



### 49 Boys Will Leave Saturday

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### New Hospital May Be Built In Near Future

#### Government Looks With Favor Upon The Project

There is a possibility that the long-anticipated city hospital may be constructed in the near future because of the war, rather than in spite of it. City Manager Clarence H. Elliott revealed this week that acting on instructions from the city commission he had inquired of the Federal Works Agency whether or not construction of the hospital would be feasible at this time.

The letter to the agency pointed to the proximity of important war manufacturing plants adjacent to the city and the lack of facilities in this area for adequately caring for injuries which might come from these plants.

The Federal Works agency referred the city manager to the Federal Security Agency. The city manager then wrote to this bureau requesting a survey of the city and its need for hospital facilities with a view to immediate action.

Whether or not the security agency has begun the survey has not been announced. Mr. Elliott said that he did not know whether the survey had been started.

If the security bureau recommends immediate construction of the hospital, the city will make

application for an allocation of funds for part, and possibly all, of the construction costs.

There are several methods by which the government finances such construction. The government may pay the total cost of constructing the building, with the city furnishing the site for it, after which the city would pay \$1 a year rental on the property. The government might allocate a portion of the cost of the hospital as an outright gift to the city, or it may loan the city a portion of the cost of construction.

Should the construction be approved as a war measure, it was anticipated by the city officials that while it would follow the

architectural design approved by the hospital commission, the exterior probably would be only partially completed until after the close of the war.

However, the construction would be such, that when materials become available that the exterior may be beautified.

It is anticipated that if the hospital is constructed it will be at the intersections of Joy road with Pine and Hamilton, a site which has received some criticism. This site was approved by the hospital commission. Objection to it lies in the fact that it is near the noise of factories and the railroad, but officials believe it is sufficiently removed so that the noise will be unnoticeable.

### TO THE VOTERS OF SALEM TOWNSHIP

During the past three years I have served you to the best of my ability as your township treasurer.

From your expressions I am confident that I have met your approval in the way I have conducted the affairs of this office.

The time has come when many of the taxpayers of Salem township feel that there should be a change in the office of supervisor. I have been urged to permit my name to be used as a sticker candidate.

If you elect me by your votes Monday, I am sure that you will be as well satisfied with my work as supervisor as you have with my work as township treasurer.

The time has come for a change in this office and your vote Monday will be appreciated, and I am sure Salem township will benefit as a result of a change. Thanks for your support.

A. B. VAN AKEN

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| Natural A and D 50 CC Natola \$2.39   | Qt. Community Mineral Oil | 89c    |
|   | \$1.35 Giljan             | \$1.15 |
|   | 75c Castoria              | 59c    |

Community Pharmacy Phone 390 Plymouth, Mich.

### Health Guild To Meet April 6

#### Ask Clubs To Send Representatives

A special meeting of the Health Guild will be held Tuesday evening, April 6, 1943 at 8 p.m. in the library of the Wayne high school. At this time representatives of the various men's and women's organizations in the county will meet with the guild president, Mrs. E. M. Moyer, and other health guild officers to select a county-wide committee on the establishment of a county health department.

This committee will later meet with a Detroit committee and will send a report to the county board of supervisors.

Letters to the men's and women's organizations throughout the county were sent out some time ago urging each club to have one meeting on the health situation in Wayne county and also to appoint a representative to attend a meeting to be held later. To date only a few replies have been received by Mrs. Moyer.

It is hoped that every organization in the county will send a representative to the April 6 meeting. If any organization has received no such communication from the health guild please contact either Miss Emma DuBord, telephone Wayne 2475 or Mrs. Allan Campbell, Plymouth 1483-M. The representation of each club is needed.

Wayne county is far behind other counties in health organization. The need for a county health unit is great. There are around 30 separate local health departments now functioning in the county which need to be coordinated into a county health office with a definite health program. Dr. E. V. Thiehoff of the Michigan Department of Health and director of local health departments and Dr. John Porterfield of the United States Public Health Service have spoken of the need for a health unit at recent meetings of the health guild. Dr. Porterfield is the venerable disease control officer for Wayne county and has been loaned to the state by the United States Public Health Service.

### Brings Vase Back From India

#### Byron Laskey Expects Army Discharge

Byron C. Laskey, son of Mr. and Mrs. William H. Laskey, of South Main street, who has been home on a 12-day furlough from the army, brought to The Plymouth Mail office a hand carved vase that he purchased on a recent trip to India where he had been sent by the United States army.

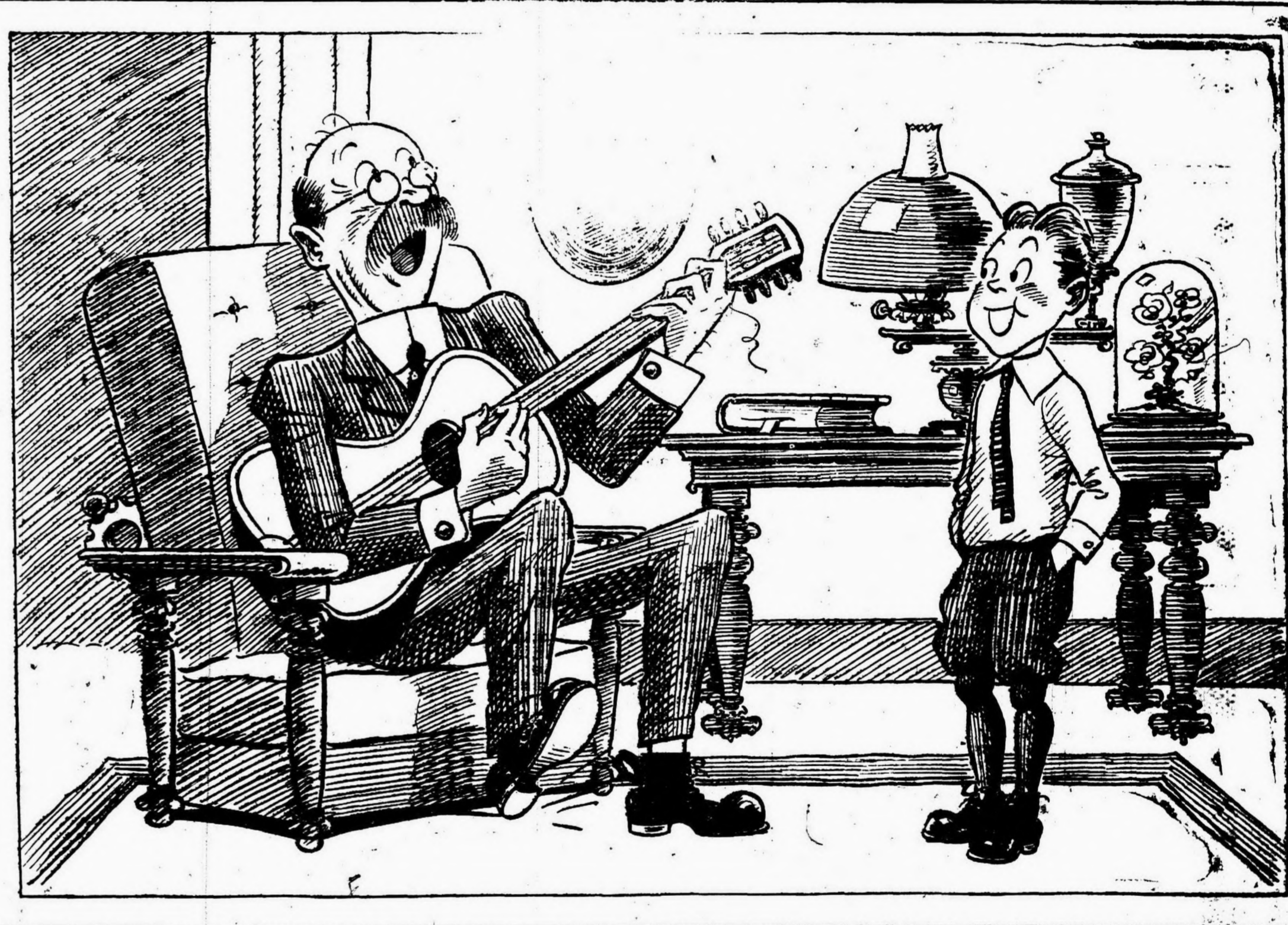
Byron, who is a private in the United States army, states that he has been on two long ocean trips in recent months and that he is serving as a gunner.

"We have been through two air attacks, and no one was hurt at any time. It's interesting while it lasts," said Byron last Saturday.

He was inducted into service last fall and because of his age is expecting to be discharged.

He served in the last world war, being stationed at Brest and other places near that city in France.

The vase that he brought back from India has been on display in the window of The Mail office for several days and has attracted considerable attention. It is carved out of bamboo.



...and you'll always have tobacco in your old tobacco box!

When I was a kid my father used to sing a song that ended up with this refrain:

"Oh, save up your money and put it in your box And you'll always have tobacco in your old tobacco box!"

Well, the words stuck with me, but I guess the moral didn't.

No matter how hard I tried... no matter how many good resolutions I made... I always ended up even. If I made more money, I spent more money. Finally, I resigned myself to it—told myself the idea that I was the kind of fellow who never could save up any money.

But it's all different now!

About 10 months ago, I started buying War Bonds on the Pay Roll Savings Plan. Figured it was the least I could do for Uncle Sam... to be kicking in my 10 percent every month to help pay for the ways and means of licking the Axis.

That's the only way I thought about it... until just recently!

Now, all of a sudden, I've discovered that—for the first time in the history of Yours Truly—I'm saving dough. Every month, rain-or-shine, hell-or-high-water, I'm sticking away a War Bond, a bond that'll bring me back \$4 for every \$3 I put in.

Those Bonds are beginning to mount up now. And I'm going to keep them mounting up. For I've discovered what a swell feeling it is to be saving money... saving it on a plan that's regular as clockwork and twice as sure.

About the time those Bonds start coming due, my kid'll be ready for college. So you can guess what I'm going to do with the money.

And maybe I'll sing my father's song to myself... only changing it a little:

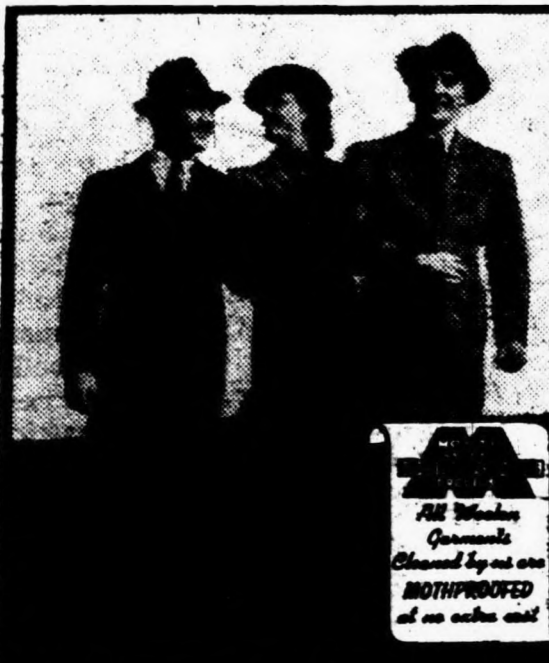
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**Tonight 8:00 O'CLOCK Friday, April 2**  
**Plymouth High School Auditorium**

**Plymouth and Livonia Boy Scout News of Timely Interest**

**Scout Members Write Their Own Reports on Activities**

The stories on this page are the work of Boy Scouts in the Plymouth and Livonia area, and of mothers in the Plymouth-Stark area.

Their efforts are designed to show why every boy should be a cub scout or a Boy Scout, but they are also designed to show men and women why they should interest themselves in the Boy Scout program.

The city scout and the country scout have equal advantages, although their efforts will be directed by their leaders to the

paths that offer the most advantages.

But which ever he may be, there is no doubt of the value of the program. But for the program to be a success, more men and women are needed. That is the reason for the program at the high school Friday night.

This is the first meeting of the men and women who are to become the scout leaders in Plymouth.

Success or failure of the scout movement depends on the men and women who lead it.

**SCOUTS SERVE AS MESSENGERS DURING FIRES**

Robert Chute rushed from the control room at the Plymouth city hall into the darkened interior of the fire station. He had a message for Fire Chief Fred Wagenschutz. The message gave but all of this action took place the position of a fire.

That does not seem unusual, during one of the early test black-outs last fall, and demonstrates how a Boy Scout may be useful in the war program.

But not all messenger work is as interesting as this particular one. Some boys go to their assigned stations and do nothing at all. But they are there, ready to do their duty whatever it may be. There may be a message which cannot be telephoned because of broken wires, but a life may hang on the safe delivery of that message.

Boy Scouts will do many things during the coming summer to aid the war program. There will be many collections of newspapers, scrap all of which will help in the path to victory.

But all work and no play is not the scout program. Scouts will play this summer, too. There will be camping in the vicinity of Plymouth and in the regular Boy Scout camps. There will be day and night hiking.

Perhaps more than ever before, this will be a busy summer for Plymouth scouts.

**LEARN BY DOING CHIEF SCOUT RULE**

To learn by doing is the fundamental rule of scouting as practiced by the Boy Scouts of America.

Scouting aims at the development of character by developing the initiative, resourcefulness and leadership of each boy. This is accomplished by the advancement program and by the opportunities for leadership in the scout's individual troop.

When a boy enters scouting, he must first learn the creeds of scouting and must learn to tie knots which are used in his scout work.

To advance to second class scout, he must pass certain tests and still more tests, steadily growing more difficult to advance to first class, star class and eagle scout.

Beyond the rank of first class scout, advancement is by special learning in a variety of subjects. Eagle rank is the highest rank and very difficult to obtain. The army gives special consideration to all boys who have advanced to eagle scout rank.

The scout also receives valuable citizenship training in his troop activities. As a member of a patrol, he learns close association with other boys. When he becomes a patrol leader, he learns to handle other boys.

Then as his abilities warrant, he may advance to senior patrol leader, assistant scoutmaster and scoutmaster.

Scouting above all, aims to build character by doing.



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**Don't Miss This Program**

**Hear:**

JOHN J. CATON, Chrysler Institute of Engineering, director, deliver a straight-from-the-shoulder message, about Youth, their place in Society and Business. He will bring the same message that was to have been brought by Fred M. Zeder, president of Detroit Area Council of Boy Scouts.

**See:**

BOY SCOUTS AND CUBS in action.

**Hear:**

DYNAMIC GEORGE MOZEALOUS, youthful Scouting expert, talk about "The Fun in Scouting."

**Hear:**

MRS. WHIPPLE, Plymouth's aggressive mayor; ELMER PERRIN, President of Northville; J. A. ZIEGLER, Supervisor of Livonia Township, and C. H. ELLIOTT, Plymouth City Manager.

Sing the Songs you love with CHAUNCEY RAUCH. See and Hear the "Scouting Trail to Citizenship," a fascinating motion picture.

**Follow:**

JOHN BLYTON, who will guide you through two hours of a brand new kind of meeting.

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**MOTHERS COMPLETE TRAINING COURSE**

Nine mothers in the Plymouth Stark area have completed the training course given for women who sponsor dens of boys starting in the Boy Scout program.

The training course was started in January for the eleven mothers who could be interested at that time in the Cub Scout movement.

These mothers represent the supervising of 75 registered cubs who meet weekly at the respective homes for instructive training. The following is a list of the aims of the course just completed:

An intelligent understanding of the responsibilities and relationships among Cubs, parents, Den Chiefs, Denners, Den Dads and Cubmaster, particularly as these relationships relate to Den operation.

Recreational Activities: To practice recreational activities that Den Mothers may present on rainy days.

Simple Cub Handicrafts: To make simple Cubbing Handicrafts.

The Den Mothers are performing a service not only to the community but for the boys under their supervision, for in the dens the boys learn the rudiments of the better life which eliminate juvenile delinquency.

A great many more mothers are needed in the cubbing program if it is to be a success, er ranks.

**BOYS MUST WORK TO WIN SCOUT PROMOTION**

A boy who has earned and worked for his tenderfoot Boy Scout badge is a full-fledged scout. A boy who has his tenderfoot badge should be counted as any other rank of scout. For in-

stance, if an "eagle" scout is sized up with a tenderfoot, the eagle is farther advanced but is no better than a tenderfoot scout.

A tenderfoot scout is never to be left out in any of his troop's affairs. He should be accounted for as much as a scoutmaster, or Eagle Scout or any rank of scout.

The tenderfoot is the first rank in scouting, as soon as you are a tenderfoot you have just as much fun as any one else.

The tenderfoot is the first rank with the older scouts. It is here that he learns much which will

end in his advancement to high-Tenderfoot scouts learn how to set up a tent, build a fire without paper. But most of all, it teaches a boy how to take and give orders.

**SCOUTS HELP TO COLLECT SCRAP**

Scrap collection has been the principal work of the Cub Scouts in Den 8 during the winter season just closed, it was revealed by Mrs. Myrtle Gage, the Den mother.

While Mrs. Gage reported only for the cubs in her den, all dens are operated on much the same basis in the cubbing program in Plymouth. It is really in the cub scouts that the real Boy Scout program begins.

The seven boys who belong to Den 8 meet at the den mother's home for an hour and a half on Tuesday evenings. Other dens in the city meet at different

times. After the opening ceremonies, the cubs study the cub laws and ideals. After the formal meeting, the cubs are then free to play games and work on their projects for cub achievement badges. The badges are awarded at Pack meetings held once each month.

Fathers, mothers, cub master, friends and cubs meet once each month for an evening together and to make the awards for cub achievement.

A "theme" is chosen for each month and each den is required to dramatize its conception of that theme.

For the month of April "United Nations" was the central theme. Each den chose one of the United Nations to dramatize at the pack meeting. To carry out this theme, the dens are making flags and maps which will be placed on exhibition at the pack meeting.

**THE BOY SCOUT LAWS**

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| 1. A Scout is Trustworthy | 7. A Scout is Obedient  |
| 2. A Scout is Loyal       | 8. A Scout is Cheerful  |
| 3. A Scout is Helpful     | 9. A Scout is Thrifty   |
| 4. A Scout is Friendly    | 10. A Scout is Brave    |
| 5. A Scout is Courteous   | 11. A Scout is Clean    |
| 6. A Scout is Kind        | 12. A Scout is Reverent |

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**WE URGE THE PEOPLE OF THIS CITY TO ATTEND THE RALLY FRIDAY and START A NEW ERA OF SCOUTING IN PLYMOUTH**

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## To Fingerprint All Children

### Precaution Necessary In Case of Raids

Remember how London was bombed? And remember how children were lost from their parents, with no means of identification? In those terrific raids by the Germans, for which they are receiving now their full measure of repayment, dead men and women and children were buried without identification.

Well, this may happen here—the bombing, that is. But the identification of every child will be made certain through a system of fingerprinting in the public schools.

For the seventh straight year, the police department will fingerprint every child who has not been fingerprinted previously, whenever the parents request such identification.

The police department will begin this fingerprinting next Tuesday. It is the seventh straight year that the department has undertaken this important work. No fingerprints will be taken except

at the request and consent of parents.

Each child will be provided with identification fingerprint cards to be carried on their person. Copies will be sent to the Federal Bureau of Investigation in Washington and to the state police at Lansing. No copies will be kept here.

Both the school system and the police department point out that the fingerprints are purely a means of identification, and have no connection with any criminal proceedings.

### Numerous Grass Fires Are Reported

The fire department answered four calls during last week-end, three of the calls were grass fires.

Two grass fire calls were received almost simultaneously Saturday afternoon. One was in the area between Penniman avenue and Ann Arbor Trail, and between Lincoln street and Harvey street. The second was along Dewey street.

Sunday afternoon, the department was called to 1027 Starkweather to extinguish a grass fire, and at 3 o'clock Burton Giles real estate office on Fralick avenue was damaged slightly when waste caught fire.

Musical Program For Woman's Club

A program of music will be given by the Glee Club of the Woman's Club of Plymouth this (Friday) afternoon in the Central school auditorium following the business meeting at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Maxwell Moon is program chairman and Mrs. Gerald Hondorp, director.

The committees of October 16 and December 18 will assist Mrs. William S. Bake and her committee during the tea to be served following the program.

Buy War Bonds

## Turkey Survey Shows Increase

### State to Raise More Than Year Ago

Michigan turkey producers had 55,000 hens on hand January 1, 1943, the same as a year ago. If present plans are carried out, there will be 519,000 turkeys raised in the state this year, an increase of 10 percent over the 1942 production. It had been hoped that the state would raise a million turkeys.

Turkey growers plan to raise about 57 million turkeys this year, according to February returns from over 5,000 farmers throughout the United States. This would be the largest crop of turkeys ever produced in this country—12 percent larger than the 1942 crop. Turkey producers in the West North Central States, who produced 33 percent of the turkeys raised in 1942, plan an increase of 11 percent this year. The largest percentage increase is 19 percent in the North Atlantic States, where only 7 percent of the 1942 crop was produced. A sharp increase in expected poult is shown this year in flocks with less than 100 turkeys last year. For these flocks there is reported only a moderate increase in poult to be home-hatched but a large increase in intended purchases of hatchery poult, especially in the North Atlantic, North Central and Western States.

Some difference between February indications and actual performance is to be expected, the difference depending on the supply and price of hatching eggs, poult prices, the availability and cost of high protein feeds and the willingness of growers to accept late hatched poult.

Although there are fewer breeder hens by 1 percent than last year, poult hatchings began earlier and in greater volume this year. Hatcheries report exceptionally large early orders for poult and many hatcheries have contracted their entire capacity for the season. Hatching eggs are in strong demand at prices higher than usual. In order to meet February 1 expectations growers will have to greatly increase the number of home hatched poult and buy more late hatched poult than last year.

About 30 percent of the nation's breeder hens are located in the west North Central States and 25 percent in the Western States. Texas with 609,000 has the largest number of breeder hens, followed by California with 492,000. However, because of a larger egg production per hen—33.4 eggs, California produced about 16 million eggs in 1942 compared with 13 million in Texas.

The average weight per bird sold alive in 1942 was 16.3 pounds—0.4 pounds heavier than in 1941 and 1.2 pounds heavier than in 1940. The average weight has increased gradually since 1930. The average turkey hen sold in the United States in 1942 weighed 13.0 pounds live and 11.6 pounds dressed and the average tom weighed 19.6 pounds live and 17.6 pounds dressed.

The loss of turkey poult in 1942 was the largest in 6 years. It was 23.8 percent of the number bought and home-hatched compared with 27.8 percent in 1941 and 26.6 percent, the 5-year (1937-41) average. Wet weather during May and June, reaching flood proportions in some areas, was very unfavorable for poult and caused heavy losses. In all parts of the country except the

South Central and Western, the loss of poult was larger than in 1941. The heaviest loss is usually in the South Central States where there is a larger production of small flocks than elsewhere in the United States. Breeding stock losses during 1942 averaged 11.1 percent compared with 10.1 percent in 1941 and 10.5 percent, the 5-year average. They were the heaviest in the last 5 years. Breeder losses were larger in 1942 than in 1941 in all parts of the country except the West North Central and Western States where they were equal to or lighter than in 1941.

## How to Conserve Your Clothing

### Demonstration Tuesday Evening

Mrs. Cecil Packard, chairman of the clothing and textile division of the Consumers' council has announced a special demonstration in the conversion and alteration of clothing to be held in the Central grade school auditorium on April 6 and 13, successive Tuesday evenings.

The clinic, at which women will be instructed in how to alter clothing to get the greatest amount of war time wear from it, will be conducted by Mrs. William Morgan, an expert seamstress.

Women are invited to bring with them the clothing they expect to remodel. Needles and thread will be supplied.

Plymouth Mail Want Ads Bring Results.

## Meat Supply Not Too Plentiful

### Some Stores Had None to Sell Monday

Good red meat was more difficult to obtain in Plymouth this week than it was before the advent of meat rationing last Monday.

Many stores were completely without supplies on Tuesday. At one store, the butchers' aprons were piled neatly on the empty show cases.

Some of the stores had small supplies, and some of the steaks offered for sale were beautiful to see, but expensive in ration point values to buy.

There appeared to be a rather plentiful supply of cold and packaged meat.

Lockers were reported to be full of meat purchased before rationing. Especially was this true of the farm families, who will

be permitted to butcher their own meat all of the time.

However, it was pointed out that the farmers who butcher will not be permitted to offer their produce for sale without a permit from the OPA.

One meat dealer went so far as to suggest that farmers who butcher their own meat should turn in their ration stamps when they are unused.

Butchers universally pointed out that one cause of the current shortage of meat is traceable to the OPA allowable slaughtering by the packers. These packers are placed on a quota for three months periods. They now have reached the end of the three months period and have used up all of the quota. Thus no additional meat can be slaughtered until the start of the new quota period, today.

It takes not less than four or five days before slaughtered beef is good for sale. Some packers like to hold it longer than that. Whenever the new quotas are slaughtered, there will be more meat, it was believed.

Supplies ordered through lend-lease or direct purchase, aggregating almost two and a half million tons, have been shipped from the United States to the Soviet Union, some of them traveling ocean distances of 10,000

to 13,000 miles, but because of submarine attacks not all cargoes have been delivered.

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ONE CENT will run your electric clock a whole week . . . or chill your electric refrigerator for more than 10 hours . . . or tune in your favorite radio program for the whole evening . . . or run your vacuum cleaner for nearly two hours . . . or brown the family toast for several breakfasts . . . or make 15 cups of coffee . . . or do half the weekly wash . . . or iron clothes for an hour . . . or wash the dishes for three days' meals.

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- Count Paul Teleki, Hungarian premier, dies, 1941.
  - Composer Rachmaninoff born, 1873.
  - Standard U.S. flag adopted by Congress, 1818.
  - First National Unitarian convention held, New York, 1855.
  - Salt Lake City Mormon temple dedicated, 1893.
  - Phineas T. Barnum, circus manager, dies, 1891.
  - Austria declares war on U. S., 1917.

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# Pancakes to Take Place of Meat

it will be before long. Eating house proprietors said quite frankly this week after brief operation under meat rationing that they did not know what the result would be.

"We are going along for a month and see what happens," said one operator.

That same operator said that he had been forced to cut the portions served to his customers in order to serve them all, but that everyone would get his share.

At the same time, he pointed out that beef is more difficult to obtain under rationing than it was before the advent of the new program.

Another operator, whose principal sales are hamburgers, said that he had a supply at the time, but that when the current supply and ration allowance are used, he did not know what he might have to do.

Still another said that an association of which he is a member is now recommending serving pancakes as an entree for a dinner.

**Restaurants Not to Let Customers Down**  
\*\*\* Brother, get ready to eat pancakes instead of steak in your favorite restaurant.

Actually, the food situation in Plymouth restaurants is not yet down to the pancake stage, but it is fully anticipated that

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## Child Care Reduces Absenteeism at Aircraft Plant



Mrs. Ethelmae Woodbury (left) is a carefree mother as she performs her drilling job at the Grumman aviation plant, Freeport, Long Island, because she knows her children are being cared for during working hours at the plant's child care center. This plan has cut absenteeism to the bone. Two views of kiddies who are under protection during their parents' eight hour absences at the plant are also shown.

## Local News

Graham Laible is home from Cranbrook school for the week. Mrs. Helen McClumpha, mother of Mrs. Willard Geer, continues very ill.

Ervin Wright who is employed at Greenfield Village, Dearborn, was a Plymouth visitor last Saturday.

Mrs. Harry Wiseman is still on the sick list. Her many friends and relatives wish for her speedy recovery.

Mrs. C. V. Chambers was a last week Thursday afternoon visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Strebbins on Eckles road.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Lorenz and son, Douglas, were in Detroit, Wednesday, to attend the funeral services of her sister, Mrs. Clarence Olson, of that city, who passed away Sunday morning, following a long illness. Burial took place in the Novi cemetery.

Robert Warner is very ill in the University hospital in Ann Arbor having been taken there last week.

grandparents, respectively, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Vosburgh and little daughter, Connie Kay, of Fenton, spent last week-end with their parents and grandparents respectively, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Chambers.



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# FISHER SHOE STORE

ner. Pancakes contain necessary proteins from wheat and at the same time save meat for other occasions.

At least one of the restaurant owners said that it is possible that he will use up his available ration points and then close his doors.

There seems to be no doubt that Plymouth eating house proprietors are in the same position as those in Detroit, who must feed greater populations with less food. But those here are going along with the program and try to do the impossible.

### Green Legume Hay

A ration for feeding pigs in winter should include 5 to 10 per cent of leafy, green legume hay.

### Oldest Bird Refuge British

Nearly 1,000 swans are in the oldest bird sanctuary in the world, at Abbotsbury, England.

### Live Longer

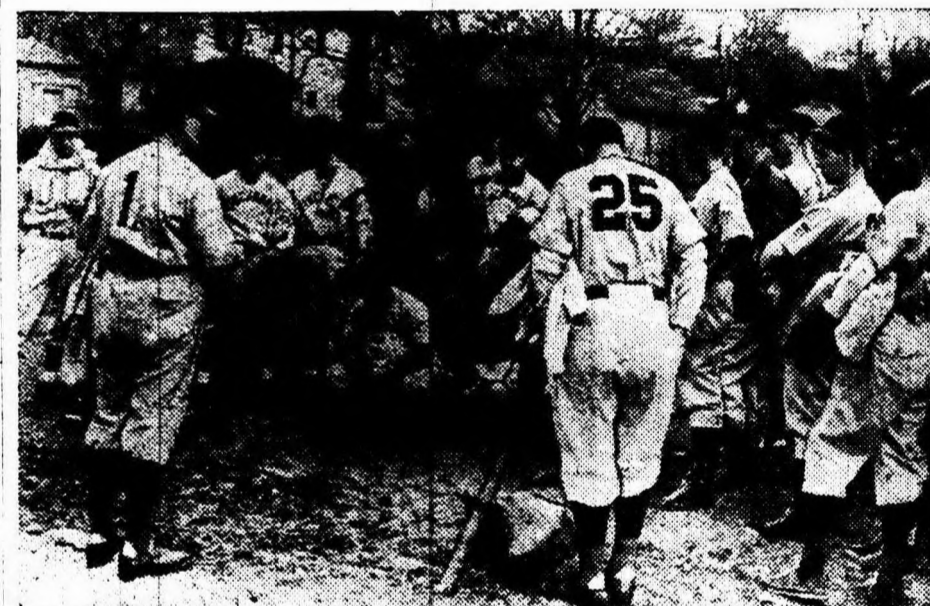
Women of England and Wales live longer than women of America, statistics show.

## Yanks Stop General Rommel's Drive



General Rommel's drive at Kasserine Pass in Tunisia was temporarily stopped when American forces staged a successful counter attack at that point. Armored forces smashed ahead through Italian and German positions, capturing many prisoners and crushing heavily armed enemy posts. Here the driver of a wrecked Italian car is being removed by American soldiers, after the attack.

## Cincinnati Reds Train in Indiana



Manager of the Cincinnati Reds, Bill "Deacon" McKeebie No. 1, tells the National leaguers what their "ground rules" will be during spring training at Indiana university, in Bloomington, Ind. The squad listens almost reverently. Lonnie Frey, second baseman, is on bended knee in center of circle.

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out war alcohol for the government for ammunition, tires, medical supplies and chemicals, they still are able to account for nearly a billion and a half dollars in taxes each year. That's on account of the fact the beverage distillers, though working 100% for the government, are still able to supply the public with beverages from the reserve stocks made during peacetime.  
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# Hotel Mayflower

Plymouth, Michigan

**Society Events**

Members of the Mayflower bridge club were luncheon bridge guests, Tuesday, of Mrs. Orson Atchinson in Northville.

Margery Merriam was home from the University of Michigan for the week-end and brought with her roommate, Frances Thompson of Highland Park, also Mary Lee MacNamee, of Muskegon and Clare Louise Beck, of New York City, sorority sisters.

Mr. Anthony Signorelli entertained the Liberty bridge club at dessert, Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. David Mather entertained her bridge club, Thursday afternoon, at dessert and bridge, in her home on Main street.

**Capt. Joe Foss and His 'Flying Circus'**



One of the hottest fighter squads in the South Pacific area is a marine outfit known as the "Flying Circus," led by Capt. Joe Foss of Sioux Falls, S. D., top American ace of the war. The squadron has bagged more than 60 Jap planes, and Foss himself has more than 28 confirmed victories. Foss, smoking his characteristic cigar, is shown in the center, while around him, reading from top left around the bottom to top right are, Oscar Bate, Greg Loesch, Tom Furlow, Roger Haberman, Frank Presley and Bill Freeman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Miller of South Lyon were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Smith.

Members of the Stitch and Chatter group were luncheon guests Friday of Mrs. Thomas W. Moss.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fisher spent Sunday with Mrs. Vina Wingard and son, Clifford, of Wayne.

The Thursday evening contract bridge club was entertaining this week by Mrs. Clifford Tait, in her home on Northville road.

Lawrence Dykhouse will celebrate his fourth birthday Saturday afternoon, by having a few little friends in for games and refreshments.

Mrs. James Ross will be hostess to her Book club on Tuesday evening, in her home on Pacific. Following the meeting a buffet lunch will be served.

**Raises Silk Worms**



James V. Leong of Los Angeles visualizes a billion dollar silk industry in America after a year of experiment, in which he raised a triple crop of silk worm eggs. Leong shows spools of fine threads ready for weaving. Motor-driven machine spins the fine silk from cocoon.

Mrs. Frank Small, Mrs. W. S. Martin, of Ludington, and the latter's sister, Mrs. Ragnar Blomberg, enjoyed dinner at the Stockholm in Detroit Thursday of last week.

Ann Donnelly will entertain members of her birthday club this (Friday) evening, in celebration of the birthday of Lorraine Corbett. Games will be enjoyed and dainty lunch served.

The Just Sew club will meet Wednesday, April 7, with Mrs. J. H. Willis, for luncheon and sewing in her home on Maple avenue.

Mrs. Forest Smith will be hostess to members of the Ambassador bridge club, Thursday, April 8, for dessert and bridge. Following bridge the club will play a game sent to them by Mrs. R. H. Rock of La Grange Park, Illinois, a former member, with prizes for same.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph J. Lorenz, son, Douglas, and Marian Guntzell are to be entertained at dinner Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Emil Regner, in Chelsea. On Monday Douglas will leave with the naval reserves for Great Lakes Training station in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Neale were hosts to their dinner bridge club Saturday evening, in their home on Auburn avenue. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Cowgill, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Moss, Mr. and Mrs. J. Merle Bennett and Dr. and Mrs. John L. Olaver.

Mr. and Mrs. Merle Rorabacher and daughter, Velda, accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Percy Holloway of Ypsilanti, to the Great Lakes Training station in Chicago, over the week-end to visit their son, Robert K. Holloway, stationed there. They had the pleasure of seeing and talking with boys from Plymouth who were quite happy to see some one from home. They also visited the Zion tabernacle in Chicago and enjoyed the lovely music by a choir of 150 voices.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Champion, Mr. and Mrs. A. Lincoln Lantz, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Valliquette, Mr. and Mrs. Austin G. Stecker, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Packard, Mr. and Mrs. John Bloxson, Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Marshall and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Glassford motored to Huntington Woods, Sunday afternoon, to attend a housewarming for Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bloomfield, former residents of Plymouth. The party was planned by Detroit friends. A buffet supper, bridge and dancing were enjoyed by the guests, numbering 40.

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Churchman and baby, Jimmie, of Detroit, were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Chambers.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Hesse are the proud parents of a baby boy, Ronald Frederick, born Monday March 29 at Plymouth hospital. Mrs. Hesse was formerly June Frederick.

Mrs. John Telander, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. T. Leonard Sanders, left Thursday for St. Petersburg, Florida where she will spend two or three weeks with her husband, who is in basic training in the United States Air Corps of that place. Mrs. Telander is making her home for the present with her parents in Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. John C. Zittel, 39760 Plymouth road, are the parents of a bouncing boy, born at Plymouth hospital March 25. The babe has been named John Carl Jr. The mother and babe are getting along so nicely that they will be able to be removed to their home Saturday.

Members of Michigan public schools built 17,595 solid model airplanes for the study of recognition by the Navy last year. A nationwide quota of 300,000 planes has been set for 1943 in the model aircraft project sponsored by the United States Office of Education and the Navy department.

**Plymouth's Rationing Table**

**Gasoline**  
"A" book coupons No. 5 good for four gallons each from March 22 to May 21 outside the Eastern gasoline shortage area.

**Sugar**  
Coupon No. 12 good for 5 lbs. Must last through May 31.

**Coffee**  
Stamp No. 26 (1 lb.) expires April 25.

**Tires**  
Class A. First inspection deadline March 31.

**Fuel Oil**  
Period 4 coupons expire April 6 in Zones C and D, April 12 in Zone B, April 17 in Zone A. Period 5 coupons now valid in all zones.

**Shoes**  
No. 17 stamp in War Ration Book One good for one pair until June 15.

**Food**  
Red "A" stamps, valid March 29, good for 16 points worth of meat, cheese, and butter. Blue stamps D, E, and F good from March 25 through April 30.  
No Restrictions on Food in Lockers

Food in frozen food lockers may be used by farmers and other consumers without rationing restrictions. OPA has stated. The total amount of perishable food stored in lockers in private homes, on farms, and in commercial plants is considered too small to justify the inconvenience it would cause all consumers either to have this food declared, or to place any legal restrictions on its use.

The Navy department is asking for Bausch & Lomb and Zeiss binoculars, sizes 6x30 and 7x50. Civilian owners can turn them in or mail them to Navy Public Relations, 130 West Larned street, Detroit.

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Here's News — If You Get Smelt

New Ways to Cook Little Wigglers

Plymouth "smelters" who year after year have driven to northern Michigan to dip their usual portions of these small, but delicious fish, are right now wondering if they will be able to even do a little "practice" dipping in Tonquish creek, so short is the supply of gas for their gas-bugs.

At any rate maybe they will be able to buy a few smelt later on at the stores—and if they can spare enough of their ration cards, here's how to cook them in ways they have never before heard about.

Besides pan-frying of smelt, the federal Fish and Wildlife service recommends broiling and baking of the little fish that are soon to be on the market in quantity, as follows:

BROILING: Clean smelt (3 to

5 per person) and wipe dry. Salt thoroughly on both sides and let stand 5 minutes. Place in hot, well-greased broiler and cook under flame at moderate heat (375 degrees F.) 10 to 15 minutes. Skin surface should be covered with brown bubbles when done. Turn and cook other side. Slip broiled fish carefully onto hot platter, pour on drippings, garnish with eress or parsley and sliced lemon and serve at once.

BAKING: Wipe fish dry (2 lb.) salt both sides, let stand 5 minutes. To 2 tablespoons melted fat add 2 tablespoons lemon juice, 1 teaspoon minced onion and 1 tablespoon salt. Dip each fish in this mixture and place in greased shallow baking dish, pour surplus fat over the fish. Bake in moderately hot oven (350 to 375 degrees F.) about 15 minutes. If not sufficiently browned, put under flame of broiling oven. Sprinkle with parsley and serve from baking dish.

Adversity has ever been considered the state in which man most easily becomes acquainted with himself, then, especially, being free from flatterers.—Samuel Johnson.

Another School Night Planned

April 15 Fixed as Date For Event

A second "school night" within slightly more than a month will be presented at the high school auditorium on the evening of April 15, it has been announced by Clarence Luchtman, supervisor of music.

Whereas the first "school night" was a patriotic demonstration the second will in reality be an ode to spring by the combined music and drama departments.

The program has not been completed but Luchtman said it would be divided into three parts. The first will be secular music of spring by the high school orchestra, and mixed choruses. This will be followed by a play presented by Mrs. Bixler's drama class, and to close there will be sacred music in the spirit of Easter.

★ Buy War Bonds ★

Phone Co. to Aid Army Camp Service



HAROLD K. NULF

The Michigan Bell Telephone company today, announced the creation of the new post of "camp relations manager" to help meet the telephone service requirements of the military and production personnel at the various army establishments and housing projects in this and adjacent communities.

Harold K. Nulf, who has been special equipment engineer in the company's headquarters office at Detroit, is assigned to the new post. Nulf has been with the company 19 years, all of that time on the general commercial engineer's staff in Detroit.

Raymond J. Bonini, Ann Arbor district commercial superintendent for the company, in announcing the appointment, said that telephone needs at military and housing establishments throughout the district have increased to such an extent that special supervision of the problem is required. Such establishments include the Willow Run Airport, Technical Training School and hospital; Wayne County Airport at Wayne; the new Military Police post at Chelsea; Army training school at the University of Michigan; and housing projects at Willow Run, Wayne and Monroe.

Use Weeds For Food This Spring

An untold wealth of weeds stands ready this spring to take some of the edge from food rationing for persons who are willing to tramp the woods and idle fields and gather the crisp tops before the weeds grow rank. Plymouth residents are advised.

At least nine such weeds get a recommendation from Dr. H. T. Darlington, botany professor at Michigan State college. There's as much or more pleasure in the gathering as there is in the eating, he says.

Leading the list is the well-known dandelion, gathered like the rest when young and tender, but usually available right in the front lawn. For a crisp salad, the dandelion can be blanched by loosely covering with several layers of paper weighted at the edges.

Common in Michigan is the curly dock or yellow lock. This should be gathered young and tender, before it gets a foot high, and cooked as a pot herb. As for dandelions, for those who fail to appreciate the bitter taste, the cooking water should be changed several times during the brief cooking period.

A cousin of spinach is in the group. This is lamb's quarters, usually found in cultivated fields. Cutting for the table should be when plants are six to 10 inches high, cooked as spinach for about 20 minutes. The marsh marigold or American cowslip is another edible plant from which leaves and stems are boiled and served as spinach is served.

The true water cress is familiar to many. In Michigan it is common in hilly areas, found as a brookside growth floating in the clear, cold water. Leaves and tender shoots are used for salad.

Wild chicory can be treated like the dandelion. Boiling helps to rid the dish of the natural bitter taste. Poke or skoke is not as common as the others but is well known in eastern states. Common chickweed, another lawn pest, resembles spinach in treatment and taste.

Purslane is in this edible weed group but is more of a farm weather crop and will not be common until Victory gardens likely are offering a more natural wealth of table greens, vitamins and minerals.

Truck Loads of Books For Army

Plymouth Donates Large Number

★★★ Mrs. Ada Murray, Plymouth librarian said Wednesday that the Plymouth branch of the Wayne County library already has collected three or four truck loads of books to be sent to the soldiers and sailors in the armed services.

"Plymouth has been more than generous in their gifts of books for the soldiers," said Mrs. Murray, "and I'm sure none appreciates it more than the men in the armed services."

The library is continuing to solicit books for the men in the service and expects to continue the drive throughout this year.

Warning to Dogs! Better Look Out

Listen, Fido, here is just a bit of advice.

This reporter was walking around the city hall, just walking around to see if there was any tidbit of loose gossip which he might pass on to the general public. And in the course of his walkings, this reporter walked right into the office of Chief of Police Charles Thumme, and Chief of Police Charles Thumme gave this reporter a little bit of information in which you and all your brothers and sisters undoubtedly will be interested.

Now Fido, the sum and substance of all of Chief of Police Thumme's remarks were centered about the fact that you, Fido, are a right nice sort of a dog, and Chief of Police Charles Thumme likes you and all that.

But at the same time, the chief and the other members of the police department have a job to do. You know, Fido, that the police are sworn to uphold the law, and it seems that there is a law in the city of Plymouth which says that you, Fido, and all your little brothers and sisters must have a license to walk on the streets of the city of Plymouth, or run on them for that matter.

And there is another law, Fido, which says that even with a license that you can't walk or run on the streets—or even the alleys—of the city of Plymouth unless you have been vaccinated.

Fido. Reports have been coming in that some of your brothers and sisters have been doing a sight of damage to shrubbery which belongs to people other than your master. The police department just can't stand for that sort of

business. If you want to run or walk on the streets, you've just got to stay on the streets and not go wandering into other people's yards and doing damage.

And still another thing, Fido. You know what the food situation is in the whole country because there is a war going on, and much of the food which should be available to us is being sent to the soldiers at home and abroad, just as you would want it to be. But if we are to eat regular this summer and winter, we're going to have to have gardens.

That means that there are just that many more places where you can get in and do damage unless you watch your step.

The police department knows how hard it is for a sprightly little dog like you to stay away from such things, for you are just like little boys and girls who like to get into things which are none of their business.

But the fact still remains that you want to be patriotic and so this is just to let you know that you'll just have to stay out of shrubbery and gardens, even if you have a license.

But more important, this reporter just want to tell you, Fido, that it is absolutely necessary for you to be vaccinated and have a license, so you'd better tell your master right away.

This reporter feels certain that your master wouldn't want you to go to the happy boneyard where 25 of your brothers and sisters went last month. They were all nice guys too, but it seems that the city commission didn't make an appropriation to feed all those little brothers and sisters of yours, and there just wasn't anything else to do, but send them to the boneyard.

This reporter knows you'll take this advice in the way it is meant, especially by the police department, which really loves you, but they also have jobs to hold.

With pork at a premium, a 12-pound pork loin, apparently dropped from a delivery truck, was taken into custody at the Tulsa, Oklahoma jail recently, and prisoners were promised a pork chop feast if the meat were not claimed promptly.

Locust, Malaria Scourge

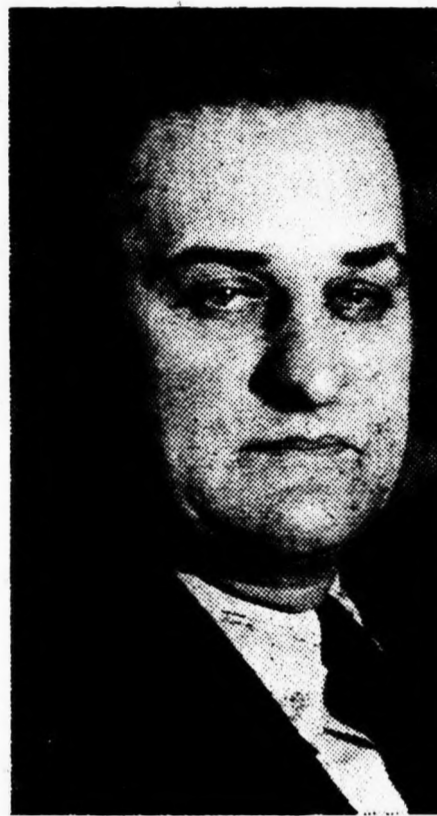
Of Spanish Morocco's 800,000 inhabitants, mostly Moslems, the highlanders raise sheep and goats; the lowlanders grow grains, beans, olives and fruits. Sizable export items included almonds, oranges, potatoes, canary seed, ochives, wool, sheepskins, millet, fish and eggs. Malaria and locusts are scourges fought in large-scale campaigns by the government.

Calvary Baptist to Open New Church

Members of the Calvary Baptist church will hold their first meeting in their new church building at the corner of East Ann Arbor Trail and Elizabeth street Sunday.

Rev. Lynn B. Stout, the pastor, states that special services have been arranged for the day and that friends of the church are invited to the services. The church building while not completed, has been sufficiently finished to permit its use.

The slogan of the Ordnance Division of the Army is: "The difficult things we do immediately. The impossible takes a little longer."



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Mr. Corbett is a diligent, hard worker. He has been a successful business man and he has always possessed a keen interest in the growth and development of Plymouth.

Because of the nature of his work and his knowledge of city affairs, we believe it will be to the advantage of our city to elect him as a member of the city commission.

During the time he served as a director and president of the Plymouth Chamber of Commerce, he advanced many ideas that proved of benefit to our city.

One of them was the parking space back of the stores on Main street. It was the Chamber of Commerce that first secured signatures to many of the property owners who expressed a willingness to donate their property to the city for this splendid parking area.

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Seniors to Take Naval Exams

Tests Will Be Given Friday Morn

All of the senior boys in Plymouth high school will take qualifying examinations to be given this Friday morning from 9 until 11 a.m. for the new navy college training program.

Here and There

Audrey Neale, Kenny Hart, Beverly Files, Ed Moffit, Jean Mineheart, and Ed Taylor roasted hamburgs and hotdogs in the park last Wednesday evening.

Grades Compete in Bond Drive

A new bond and stamp drive lasting from April 1 to April 30 has started in Plymouth made up of several groups with the aim of buying equipment for the armed forces.

L. Powell to Represent Class

Louise Powell was elected in a meeting of thirty senior honor students, as the honor student to represent the class of '43 at commencement by giving an original speech.

Plymouth Pilgrim Prints



Student Publication Friday, April 2, 1943 With Faculty Supervision

Junior Red Cross Exceeds Goal

The Junior Red Cross in a funds drive Wednesday and Thursday collected \$128.19 from the students of P.H.S. In addition to this, twenty dollars, the profits from a recent Student Council dance, were donated to the club.

Class News

The chemistry classes are studying ionization, electrolysis, and electroplating. Mr. Evans said that the classes could touch only briefly on the subject of electroplating, since there are numerous college courses devoted to that study alone.

Visits Applicants For New Post

City Manager Clarence Elliott left Monday for Lakewood and Steubenville, O., to interview candidates for the new post as city recreation director.

Girls in Shop

Shirley Freeland, Ramona Wilson, and Dorothy H. Smith are the three girls who introduced the feminine hand in the machine shop of Plymouth high school.

Senior Sketches

To be an army or navy nurse is the ambition of Beatrice Robertson, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Robertson, who lives at 15830 Northville road, Plymouth.

Absentees Hamper Baseball Squad

Now having practice every week day right from 3:30 till 5:30 except on Mondays, the baseball squad, under the coaching of Mr. Tomshack, has been troubled by absenteeism of the players who sometimes work after school.

Dear Readers

Because of circumstances beyond our control, we formally announce a change in management. Certain people have been snooping and found out too much for OUR own good!

Easter Concert April 15

An Easter concert will be held in the Plymouth high school auditorium on April 15. It is the policy at these concerts to have representative units of various departments.

Seniors Give Defense Stamp Dance

One fifty-cent defense stamp is the admission fee to the senior class Defense Stamp Dance April 9. The seniors are sponsoring this dance in conjunction with the Bond drive the city is putting on during April.

School Calendar

- April 2—Examination of high school applicants for officers training course. April 9—Senior dance. April 14—Track; Belleville, here. April 15—School music night. April 16—Track; Dearborn, here. April 16-17—Schoolmasters' club, Ann Arbor. No school on April 16 for high school. April 20—Baseball; Belleville, here. April 23—Spring vacation begins. April 22—Baseball; Dearborn, here. April 27—School resumes.

Odds and Ends Dorothy Richwine Wins in Spelling

With so many boy students preparing to go out for baseball, throwing wastepaper at the wastebaskets to sharpen their aim, Mr. Blunk has asked that all the aspiring pitchers get within a reasonable distance of the basket. Apparently the boys are a wee bit crooked.

Knit One Purl Two

Knit one, purl two, knit one, purl two, knit one. Yes sir, that's how Jack Anderson, George Newton, and Chuck Strachan will soon be making sweaters for the WAVES and WAACS.

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Clear the lines for WAR! MAYBE you have waited on a siding while a troop train, or a fast freight loaded with munitions, roared past on the main track. And you said, "Sure—that's as it should be. We've got a war to win!"

News of Our Boys
In Uncle Sam's Fighting Forces
Defending Our Homeland and
Our Liberties.

Richard Innis is transferred to new air base in Georgia. Richard Innis, who recently completed a course at the Allison Engine school at Indianapolis, Indiana, has been transferred to the air base at Tifton, Georgia.

Plymouth lad enjoys Army school life down in South Carolina. Joseph Scarpulla, of Plymouth, is learning a little about Dixie-land hospitality and a lot about Uncle Sam's pre-flight program as aircrew students assigned to Clemson college, the Agricultural and Mechanical college of South Carolina, located at Clemson, South Carolina.

Private Scarpulla is one of a contingent of 250 Air Corps prospects sent here three weeks ago after a brief preliminary training period at Miami, Beach, Florida. Moving into an all-ROTC college of two thousand infantry and signal corps cadets, the aircrew students were quartered in Barracks No. 8, the latest built at Clemson.

Additional to attending classes in English, history (physics, and geography under the instruction of regular Clemson college faculty members, the aircrew students are undergoing a stiff routine of physical training supervised by Clemson's head coach Frank Howard, a regular guard on the University of Alabama's 1931 Rose Bowl team.

Designed to build bodies into near perfect physical condition, the physical training program includes rapid-fire calisthenics; frequent running of the Clemson obstacle course, passed by a joint Army-Navy-Marine corps board as "the best in South Carolina"; cross-country runs; walking up and down alternate 52-row aisles of Clemson's recently completed

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EUGENE SHIPLEY
TRAINING TO BECOME A
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In a card to The Mail, Eugene Shipley, who is now located at Camp Roberts in California, advises that he is being instructed in how to operate a machine gun.

KENNETH FELT IS
STUDYING CHEMICAL
WARFARE
Kenneth Felt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Felt, who left for service in our armed forces last February 4, is stationed at Camp Siler, Alabama, studying chemical warfare.

TWO PLYMOUTH BOYS
TOGETHER AT FORT
EUSTIS, VIRGINIA
From Private Ray Creith, comes a letter from Fort Eustis, Virginia which tells of the fine weather they have been enjoying in that part of the country for the last few weeks, as well as his good times with another Plymouth lad stationed at the same anti-aircraft training camp.

JOSEPH GATES IS NOW
A MACHINE GUNNER IN
THE PARATROOPS
Joseph Gates, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gates of 174 Hardenburg street, is now a full-fledged machine gunner with the paratroops of the army. He is stationed at Camp MacKall, Hoffman, North Carolina.

TOM BROCK WINS
PROMOTION IN ARMY
Tom Brock, who was a member of the high school debating team a number of years ago, has just won a promotion as second lieutenant at the Infantry School at Fort Benning, Georgia.

PRIVATE JOHN THORPE
GIVEN TRANSFER
TO BASE UP IN MAINE
According to letters received by the mother of Private John Thorpe, the youthful soldier has recently been transferred from Florida to the Guard Squadron up in Presque Isle, Maine.

BOYS FROM THIS
CITY ARE SPREAD OVER
FACE OF THE EARTH
From Bayliss Erdelyi, a Plymouth lad now stationed at the Naval Flight Preparatory school, at the University of Washington in Seattle, comes a letter in which he expresses amazement to read how wide-spread over the face of the earth are now located his many Plymouth friends.

GERALD SHOEMAKER IS
GRADUATE OF NAVAL
HOSPITAL CORPS
Gerald L. Shoemaker, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Shoemaker, 1325 Sheridan avenue, Plymouth, was graduated from the Hospital Corps school at the U. S. Naval hospital at Great Lakes last week.

DR. HAROLD SPARLING
IS NOW SOMEWHERE
IN THE MIDDLE EAST
Dr. Harold Sparling of Northville, brother of Mrs. Jewell Bell of this city, who enlisted for medical services in the army over a year ago, is now located somewhere in the Middle East, according to a letter just received by his sister, Mrs. Bell.

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The Probate Court for the County of Wayne
No. 290,175

Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said ward are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the third day of June, A.D. 1943, and that such claims will be heard by said court before Judge THOMAS C. MURPHY, in Court Room No. 305, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the third day of June, A.D. 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Wayne
No. 300,710
In the Matter of the Estate of ELMER BURCH, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the third day of June, A.D. 1943, and that such claims will be heard by said court before Judge THOMAS C. MURPHY, in Court Room No. 305, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the third day of June, A.D. 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

J. Rusling Cutler, Attorney
Plymouth, Michigan
STATE OF MICHIGAN
The Probate Court for the County of Wayne
No. 307,348
In the Matter of the Estate of ERNEST T. DURBIN, Deceased.
Notice is hereby given that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims, in writing and under oath, to said Court at the Probate Office in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the third day of June, A.D. 1943, and that such claims will be heard by said court before Judge JOSEPH A. MURPHY, in Court Room No. 319, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the third day of June, A.D. 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon.

and to serve a copy thereof upon J. Rusling Cutler, administrator of said estate, at 416 Evergreen street, Plymouth, Michigan, on or before the 7th day of June, A. D. 1943, and that such claim will be heard by said court before Judge Joseph A. Murphy, in Court Room No. 319, Wayne County Building in the City of Detroit, in said County, on the 7th day of June, A.D. 1943, at two o'clock in the afternoon.
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## GROW A GARDEN, OR STARVE

After having spent a few hours Sunday night in reading the news of what is going on down in Washington, we have come to the definite conclusion that everybody had better grow a garden this summer, then preserve and can everything produced, or go hungry next winter. In a land where the bureaucrats for nearly ten years have been paying farmers not to grow food crops, paying stock raisers to kill their livestock and burn the carcasses in great "sacrificial" contributions to the New Deal theory of scarcity, we had better prepare to pay the penalty with actual hunger in the not too distant future. Yes, even after war had been forced upon us, they PAID farmers not to grow food crops! And now the dusts of the crazy, political whirlwind can be seen in the distance. Soon the whirlwind will turn into a tornado, and unless we grow every bit of food we expect to eat next winter, there will be millions of people in this land of milk and honey actually going hungry.

## NO COMMENT

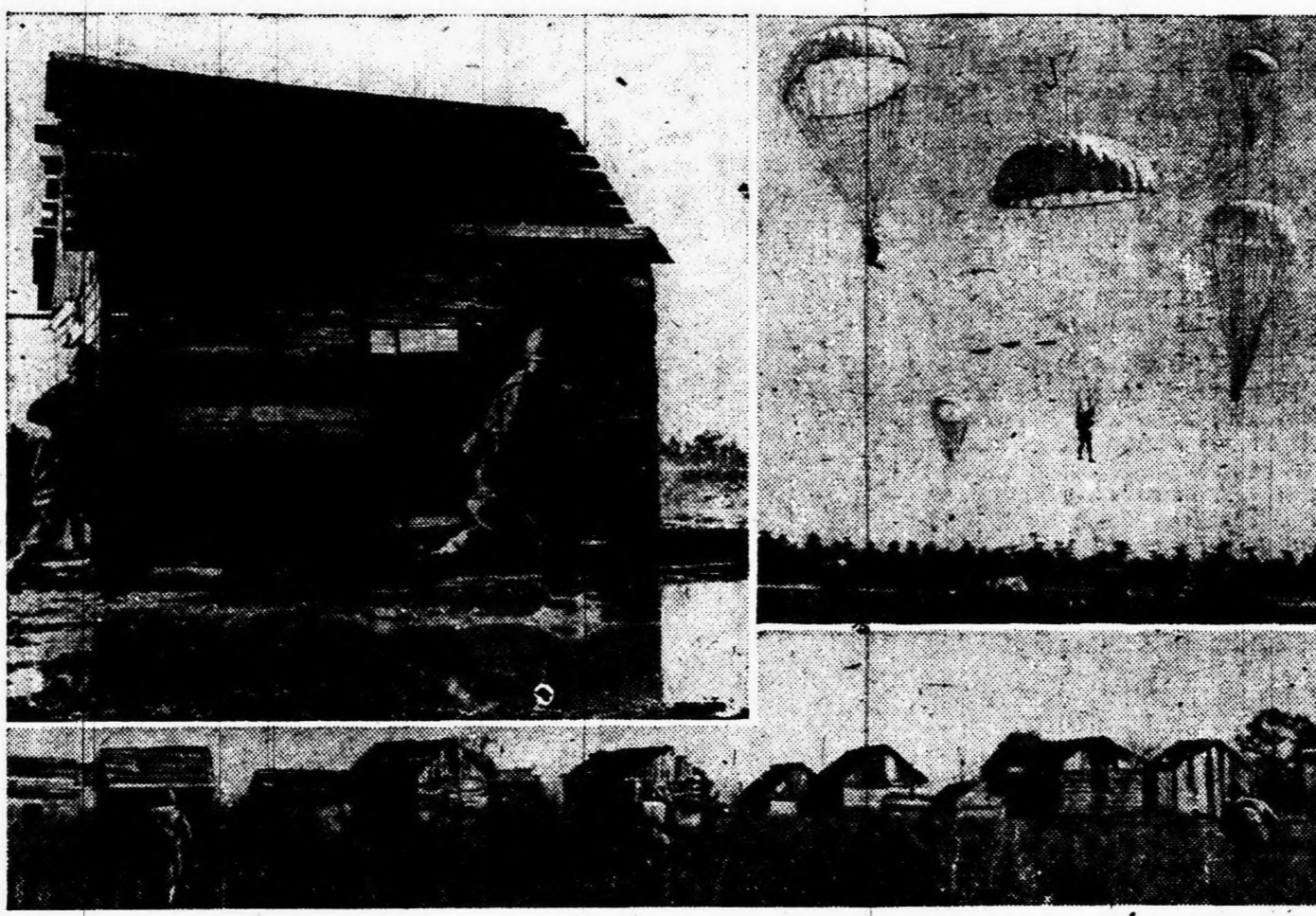
The less said about Governor Kelly's first session of the legislature, the better. One word describes it all. That word is PATHETIC. Not only was it pathetic for the lack of executive accomplishment, but the Governor saw fit to permit the enactment of a highly controversial road maintenance bill, without giving any indication of his opposition to it, then after the members of the legislature had gone home to face the music, announced that he was going to veto it because of newspaper opposition. By his veto, he saw a chance to save his own hide, but left the legislature holding the bag. Seemingly the one decent thing for him to have done would have been to advise the legislature when the bill was first under consideration, that he was opposed to it and would veto it, if it was passed. That would have been the fair thing. Now his own Republican legislature must bear the entire burden of vicious criticism.

## THE BOMBER PLANT

Washington bureaucrats seem to be having a lot of trouble in finding out what is the difficulty with production over at the Ford Bomber plant. Now it is proposed that the President send some senate office holder to Michigan to try and ferret out something or other about the slow production. Any dumb-cluck could easily find out what the trouble is over at the bomber plant if he really wanted to do so. Even though he found out, he wouldn't dare tell, because it might mean the loss of a few votes. The bomber plant is a perfect example of what it means to permit a lot of bureaucrats, labor racketeers and stupid politicians to try and run an industry. If the administration in Washington really wanted to get bombers rolling out of the Ford plant, all it would have to do, would be to restore to Henry Ford his American right to run his own business as he did in the days he was making world history, and the army and navy would have so many bombers that they couldn't use them all. But of course this will not be done. The politicians in Washington are too anxious to keep the dues rolling in so they can grab off their share of the shake-down cash to be used in an effort to control the next national election.

Men with the required practical experience do not need a college degree to qualify for commissions in the Navy's Construction Battalions. Construction foremen and superintendents should inquire at the Office of Naval Officer Procurement, Ninth Floor, Book Tower building, Detroit.

## U. S. Paratroops Simulate Attack on Village



Here come the paratroopers! Picture at right (top) gives a worm's eye view of U. S. army paratroopers floating down from carrying planes during maneuvers in Alabama. They're landing in the most advantageous spot from which they may start an attack on a village. Below: Now, with a blast of machine gun and rifle fire, the troops advance toward the "village", they're to occupy. They watch for snipers' fire and booby traps. Having reached the outskirts of the village (upper left), each man chooses his own route of approach as the unit advances from house to house.

## Babson Says--

Congress Improves  
But Not Up To Par

Washington, D. C., April 2.—The first quarter of 1943 was marked by several outstanding events in business and finance. Some of these are resulting in vital changes in our economic and family life. I have space to comment upon just a few of them.

We entered 1943 with a better political situation than had existed for some time. There has been continued evidence that the caliber of Congress has improved. It remains, however, below the standards of the democracy it represents. This may not be the fault of Congress itself but the fault of the voters who elect the Congress. Even in these stringent times people are failing to take an interest in government. Until they do, we can expect little of a constructive nature from Washington.

The prediction I made in my Annual Forecast that there would be continued pressure to pierce price ceilings has materialized. There has been almost a complete disregard of retail price ceilings. Inflationary forces are set for a good ride and pressure on wholesale prices, which have been quietly getting up steam, may blow up the whole price control program. Inflation of prices may be slowed down, but will not stop. Hence, wholesale prices will undoubtedly work higher.

Starting with tires, gasoline and fuel oil and extending to food and shoes, rationing, together with a drying up of many consumer goods supplies, has been the means of bringing our war economy home to all. Certainly, the point system of rationing will be extended ultimately to clothing and a good deal sooner to many types of foodstuffs. But rationing of clothes is unlikely before next fall, if then.

We have had a gradually rising stock market now for over 12 months. The advance in securities was particularly marked during the first two months of the current year. But it took a few million-share days to wake up most investors. Right now there is a decided rush for peace stocks and for cheap stocks. Many have foolishly bought stocks without any asset value at all behind them. Holders of good stocks should continue their position and disregard minor and corrective fluctuations. Considering the large amounts of available cash, it is only natural to expect that its ultimate investment will be a dominant factor in further higher stock averages.

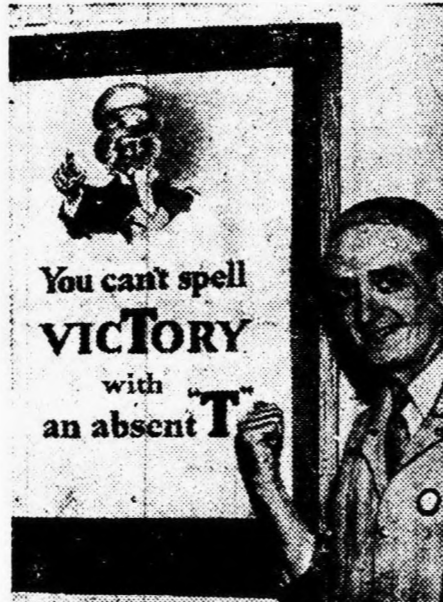
During the first quarter, a great many industries showed unusually good results. The total volume of business has been well maintained, but profits on the whole, due to tax provisions, have fallen. Exceptions to this, however, are not uncommon to find. Competition has been keen. Many small manufacturing concerns, stores and shops have had to shut up. It has not been a time to establish new enterprises, but certainly we can look forward to many new developments to take up some of the post-war slack.

February and March were pretty good months for retailers. Volume was some 25 percent higher than the corresponding months of a year ago. Prices were well maintained but as I stated in my Annual Forecast I expect the year to show a decline in volume. Customers have jumped the gun on clothes and on other types of merchandise. With employment at its highest level and many families able for the first time in years to replace worn out goods and materials, it was natural for retailers to benefit. The record national income of \$121,115,000,000 has also been a factor in the retail business, but last November and December showed a reversal of the trend in income which continued during January and February. Of the new products being developed in research departments, little can now be said.

But readers can rest assured that out of the increase in industrial and scientific research occasioned by the War, many revolutionary services and materials will be available after the War.

In fact, the great improvements in the fields of chemistry and electronics have already been nosed about and resulted in upward flurries in certain chemical, radio and other securities. The technical training many of our young men are now receiving assures our leadership in terms of better and cheaper products for a generation to come.

## Victory Slogan



John F. Noon, Detroit defense plant worker, is tossing a thumb proudly at the slogan that won him first prize in a slogan contest. "You can't spell victory with an absent T" was the bon mot that scored for Mr. Noon.



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## 25 Years Ago Food For Thought

News items of a quarter of a century ago taken from the files of The Plymouth Mail.

About 20 friends and neighbors surprised Emil Schilling at his home on Plymouth road, Wednesday evening. They came to remind him of his birthday.

Mr. Sharrow of West Plymouth was at his home a few days ago looking after his bees. He found they had wintered all right, so we may now look for some "sweet honey," if we cannot have but a few pounds of sugar at a time.

The fine weather still continues, and the roads are drying up in fine shape. Looks as though spring had come to stay.

The Harvey street pedro club was pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Finn, last week Wednesday evening.

The Lutheran Ladies' Aid of Plymouth, has bought a beautiful American flag, which is to be placed on a staff near the church. As Earl Ryder and William Shields were going to the Northville grist mill last week Friday forenoon, a bag of wheat was lost out of the machine between Northville and Plymouth.

The new pipe organ for the Presbyterian church has arrived.

Congress has enacted the daylight saving bill which provides that the clocks be turned ahead one hour beginning April 1 and will remain that way until the last of October, when the clocks will be turned back.

Mrs. R. E. Cooper went to Grand Rapids, the latter part of last week to attend a conference of the county chairmen of the Women's committee of the Liberty Loan. The ladies were the guests of the Federal Reserve banks of Chicago, and were entertained at the Pantlind hotel.

## Cafeteria Will Replace Dining Room

The Hotel Mayflower has announced the opening of a combined coffee shop and cafeteria to replace the dining room.

Ralph Lorenz, hotel manager, said that the new restaurant would be a war time food service, open for breakfast and luncheon only.

The restaurant will be open from 6:30 a.m., until 2 p.m. and will not serve dinners. Counter service will be available for breakfast, and cafeteria service at the luncheon period. The noon menu will feature a business man's lunch for fifty cents—and coffee will be served for a nickel.

Copper salvaged from copper-coated carbons of motion picture projection arc lamps in 8,500 U.S. theaters would bring in 270,000 pounds of copper.

British "Pig Clubs" of amateur pig-raisers accounted for 7,000 tons of bacon in 1942 and provided enough pig meat for 100 million breakfasts.

Simplification of cotton fabrics will add approximately 230 million yards of cotton textiles annually through increased loom capacity.

According to a Stockholm report, Russians and Poles engaged in forced labor in Germany are forbidden to go to church.

Most of the 46 million dollars' worth of new commercial laundry machinery in 1943 will go to military uses, some of it will be reserved for civilian hospitals, but almost none for around-the-corner laundries.

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## Precision Plant Is Being Re-Opened

W. A. Maher, owner of the Precision Products company, located on Mill street, announced this week that he is reopening the plant to manufacture war orders.

The plant has been closed for some time.

Mr. Maher said that he expected to employ between 65 and 100 persons by April 15 if that many persons are available. The company will perform an essential function in the manufacture of naval ordnance.

Qualifying tests for applicants in the new Navy college training program, V-12, will be conducted throughout the nation April 2. Students 17 to 200, passing the exams will remain in college at least a year and a third.

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