

HOW FAR WOULD T. B. MONEY GO

DIVIDED AMONG SUFFERERS ANNUAL FUND WOULD GIVE EACH ABOUT \$5.00.

The question is sometimes asked by persons, only casually acquainted with health conditions in Michigan why the money that is collected each year in the Christmas seal sale is not devoted to direct tuberculosis relief; why in other words, persons actually suffering from tuberculosis are not made the direct beneficiaries of the fund by having their doctors' bills paid, etc.

It is estimated that if the funds collected in the largest seal sale ever held in Michigan should be divided among the tuberculosis in the state, there would be less than five dollars for each patient, about enough to take care of them for a single day of the year.

The fundamental principle on which the work of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association is based is: "The function of the volunteer tuberculosis organization is to awaken and stimulate the responsible authorities to the need for and the actual provision of adequate means for controlling the spread and the very existence of tuberculosis."

In other words, the association is trying to awaken city, county, and state government, by means of educational and demonstrational methods, to the necessity of taking steps in various ways—by erecting sanatoria, appointing county and city nurses, erecting open-air schools, providing health camps, and so on—to curb tuberculosis and eventually to wipe it out. The Michigan Tuberculosis Association, in its work, is an object lesson to government, to show what can be done; and the idea is that when the demonstration has been made, the government bodies shall take over the work and leave the association free to do further pioneering.

ITHACA

1,200 yards full standard count Percales—light and dark patterns—15 cents—on sale in basement. D. W. Robinson, Alma.—advertisement.

Russell Warren and son, Melvin, of St. Johns spent the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McArthur.

Just in—20 dozen ladies' waists, in plain, embroidered, and Peter Pans. Every one a Robinson quality, sizes 36 to 46, at \$1.00 each. D. W. Robinson, Alma.—advertisement.

William Stevens, nearly 60, died Sunday at his home on E. Center st., having been helpless because of paralysis for the past eight years. Mr. Stevens had lived in St. Louis and Ithaca for thirty years. He was a member of the I. O. O. F. Surviving are the wife and one daughter, Mrs. Mildred Kernan. Funeral Tuesday at the home conducted by Rev. Flatler and burial in the Ithaca cemetery.

500 Rag Rugs—25x50 inches, every color under the sun, plain or figured regular price \$2.25 values, for Saturday only 98c. D. W. Robinson, Alma.—advertisement.

Dave Merrill of Breckenridge was a guest of Sheriff and Mrs. A. L. Willert Friday.

Saturday Special—Sweater Waists in variety of colors—pure wool, for \$1.69. D. W. Robinson, Alma.—advertisement.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Mills of Ann Arbor spent the week end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Mills.

S. J. McWilliams died at Hall's hospital in Pompeii Friday evening following a few week's illness. Mr. McWilliams was a brother of Mrs. C. J. Chambers and resided in Ithaca a few years leaving here about two years ago when he purchased a farm in New Haven township.

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Wesley Willoughby who has spent a few days with his brother, William Willoughby, has returned to his home in Watford, Ontario.

Irving Welch of Salida, Colorado, is visiting his mother, Mrs. Carrie Welch, who has been quite ill.

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Mrs. Sarah Ross of Stanton is spending some time at the home of her daughter, Mrs. T. R. Morse.

Mrs. F. M. Harrington was in St. Louis a day recently on business for the Red Cross.

The Calendar Tea which was to have been held Wednesday afternoon at the Presbyterian church was postponed until Friday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Eicher and family left Thursday for Clarksville, Ark., where they will make their new home.

Mrs. Emma Sackett was called to Ypsilanti the past week by the illness of her daughter, Mrs. Nina Sackett.

Mrs. H. M. Fink who has been spending the past month with her sister, Mrs. Charles Kennedy and other relatives, has returned to her home in Roseberry, Idaho.

Earl Willert, who will take the place of his brother, Roy Willert, in the sheriff's office is preparing to move to Ithaca in a short time.

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Mrs. Ed. Smith left Thursday for a trip through southern Michigan and Ohio. She will visit relatives in Bowling Green and Cincinnati.

Norman Cook of Lansing who came Wednesday to visit at the home of his sister, Mrs. Joseph Keeler, fell as he stepped from the auto. He was badly injured and it is feared that a hip may be broken. Mr. Cook is 91 years of age.

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Rev. William Roberts is in a weakened condition following an attack of rheumatism which lasted 66 hours.

Harold Beebe who has been studying at the conservatory of music in Chicago has returned to spend two months with his parents.

Robert W. Oberlin and Miss Grace G. Davis both of Alma, were quietly married by Rev. William Roberts at the Presbyterian manse Wednesday evening. They were attended by Miss Sarah Lippert of Alma and William Wilson of Vstabusg.

M. Fidler and family who moved about two years ago to a farm he had purchased near Marion, are this week moving back to their farm in Emerson township.

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Mrs. J. S. Sedelbauer returned Monday to her home in Grand Rapids after spending some time in the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Grettenberger, who accompanied her to her home. Mr. Grettenberger will go on to Chicago where he will attend a meeting of the National Educational Association this week.

The play, "The Traveling Salesman" which was played by local talent a few weeks ago was repeated Monday night. The play was given for the benefit of the Baptist church.

SUMNER

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Tucker of Alma were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. F. Tucker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Booth of Alma called on relatives here Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Robson of Alma visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. Elmer Seaman Sunday.

Howard Phillips and Stanton Stone of Saginaw spent Sunday at the home of their parents.

Funeral services for the little daughter of Hazen Lewis were held at Elm Hall Monday. Burial was made in the cemetery here.

Jimmy Deval has been out of school this week on account of sickness.

Milton and Beatrice Mangus of Beaverton were guests of their grandmother, Mrs. Hulda Mangus, Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Havens of Elwell visited at the home of her mother, Mrs. H. Church, Tuesday.

Merle Forquer of Riverdale was here Tuesday to visit his grandmother, Mrs. R. M. Forquer.

Mr. Stone and Will Lang were Alma business callers Tuesday.

The worst sleet storm of the season passed over this vicinity Wednesday covering everything with ice putting telephones out of service and made traffic almost impossible.

Mrs. Wm. Phillips passed away at her home here Thursday morning after an illness of several weeks.

Mrs. Glen Mervin and granddaughter Shirley of Grand Rapids came Wednesday to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Hulda Mangus, who celebrated her 78th birthday Thursday.

Howard Phillips and Clifford Gee and family were called home Thursday by the death of their mother, Mrs. Wm. Phillips.

The L. O. O. F. dance billed for the 22nd was postponed on account of bad weather.

Vance Woodard and Jeff Lang were business callers at Alma Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Conner passed away on Wednesday at the home of her son, Wm. Conner, at Elm Hall. Funeral services were held here Friday at the Christian church conducted by Rev. Morse and interment made in the Summer cemetery.

Tom McGurn left Friday morning for a few days' visit with friends in Detroit.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Art Smith, Feb. 23rd, a baby girl. Mother and babe are doing well.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Seaman were in St. Louis Monday to visit their daughter, Lora.

I. F. Tucker is, again on the sick list.

The Warm Sugar social given out last week by the L. O. T. M. was postponed until some date later on account of the death of Mrs. Phillips.

Lincoln day was observed in the primary room at school here last week.

Mrs. Edwin Smead is again confined to her home by illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Woodward, Bert Mangus and Mrs. Samuel Cleveland were in Ithaca on business Friday.

Enia Leonard was an Ithaca business caller Friday.

Mrs. Howard Parker is confined to her home by a severe cold.

Prefer 'Em Raw.

Local Paper—"Wanted, young woman to cook." All the young women we know look good enough to eat as they are.—Boston Transcript.

Buys Million Squirrel Skins. One merchant in Siberia has been known to purchase as many as a million squirrel skins in a single season.

CITY COMMISSION

Alma, Mich., Feb. 28, 1922.

Regular meeting of the City Commission of the city of Alma in session at the council chambers on above date. Meeting called to order at 7 o'clock p. m. by Mayor Charles R. Murphy.

Present: Commissioners Creaser, Glass, Archer and Chick.

Absent: None.

There being a quorum present, the Commission was declared in session.

Minutes of the preceding regular meeting were read and approved.

Reading of bills and claims: Detroit Trust Co., bond int. \$2,850.00

H. J. Winchell 15.00
Imprest cash to Feb. 28 56.02
H. Voller 36.00

C. Hitchcock 24.60
Vic. Lowe 23.40
D. Howe 12.00
R. Schieb 30.00
G. Shong 24.00
J. Shong 4.80
I. Howe 4.00
B. Williams 24.00
D. Garland 11.40
W. T. Rench .60
H. Faught .60
J. Huntley 6.00
E. C. Hasse 40.00
F. N. Grover 10.80
J. Latz 9.00

Alert Pipe & Supply Co. 61.24
Alma Elec. & Battery Co. 3.70
Alma Fdry. & Mfg. Co. 5.00
Alma Garage Co. 18.83
Amer. Ry. Express Co. 6.25
H. Channon Co. 6.63

Contractors and Eng. Guide 1.00
Dearborn Chemical Co. 178.10
The Economy Shoe Store 15.53
Farmers Elevator 5.00
Flack-Pennell Supply Co. 6.31
Glass & Hannah 31.65
Holmes, Crane & Bartling 151.20
Home Lumber & Fuel Co. 2.40
G. J. Maier & Co. 4.95
Michigan Inspection Bureau 85.00
National Meter Co. 106.70
Gaylord Bros. 13.15

Moved by Commissioner Glass supported by Commissioner Creaser that the bills as read be allowed and the clerk instructed to issue checks in payment thereof covering vouchers

Nos. 774 to 794. Ayes—Commissioners Creaser, Glass, Archer and Chick. Nays—none.

Gas Test. Feb. 21, 570.7 Feb. 23, 524.24; Feb. 24, 545.29; Feb. 25, 525.39; Feb. 27, 521.10; Feb. 28, 529.53. Average for week, 536.2 B. T. U. per cubic foot of gas. Required average 530.00 B. T. U.

Moved by Commissioner Chick and supported by Commissioner Archer that the Commission adjourn. The motion prevails.

Francis C. Hayward, Clerk. Charles R. Murphy, Mayor.

WHY SUFFER SO?

Why suffer from a bad back, from sharp, shooting twinges, headaches, dizziness and distressing urinary ills? Alma people recommend Doan's Kidney Pills. Ask your neighbor! Could you ask for stronger proof of merit.

Mrs. Adeline Carmer, 918 Pine ave., Alma, says: "Some years ago my back and kidneys started to trouble me. Sharp pains darted up and down the length of my back, making it hard for me to do my work. It was difficult for me to stoop or lift and at night I didn't dare to move or turn. Morning I was so blinded with black specks I couldn't see to go on with my work and I often had to grasp hold of something for support. My kidneys acted irregularly and my life was miserable until I saw in the paper how Doan's Kidney Pills had been used by many folks, so I bought a few boxes at the Look-Paterson Drug Co., and they cured me wonderfully."

Price 60c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Carmer had. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.—41-3w.

COMING—To The Strand
12-Sunshine Kiddies-12
OF MELODY LANE
Sunday—Monday—Tuesday
March 12-13-14

One of the most pleasing attractions ever offered in Alma.

AUCTION SALE

The undersigned having decided to quit farming, will sell at Public Auction at his farm 2 miles west and 3/4 miles south of Elwell Corners, or 1/4 mile south of Sumner Center

Saturday, March 11

Commencing at 1 o'clock, the following described property:

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| 3 HORSES 1 black gelding, wt. 1400 1 bay gelding, wt. 1200 1 bay gelding, 3 yrs old | IMPLEMENTS 1 South Bend 101 wagon 1 set Saginaw sleighs 1 Pony Deering binder 1 Deering mower, 1 disc harrow 1 land roller 1 Oliver 99 plow 1 three-section spike tooth drag 1 three-section spring tooth drag, R. L. 1 set of double work harness 1 set single harness Platform scales 1 dinner bell 2 ten-gal. milk cans 350 crates corn in crib Other articles too numerous to mention |
| CATTLE 1 Holstein cow, 8yrs old, due Oct. 18 1 Holstein cow, 5 yrs old, due Sept. 23 1 Holstein heifer, 2 yrs old, due Sept. 14 1 Holstein cow, 8 yrs old, due Sept. 15 | SHEEP 20 ewes due March 21 1 Oxford buck |

Terms of Sale

All sums of \$5.00 and under, cash; all sums over \$5.00, nine months' time on good bankable paper at 7 per cent interest. No goods removed until settled for.



JOE BASINGER

Proprietor

J. D. HELMAN, Auctioneer

If it's a Paramount Picture it's the best show in town

PARAMOUNT'S 10th ANNIVERSARY

will be celebrated every day of March in every town of the U. S. Every day brings renewed gratitude for motion pictures.

You know by instinct that you were not made for only the dull routine of workaday life. You deserve a life spiced by adventure and romance!

And Paramount knows it!

Paramount knew it in 1912 when it made the first feature picture—and Paramount has made the vast majority of the best feature pictures every year since!

The Name Paramount Stands for Whatever is Best in Motion Pictures

The history of Paramount is the history of motion pictures—all the way from the day when Adolph Zukor started the world by starring "the divine Sarah Bernhardt" in "Queen Elizabeth," and Jesse L. Lasky and Cecil B. De Mille made "The Sign of the Cross"—up to such successes of today as Cecil B. De Mille's "The Sign of the Cross," Gloria Swanson in "Her Husband's Trademark," and Wallace Reid in "The World's Champion."

That's why this tenth birthday is worth celebrating!

Enjoy Paramount's Birthday at Your Theatre

You are going to enjoy it if the Paramount Showmen in your town and every town have their way! There will be something happening all the time in the way of stimulating Paramount entertainment.

Here are a few of the wonderfully successful pictures of the last few years—all Paramounts!—just a handful chosen from hundreds.

- Sarah Bernhardt in "Queen Elizabeth"
- Mary Pickford in "Tess of the Storm Country"
- John Barrymore in "An Act of Manhood"
- Gertrude Farrar in "Carmen"
- "The Cheat"
- Marguerite Clark in "Miss George Washington"
- Masterlink's "The Blue Bird"
- Cecil B. De Mille's "Don't Change Your Husband"
- "The Affairs of Anatol," "Male and Female"
- George Loane Tucker's "The Muscle Man"
- "The Woman Thou Lovest Best"
- Wallace Reid in "The Valley of the Giants"
- Thos. Ince's "24 Hours Leave"
- Lionel Barrymore in "The Copperhead"
- George Fitzmaurice's "On With the Dance"
- Wm. D. Taylor's "Huckleberry Finn"
- John Barrymore in "Dr. Jekyll & Mr. Hyde"
- Wm. S. Hart in "The Toll Gate"
- Cosmo Pollak's "Humoresque"
- George Melford's "Behold My Wife"
- Thomas Meighan in "The City of Silent Men"
- John S. Robertson's "Sentimental Tommy"
- Cosmo Pollak's "The Inside of the Cup"
- Elmer Ferguson in "Footlights"
- George Melford's "The Shark"
- Cosmo Pollak's "Get-Red-Quick Wallingford"
- Betty Compson in "The Little Minister"
- Wm. De Mille's "Miss Lulu Bett"
- Gloria Swanson in "The Great Moment"

Paramount's anniversary gives you the chance to see a lot of great new Paramount Pictures and also a lot that you have missed. See the list on the right.

THESE THEATRES JOIN IN PARAMOUNT'S 10th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

Strand Theater Alma, Mich.

- Mar. 5-6—"SATURDAY NIGHT"—A Cecil B. DeMille production.
- Mar. 7-8—"PRINCESS OF NEW YORK"—A Famous Players production.
- Mar. 9-10—"WOMAN GOD CHANGED"—A Paramount-Cosmopolitan production with SEENA OWEN.
- Mar. 11—"TWO WEEKS WITH PAY"—With BEBE DANIELS.
- Mar. 12-13—"THE GREAT IMPERSONATION"—A George Melford production with JAMES KIRKWOOD.
- Mar. 14-15—"LIFE"—A Famous Players production of the great Drury Lane Melodrama.
- Mar. 16-17—"CONQUEST OF CANAAN"—Booth Tarkington's famous novel with THOMAS MEIGHAN.
- Mar. 18—"WEALTH"—With ETHEL CLAYTON and THEODORE ROBERTS.
- Mar. 19-20—"THE WHISTLE"—A WILLIAM S. HART Production.
- Mar. 23-24—"THE LOST ROMANCE"—A William DeMille production.
- Mar. 30-31—"ENCHANTMENT"—A Paramount-Cosmopolitan production the tale of a flapper's last flap.

LIBERTY THEATRE, St. Louis, Mich.

- Mar. 5-6—"THE EASY ROAD"—With THOMAS MEIGHAN.
- Mar. 7-8—"THE VILLAGE SLEUTH"—With CHARLES RAY.
- Mar. 9—"THE EDUCATION OF ELIZABETH"—With BILLIE BURKE.
- Mar. 10-11—"THE LOVE SPECIAL"—With WALLACE REID and THEODORE ROBERTS.
- Mar. 12-13—"THE KENTUCKIANS"—With MONTE BLUE.
- Mar. 14-15—"O'MALLEY OF THE MOUNTED"—With WILLIAM S. HART.
- Mar. 16—"CHICKENS"—Douglas McLean.
- Mar. 17-18—"THE LITTLE MINISTER"—With BETTY COMPSO—James M. Barrie's famous story.
- Mar. 22—"SINS OF ROZANNE"—With ETHEL CLAYTON.
- Mar. 24—"THE LAND OF HOPE"—With ALICE BRADY.
- Mar. 26-27—"CITY OF SILENT MEN"—With THOMAS MEIGHAN.
- Mar. 28-29—"THE AFFAIRS OF ANATOL"—A Cecil B. DeMille production with 12 famous stars.
- Mar. 31—"HOUSE THAT JAZZ BUILT"—With WANDA HAWLEY.

Paramount Pictures

