

World Trade
A 80th Century fund report shows that from 1940 to 1939, the share of the United States in world trade rose from 8 per cent to 14 per cent, while the United Kingdom's share declined from 32 per cent to 14 per cent. Total world trade in the same period rose from 2.8 billion to 66.7 billion dollars.

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FERTILIZER SCARCE FOR FALL WHEAT SEEDING

Michigan farmers should begin now to locate the fertilizer they will need in planting their fall wheat, according to Dr. C. E. Millar, head of the soil science department at Michigan State college.

Dr. Millar warns that there will not be as much fertilizer for wheat this fall as farmers will wish to buy, because of heavy demand and limited supplies. On the whole, Michigan farmers are using about double the amount of commercial fertilizer they used in 1940.

Farmers who intend using fertilizer should contact their dealer immediately and arrange to take the available fertilizer whenever it appears on the market. Those who wait until planting time may find it more difficult to obtain.

Fertilizers containing 12 percent or more of potash are desirable for wheat planted on sandy loam soils. However, many of these are not available. If the dealers cannot supply high potash content fertilizers, farmers are advised to use the 2-12-6 or 0-14-7 fertilizers for use this fall on sandy loam soils.

For clay soils the 2-16-3 is a good wheat fertilizer. If this grade is not available, straight superphosphate may be used for wheat on soils well supplied with humus or soils receiving manure in the rotation. On depleted and unmanured heavy soils the 2-12-6 and 0-14-7 are suggested by Dr. Millar as substitutes for the 2-16-3. He recommends that farmers planting wheat on heavy land do not use the 3-12-12 as the limited supply is badly needed by the farmers on sandy loam soil.

Application at seeding time of 300 to 500 pounds per acre is suitable for wheat in which legume is to be seeded. When clover or alfalfa are not to be seeded in the grain 200 to 400 pounds per acre is recommended.

LEGAL NOTICES

STATE OF MICHIGAN, THE PROBATE COURT, IN THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND, A session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 24th day of August A.D. 1946.

Hon. Arthur R. Moore, Judge of Probate.

In re: Estate of JAMES W. PORTER, Deceased.
Arthur J. Lamb, administrator of said estate, having filed in said court a petition praying that the time for the presentation of claims against said estate be limited and that a time and place be assigned to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased and before said court.

It is Ordered, that two months from this date be allowed for creditors to present claims against said estate.

It is Further Ordered, that the 4th day of November 1946 at nine o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for the examination and adjustment of all claims against said deceased, and for the examination and allowance of the bills of said administrator, of the residue of said estate and the discharge of said administrator.

Arthur R. Moore, Judge of Probate.
Aug. 8-22

RECONVERSION DIRECTOR JOHN STEELMAN



WASHINGTON, D. C. — Soundphoto — Reconversion Director John R. Steelman is reorganizing the Office of War Mobilization and Reconversion, and is talking over functions of the office of Economic Stabilization. Federal Judge John C. Collet, Jr., of Missouri, will succeed Steelman, right, and will occupy an office adjoining Steelman's in the White House, but will have no formal title or specific duties.

Report Reveals Causes Of Most Farm Accidents

Contrary to popular opinion, farming is not the safest occupation, and neither is home the safest place. Fred W. Roth, extension safety specialist at Michigan State college, reveals that more than 16,000 farm people were killed in 1945 and 1,500,000 were injured. Agriculture employs about one-sixth of all the workers, but has one fourth of the occupational accidents, which gives it a death rate one and one-half times higher than the all-industry rate.

More farm people lose their lives by accidents in the home than any other place on the farm. Last year accidents in and around the farm home took a toll of 6,500 lives. Falls and burns were the chief causes of accidental home deaths every year. Stairs without handrails, broken steps, slippery rugs and floors, and improvised ladders are the most common conditions causing people to fall to their death. Burns from gasoline and kerosene explosions, and those resulting from failure to escape a burning house are responsible for a large share of the home fatalities, Roth reports.

Fatal farm work accidents are chiefly due to improper handling of machinery and livestock. Tractors and other machinery are not particularly dangerous when properly operated, but they will maim and kill when carelessly handled. Roth reports a great deal of time and effort has been devoted to the development of safer design, but any machine is only as safe as its operator. Most fatal accidents with farm machinery are not due to mechanical defects, but instead, to careless or improper handling of equipment.

Farm animals are seldom vicious, yet many farmers become victims of livestock accidents each year. Runaway horses are one of the most frequent types, usually due to harness and equipment being in poor condition. The "gentle" bull, annually cuts short many farmers careers.

returned to January after serving three years in the United States Marine Corps in the South Pacific. On Tuesday Mrs. Elmer Dobany and daughter, Vivian, were guests of Mrs. William Yeager, Dearborn. It being the 31st anniversary of the Dearborn Garden Club, the Club was entertained by the Monroe Garden Club at a picnic in Dunbar Park, Monroe. After a tour of the cottage gardens, speed boats took the ladies about ten miles to view their famous lotus beds, after which tea and cream and birthday cake were served. Two of the charter members, Mrs. Louis Ives and Mrs. E. Roy Bryant, were present. Mrs. Yeager was requested to make an appeal to the government to attempt to save the lotus that are being slowly destroyed by the pollution of the water from the paper mills, and by birds that feed on the buds.

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School Board

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It was recommended that all insurance carried on buildings and contents be placed on a general form. Lebadie moved that the insurance be increased in accordance with the appraisal set as of August 1 and write all the buildings in the Farmington Township School District on a general form. Schreiber supported the motion and it carried.

Mt. Glenn Ireland, auditor for the School Board, presented the new auditor's report. Ireland stated that the new procedure outlined in the report was practically the same as previous, with the exception that it was simplified. The Board unanimously approved the report.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Kelly, daughter and son are leaving for a three weeks vacation on the West Coast where they will be guests of Mrs. Kelly's parents.

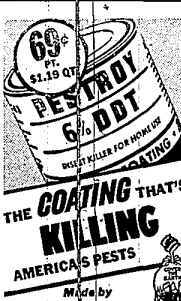
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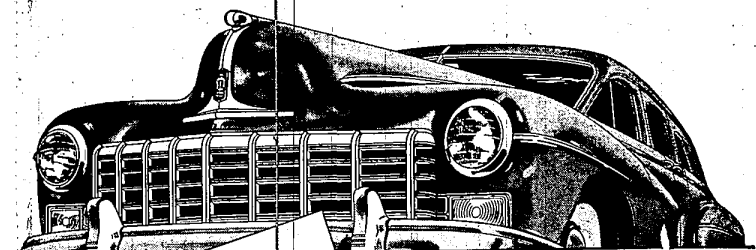
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LOCALS

Gordon Lint writes that he is now located in Tientsin, China. Gordon is stationed with the U.S. Marine Band.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald J. Williams were honored at a shower and reception on Tuesday evening, given by Mrs. Gerald E. Williams and Mrs. J. L. Williams. About 35 friends and relatives gathered to extend best wishes and congratulations to the young couple. They were married on July 13. Gerald

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