

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Atcheson, Allice Ann and Clark of Royal Oak were Saturday guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Allen. Miss Sadie Hueston of Detroit was a week-end guest at the Allen home.

Drama Tells Story of Alaska Settlers

Toys and hardships of the little band of Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota farmers who journeyed to the Matanuska Valley in Alaska to establish America's agricultural outpost are told in E. P. Conkle's three-act drama "200 were Chosen" which opens for a ten-day run at the Peoples Theater, Twelfth Street and Seward Avenue, Thursday, March 4.

The presentation, under the direction of Vernon Haldene, is produced by the Detroit Federal Project, a unit of the Works Progress Administration. The project's opening production of the current season, "Around the Corner," was well received and has established the WPA performers as first-rate actors and actresses.

Mrs. John Maas, accompanied by Mrs. Fred Maas of New Hudson, spent Tuesday in Detroit.

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Kites And Roller Skates Tell Of Spring's Coming

Definite signs of spring were in evidence in Farmington this week when kites soared high in the sky and roller skates were given their first try-outs of the year. Spring is also evidenced in The Farmington Enterprise this week in the advertisement where announcement is made of a model airplane building contest. New spring fabrics are offered at the store of Fred L. Cook and Co.

Building materials of all kinds are available at the Farmington Lumber and Coal Co. Year-round in a new Ford V-8 is the choice of the discriminating driver. Farmers are afforded the opportunity of buying all kinds of feeds at the Farmington Mills. For those whose car stages a "sit-down" strike the service offered by Burnett Bros. will be one much appreciated.

The day-and-night service of the Bell Telephone company has become a necessity to those who keep in close contact, by telephone, with distant members of the family. The Fowser company tells of the fast cooking made possible by the use of gas.

Halleys of Detroit were Thursday luncheon guests of Mrs. E. F. Thomas in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. John Bentley of Pontiac visited at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Leo Hendryx, on Friday. Arthur and Mrs. Power and family were hosts to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chambers of Detroit on Sunday. Mr. Chambers was the Sunday night speaker at the Epworth League.

LOCALS

Gage Halsted is a recent victim of influenza. Mrs. Patrick Fitzpatrick of Detroit was the Sunday guest at the home of her brother, Elmer Dohany. Mrs. Elmer Dohany, Mrs. T. J. Ely of Northville and Mrs. P. J. M.

WHO ARE YOU? The Romance of Your Name

By RUBY HASKINS ELLIS

A Brown? It would be a superhuman task to attempt to corral all the Brown ancestors into such a brief allotment of space, but one can state very sketchily the very beginning of the name and some of its prominent bearers in the early period of its history.

The name itself signifies the color brown, and persons who first assume a surname did so because it suited their eyes, hair or garments. In England the first record is of Gamel fil Bruin and John Broune of Stanford, in 1377.

Most of the early settlers of America bearing this name came to New England, and most of the Browns of New England are descendants of Thomas Brown and his wife, Mary Revell. Thomas was born in Lynn, Mass., 1628. His father was the "settler," a mariner, son of Edward Brown of Inkborough, Worcestershire, England. He was at Lynn, Mass., in 1633, but removed to Reading, Mass., in 1633.

The three sons of Thomas Brown and Mary were Thomas, John and Eleazer. Thomas lived in Stonington, Conn. His ten children established the foundation for a long line of descendants in New England, as did also his brother, John's family of ten.

John Brown of Brimfield, Mass., was a Revolutionary war soldier, and his descendants hold the tradition that he was a descendant of John Brown; the Covenanters, who suffered martyrdom for his religious



Principles in the time of Queen Elizabeth. The story is told that he was shot down before his own door and in the presence of his wife and children by one Claverhouse, a leader of a company of soldiers sent to seek him out. He had been kept hidden, but revealed himself when the guards began to torture his little daughter by hanging her by her thumbs in order to force the secret of her father's whereabouts. It was told that he had only five minutes to live, which he spent in prayer. This so impressed the soldiers that they refused to fire upon him. Their leader, Claverhouse, then cruelly tried and killed the unarmed and innocent man.

The descendants of this John Brown were George Henry and William, sons of the widow Christian Brown, who settled in New England, George in Haverhill and William and Henry in Salisbury, Mass.

George Brown of Salisbury was a soldier in King Philip's war and a representative to the general court of the colony. © Public Ledger, Inc.—WNY Service.

LICENSE PLATES SALES SET HIGH MARK

A record of 644 sets of license plates were sold at the Farmington branch of the Secretary of State's office on Friday and Saturday of last week, before the announcement was made of the extension of the deadline from March 1 to March 15. The Farmington branch, managed by Paul A. Pare, is located on the first floor of the Peoples State Bank building.

Miss Carrie Christiany and Miss Ruth Carlisle attended the Educational Exhibit of Registered Dogs, in Detroit on Wednesday.

Roy and Mrs. Brown visited in Toledo on Sunday.

AUCTION SALE

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Friday, March 12th
Lunch at 11:00. Sale at 12:00

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HOGS: 1 Duroc Boar; 1 Jersey Boar; 1 Poland China Boar; 3 Brood Sows Duroc Jersey; 2 Brood Sows, Chester White; 20 White Leghorn Hens; 200 bu. Seed Corn; 50 bu. Early Seed Potatoes; 100 bu. Potatoes Seed Potatoes; 50 bu. Seed Potatoes.

MACHINERY: Hay Mower, new; Corn Planter, new; Mowing Machine, new; Grain Drill; Corn Blower; 2-2 Hogs; Cultivators; 1 Horse Cultivator; Disc; Spring Tooth Harrow; Roller; Farm Truck Wagon; 1 Boat; Oliver Plow; Horse Clippers; and many articles not mentioned.

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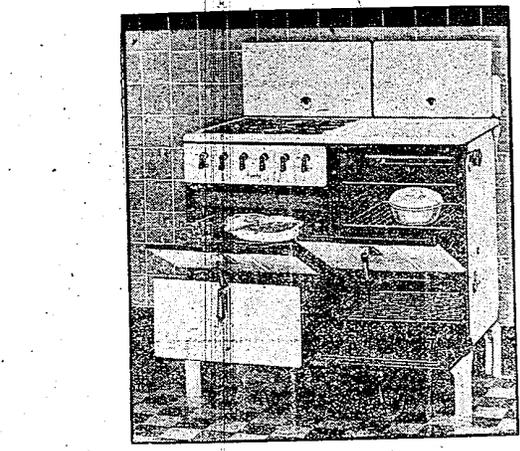
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CUFF NOTES

Books were published in 108 languages in Russia in the last year. Radcliffe, England, with 25,000 population, boasts it has no slums. Spain has an area more than twice that of Great Britain, aside from the colonies. Haarlem, Holland, a city of 120,000, is famed for its libraries, bookshops and its bulb farms. Forbidden to use lipstick while at work, sales girls of a department store in Boulogne, France, went on strike. Australian educational authorities recently met in Adelaide and voted that chess health-building games on Sunday were good for boys.

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