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## Calendar of Coming Events

**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1**—Card party of Arenac County Club of Detroit at Women's Center, 2431 E. Grand Boulevard.  
**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 4**, 5:30 p. m.—Penny supper at M. E. Church.  
**WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 5**—Pot luck luncheon at noon of Ladies Community Club of West Point Park with Mrs. Albert Owen.  
**THURSDAY, OCTOBER 6**, 1 p. m.—Sunshine Harmony Group meets at Masonic Temple.  
**FRIDAY, OCTOBER 7**—Social afternoon of Past Matrons' Club with Mrs. George Gildemeister.  
**TUESDAY, OCTOBER 11**—Garden Club holds first meeting with Mrs. Kripko on Grand River avenue.

## OVER 200,000 OLD AGE INSURANCE CLAIMS CERTIFIED

With its procedure for handling old-age insurance claims now fully developed, the Social Security Board announced that the 200,000th benefit payment to wage earners who have reached age 65 and to their heirs or the estates of those who have died, was approved in the first week of September by the Bureau of Old-Age Insurance. The number of claims certified during August was 14,373, the average payment being \$53.80, the highest for any month since claims began to be paid. The time required by the Bureau of Old-Age Insurance for handling claims, after its receipt from a field office until it is sent to the Treasury for payment, has been reduced from an average of 25 days, in December 1937, to 16 days.

## Debate Group Discusses Membership Increase

Officials of the Tri-County Debate League, affiliated with the Michigan High School Forensic association, are meeting Thursday night in Farmington, with President Grady McKay, local instructor, presiding. The Farmington, Mason, Howell and Rochester, are now members of the league. Two of the aims of this meeting are to discuss the advisability of enlarging the membership, and to arrange schedules. Non-members who were invited to participate in this meeting include Hartland, Holly, Keesee Harbor, Milford, Fowlerville, Berkley, Walpole Lake, and South Lyon. A social time at Detroit was a Thursday caller at the Holcomb home.

News items always welcome.

## 'Catching up on Human Needs, Government Aim'—Governor



LEE A. WHITE

"Freedom to know and to express thoughts and opinions is today under the severest challenge it has met in centuries, if not in all history, and America, the strongest remaining citadel of freedom, must realize before too late how precious is its freedom and stamp out every effort to take it from us," Lee A. White, an executive of The Detroit News, told Michigan journalists at a luncheon last Friday in Lansing given by newspapermen in honor of Governor Murphy and other high state officials.

While sounding a note of warning concerning the present world situation, with the rise of totalitarian governments and their throttling of all free expression, Mr. White took care to point out forcibly that today's challenge to freedom is not serious, "although it may be more serious, and more widespread, and carried out with less regard for basic human rights, than other attacks in previous generations."

"Always Under Fire" But freedom of speech, of the press, of religion, of peaceable assembly and other fundamental human rights always has been subjected to the fire of some who would abridge or take away those rights, Mr. White said, and probably these rights will be under fire always, as long as human nature remains what it is; therefore, he asserted, the light to retain these freedoms, which make life worth living is not a spasmodic, but a continuing necessity, with the need ever present that those who love freedom be ready to spring to its defense whenever and wherever it is challenged.

Mr. White warned particularly against the political ideas or movements which seem to offer alluring compensations to counterbalance the loss of freedom of speech and press, such as those now dominant in part of Europe. He related how even newspapermen, to their later bitter regret, were attracted to these philosophies and lived to see the denial of the most precious human rights accomplished, and the alluring picture fade into sad disillusionment. He urged his audience to the most constant vigilant and energetic defense of every kind of freedom, in order that no first foothold might be allowed to oppression or those who would advance or encourage it.

## State Social Security Manager Makes Report

More than \$17,000,000 in federal funds has been received in Michigan as the result of the first three years of operation of the Social Security Act. This statement was made recently by Walter B. Redman, manager of the Social Security field office in Pontiac. Mr. Redman said allotments of funds under this plan have included more than \$14,000,000 for public assistance, \$1,219,000 for public welfare services, nearly \$1,600,000 for administration of unemployment compensation, and more than \$278,000 for payment of lump sum benefits under the old-age insurance plan.

## Children Not Wanted; Dogs Are Approved

Discrimination against children in favor of dogs was deplored before the 100 delegates to the National Conference on Family Relations, in New York recently. A warning also was issued that birth control would throw family life "farther toward the discard." "The machine age makes no place for children in its calculations," Dr. Paul Popenoe, director of the Institute of Family Relations in Los Angeles, said. "In Los Angeles we found that an actual majority of all apartment houses refuse to rent to a couple with even one small child. Many of them were quite willing to take dogs, of course."

Mrs. Rhoda Roche and Mrs. Phoebe Ross spent Monday afternoon with Mrs. C. P. Smith.



GOVERNOR FRANK MURPHY

"Catching up on human needs" is the dominant philosophy of his administration of Michigan government, and the outstanding need in all government today, Gov. Frank Murphy told 150 newspapermen of the State at a luncheon in honor of the state officials at Lansing last Friday noon.

Government must meet the challenge which vast changes of the past few decades have wrought upon the economic, social, political and all other phases of life, the governor told his audience.

Citing numerous specific examples of the effort to "catch up on human needs" which has been and is being made by his administration, Governor Murphy showed how service to the people had lagged behind the rapid development of new elements in our civilization. The governor cited the fact that in Ann Arbor are excellent medical laboratories equipped for the innumerable tests which are an essential part of modern medical diagnosis, but that the facilities are so overtaxed that often specimens sent by out-state doctors for analysis do not get back for weeks, sometimes after the patient has died.

"Police Stations Everywhere" "We have police stations everywhere, in every town of any size," remarked the Governor. "But how many health centers in the whole State?" Surely a well-ordered society, he said, should have at least as many health centers as it does police stations.

The Governor spoke of the social security legislation which is now in effect, of civil service, and many other activities of the modern government. "There, in those endeavors we have service to health, to security, to improvement of the conditions under which men work and live, efficiency and economy in government—the basic human needs—the chief reason for which government exists."

## Are Movies a Modern Institution? No, Sir!

Believe it or not, there were movies in Luray, Va., in 1873. The following handbill, attesting this fact, was found the other day in an old building:

"Be share and come to the In-ray courthouse at 8 o'clock p. m. tonight if you want to see pictures that dance and actors that open their mouths like they are talking. This is a slide lantern show and the cost will only be an offering at the door. What monies are collected in this way will have half of it used for the poor and needy of Luray and the other half will go to me, Henry Jackson Clayton, who is badly in need of money to take care of himself, his wife and thirteen children."

ARON FELLMAN, Attorney, 2179 National Bank Bldg., Detroit, Michigan.

## NOTICE OF FORFEITURE OF LAND CONTRACT

To Errol B. Abel, 14250 Freeland Avenue, Detroit, Michigan. You are hereby notified that a certain land contract, bearing date the 15th day of January, 1934, and between Union Trust Company, Trustee of D. Bell, Michigan Declaration of Trust and Security of Agreements recorded in Liber 425 of Mortgages Pages 223 to 106, Oakland County Records, of the first part, and Errol B. Abel, of the second part, is in default by reason of the non-payment of all installments of principal and interest due thereunder, and you Errol B. Abel are hereby further notified that the said Union Guardian Trust Company, Michigan Corporation, and as Assignee and Declaration of Trust recorded in Liber 425 of Mortgages, Page 223 to 106, Oakland County Records, elects to declare and does hereby declare said land contract forfeited, and you are hereby further notified to yield, surrender and deliver up possession of the premises in said land contract mentioned as of which you are now in possession under and by virtue of the terms thereof. Said premises are described in said land contract as follows, viz.: Lot Numbers 18 and 19 of the Assessors Replat of Meadow Farms Subdivision, a Subdivision of part of the west half of the southeast quarter of Section 18, north Range 16 east, according to the plat thereof recorded in Liber 18 of Oakland County Register of Deeds records. Dated September 24, 1938.

Union Guardian Trust Company, Michigan Corporation, as Trustee, and as Assignee under Declaration of Trust recorded in Liber 425 of Mortgages, Page 223 to 106, Oakland County Records, Sept. 29-Oct. 12

## SENATOR FROM MICHIGAN HEADS COMMITTEE

The designation of Senator Prentiss M. Brown of Michigan as Chairman of the National Democratic Senatorial Campaign Committee, is a distinctive compliment. Senator Brown as Chairman of this Committee is entrusted with the election of the largest class of sitting Democratic Senatorial candidates in the history of the United States Senate. Of the thirty-four Senators up for re-election, thirty-one of these are Democrats and they have entrusted their political fate to the committee which is headed by the Senator from Michigan.

Senator Brown's selection places him in the position of high command in Democratic councils. The Senator winning his own fight in Michigan impressed his colleagues with his political resourcefulness. Associated with the Senator on the Committee are Senators Theodore F. Green of Rhode Island, Tom Connally of Texas, Carl A. Hatch of New Mexico and James E. Murray of Montana.

Senator Brown is now at his home at St. Ignace, Michigan, but has visited Washington and made preliminary plans for the campaign which will be actively undertaken after all the nominations are made in all of the States. The Senatorial Committee has taken no part in any State primary.

## Quarry Dates Back To Queen Elizabeth

Silence brooded over the slate quarry at Dearborn, England, for the first time in 400 years when, under a new scheme granting paid holidays to workers in certain industries, the management closed the quarry for one week in August this year.

More than 400 workers were released for what was probably their first holiday with pay.

This quarry was first worked in the days of Queen Elizabeth. It has now reached a depth of between 400 and 500 feet and covers an area of 40 acres.

## Guernsey Cows Gain New Honors for Owner

Two Guernsey cows owned by Charles E. Sorensen of Farmington have just finished new official records for production which entitles them to entry in The Advanced Register of The American Guernsey Cattle Club, and thereby gained new honors for their owner.

These animals include two year-old Cesar Laddie's Ruby 505855 producing 10628.3 pounds of milk and 502.4 pounds of butter fat in class G, and two year-old Cesar Orpheus 46427 producing 10731.4 pounds of milk and 473.3 pounds of butter fat in class G.

## CANADIAN LEGION

Men in this region who served with Canadian or British forces during the World War and who are interested in the formation of a Dearborn Post of the Canadian Legion have been requested to write to G. C. Carter, zone commander, at 7308 Barrie avenue, Dearborn. Carter plans to establish a post in Dearborn in the near future and is anxious to hear from interested persons.

## IT CAN'T HAPPEN HERE

Joseph King, a milkman driving to work in the early morning through a residential district of Menominee, Mich., thought he saw a man with a fur coat at a street intersection, so he yelled: "Hey, do you think it's winter?" The object turned. It was a large black bear. Mr. King hurried on.

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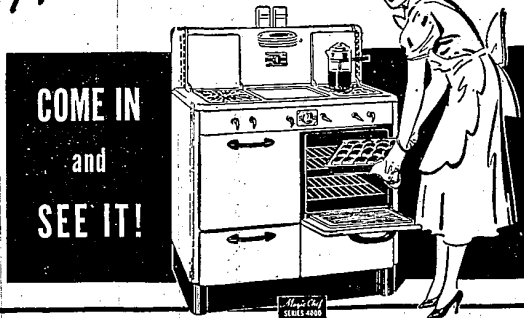
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