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## State Fair Cattle Barns Equipped for 1,000 Head

### New Addition Will Make Department a Leader Says G. W. Dickinson.

A new addition to the cattle barns, providing ample facilities for housing 1,000 head, promises to make this department one of the predominating ones at the Michigan State Fair, Detroit, September 1 to 10, says George W. Dickinson, secretary and manager.



Geo. W. Dickinson in charge of the department. He has been associated with the Michigan State Fair for a number of years and at one time was general superintendent of the exposition.

"Michigan fast is gaining a position of importance as a cattle raising state," declared Mr. Dickinson. "The beef breeds are being grown extensively, but dairy cattle hold a greater place."

"This year Michigan farmers who attend the fair will have the opportunity of witnessing some fine outside beef which, it has been promised, will exhibit here."

"We regard as an important step forward in the fostering of cattle in

this state the erection of an addition to the cattle barns facilitating the housing of 1,000 head of cattle. This, with the construction of our new coliseum, makes the cattle department a most important one."

Mr. Dickinson sees in community breeding a matter worthy of the attention of the farmer everywhere. He says community breeding makes it possible for a farmer and his neighbors to have the best stock obtainable. One farmer might not be able to afford a \$1,200 sire, but if six farmers in a neighborhood gave \$200 each, all would derive a \$1,200 benefit.

"Be careful in your cattle breeding. Be sure you know what you want before you breed your cattle. If you don't you may reduce the value of your cattle," warns Mr. Dickinson.

Mr. Dickinson says the state fair is encouraging the boys and girls clubs throughout the state to bring cattle to the exposition and many worthy awards have been promised.

J. A. Miller, of Swartz Creek, a member of the board of managers, will be in charge of the Swine department, with E. N. Ball, of Hamburg, superintendent, this year, Mr. Dickinson announced recently.

"The raising of hogs more and more is demanding the attention of the Michigan farmer," Mr. Dickinson claims. "The farmers' division of the Detroit Board of Commerce has taken up this question with great vigor."

"It is pleasing to see the farmers forsake the pens for the alfalfa and to allow the swine green pasture. There is a marked improvement in quality and this certainly will bring the farmer more money."

## The Grand Old Game of Barnyard Golf



An innovation at the Michigan State Fair, Detroit, September 1 to 10, will be the horse-shoe pitchers' championship tournament. Hundreds of entries already have been made, and valuable prizes will be given, according to announcement by G. W. Dickinson, secretary-manager of the fair.

### PRESBYTERIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL PICNIC

On Tuesday some seventy-five or eighty attendants of the Presbyterian Sunday school gathered at the church, were stowed away in many automobiles and about 10:30 were off for Lakeside Beach at Port Huron, which is a very popular resort for schools, societies, families, etc., to spend a day or two hours on the lake shore.

Tables and benches are provided and our young people and the older ones, too, enjoyed their picnic dinner.

Afterwards many went in bathing, some took in a ball game, others a movie, and the time passed pleasantly for all.

### SANILAC COUNTY PICNIC AUG. 3 AT LEXINGTON

The American Legion Posts of Sanilac county will hold their annual county picnic at Lexington Thursday, Aug. 3. The business places all over the county will be closed so that everyone can be the guests of the Legion boys on that day.

There will be real ball games, both League and Legion.

You don't need to be a relative of a Legion man to go—it is to be a "Sanilac County Day," when the whole county turns out for a "play day." Picnic baskets, well filled, are the only recommendations that are necessary.

### BOARD HAS GONE UP

Mr. Bentley, living near Yale on a farm says when he was a young man, teachers usually boarded among the farmers, sometimes farmers made bids for the teacher. At one time a good home bid 75c a week and got the teacher, and it was a good home, too. Mr. Bentley is nearly 90 yrs. of age and is in very good health. Miss Jessie McCall, who taught in our high school a short time ago is Mr. Bentley's grand daughter. Miss McCall got her degree at Ann Arbor after she left here and taught in Highland Park last year.—Richmond Review.

The Cole Ladies' Aid will give an ice cream social at the church on Tuesday evening, August 1st. The public invited.

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### MORTGAGE BURNED

On Monday evening about forty people gathered at the Methodist Episcopal church for the purpose of holding the Annual Business meeting. A fine pot-luck supper was served in the dining room and coffee was served by the ladies.

After supper the company assembled in the church parlor for the quarterly conference. Dr. MacClenen was present and presided at the meeting.

Reports were read by the pastor Sunday school superintendent, secretary of the ladies' aid, financial secretary, secretary of the board of trustees and other heads of departments, showing the church to be in fine condition and the property entirely free of debt and with all other interests well cared for. The budget committee recommended that the amount necessary for local purposes be the same as last year, viz: \$2,800.00. Benevolent collections are about \$159 in excess of last year.

The pastor was given a unanimous invitation to return for another year by a rising vote. The district superintendent, in a short address, made a few suggestions, some of which were adopted.

James H. Moore, secretary of the building committee and oldest member of the local church, in a few well chosen words ably demonstrated his ability as torch bearer and consigned the discharged mortgage to the flames.

### GRAPES AND POULTRY

Algonac, July 20—A new agricultural development in Clay township is forecast as the result of the transfer of considerable acreage near here to several Detroit purchasers who will engage in the cultivation of grapes and the raising of poultry.

The soil here is excellent for the growing of vines, an experimental vineyard of 150 vines planted six years ago by Mayor Karl A. Haulter having produced two and one half tons of marketable grapes in 1921. Impressed by the success of this experiment the new arrivals are with one exception planning to plant vines which are scheduled to bear in two years time. Niagara and Concord are to be planted at first. The one man who will not engage in the cultivation of grapes is establishing a large market poultry farm which will be stocked next week with 3,500 birds. No breeding operations will be conducted at the farm, the owner making a specialty of raising broilers for market from incubator chicks.

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### DETROIT JOURNAL IS SOLD TO NEWS

Purchase Price Said To Be Over Two Million

Detroit, July 21—Purchase of the Detroit Journal by the Detroit News was announced by both newspapers last week. The newspapers, both in the afternoon field were merged at once, and the Journal will cease publication on Saturday.

The Journal plant, located at Fort and Wayne streets, is to be disposed of. The total purchase price for the title and good will was in excess of \$2,000,000 it was announced.

The News is owned by the Scripps estate, while the Journal was the property of C. C. Vernam Paul Block and H. S. Talmadge, of New York and N. C. Wright, of Detroit.

### MOTOR BUSES HAVE RIGHT TO THE ROAD

Lansing, July 20—Right of motor buses to use state highways in competition with railroads and interurban lines was upheld in the state supreme court today.

The court refused an injunction against motor buses competing with the Grand Rapids, Grand Haven & Muskegon line.

### PERSONAL SHOWER

Leta Holden, Mrs. Walter Peacock and Mrs. Milton Edgheffer were hostesses on Friday evening last at eight o'clock to a party of ladies, in honor of Pauline Fead, bride-to-be. This was named a personal shower and Pauline was the recipient of many very pretty and useful articles.

### COTTAGE PARTY

The following young women from Yale and Port Huron are occupying the Keene cottage at Cedarwood this week:—Leta Holden, Mrs. Bernice Peacock, Lois Park, Marjorie Menzies, Mildred Patterson, Neva Ostrander, Pauline Fead, Mrs. Lila Peacock, Mary Sexton, Jeannette Curtis and Faye Wight. Bernice Farley will spend a portion of the time with her friends there and also Fredda Holden.

If you have any hogs, cattle, sheep or veal calves to sell, I ship every week. Notify Ed Sheehy, Yale. 17-4

## Neighborhood News From Nearby Towns

### ITEMS TAKEN FROM NEWSPAPERS OF NEIGHBORING TOWNS AND VILLAGES.

The Ugly high school goes on the University list this fall.

Several Ekikon farmers have paid fines for milk thinning.

St. Clair has thirteen quarantined homes. Whooping cough, pneumonia and diphtheria are the prevalent diseases.

The Water-Fanning Cold Storage plant at Richmond, is being put into shape for the Equator Oil Range company.

Geo. A. Denny, a Port Huron plumber, aged 43, ended his life during last Thursday night by inhaling illuminating gas. He leaves a widow.

High school tuition will be \$75 next year at Harbor Beach. Practically all the Thumb high schools have raised the price of tuition above the \$60 mark set by the state for district boards to pay.

Since the resignation of Prosecuting Attorney Perkins of Lapeer county, the circuit judge can find no one who wants to take the office, and the county now has two sheriffs, but no prosecuting attorney.

The vacant G. T. shops at north Port Huron will be occupied by the New Egyptian Portland Cement company. Work will begin at once, and by February next 1,500 barrels of cement will be produced per day.

A St. Clair man was arraigned in police court at Port Huron this week for unmercifully beating his seven-year-old son. Neighbors summoned the police after hearing the boy's screams. It is said the man is negligent of his family.

Howard Mills' barn in Sanilac county, is being painted by machinery after the Sears-Roebuck patent. The paint is applied by a hose and spray, the power being furnished by an engine. It looks like an easy way to paint a barn, just spraying it on, which seems to drive it in the wood and it is soon dry. A very large barn was painted in one day.

Claudia G. Murphy, St. Clair County health nurse, was relieved of her duties last week, by action taken by the health committee of the board of supervisors. The committee claims that she has spent too much of her time in one place, that of Marine City and has visited only a few other schools in the county. Miss Murphy claims that she has been treated unfairly.

In the last few weeks Mr. Henry Ford and son Edsel have made numerous trips to the Wills-Sainte Claire plant in Marysville. Mr. Ford was there again Tuesday of last week. Dame rumor has it all figured out that there will be a big change in Marysville before many moons. It is well known that Mr. Ford wants Mr. Wills' services again in his business organization and apparently this will be brought about.

Monday forenoon a young man visited the home of Mrs. Martin Ellinwood and represented that he was selling spectacles to pay his way through school. Before leaving he asked for a drink of water, and as a pitcher of water sat on the dining room table, Mrs. Ellinwood told him to help himself, which he did. Shortly after he left she discovered that her pocket-book, containing \$101 that she had left on the table was gone. The police officers were notified but to date no trace of the stranger has been found. He was of medium build and wore a light suit and straw hat.—Memphis Bee.

For Sale—House and lot on Main street, north of R. R. track. Will sell cheap if taken at once. John Sexton, Yale. 11-4

Wanted—To buy, a modern home in the city of Yale. Enquire of Mrs. Ed. Ellber, Main street, Yale.

Lost—Somewhere in Yale, child's locket and chain. Finder please leave at Expositor office.

### PUT OFF 'TIL NEXT APRIL

The proposed amendment to the state constitution that would require all children of school age to attend public schools, popularly known as the anti-parochial school amendment, will not go on the ballot in Michigan this year, it was announced by James Hamilton, of Detroit, one of the sponsors of the proposed amendment.

As the time limit for filing constitutional amendments has expired, Mr. Hamilton stated that petitions bearing between 110,000 to 112,000 signatures would not be filed at Lansing. He added, however, that a "campaign of education" will be conducted through the winter months and the amendment brought before the voters next April.

"It has been felt that a campaign of education through the four winter months will conduce largely to the success of the amendment next spring," Mr. Hamilton declared. He added that no effort to obtain additional signatures to the initiatory petitions had been made during the past two months.

While the petitions already circulated have considerably more than 105,800 signatures necessary to qualify the proposal for a place on the ballot, Mr. Hamilton said, a much larger number will be forwarded to provide against the possible rejection of any great percentage of them.

### Arrangements Under Way For Farm Bureau Picnic

At a meeting of the committee having charge of the arrangements for the big farmers' picnic to be held by the St. Clair County Farm Bureau on Tuesday, August 15, it was decided to have a ball game between the north and south sides of the county. The county to be divided by what is known as the Lapeer Avenue Road or the Town Line Road running west across the county. Only Farm Bureau members or their sons will be eligible to play on either of these teams. The committee urgently requests that all those interested in playing send their names and addresses to the Farm Bureau Office, Federal Building, Port Huron, on or before July 20. Following this captains will be chosen to lead the two teams. A prize will be given the winning team the day of the picnic.

Barnyard golf or horse-shoe pitching will also occupy an important place on the program of sports for the day. Local communities desiring to enter contestants in the county championship game to be held the day of the picnic, should hold their local elimination contests at some time previous to the picnic. Winners of the county contest will meet the winners of Lapeer county on Wednesday to compete for positions on the contest to be held in conjunction with the State Fair at Detroit.

The Michigan Business Farmer will give a set of nickel plated horseshoes to the winners of the county tournament.

Hear ye! Hear ye! All ye followers of barnyard golf! Hunt up a pair of Dobbins' cast-off shoes and practice for the county tournament.

Games and swimming in the "old swimmin' hole" will constitute the entertainment for the boys and girls.

Watch the columns of this paper for further announcements of the big farm bureau picnic to be held in the county park at Goodells, on Tuesday, Aug. 13, 1922.

### WELL DIGGING

I am now operating my well drilling outfit, and if you are planning on any work in this line it will pay you to see me. Prices right. 9- Gus Colberg

### Suspect Mad Kitten Gave Boy Hydrophobia Taint

St. Clair, July 25—Harold Harmer, 8, son of Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Harmer is held under observation at his home here while the office of the state chemist determines if a small kitten which scratched and bit him Saturday died of hydrophobia.

The boy was attempting to catch the kitten Saturday when it scratched his face and bit his finger. The kitten died suddenly Saturday night. The boy's finger, which had at first not exhibited alarming symptoms, swelled to abnormal size, and a physician was called. Disappearance of the swelling and symptoms of stomach trouble led to the belief that hydrophobia was the cause of the cat's death and may have been transmitted to the boy.

The head of the dead kitten was sent to the state department Monday and the physician in charge of the case is awaiting reply from the state toxicologists.

### County Treasurer Receives Auto Tax Money

The county's share of the automobile license tax for the second quarter of the year, \$15,090.92, has been received from the state treasurer by Alex Cowan, county treasurer.

This makes a total of \$55,922.24 received from this source this year by the county, Mr. Cowan said. At the end of the first quarter, ending Mar. 31, \$40,831.32 was turned over by the state.

The automobile license tax money all goes into the road fund and must be used for upkeep and repair of improved state and county roads.

### Trespass Notice

Notice is hereby given forbidding all persons trespassing on my farm. Anyone found on the premises will be prosecuted. Mrs. Frances Todd

### Pay Your City Taxes

The assessment roll for the City of Yale for 1922 is now in my hands and I am ready to receive taxes. John Bright City Treasurer.

For Sale—On account of ill health will sell at once my business—a Watkins territory of eight townships; also my home, a modern house of 8 rooms and bath, oak finish; full basement. Extra large barn; fine garden spot with fruit trees and berry bushes. Inquire of C. O. Boze, Phone 170-3. 16-

### A GLADSOME GATHERING

As guests of Mrs. Edward Andrae and Mrs. J. E. Staley, a number of ladies from Yale were invited to Cedarwood to spend all day Friday for the pleasure of Sue Evans.

The ladies of one auto arrayed themselves in old-fashioned, ludicrous attire, the driver in her husbands sport clothes, and they surely made the hit of the season as they drove through the country, surprising the natives into undue courtesy and gallantry by their grand appearance, and convulsing the residents of Cedarwood, their hostesses and other guests with gales of laughter and appreciation.

Of course they had their pictures taken. Ask to see one.

The day was one long pleasure. Two big, wonderful meals filled them to repletion, but halted not the overflowing spirits.

Bathing and other sports occupied the afternoon and finally all arrived home again, tired, but still happy.

### BACK UP YOUR BOOST

A city exchange remarks that some towns spend more time in sounding their slogans than they do in clearing their streets. It is quite true to the detriment of he towns. Glowing slogans cause the stranger to expect something out of the ordinary, as when he learns his mistake his interest ceases to exist. Fine words on the wings of the wind travel a long way but a clean street leaves a more lasting impression.

Mayor Jacobs suggests that Yale business men and householders start a clean-up movement and make their premises neat and attractive. Don't delay this work for the summer will soon be over. Get busy right away.

### Warning Notice!

Notice is hereby given to those who have made a practice of breaking into the school house, breaking windows and doing other depredations, that if not stopped at once the guilty ones will be brought into court and dealt with severely. A close watch will be kept on the building and anyone found on the premises who have no business there will be arrested. Board of Education

### Lawn Mowers Sharpened

I have a machine for sharpening lawn mowers. Satisfaction guaranteed. H. H. Holden, One door south of Yale Lumber & Coal Co. 17-3