

## Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Conroy visited relatives at Milan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Green and Mr. and Mrs. John Green attended the Fowlerville fair Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hinborn visited friends at Toledo, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hartz who have been visiting relatives in Kansas, spent several days last week with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Delos Hamlin, before returning to their home at Bay City.

Mrs. Norman Barrons, Mrs. Charles Walling and Miss Winifred Walling spent Wednesday in Detroit as guests of Mrs. Clarence Severts.

Mrs. Walter Nelson of Detroit with Mrs. Allen Nelson and family attended the football game at Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie Johnson and Mrs. Alfred Smith are attending the Universalist Convention at Grand Rapids this week.

The regular meeting of the Ladies Aid Society will be with Mrs. Lee Doyle Thursday, October 5.

Elizabeth Holcomb is home from the U. of M. on account of illness.

Virginia Otis and Ruth Macomber were home from the U. of M. over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Stuckey and son Nelson were Friday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Harrison.

Mrs. T. H. McGee was shopping in Detroit Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hartow Gruendorf and family of Detroit and Mr. and Mrs. James Foster of Lincoln Park were guests at the M. E. church and parsonage last Sunday.

Mrs. E. F. Bauer and Miss Mary Lee were dinner guests of Mrs. H. E. Boice Monday.

Guests at the Don Button home Sunday were Mrs. Button's mother, Mrs. Smith, and brothers W. J. Smith and Dr. Thad Smith and

children of Detroit.

Mrs. Anna Blair of Detroit has been spending several days with her grand children, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Doyle.

Rev. and Mrs. F. C. Johnson, Mrs. A. L. Ross and Mrs. Harry Pagel visited at the Walled Lake M. E. church Monday evening and attended a missionary meeting.

Rev. F. C. Johnson and A. L. Ross called to see Harry Terry, who is in the University Hospital in Ann Arbor, Wednesday.

Miss Mary Lee was shopping in Redford Saturday.

Mrs. Stanley Beebe and family of Detroit were guests of their cousins at the M. E. parsonage, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Boice Jr. have returned from a ten days visit with Mrs. Boice's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Applin at East Tawas.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Osmus, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Heeney and daughter Joyce and Howard Thayer attended the football game at Ann Arbor Saturday.

Harold Westfall, Roderick Howarth, Elaine Auten and Irene Taylor attended the football game at Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ross and Mrs. Eva Briggs visited Mr. and John McClelland in Pontiac Sunday.

Mrs. E. F. Bauer had as her dinner guests Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. J. Dawson and son and Miss B. Cleveland of Detroit.

Mrs. James Miller was a business caller in Detroit Tuesday.

Those attending the W. H. M. S. Rally at Ann Arbor Thursday were Mrs. T. E. Allen, Mrs. J. A. Miller, Mrs. W. N. Andrews, Mrs. Dean Parker, Mrs. Minnie Osmus, Miss Mary Lee, Mrs. Harry Pagel and Mrs. A. L. Ross. Several of them visited Miss Thelma Garlick while there.

### Uncle Eben

"Leader," said Uncle Eben, "is sumthin' to be discouraged. But what is you kinder do wif de uns dat is so industrious dat he'd rather be in trouble dan doin' nuffin?"—Washington Star.

## HISTORY'S MYSTERIES

Unsolved Riddles That Still Puzzle Authorities Here and Abroad

### The Wandering Jew

THERE is little mystery to the story of the "Wandering Jew," so far as the personage himself is concerned, but there is a deep and yet unexplained mystery about the origin of this legend, dealing, according to the Jewish encyclopedia, with a shoemaker who, taunting Jesus on the road to Golgotha, was told by Him to "go on forever till I return"—or, according to the more popular version, "Tarry thou till I come."

No one seems to know just how this story started. So far as can be learned, the legend first appeared in a pamphlet of four leaves printed at Leyden in 1602 by Christoff Crutger, but no printer of that name has ever been located and the real place and printer cannot now be ascertained. The legend spread quickly throughout Germany, no less than six different editions of the pamphlet appearing during the year 1602 and forty were extant in Germany before the end of the eighteenth century, while the story made its way into England in 1625, and to other European countries about the same time, eventually forming the basis of a number of novels and other imaginative works based upon the same idea.

According to Behauer, one of the recognized authorities upon subjects of this kind, the legend is founded on the words given in Matthew 10:23, which are quoted in the earliest German pamphlets of 1602. Another version of the legend declares that the attendant Malchus, whose ear was cut off by Peter in the garden of Gethsemane, was condemned to wander over the face of the earth until the second coming of Christ.

The action of Malchus is associated by several biblical commentators with the anointing of Jesus and an actual predecessor of the wandering Jew is recorded in the "Flores Historiarum," by Roger of Wendover, in 1228. Here it is stated that an Armenian bishop, while visiting in England, was asked by the monks of St. Albans about the celebrated Joseph of Arimathea, who had spoken to Jesus and who was popularly supposed still to be alive. The archbishop declared that he had himself seen him in Armenia and that his name was Cartaphilus.

Monseigneur D. Conway attempts to connect the legend with those of other "immortals"—King Arthur, Frederick Barbarossa, Don Sebastian of Portugal, Thomas the Rhymer and even Rip Van Winkle, claiming that all are founded on the same belief in the immortality of certain prominent personages, some of whom are notable for their praiseworthy exploits and others for crimes which they must expiate by centuries of bodily suffering. Numbers of persons have presented themselves as the "Wandering Jew" and have gathered varying numbers of believers in their statements during the past three centuries—the most notable of these being Count Cagliostro, the Italian impostor who stopped at nothing in order to attain his ends. In 1542 a man appeared in Hamburg, Germany, who declared that he had been present during the passion of Christ and that since that time he had wandered through many countries and over many lands, as a penance for his voluntary participation in the dragging of Jesus before Pilate.

Another man, representing himself to be the same character, appeared in the Netherlands in 1575, arriving at Strassburg a few years later and, presenting himself before the magistrates, informed them that he had visited their city two centuries before, which is said to be proved to be true by "reference to the registers of the town, wherein the stranger pointed out an entry about himself and also called attention to names which he mentioned before they were shown to him."

The "Wandering Jew" was next heard of in the West Indies and, in 1604, he made his appearance in France, where he caused a considerable sensation. On April 22, 1774, the Wanderer, or an individual who impersonated him, appeared in Brussels under the name of Isaac Laquedem and only a few years ago another claimant to the title made himself known in central Germany—but not one of these surrounded himself with the atmosphere and apparent sincerity of Cagliostro, a confessed impostor, who had so grounded himself in history and languages as to be able to speak with apparent authority about every event of importance which had taken place since the beginning of the Christian era.

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### Knew One of Them

An old negro, spending last summer in Massachusetts with his "white folks" from the South, believes there is nothing worth knowing that has escaped his employer's mind.

When he heard the cook reading from a paper that only 12 men in the world were capable of understanding the Einstein theory, he said: "Dinah, read dat piece again and see often it specify who de other 'leven men is 'sides Kunnal Jackson."—Boston Globe.

### Life's Unchanging Law

Blessed is he who gives, not he who receives. This is the universal law of life. The world is a storehouse from which we can take out no more than we put in. The returns we get are measured by the service we give.—Grit.

## NORTHWESTERN "11" AGAIN FORCED TO TAKE 2-0 DEFEAT

Play Tireman Merchants Sunday At Club's Field On Middle Belt Road

Northwestern Athletic Club lost its second straight game of the season Sunday by the identical score of its previous defeat a week ago. The score was 2-0 and was due to a blocked punt in the third quarter which rolled over the goal line and could not be run out before being downed behind the goal line for a safety.

The Berkeley Chevrolet eleven provided the opposition last Sunday. They presented a strong running attack and several times threatened the Northwestern goal but great defensive work held off each thrust. Once N. W. A. C. held for downs within its one yard line.

N. W. A. C. is playing a better calibre of teams this year than formerly but in spite of the stronger opposition only breaks of the game have prevented N. W. A. C. from scoring at least tie games in both instances.

"Hermie" Rife, N. W. A. C. halfback, suffered a severely bumped head in the game. Captain George Robinson, Chapman at end and Andy Lauth, a guard, played stellar games. Candidates for the team who wish a tryout may still report at the N. W. A. C. field Wednesday and Friday nights and Sunday mornings.

N. W. A. C. will play the Tireman Merchants, a strong Detroit aggregation, at the N. W. A. C. field on Middlebelt road between Seven and Eight Mile roads Sunday.

The price of admission has been dropped from 35c to 25c.

## FARMINGTON WOMAN IS REELECTED HEAD OF CLUB

Mrs. A. C. Wallbank attended a ten and musical Tuesday given by Mrs. William Stafford at her home in Windsor, Ontario. Mrs. Stafford entertained the Canadian Overseas Nurse's club. Mrs. Wallbank was reelected president for the year, this being her third term in that office.

## Exchange Club—Apple Growers Meet Monday

The first meeting of apple-growers of Farmington with members of Farmington Exchange Club, with the view of drawing attention to Farmington as the leading apple district in this part of the country will take place Monday evening at the home of Frank Steele, on Drake road. Preliminary plans and projects will be discussed and steps may be taken to form an organization. The meeting will start about eight o'clock.

## Farmington Man's Song Writer For Convention (Continued from page one)

some occasion in the near future. The words of the song are as follows:

### "WE'RE IN THE LEGION NOW"

Words by Ben C. Hughes  
Music by Pierce Robinson  
Dedicated to Captain Frank Murphy, Mayor of Detroit.

With Florida and Oregon  
And Golden Gate and Maine,  
The Legion boys from Illinois  
Will swing in line again;

Each starry State will march in  
Tune,  
And loyal homage pay;  
In War and Peace our Love Increase,  
For Good Old U. S. A.

Chorus  
Clear the Road for the Legionaires—  
We're comin' in Squads, We're comin' in Pairs;  
Row! Row! Fightin' or Chow,  
We'll tell the World that we know how!

All aboard for the Big Parade,  
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It's Hot in the Sun, It's Cool in the Shade;  
We're in 'The Legion Now!

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