

American Legion



Notes

Don't forget the Card Party on Saturday evening, January 10, at the Legion House. Rita Baldwin and Dorothy Smith will be hostesses. Time: 8:30 p. m.

Over WEXL each Saturday, 1:30 to 1:45, "The American Legion on the Air" program. Many things of national interest as well as local can be learned by just tuning in.

Behind the National Defense program, stand the American Legion, willing and ready to do its part, as a unit or individually. Every Legionnaire, ten months ago, made out a questionnaire in triplicate, noting the particular qualifications which would be an asset to our Nation, and the time and hours which he would be available. Since that time, he has again stepped forward and registered in his local community, reaffirming his willingness and desire to be of service.

Each day brings to light, the ever increasing number of Legionnaires again voluntarily joining the United States armed forces for the second time, proving that the willingness to serve is one of fact and actuality.

Again, The American Legion extends to all World War veterans the invitation to join with them in the defense of our Country.

On January 12, there will be a rally and program in the High School Auditorium. This is a patriotic rally, and outstanding speakers will be in attendance. Let's support the program—it is just one more way we can help to do our part.

LOCALS

New Year's Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Walters were their niece and nephew Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Priewert and daughter Shirley of Winona, Minnesota and Mr. and Mrs. Levi Pankow and family of Plymouth.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Westphal spent New Year's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Harold McClellan.

Miss Eleanor Jewell was the guest of her sister Mrs. Paul Schreiber Friday on her return trip from Washington, D. C.

George Oles who spent his Christmas vacation with his parents here, returned to Kalamazoo College Sunday.

Miss Ernestine Pierce plans to attend the symphony concert in Detroit Saturday evening. Yehudi Menuhin, famous violinist, is to be guest artist.

Maurice Fall and Mrs. Ethel Fall of Jackson were guests last Thursday of Mrs. Harry Richmond.

Mrs. H. C. Watson of Minneapolis is visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. William Pauline.

Amos Oles has been confined to his home with illness the past few days.

Register of Deeds

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needed. The budget for 1941 was set in October, 1940, when it was impossible to foresee the large increase that has been experienced. For this reason, it was necessary to overpass the amount appropriated in the 1941 budget. On the other hand, the county has benefited by a tremendous increase in its net return from this office. The net profit to the county above all expenses this year is \$43,319.77.

In order to keep pace with the increase in work this year, the Register of Deeds office has improved the method of handling recorded papers and have in fact, reduced the time taken to return them to our patrons.

Mr. McQuaid said, in outlining the improvements that have been made during 1941, "On January 1, 1941, we installed a finger tip card index in our tract index department for reference to the chain of title for conveyances and encumbrances on lots in recorded plats. It has been in use one year and has proved to be a time saver, and a big improvement over the former method of entering each transfer in books."

"March 15, 1941, we began the use of a new automatic photostat machine. With this improvement, it is possible to do three times the volume of work done with the old machine which had been in use fifteen years. In the busy years of the past it was necessary to employ as many as three people to handle the volume of photostat work. It is now done by one employee."

"Standard sized books and indexes have been put into use gradually as the old books have been filled, so that we can make savings in the purchase of book covers and paper stock."

"January 1, 1941, we discontinued the use of three entry books by consolidating all entries in one book. In this way a consecutive number can be given to each recorded document, and it will follow in the entry book in the order in which it is recorded. The entry book, besides giving data as to papers recorded, is also a record upon which an audit of this office is based. This consolidation simplifies a yearly audit by listing in one place all fees collected and deposited with the County Treasurer."

"In connection with the above change this office proposed House Bill No. 121, which was presented to the Legislature by Representative Clark J. Adams. This Bill became House Enrolled Act No. 143, which was passed by the Legislature and becomes a law on January 30, 1942. In addition to regulating the use of one entry book, this act provides that in counties using photostat equipment all papers recorded which deal with real estate may be bound into one set of books to be called 'Oakland County Register of Deeds Records'. The old method of filing papers was an outgrowth of the day when hand copying was used. This law removes the handicap of having a set of books for each type of instrument recorded. Cross indexes are provided for the location of any instrument by name, time of recording, or description of property. This law gives us an improvement that will facilitate reference by the public to the records of the office and will eliminate several unnecessary steps in the procedure here in the office. Help in getting this bill through the Legislature was given by individual citizens and the Oakland County Citizens League, which help was greatly appreciated."

Subscribers

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collections thereof, shall keep such records, render under oath such statements, make such returns and comply with such rules and regulations as the Commissioner, with the approval of the Secretary, may from time to time prescribe."

Penalties Listed by Law
Another section of the act (Section 145 (A)) further provides: "Any person required under this title to pay any tax, or required by law or regulations made under authority thereof to make a return, keep any records, or supply any information, for the purpose of the computation, assessment, or collection of any tax imposed, by this title, who willfully fails to pay such tax, make such return, keep such records, or supply such information, at the time or times required by law or regulations, shall, in addition to other penalties provided by law, be guilty of misdemeanor and, upon conviction thereof, be fined not more than \$10,000—or imprisoned for not more than one year, or both, together with the costs of prosecution."

Form 10405 which must be filled out with the income tax return requires a detailed record of all income from livestock, grain, hay, cotton, tobacco, potatoes, sugar beets, vegetables, fruit, nuts, dairy products, eggs, meat products, poultry dressed, wool, honey, sorghum, merchandise received for produce, machine work, hire of teams, breeding fees, rent received in crop shares, work off farm, and forest products.

Records Must Be Complete
The farmer must also report sale of livestock and other items purchased, depreciation of property and equipment, and farm operating expenses which are broken down into 17 classifications.

Because it is obvious that no farmer can make the report required by this income tax form without a careful system of records, this newspaper is making its present offer to aid him in handling this task with the least trouble. "Agricultural Records," which is being offered to farm readers by hundreds of newspapers throughout the nation, is a simple system of records which requires no knowledge of bookkeeping and little time. It will enable the farmer to keep the facts required for income tax filing with less trouble than any other system which has come to our attention.

A copy of "Agricultural Records" will be on display at the Enterprise office. A member of the paper's staff will be glad to explain the working of the record system, to any farmer who calls at the office for that purpose. Complete details of the special combination offer will be found in an advertisement in this issue.

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Above is a reproduction of the Treasury Department's Defense Savings Poster, showing an exact duplication of the original "Minute Man" statue by famed sculptor Daniel Chester French. Defense Bonds and Stamps, on sale at your bank or post office, are a vital part of America's defense preparations.

READ THE WANT ADS

Mrs. Arnold Miller underwent an operation for appendicitis at Harper's Hospital Thursday morn.

AUCTION SALE!

Friday, January 16

12:30 SHARP
Having decided to move, I will sell all my personal property at 38525 West Eight Mile Road, between Newburg Road and Haggerty Highway.
Good Farm Team, 3000 lbs.; 1 Set Double Harness; 15 Holstein Cows, all young and milking or due soon; 5 Guernseys and 5 Jerseys, fresh; close up; 1 Holstein Bull, 18 months old, wt. 1500 pounds; 8 shots, about 60 lbs. each; 10 Laying White Rock Hens; 15 Ton Baled Alfalfa; 6 Ton Baled Straw.
McCormick-Deering Mowers, Spreaders; McCormick-Deering Corn Blenders; McCormick-Deering Grain Blenders; McCormick-Deering Mower, 5 ft. cut; McCormick-Deering Spring Tooth Drag; 2 Walking Plows; 1 Spike Drag; 60 tooth; 2 Section Spring Tooth; Power Cutting Box; 16-20 Farm-All Tractor; 2 Horse Cultivators; 1 Single Cultivator; Sulky Plow; Hardy Spray Rig; Bean Spray Rig on Rubber; 2 Bush Scurrys; 2 Sofa Platform Scales; 3-Section Land Roller; 200 Apple Crates; Pair Bob Sleighs; Dump Wagon; Farm Wagon; Buzz Saw; Pump Jack; 2 Water Tanks. Some Furniture. Many Articles Not Mentioned.
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