

Expense Check
Wise Procedure

Falling income is something that is affecting all farmers these days. Michigan State College agricultural economists say that cutting expenses is one good way to combat the reduction in income.

They advise farmers to use their account books to determine their

major expense items. A general rule can be applied to expense, they advise. If the proposed expense is to be justified as being anything except a luxury or contribution to better living, it should either increase farm income by more than the amount of the new expense or else decrease some other item of expense by more than that amount.

BIDS WANTED

Sealed bids wanted for setting street sign posts in Farmington Township at the corner of subdivision streets.

Locations for posts will be marked by stakes by the Oakland County Road Commission.

Posts will be furnished by Farmington Township.

Posts to be picked up at 35720 12 Mile Road. Posts to be set three (3) feet in the ground from ground level.

Holes for posts to be six (6) inches in diameter.

Posts to be set in three (3) feet of cement with a mixture of five parts of gravel and one part cement and the mixture to be tamped in the holes. An oval crown of one (1) inch above the ground level at each post. All posts to be plumbed.

All work subject to approval of the Township Board. Work to start as soon as possible after contract is let.

All bids must be in by JUNE 7, 1949. The Township Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Mail sealed bids to HARRY N. McCracken, Township Clerk, 35720 12 Mile Road.

Signed, HARRY N. McCracken,
Township Clerk

Railroads Again Supply Berlin



Women workers in Berlin unload flour from a freight car just arrived from the western zone of Germany. Trains are pouring supplies from the three Allied zones into the western sectors of the former German capital, no longer blockaded by Russia.

WEST POINT PARK

By MISS L. A. AULT
TELEPHONE FARM. 1461-M

Mrs. George Cooke, of Hugo Avenue, and her little son, Richard George, left Sessions' Hospital, in Northville, Thursday evening and for a week or so will be staying at Mr. Cooke's parents, and Mrs. Russell Ault, on Shady-side Avenue.

Little Miss Linda Muir, of Shady-side, is convalescing from a tonsil operation performed Saturday at Nelson Meade, of Hubbard Avenue, who has been ill with scarlet fever, is to return to school this week.

Miss Joanne Willet, of Mayfield Avenue, who has been suffering with a rather bad scarlet fever illness, expects to be able to leave her home by the end of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schult spent the week end with relatives in Grand Rapids.

Albert Hardy, from Norway, was calling at the home of his mother, Mrs. Walter Rehahn Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. Joe Roberts, Mayfield Avenue, visited with her daughter, Mrs. Edward Kochanek and children in Detroit last Tuesday.

Mrs. M. E. Ault and her daughter, Mrs. Edwin L. Johnson, were in Dearborn Tuesday evening attending a bridal shower for Miss Rita Corney, whose marriage to Edward Stromski, nephew of Mrs. Ault, is to take place on Memorial Day. The affair was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Ackerman.

Mrs. and Mrs. Lewis, from Detroit, were Friday evening dinner guests of their son, Harry Lewis, and his family on Hubbard Road.

Mrs. William Sherman, of Mayfield Avenue, left the first of the week for Pennsylvania, where she was called to attend a sister-in-law's funeral.

Mrs. Clinton Ault was visiting her niece, Mrs. George Cooke, in Sessions' Hospital, Northville, on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold McMillan and children, from Detroit, and Mr. McMillan's mother, from the Midwest, were Wednesday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Mager.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Galloway, Garden City, and Mr. Galloway's son, Glenn, from Battle Creek, were Friday evening guests of their aunt, Mrs. Walter Rehahn. Mr. Glenn Galloway was also calling on the Kelloggs, of Mayfield Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kochanek and children, of Detroit, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Robert Padot, in Monroe.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Malino, West Eight Mile Road, is convalescing from a siege of mumps.

Polson Ivy is already securing its victims. This last week children with the rash were sent home from school.

Richard Kauranen, Mayfield Avenue, was tended a party honoring his fifth birthday Friday evening. Guests were young friends, mostly from the neighborhood. Games, gifts and refreshments made the affair enjoyable for all.

At a little neighborhood get-together in the Charles Nell residence on Hubbard Avenue Saturday evening, movies were shown in which children of the street figured.

Helen Ruth Ault of Brentwood Avenue, was one of the Northville High School seniors to take the trip to Niagara Falls last week.

Mrs. James Simpson was visiting her sister-in-law in Reelford Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. William Allen, of Mayfield Avenue, will be spending the next month or two with relatives in Detroit.

Wayne Ault, of the Coast Guards, now stationed in Connecticut, writes that he is putting in many hours of difficult and intensive study.

Mrs. and Mrs. Noel Johnson, of Merriam Court, were visitors in Canada last Wednesday.

Mrs. George Sanden, of Hubbard Avenue, honored her mother, Mrs. Roy Dent, with a birthday dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Ralph Noble, of Nine Mile Road, a representative of the W. C. T. U., spoke on the cigarette question to the Sunshine Sisters at their regular meeting last Wednesday afternoon in the Neighborhood Church. The subject was discussed quite thoroughly. Fifteen ladies enjoyed the program. A social hour, during which home-made cake and tea were served, was a happy culmination. The next Sunshine meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon, June 2nd, at 2 p.m. in the Neighborhood Church. Another special feature is planned for that occasion.

Bill Fournier, of California, was a week end caller among his old friends. He was a Saturday night guest of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Martindale. Bill has not been in Farmington for three years. During that time, he was wearing Navy blue.

- Obituaries -

Henry James Horrigan
Henry James Horrigan, 25205 Inkster Road, former State assistant attorney general, died May 18 at his residence. He was buried in Grand Lawn Cemetery.

Mr. Horrigan was a member of the State Bar Association and the Oakland County Bar Association. He leaves his wife, Margaret, a son, John Robert, and a grandson, James Robert.

Mr. Horrigan served as assistant attorney general in the late 1920's, and later as city attorney and postmaster in Ionia.

Funeral services were held from the Heeneey Funeral Home.

Thomas McGoldrick, 73, died May 22 at Toledo, Ohio. He was a brother of Mrs. Ella P. Vivier. Funeral services were held Wednesday at 9 a.m. at Our Lady of Sorrows Church. Mr. McGoldrick resided at the Heeneey Funeral Home before interment in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery.

Mrs. Rudy Johnson, of Orchard Lake Road, spent the week with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ohlen, of Columbus, Ohio. Mr. Ohlen is seriously ill at his home.

List Current
Garden Jobs

Home gardeners in central and southern Michigan can use the last week of May and the first of June to put out tomatoes, egg plant, and pepper plants. This advice comes from Jack Rose, of the Michigan State College department of horticulture.

Frosts early in May proved the danger of getting these warm weather crops outdoors too early. Other garden chores that can be done now are planting snap beans and sweet corn as well as setting out transplants. Cucumbers, melons, and squash can be planted any time until about June 10. Soil should be thoroughly warm before seeds of these crops are planted.

Many gardeners plant lima beans too early in Michigan. Rose believes. This crop should not go into the ground until the first week in June. The new varieties Peerless and Triumph, developed by the United States Department of Agriculture, have given excellent results under Michigan conditions. Henderson Bush is the second lima bean choice, if the new varieties cannot be obtained.

Fill your time with positive service and good. Do not drift. Have definite things on hand to do.

Girl, 3, Dies
Of Lukemia

Little Chelene Vickery, age 3, daughter of Travis Vickery, Haystack Road, died at her home Monday morning. She had been suffering with leukemia since birth.

Neighbors, led by Josephine Smith, cooperated to provide flowers for Chelene, as well as making a gift to the parents. The body will be sent to Alabama for burial.



From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Two Heads Are Better
Than One (Or None)

I get a kick out of buying stuff down at the hardware store. And I always ask for a little advice from one of the two brothers who run it, because I know beforehand exactly what the answer will be.

Like when I needed a new garden hose. "Henry," I says, "how about this new plastic hose—is it really as good as rubber?" "Well," he says, "I'm inclined to think it is—but you'd better ask Tom."

I found Tom in back and asks him the same question. "Well," says Tom, "in my opinion it is—"

but you'd better ask Henry. "I already have," I says, "and when you two cautious old codgers agree I'd bet my life on the decision."

From where I sit, your own opinion is worth a lot—but so's the other fellow's. That's why I keep saying, over and over, let's be tolerant of the other person's point of view—whether it's on politics or farming—or whether you like milk shakes and he prefers a temperate glass of beer.

Joe Marsh

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Answers to TEST YOUR I. Q.

1. The Pentagon, housing the armed forces in Washington, covers 34 acres and during the last years of the war provided space for 32,000 workers.
2. West Virginia.
3. Lima, the capital of Peru.
4. The Red Cross was organized in 1881 with Clara Barton as its first president.
5. The bill providing readjustment allowances and education benefits for veterans of World War II, commonly known as the "GI Bill," is Public Law 249, the Servicemen's Readjustment Act.

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