had not been delivered heretofore had been made out and delivered and a survey had been completed we would then be in a position to reorganize completely making a new non-profit corporation and putting perpetual care into effect for the entire cemetery.

For the past eighteen or nineteen months I have spent at least ten hours a week from my own business for the Rural Hill Cemetery Association and during that period of time I have not received one cent for my services. If at times I have not put in as much time as some people think I should have I wish they would bear in mind the fact that it is necessary for me to earn a living and that my first consideration naturally must be with my business. I feel that there is no one in the community who can truthfully criticize the condition of the cemetery until eight or nine weeks ago. At that time the former sexton obtained a better job. I found since, that with the limited amount of money the cemetery is able to pay for a sexton, it is impossible to compete with defense industries and that men are not willing to work for the wages that we are

able to pay. I made every attempt to obtain help but was checkmated at every turn. One week before Decoration, however, I secured the services of Mr. Colvin, an experienced horticulturist. Mr. Colvin agreed to start the Monday before Decoration Day and clean up the entire cemetery. Later he found that he could not start on Monday but would certainly start on Tuesday. On Tuesday I was unable to go to the cemetery in view of the fact that I had spent a long involved day in Circuit Court. The following day I went to the cemetery to see how Mr. Colvin was progressing. I met two men who are vitally interested in the cemetery and we discussed the matter there at some length. I found that Mr. Colvin had not shown up. Since that time I have found that one of the directors of the cemetery association was aware that Mr. Colvin was not going to take the job but rather than inform me and allow me to get someone else the director had simply decided that it was none of his affair and let it go at that. That same afternoon I obtained the services of Mr. Foster who assured me that he would take the job. He went to the cemetery and I went up there a few hours later to see how he was progressing but he had disappeared. I have never seen him since.

It has been suggested that I could have obtained the services of a few interested citizens who would have gladly participated in a grass cutting bee. I can only say that the thought did not occur to me as I have not been in Northville long enough to know that such things were customary. I regret to say that the suggestion was not made to me until Monday of this week. Further I must point out the fact that the majority of the people who complained about the condition of the cemetery were people who do not have perpetual care and have made no provision this year for upkeep on their lots. I am making no excuse, I know as well as anyone that the condition of the cemetery on Decoration Day was deplorable. I can only say as I have before that we cannot compete with defense industries in wages. We have had for more than one week now, and long before the editorial appeared in The Northville Record, a new sexton who is doing his best to put the cemetery in condition. There is now or foot a movement to have the village take over the cemetery. I feel that this is a splendid solution to the entire matter I am doing my best to see that the cemetery is taken over by the village, I feel that the village will not suffer any liability by assuming the cemetery as it can be self-sufficient if it would be this summer when the surveying is completed and the reorganization has been put through.

I made known at the meeting between the village committee and the cemetery board Monday night that I felt that when this matter was turned over to the village I was entitled to secure some compensation for my services during the past eighteen or nineteen months. When I was appointed manager there was no set figure given but it was definitely discussed that there would be compensation for the job. Undoubtedly there will be criticism concerning this request for compensation. If any person feels that it is unjust or excessive I suggest that they take it up with any of the directors of the Rural Hill Cemetery Association so that they may place that view before the board before they approve any compensation for me.

One more item I wish to call to the attention of the public. One of the directors, Mr. Harry Clark, has made statements concerning the purchase by me for the Association of a Power Lawn Mower. He has told various people that this mower was an old, worn-out machine that had been owned by myself and that I had sold it to the Association for a very high and unreasonable figure, quoting at times \$100 and at other times \$125. When these stories came to my attention I confronted Mr. Clark with the statements. He admitted that he had mentioned it to one or two parties and said that he had heard the story from the former sexton. I explained the matter to him that at the time that I had purchased the mower at \$50, and had bought it expressly for the Rural Hill Cemetery, and that it was not a worn-out machine but has given satisfactory service proved by the fact that we have had to pay gasoline bills for the use of the mower and had to have the mower sharpened on two or three occasions. The president of the Association and myself went up to the cemetery tool shed to see if the mower was in bad shape as indicated by these stories, which incidentally said that the mower had not even been able to run. We immediately started the mower even though it had not been used since last fall. Mr. Clark agreed that he would give me a signed statement stating that he had investigated the matter and had found that there was no foundation for the statements, however, he has not given me any such statement but I feel that I want the public to know the truth of the matter and if Mr. Clark or anyone else denies what I have stated here I will be glad to meet them at any time or place that they designate to discuss the matter more fully.

In conclusion I can only say that I have the interest of the community at heart and that the Rural Hill Cemetery is one of the things that I would like most to see in good condition not only as to the grounds but as to the management, records and general mode of operation.

AUSTIN G. VAN HOVE

