

## State Pays \$1,615 In Predatory Bounties

A total of 31 predatory animal control contracts were issued during February by the department of conservation bringing the number issued during 1939 to 81. Bounties totaling \$1,615 were paid during the month for the taking of 49 male coyotes, 43 female

coyotes and one female wolf. Trapping the female coyotes received a total of \$950, those taking the male coyotes, \$735, and \$20 was paid for the one female wolf.

Michigan's generous gift of 2,348 barrels of food to famine-stricken Ireland in 1947 started a flow of Irish immigrants into Michigan.

Thieves who ransacked the store of the Shepard Coal Co., at Brainard, Mass., carefully laid the company's burglary-insurance policy on a nearby table.

It is a strange desire, to seek power, and to lose liberty; or to seek power over others, and to lose power over a man's soul.

—Francis Bacon.

## Report of Condition of

### THE FARMINGTON STATE BANK

of Farmington in the State of Michigan at the close of business on March 23, 1939.

Published in accordance with a call made by the Federal Reserve Bank of this district pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Reserve Act and by the Commissioner of the Banking Department pursuant to the provisions of Section 52 of the Michigan financial institutions act.

#### ASSETS

Loans and discounts (including no overdrafts) . . . . .	505,311.70
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed . . . . .	101,812.96
Obligations of States and political subdivisions . . . . .	32,892.37
Other bonds, notes and debentures . . . . .	85,173.20
Corporate stocks (including \$1,900.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank) . . . . .	1,900.00
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection . . . . .	32,650.11
Bank premises owned & leased, furniture and fixtures . . . . .	7,075.63
(Bank premises owned are subject to no liens not assumed by bank)	
Real estate owned other than bank premises . . . . .	2,713.18
<b>TOTAL ASSETS</b> . . . . .	<b>\$1,124,061.28</b>

#### LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations . . . . .	247,863.97
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations . . . . .	410,101.23
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) . . . . .	1,951.57
Deposits of States and political subdivisions . . . . .	353,072.39
Deposits of banks . . . . .	5,000.00
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.) . . . . .	10,009.11
<b>TOTAL DEPOSITS</b> . . . . .	<b>\$1,031,061.56</b>
Other liabilities . . . . .	5,632.06
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES (not including obligations shown in item 33)</b> . . . . .	<b>\$1,036,693.62</b>

#### CAPITAL ACCOUNT

Capital . . . . .	40,500.00
Surplus . . . . .	21,500.00
Undivided profits . . . . .	8,557.54
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital) . . . . .	13,812.82
<b>TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT</b> . . . . .	<b>\$84,370.36</b>
<b>TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNT</b> . . . . .	<b>\$1,124,061.28</b>

\*This bank's capital consists of None of capital notes and debentures; first preferred stock with total par value of \$15,500.00, redeemable at \$15,500.00; second preferred stock with total par value of \$10,000.00, redeemable at \$10,000.00; and common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00.

#### MEMORANDA

Pledged assets (and securities loaned) (book value):

(a) U. S. Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, pledged to secure deposits and other liabilities . . . . .	5,017.05
(b) TOTAL . . . . .	5,017.05

Secured and preferred liabilities:

(a) Deposits secured by pledged assets pursuant to requirements of law . . . . .	5,000.00
(b) TOTAL . . . . .	5,000.00

(a) Unpaid dividends on preferred stock and unpaid interest on capital notes and debentures, accrued to end of last dividend or interest period, not included in liabilities or reserves above . . . . . None |

(b) Other obligations not included in item 24 which are subordinated to claims of depositors and other creditors . . . . . None |

(a) On date of report the required legal reserve against deposits of this bank was . . . . . \$3,034.00 |

(b) Assets reported above which were eligible as legal reserve amounted to . . . . . 219,004.59 |

I, H. C. KNIKERBOCKER, Cashier, of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear/affirm that the above statement is true, and that it fully and correctly represents the true state of the several matters herein contained and set forth, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Correct—Attest:

H. C. KNIKERBOCKER, Cashier  
HOWARD M. WARNER  
FLOYD H. NICHOLS  
EMORY O. HATTON  
Directors

STATE OF MICHIGAN, COUNTY OF OAKLAND, ss:  
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 5th day of March, 1939, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.  
My commission expires June 5, 1942  
Arville Tipper, Notary Public.

## If a Wish

By OSCAR SOMMER  
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WFO Service.

THERE was an electric silence in the lovely room, broken only by the crackling fire and the soft ticking of an antique clock. The man standing with his back against the mantel of the big roomy fireplace, searched the face of the girl anxiously as though to read there the answer to his fears. Lindsey Putnam had been "going with" Phyllis Rand ever since school days, and Lin had just confessed to Phyllis that he was head over heels in love with the lovely, fiery, exotic Adele Thornton.

"It's not that I like . . . love you any less, Phyll; you'll always be the most perfect girl I ever had . . . it's just that Adele seems to sweep over you like a thought from my head. She . . . well, I guess it's true that I am crazy over her! I can't seem to think sensible thoughts any more." Then the girl seemed to stir from her reverie, and although he was not so sure about her eyes, they seemed hurt. Her mouth smiled gravely, and she rose and went over to him, laying her slim brown hand on his sleeve as she said softly: "Lin—there's nothing I can say other than that I hope you'll be ever so happy! If a wish could make it, I'm sure you'd be happy and contented with—the girl of your choice!"

Afterward—when he was striding home, Lin recalled that the husky, spoken Adele's name had, instead, worded it "girl of your choice," and he smiled tenderly at that thought; they were both so wonderful. He was both a keen, straight-forward young boy, hiking and hunting and fishing; playing tennis and golf and riding with him over dangerous mountain trails, and Adele, soft, ultrafeminine, with her girlish goings and helpless ways, and pretty, appealing, and . . .

With the door shut on Lin's retreating form Phyllis flung herself into the deep cushions of the shabby old divan before the fire, and she sat staring after the girl, and she remembered the first time since she could remember. How could he do it? How could he go around with her all these years, making the flower of love in her heart grow stronger and deeper rooted, only to tear it up casually and go after another girl? Was he quite crazy to think that their friendship could go on after he had given his heart to Adele? Didn't he know that these feminine women had nothing to divert their minds from such things as jealousy? Of course Adele's first action of proprietorship would be to suggest that he see less of dear little Phyllis!

Two weeks later, after Phyllis had repeatedly turned down invitations to hike with Lin, or play golf or tennis, or ride over his mountain trails with him, on the grounds that that was Adele's privilege now, she opened the door one rainy fall day and found Lin standing on the wind-swept porch, a bunch of sunnies in his hands and a comical expression on his face. "Gosh, Phyll," he murmured as she took his dripping coat and hat, "it seems like home here. I know how crazy you always were over me . . . I remember." Phyllis had to force herself to drag forth the usual: "You should be giving replied dryly: 'She has been; she's only nice hot-house flowers that aren't messy.' Phyll almost grinned as she took the sunnies and went to find a vase for it."

"May I come again?" he pleaded after she had given him hot chocolate and sugar cookies and a golden wedge of squash pie. "You'll find out it's a mistake, Lin, Adele won't like it!" remonstrated Phyll doubtfully. "Well, there are so many things she doesn't like that one more thing added to the list won't make much difference," he growled. "Why don't you like me to come, Phyll?" he asked wistfully, and Phyll fought to make her voice sound impersonal and at even as she assured him that it was always a great pleasure to have him come—to talk over old times.

"We did have such wonderful times together, Phyll," he mused, staring at the dancing fire. "Didn't we?" she said, catching her breath softly. "Oh Phyll . . . men are such fools . . . couldn't we go on . . . having good times as we used to?" he asked brokenly, his eyes telling her what he couldn't say.

"I . . . oh, Lin . . . I'm afraid it's been so hard . . . 'Afraid of what?' he asked gently, moving over to stand very close to her. "Afraid I couldn't be strong enough to give it all up again," she muttered through clenched teeth.

"Need we . . . ever break up again, Phyll? I'll always be with you, and nobody else . . . oh, my dear . . . let's not be hating again. You've been the girl of my dreams . . . always!" he cried as he swept her into his arms and she buried her hot face into the cool dampness of his rough overcoat. So . . . Lin was happy, as Phyll had wished . . . and he had the girl of his choice after all. And Phyll? There never had been any question of choice with her; there never had been anyone but Lin . . . and there never would be, either!

Niles, known as the "four flag city," is the only Michigan city to have been under the rule of four nations. They are France, England, Spain, and the United States.

## CHURCHES

All notices for this column must be in the Enterprise office not later than Tuesday at noon.

Salem Evangelical Church  
Rev. Carl H. Schultz, Pastor

Worship Service 10:00-10:30 A. M.  
Sunday School 11:00-11:30 A. M.

Methodist Episcopal Church  
Rev. Delmore Stubbs, Pastor  
Morning Worship at 10:30.  
Church School at 11:45.  
Men's Forum at 12 noon.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m. Teacher's Training Class.  
Thursday, 7:30 p. m. Adult Choir rehearsal.

CLARENCEVILLE M. E. CHURCH  
Rev. W. J. Prisk, Pastor

Church Service, 10 a. m.  
Sunday School, 11 a. m.  
Epworth League, 6:30 p. m.  
Evening Service, 7:30 p. m.  
Thursday Evening, 7:30 p. m.

Our Lady of Sorrows Church  
Rev. John J. Larkin, Pastor

Sunday masses at 7:30 a. m., 9:00 a. m., 10:30 a. m., and 12:00. Benediction after 10:30 mass. Daily masses at 7:30 a. m., and 8:00 a. m.

First Baptist Church  
Gilbert A. Miles, Pastor

Morning prayer meeting 10:15.  
Morning worship 10:30.  
Bible School 11:45.  
L. I. J. 6:30 p. m. for Juniors and Seniors.

Evening Evangelistic Service at 7:30.  
The mid-week Fellowship meetings are held Wednesday evenings at 7:30.

Redford Gospel Tabernacle  
18000 Lusher Road

Sunday School, 10:30 a. m.  
Prayer, song, and praise service, 11:00 a. m.  
Evangelistic service, 7:45 p. m.  
All are welcome regardless of church affiliation.

Community Church  
West Point Park  
Rev. O. J. Lyon, Pastor

10:00 Sunday School.  
11:00 Preaching Service.

Elmwood Church of Christ, Scientist  
Grand River Ave. at Evergreen Rd.  
Detroit, Michigan

"Are Sin, Disease and Death Real?" will be the subject of the Lesson Sermon in All Christian Science Churches throughout the world on Sunday, April 8. The Golden Text (Exodus 15:24) is, "I am the Lord that healeth thee."

Among the Bible citations is this passage (Acts 17: 24, 25): "God that made the world and all things therein, seeing that he is the Lord of heaven and earth, dwelleth not in temples made with hands; neither is worshipped with men's hands, as though he needed anything, seeing he giveth to all life and breath, and all things." Correlative passages to be read from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy, include the following: (p. 472): "All reality is in God and His creation, harmonious and eternal. That which he creates is good, and He makes all that is made."

Copernican System of Astronomy  
Copernicus, whose Polish name was Nikolaus Kopernik, was born at Thorn, Prussian Poland, in 1473. He studied astronomy at the University of Krakow, then spent a number of years in Italy, studying medicine and canon law. About 1500 he lectured in Rome on mathematics and astronomy, then in 1512 he settled in Frauenberg, East Prussia, where he entered holy orders and became canon of the cathedral. He is said to have been devoted to the performance of his duties and to have practiced medicine, giving his services free to the poor, but it was his discovery of the Copernican system of astronomy that made him famous after his death. His great work was probably completed in 1530 but was not published until 1543 when he lay dying. Dedicated to the pope, it described the sun as the center of a great system, with the earth one of the planets revolving about it. Modern astronomy was built on the foundation laid down by Copernicus.

Habits of Ant-Eaters  
In tropical countries there are large mammals known as ant-eaters. To drive in the ant-eating line it is necessary that the creature should be armed with powerful limbs for tearing open the nests and also be immune from the bites and stings. So Nature has provided it with a long, worm-like tongue, coated with a sticky substance with which it is able to lick up large numbers of insects as they run about in the wreckage of their home. Some species of ant-eaters have no teeth, states a writer in London Tit-Bits Magazine. In their place they have long, tubular jaws, for ants are small and need no biting; the length of the jaw assists them in their work, for they are able to stick it into crevices and holes in which the ants attempt to escape.

## Coffee Plantations Are

Operated by Hand Power  
Coffee plantations are interesting places, especially to Americans who are accustomed to seeing only American-style production of ordinary agricultural crops.

Coffee seeds are thickly sown in carefully prepared beds. The seeds sprout in about 40 days, showing two small leaves.

The plants then are transferred to the nursery plots in rows about a foot apart. About two years in the nursery the plants grow about two feet. Then they are ready for transplanting into holes as described above.

When the roots take hold firmly in their new location, the young trees are bent over and clamped to the ground by forked pins. This breaks the skin of bark some eight or ten inches from the ground. From these breaks many little sprouts shoot upward. As soon as the healthy ones can be distinguished, they are pruned down to four. This process makes for bushy trees.

About five years later, writes Capt. M. M. Corpening, Guatemala City correspondent in the Chicago Tribune, the trees are ready to produce. In the meantime the soil must be kept clean and the shade trees at a correct foliage density. The grown coffee tree is about eight feet in diameter (maximum) and 12 feet high, and will last 30 to 40 years if cared for properly.

All soil maintenance is by hand with hoes and machetes. Plows are taboo because they aid soil erosion.

The coffee bean when ripe is red, and if of good grade holds an inch in diameter. The trees resemble cherry trees in good seasons.

The berries are hand picked by men with baskets strapped around their waists. The harvest begins in November and lasts through February. There is one crop per year.

## Chinaware Among Laters

Table Furnishings Used  
It was not until the Dutch East India company began trading with the Orient that china was introduced into the western world.

This brought something entirely new in table furnishings to those who had been accustomed for generations to the dull, gray monotony of pewter or wooden ware. The desirability of this china was quickly recognized and the bright colors and its cleanliness brought pleasure to those possessing it.

Delft ware was produced by the Italians in the Fifteenth and Sixteenth centuries. The method of covering a colored body with a white glaze, however, was not unknown to the Arabians and Persians, relates Alice R. Rollins in the Los Angeles Times. The Dutch followed the method of the Italians and in turn the English copied the technique of the Dutch. Holland produced a delft ware from 1650 to 1710, in imitation of the importations from China by the Dutch East India company, which maintained a port at Delft.

The Dutch potters themselves exported their products to all parts of the world opened to them by trade and many potters migrated to foreign countries including England. It was the desire to create a white ware that led to the production of delft. The colored clay body was first fired, then dipped in a white glaze or enamel derived from bone ash and fired in a kiln or stannic acid.

## EVERY DAY LOW PRICES

Concentrated SUPER SUDS 2 lg pkgs 37c RED PKG., 1g 17c	8 O'Clock COFFEE 1 lb. bag 15c BOKAR 1b. 21c	Ann Page pure fruit juice JELLY 8 oz. glass 10c
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STRING BEANS, Iona No. 2 can, 3 for	25c
ANN PAGE BEANS, Veg., Tomato or Boston, 1 lb can, 4 for 23c	
ANN PAGE KETCHUP, 14 oz. bottle, 2 for	25c
SALADA TEA, blue label bag, 1/2 lb pkg	39c
BULL DOG SARDINES, 4 for	23c
TOMATO JUICE, 18 oz. can, 2 for	11c
KARO SYRUP, blue, 1 1/2 lb. can	11c
A & P SARDINES, mustard or tomato, 2 cans 19c	
DAILY DOG FOOD, can	5c
HEINZ CUCUMBER PICKLES, 1g. jar	21c

Own TEA 1/2 lb. pkg 21c Ass. About the Contest	WHEATIES 2 pkgs. 21c Korn Kix 2 for 23c	Iona FLOUR 2 1/2 lb bag 55c
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WHITEHOUSE MILK, tall can	6c
PALMOLIVE SOAP, 3 cakes	17c
CRYSTAL WHITE SOAP, lg., 6 bars	23c
CLEAN SWEEP BROOMS, each	29c
SCOT TOWELS, 2 rolls	19c
WALL PAPER CLEANER, Kutol, can	5c
WINDOW CLEANER, A Penn. Bot.	10c
COLOROX, qt.	25c
OLD DUTCH CLEANSER, 2 cans	15c
JELLY EGGS, 1b	10c
STORE CHEESE, 1b	17c

SPARKLE Gelatin Dessert	CHICK STARTER 100 lb bag \$1.99	AnnPage SALAD DRESSING Qt. Jar 31c
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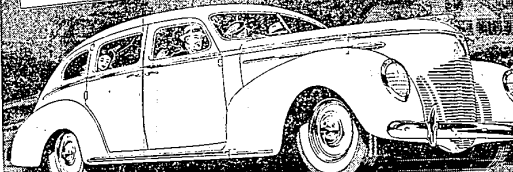
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