

"MICHIGAN AND THE OLD NORTHWEST" — LaSalle on the Mississippi



La Salle, Iron Man of New France, traveled—Peoria to Kingston—in 65 days!



Returning, La Salle found Crevecoeur destroyed, again turned back to Miami.



One more Kingston trip, and La Salle led his men from Ft. Miami on Dec. 21.



April 9, 1682 At Mississippi mouth he claimed the great valley for France.

Douglas Bell, S 1/c arrived home Saturday morning from Seattle, Washington, to spend a 10 day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bell of 34017 Grand River.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Rogers have moved to their new home on Hawthorn Rd.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coon entertained at a family supper party Sunday evening.

Mrs. Harrison Johnson will be a luncheon guest of Mrs. Carl Mc-Nee of Highland Park on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. O'Brien of Joy Acres entertained Commander W. G. and Mrs. W. G. Morrison of Bloomfield, New Jersey, Saturday at a luncheon.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis White and daughters, Sharon and Janice, of Webberville spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lamb.

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Service Notes

February 10, 1946

Dear Editor,
I'm hoping you'll excuse me for not writing and thanking you sooner than this for sending me the Enterprise. It makes a fellow feel a lot closer to home by receiving the home-town paper.

I'm sorry that I'm not there to see our basketball team in action. They've certainly achieved a mighty fine record for themselves. The whole town should be proud. I assure you that I am.

Thanks again for sending the Enterprise to me and I'll be looking forward to it every week for the rest of this very long year. I have yet to serve.

Sincerely,
Pfc Orvis L. Henke.

Jack Thirey, MM 3/c returned to the states aboard the U.S.S. Saratoga, an attack transport of the "Magic Carpet" fleet. The ship left Pelelia on January 30, and arrived in San Diego about February 12. The U.S.S. Saratoga is one of the Navy's vast fleet of cargo and transport ships which maintained long and often hazardous supply lines throughout the Atlantic and Pacific during World War II.

Jack is the son of Mrs. Charlotte Thirey of 33360 Oakland Avenue.

Clifford Strelitz, S 1/c is now stationed at Pearl Harbor as a radio operator with Commander Service Forces of the Pacific area.

George E. Gendron, S 2/c is one of many Navy veterans returning to the States aboard the U.S.S. Nesbitt, an attack transport fleet which ranges thousands of miles throughout the Pacific carrying men and materials to U.S. attack forces.

George is the husband of Dorothy J. Gendron of 29900 Watt St., Farmington.



INSPIRATION FROM A BORROWED SHIRT

Earl Chamberlain, former secretary to Senator Homer Ferguson, was speaker at the Farmington Kiwanis Club last week, as the guest of Wendell Brown, program chairman. For the evening, Earl Chamberlain gave an illustrated talk on Abraham Lincoln, showing colored slides of pictures which he had taken along the "Lincoln Trail" following the journeys and places of residence of Abraham Lincoln from the time of his birth until he went to the White House. The talk was filled with many Lincoln stories, little known and highly entertaining. It was one of the best programs of the year, and thoroughly enjoyed by all.

Jim Warner is in charge of the program for Wednesday evening, February 27, and it will be Ladies' Night.

RED CROSS NEWS

Red Cross Fund Campaign meetings will be held in various parts of the county according to H. Russell Holland, chairman of the '46 Campaign for the Oakland County Chapter, American Red Cross. Judge Holland and a campaign committee will attend all meetings accompanied by a special speaker. The dates for the meetings are as follows:

Monday, Feb. 25 at 8 o'clock at the Peradale Women's Club; Tuesday, Feb. 26 at 8 o'clock at the Royal Oak High School; Wednesday, Feb. 27 at 8 o'clock at the Holly High School auditorium; Thursday, Feb. 28 at 8 o'clock at the Lake Orion High School auditorium; Friday, March 1 at 8 o'clock at the Milford High School; Monday, March 4 at the Donelson School, West Huron Street, Waterford Township.

The Red Cross, never exclusively a war agency, will have increased post war usefulness in its regular services such as disaster relief, first aid and home nursing and water safety, as well as continued service to occupation forces overseas. The domestic program will include recreation and welfare services in camps and hospitals; chapter service to families of servicemen and veterans and their families.

Crockery Welcome to Brides
Wedding presents of crockery rank almost as high as silverware in South Africa, which has no potteries. Moreover, war has stopped crockery imports and many brides are happy to receive ordinary plates.

At the evening meeting of the Exchange Club, February 13, Archie Leonard, as guest speaker, gave another of his fine talks. Mr. Leonard is to be complimented on the well prepared and clearly presented speeches which are so much enjoyed by local organizations.

Chairman Arthur Lamb also presented Lloyd Smith, Charles Grynland and Walter Sandness in an unusually fine musical program. The 65 members and wives present expressed their thanks to the committee for an enjoyable evening.

Next week will be the annual "dress up" party at Bolstead Inn Court. Hall is in charge of arrangements.

THE BORROWED SHIRT

By Marion Milton

A city shirt to the country went—its mission unknown; but on adventure bent! "I'm game," it thought, "for most anything!" But didn't know it was going to sing!

At the dinner table its face did shine,
It could tell its wearer liked to dine!
The back it was on was strange to him;
But the fit was correct, right down to the limbs!

When the piano gave forth its very first tune,
The shirt was scared, and white as the moon!
As time went on, the music soothed,
With "Drink To Me Only" it was wooed!

Right on through to the very last song,
The world was all music, — nothing went wrong!
Now we hope your shirt hasn't turned into a snob;
'Cause it sure helped to do a very good job!

E Pluribus Unum
These Latin words, which constitute the motto of the United States, mean "from many, one." This ancient phrase was considered singularly appropriate for a nation composed of many governmental units.

Delicious Salad
Avocado and citrus fruits cubed and combined half and half make a delicious salad when served with tart French dressing.

Gout Rare Among Workers
Gout is rare among the working classes of Eire, says an official medical report.

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No. 2 Can BEETS, 2 for	29c	No. 2 Can SPINACH 2 for	29c

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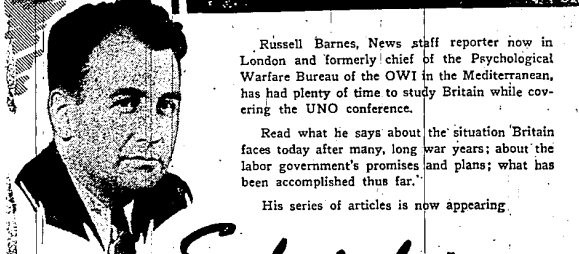
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Is Britain's Labor Government Succeeding?



Russell Barnes, News staff reporter now in London and formerly chief of the Psychological Warfare Bureau of the OWI in the Mediterranean, has had plenty of time to study Britain while covering the UNO conference.

Read what he says about the situation Britain faces today after many, long war years; about the labor government's promises and plans; what has been accomplished thus far.

His series of articles is now appearing.

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