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## EXPENDITURES:

Michigan Products, Janitor's Supplies	56.41
Hillgard Sales Co., Janitor's Supplies	736.25
Bookstanz Bros., Janitor's Supplies	34.48
E. P. McFadden, Janitor's Supplies	70.95
McKenzie's Super Service, Janitor's Supplies	37.18
McKenzie's Super Service, Bus Operation	4.00
Everett Sign Co., Bus Operation	31.57
William Shephard, Bus Operation	88.44
W. J. Durham & Co., Bus Operation	32.78
Cunningham's Service, Bus Operation	9.10
Otis Jensen, Bus Operation	47.23
Wack's Service, Bus Operation	78.93
Hillsdale School Supply, Library	1.00
Herman H. Dignan, Bus Operation	36.29
Mike Byrnes Service, Bus Operation	57.33
A. N. Marquis, Library	1.57
Pank & Wagnall, Library	15.64
J. B. Lippicott, Library	3.25
Science Research Ass., Library	7.50
Educators Progress, Library	6.90
McGraw Hill Book Co., Library	12.59
George E. Dum Co., Library	34.30
Martin & Murray Co., Library	30.80
The Currier Co., Library	170.84
Skyway's Library	5.00
Travel Letters, Library	19.29
Cadmus Book Co., Library	150.43
Dodd & Struthers, Library	12.00
Charles Walling, Library	44.50
Hall & McCreary Co., Library	49.83
School Broadcast Co., Library	.50
Farrar & Trafts, Library	2.59
Men's Salaries	15,130.75
Women's Salaries	27,706.18
Office Clerks	1,048.78
Bus Drivers	810.97
Janitor's Salaries	8,896.97
Internal Revenue Dept.	1,029.59
E. J. La Duke, Labor	20.00
E. C. Ward Co., Instruction	241.50
Xenograph, Instruction	146.75
Denoyer Geppert Co., Instruction	274.23
University of Michigan, Instruction	41.35
Michigan School Service, Instruction	915.15
Michigan Int., Instruction	46.10
Educational Specialties, Instruction	37.70
H. R. Terryberry Co., Instruction	12.33
Chicago Apparatus Co., Instruction	92.11
Iroquois Publishing Co., Instruction	8.21
Duplicating Service Co., Instruction	161.39
Gover's Central Supply, Instruction	8.21
Milton Bradley Co., Instruction	9.32
Cereal Seeds Co., First Aid	13.10
Maxwell J. Smith, First Aid	32.00
Jam Handy Pictures, Instruction	30.41
Brown Lyeum Bureau, Instruction	11.33
Chicago Apparatus Co., Instruction	51.40
Grinnell Bros., Instruction	19.11
Continental Chemical Co., Instruction	6.30
Metropolitan Typewriter, Instruction	430.48
Standard School Co., Instruction	17.53
Olsen Anderson, Instruction	5.00
Becky Cardy Co., Instruction	132.77
Phillips Petroleum Co., Operation	18.50
Michigan Chandler, Operation	172.00
John F. Woodfield, Operation	1,088.65
Purser Brooks Co., Operation	1,499.00
Farmington Hardware, Operation	669.38
Low & Campbell, Operation	11.01
Fulkerson Ice & Coal, Operation	353.73
Fred A. Block, Operation (Bus)	253.15
Water, Operation	60.03
Michigan Bell Telephone, Operation	490.60
Detroit Edison, Operation	26.61
General Motors, Operation (Bus)	16.17
Firestone Supply, Operation (Bus)	97.00
L. J. Henkel & Son, Operation	24.00
W. Ford Johnson, Operation	5.91
David M. Trout, Operation	158.77
Michigan Motor Freight, Operation	11.10
Robertson Hardware, Operation	2.50
Philgas, Operation	30.41
Itarold Stevens, Operation	441.63
Russell Waack, Operation	302.44
M. J. Beiser, Cash Advanced	152.55
John R. Uhlig, Insurance	13.50
War Damage Corp., Insurance	128.30
Earl B. Davidson, Insurance	140.00
Edith G. Sonnenberg, Census	94.78
E. J. Bishop, Maintenance	230.50
Phillips Cary Mfg., Maintenance	6.28
A. C. Johnson Co., Maintenance	4.00
Farmington Cleaners, Maintenance	2.70
Wm. Bracken, Maintenance	42.01
Cincinnati Time, Maintenance	24.50
Murray W. Sales Co., Maintenance	355.01
Acme Sanitation, Maintenance	15.00
General Auto Repair, Maintenance (Bus)	17.50
Orvin Grimm, Maintenance	5.00
Frank Oliver, Maintenance	12.54
William La Forge, Maintenance	25.00
Clair Link Fence, Maintenance	12.00
Fidelity Cleaners, Maintenance	2.63
F. D. Denny, Maintenance	38.95
Wolverine Hardware Co., Maintenance	25.00
Charles Groes, Maintenance	58.00
Simmons Boiler, Maintenance	48.35
Redford Brick & Window, Maintenance	574.73
Amesbury Co., Maintenance	62.14
R. B. Evans, Maintenance	161.35
Walter Carroll Co., Maintenance	106.00
Robert L. Caullio, Maintenance	39.02
Farmington Lumber Company, Maintenance	20.00
Michigan Boiler & Eng. Co., Maintenance	167.23
Wyandotte Chemicals, Maintenance	1,447.66
Robert G. Clark, Maintenance	95.00
D. R. Williams, Maintenance	24.30
Michigan Mutual Liability, Insurance	300.00
Teachers Retirement Fund Bd.	490.00
Modern Music Company	225.00
Aldrich Nursery, Capital Outlay	617.50
Adelphi Music Exchange, Capital Outlay	75.00
William Tucker Corp., Capital Outlay	750.00
W. H. Stanley, Capital Outlay	200.00
Tool Shop & Sport Goods, Capital Outlay	617.50
Mitchell Typewriter Co., Capital Outlay	750.00
School Board Salaries	750.00
Walter A. Markin, Auditor	200.00
Jensen & Keough, Architects	8,460.00

## Victory

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cal condition. After August 10 a rigid physical examination will be required.

**Program To Avoid Clothes Rationing**  
A program to make clothes rationing unnecessary, recently announced by Donald M. Nelson, chairman of WPB, contains these six points: (1) increased production, (2) orderly and adequate distribution, (3) more "volume" merchandise, (4) allocation of materials to essential needs, (5) increased imports of burlap, and (6) proper care of clothing by consumers. There is an adequate supply of textiles to meet civilian needs the WPB has determined.

**Farmers Will Get Gasoline**  
Farmers are entitled to first call in receiving motor fuel when they present valid "E" or bulk coupons or ration volume which are issued pursuant to Ration Order 5-C of the Office of Price Administration. Dealers (whether retail or wholesale) must accord them this privilege. This means that if necessary, the dealer shall not deliver any motor fuel for any non-agricultural or non-military use until these preferred demands have been "satisfied"—statement by Acting Petroleum Administrator for War Ralph K. Davies.

**Dairy Products Supplies**  
Citizens will get 8 of every 10 pounds of butter produced in the year which began July 1, the War Food Administration has announced. The Armed Forces will get 1 1/2 pounds, and the Russian Army will get 3/4 pound. Citizens will also get 5 1/2 of every 10 pounds of cheese, and 4 1/3 cases of evaporated milk out of every 10.

**Dry Beans For Civilians**  
Citizens will get more dry beans and peas this year than they did in 1942, said the WFA in announcing allocations of these saved is likely to be small because of the amount of corn already saved. The War Food Administration, on recommendations of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency, has

the 1935-39 average civilian consumption.

**Canned Vegetables And Fruits**  
Nearly 70 percent of the canned vegetables, and 53 percent of the canned fruits and juices available in the next 12 months will go to feed civilians. These quantities, allocated by the WFA for the 12 months beginning July 1, constitute about 4 percent more canned vegetables but about 40 percent less canned fruit than were consumed on the average during the 1935-39 period.

**Egg Supplies Held Even**  
About the same quantity of eggs will be available to civilians in the 12 months beginning July 1 as in the same period last year, the WFA has indicated. Of a total of 8 billion dozen eggs, civilians will get about 3 1/2 billion dozen.

**Soldiers Send Money By Radio**  
American soldiers overseas except those in Alaska, Hawaii, Panama Canal Zone, and Puerto Rico, may now send money home by radio. In a recent week more than 9,000 soldiers sent nearly \$1,000,000 in amounts of \$10 or more, with no maximum limit. Money may be transmitted to an individual payee, or to a bank. The process is speedy and sure. If a soldier desires to do so, he may also purchase war bonds by this method.

**Frozen Food Locker Prices**  
New operations of frozen food lockers must charge prices in line with those charged by firms in business in March 1942, the OPA has ruled. Prices charged by new frozen food locker plants will be investigated and adjusted by the OPA according to prevailing prices for similar services in the same locality in March 1942.

**No Corn For Liquor**  
Corn cannot be used for manufacture of distilled spirits and high wines, a recent directive of the War Production Board says. The action was taken to conserve stocks of corn for essential purposes, although the amount of corn saved is likely to be small because of the amount of corn already saved. The War Food Administration, on recommendations of the Agricultural Adjustment Agency, has

announced that there will be no marketing quotas for the 1943 cotton crop and that no quotas will be in effect for the 1944 crop. On July 1, farmers were cultivating about 8 million acres less cotton than the acreage permitted in 1942, and about a million and a half fewer acres than they were cultivating on July 1, 1942.

**Country Shipper Berry Prices**  
Maximum prices of seven kinds of fresh berries for table use, assuming use have been set by the OPA. Maximum prices, per pound, for country shipping points, are set as follows: red raspberries 18 cents; black raspberries 16 cents; youngberries, boysenberries, logan berries and blackberries 15 cents; gooseberries 11 cents. These prices represent a sharp rollback at the country shipper level and comparable prices have been established at wholesale, both of which are expected to reduce prices of berries to consumers.

**Million Pounds Of Waste Fats**  
American housewives salvaged almost 8 million pounds of waste kitchen fats in May—highest total since the fats and grease salvage program was started. This result surprised government officials who said that a drop might have been expected because meats and fats have been rationed since March. Nevertheless, the 8 million pounds is only about 50 percent of the needed quota of 16,667,000 pounds per month.

**Rollback Of Vegetable Prices**  
Effective July 20, a rollback of about 25 percent in the price of lettuce and 50 percent in the price of cabbage was ordered by the OPA. This was the first step in a program to cut back the excessive prices of fresh fruits and vegetables to keep the cost of living down.

**More Community-Wide Prices**  
OPA will continue to establish community-wide prices on a sold at retail, even though it has recently issued overall fixed mark up regulations. The housewife cannot easily tell whether a storekeeper has made his prices by the markup method, and that is the reason OPA will proceed with community-wide maximums.

## Michigan Mirror

12.00	Fred Menke, Cash Advanced
7.23	Interstate Freight
68.63	Farmington Enterprise, Administration
33.84	Norman C. Lee, Administration
5.09	Mrs. William Larason, Administration
5.00	Mrs. C. Wild, Administration
132.77	Mrs. B. Russell, Administration
18.50	General Printing, Administration
172.00	Clayton Goers, Capital Outlay
1,088.65	John C. Winston Co., Textbooks
1,499.00	A. N. Palmer Co., Textbooks
669.38	Ginn & Co., Textbooks
11.01	Benj. H. Sarnboro Co., Textbooks
353.73	Webster Publishing Co., Textbooks
253.15	Allyn & Bacon, Text Books
60.03	Gregg Publishing Co., Textbooks
490.60	Scott Foresman Co., Textbooks
26.61	McMillan Company, Text Books
16.17	American Book Co., Text Books
97.00	Lyons & Carnahan, Text Books
24.00	American Red Cross, Text Books
5.91	Detroit Trust Company, Bonds and Interest
6,807.50	
\$84,841.62	Total

Money on hand July 1, 1942  
General Fund \$5,291.76  
1936 Debt Fund 478.93  
1941 Debt Fund 1,202.24  
Total 6,972.93

**Receipts:**  
Farmington Township  
Delinquent tax collection 8,518.27  
Interest on delinquent tax 1,147.04  
1942 Tax collections 10,741.55  
Total 19,406.86

**Livonia Township**  
Delinquent tax collection 7,307.33  
Interest on delinquent tax 174.05  
1942 Tax collections 5,942.98  
Total 13,375.35

**Redford Township**  
Delinquent tax collection 855.08  
Interest on delinquent tax 43.15  
1942 Tax collection 1,443.37  
Total 2,340.60

**Primary Fund** 49,356.02  
**Library Fund** 240.24  
**Sale Tax Books** 1,735.65  
**Miscellaneous** 1,110.77  
Total Receipts 58,756.49  
Total Receipts including money on hand July 1, 1942 59,559.42

**Expenditures:**  
General Fund 28,537.86  
Primary Fund 49,356.02  
Library Fund 240.24  
Debt Service 6,607.50  
Total Expenditures 84,841.62

Money on hand June 30, 1943 2,108.87  
General Fund 2,108.87  
Debt Service Fund 7,588.93  
Total 9,697.80  
Total money on hand June 30, 1943 including expenditures 94,559.42  
Bonded indebtedness \$39,000.00

## "TRAILER VAGABOND"



By WARREN BAYLEN

## OOLAGAH, OKLA.—

## WILL ROGERS' HOME TOWN.

Fifteen miles, as the road goes over the hills from Claremore, is the little town of Oologah, Okla., birthplace of Will Rogers. If you were a Rogers fan (and who wasn't) you may want to drive over when you're down Oklahoma way, just to complete your education on the early background of this generations best loved humorist. Whether or not you consider the trip worth while after you have made it, is for you to decide. Personally I can see why Will departed for greener fields in his early youth.

Oologah is a scrappy little village of perhaps 100 people, and even at that low figure I'm not sure but what I'm spotting the town 25 or 30 citizens that went hunting and just failed to come back. Fifty years ago it had no visible means of support and it hasn't changed in 50 years. In another 20 years it will probably be deserted, the victim of a better way of life.

Rogers was born on a ranch a short distance from this little town. The house still stands in good repair but is a little off the beaten path for the average traveler to go and see. To overcome this obstacle, the residents of Oologah have reproduced the house in miniature on the main corner of their village. It was a nice gesture, but as the reproduction is only some 10 feet square, the average person is apt to think some of the one has built a doll-house for one of his children. For the benefit of future generations, it would have been much better if they had bought the original house, moved

it into town, and furnished it with as many of the original furnishings as was possible.

Near the little house, the residents of Oologah have also built a monument in honor of their most famous citizen. A picture of the humorist is set in the stone near the top. In all my wanderings through the cemeteries of the country, I have seen but one other monument that showed a picture of the deceased. That was in a cemetery in Sioux City, Iowa, when I was checking on a story of a Jewish plot where all the deceased were buried standing up. Someone has told me that setting a picture into a monument is an old Swedish custom. That may or may not be authentic—I don't know. But whatever the origin, the custom should be revived. The smiling picture of Will Rogers set in the monument here at Oologah, almost makes a visitor smile in return.

History has given us many great men that fought their way up the ladder of success from a poor beginning. Rogers was an outstanding example. From a cowboy to the best loved person of his generation is a far step, yet through it all he remained the same unassuming person that rode from an Oklahoma ranch to conquer the nation. Even at the time of his death, he had not changed. In one showcase in the Memorial at Claremore are the various articles that were in his pockets at the time of the crash. Among them are a few three-cent stamps, a 50-cent jack-knife and two watches. Pre-war retail price—one dollar each.

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## Paradox of Climate

Despite the northern latitude, Finland's climate is moderate. Southwest winds prevail. Coastal waters temper extremes. Winter rules about four months in the south; seven months in the north. Winter temperatures average 25 degrees F. in the south; 12 degrees F. in the north. Regional summer averages are 65 degrees F. and 53 degrees F. Seasonal variations in the length of the day are notable.

## Better Hauls Record Weight

A world's tonnage record for a railroad refrigerator car has been established on the Canadian National railways with the carload shipment of frozen hog livers from Edmonton, in western Canada, to an eastern port. The weight of the record shipment was 92,400 pounds, the highest tonnage ever carried in a single "reefer" car.

## First Torpedo Sinking in 1854

The first ship to be sunk by a submarine was the Housatonic, torpedoed by a Confederate vessel while on blockade duty off Charleston, S. C. February 17, 1864.

## Places to Play

New York leads all the states in state parks, forests and recreational areas.

Don Pedro II Bust Unveiled  
Petropolis, Brazil's mountainous city, recently unveiled a bust of Emperor Don Pedro II at the age of 16, when he, by decree, founded the town of Petropolis.

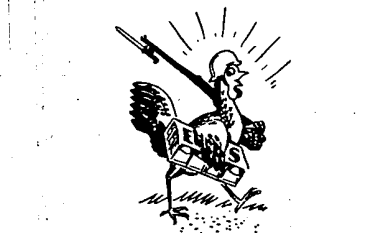
**What You Buy With WAR BONDS**  
Mosquito Bar

Among the casualties returning to the United States from the war are men who have lost their hearing, not from injury, not from shock, but from attack by insects upon men who have been without mosquito bar protection.



We'll never know how many lives this mosquito bar has saved and you probably never will know just how much good your purchases of War Bonds have done, but you should know that regular and increasing purchases are necessary.

U. S. Treasury Department



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