

AT THE REDFORD THEATER



The movie picturization of the famous Ethel Vance novel comes to the Redford Theater Friday, Saturday, Sunday and Monday in "Escape." The picture, based on the story of the same name, tells of refugees in totalitarian Europe. Robert Taylor and Norma Shearer have leading roles.

ONE FARM IN FIVE OPERATED BY TENANT

Is it detrimental or beneficial to Michigan agriculture that one farm in five and one acre in every four is operated by a tenant farmer?

That is a question that wrinkled brows at Michigan State College have not been able to penetrate other than to assemble figures and estimate merits and demerits of the tenant system.

For it is true that there are faults and credits in tenant farming. In the opinion of F. M. Atchley of the college farm management department tenant farming does not necessarily mean either good or poor farming. Michigan is not in the same classification of southern states where tenancy is rated at 90 per cent and some corn belt states where it ranges up to 50 per cent as contrasted to this state's 19 per cent.

Greatest need is for a proper system of education for both tenants and landlords says Atchley. Both should recognize the problems involved in establishing good farming on a permanent basis.

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Another phase is the need for improvement in farm leases. The written contract leads to a better understanding, according to Atchley. Usually the written contract leads to a longer and more satisfactory term of relationship between tenant and landlord.

Say you saw it in The Enterprise

SOUTH FARMINGTON TOWNSHIP NEWS

The Rebecca's Club meets with Mrs. William LaForge every Thursday for their card party.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Callen and children of Farmington were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Haskins Friday in honor of their daughter, Jerry's, birthday.

Girl Scout Troop No. 76 and their leader, Mrs. W. Ayo, of Detroit, paid a surprise visit to their former leader, Mrs. Robert Clark, Saturday, where they enjoyed the afternoon with skis and toboggans.

Mrs. Jane Houdershaw is somewhat improved from her illness of several weeks, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Susie Seelye on Silvanus Road.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Billings, Mrs. William LaForge, and Mrs. S. Shop attended the I.O.O.F. and Rebecca Lodge public installation in Ferndale, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tugman and daughter Sharon, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Thornton, Mr. and Mrs. A. McIntyre and Mrs. Jerry Fifoot and son Jack, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Banfield, Friday.

Mrs. Joseph Graham and daughter, Mrs. Leouel Irving of Nine Mile Road, called on Mrs. Mary Heikler on Orchard Lake Road, Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Maurice Seebaldt was the guest of Mrs. Fred Walton in Detroit Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fendt, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wright and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Westlake were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Truman in Redford. The occasion being Mr. Truman's birthday anniversary.

Edwin Cooper of Edward avenue was painfully injured in an auto accident on Seven Mile Road last Thursday, caused by the icy roads. The Misses Joyce Billings and Marie Schroeder, with Robert Davis and James Best attended the public installation of the I.O.O.F. and Rebecca lodges in Ferndale, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George Cooper and son of Detroit, were dinner guests of their father, Edwin Cooper and Mrs. Emma Damon, Friday.

Mrs. Mildred LaForge, Mrs. B. Keyes, Mr. D. Hayes, Mrs. Alean White, Mrs. Elizabeth Zimmer and Mrs. Frances Billings attended a meeting of the Rebecca lodge in Brighton Tuesday evening.

The Misses Pat and Mary Jo Cale entertained sixteen of their school friends at an informal party, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Putnam (Ruth Hammond) of Novi, announce the birth of a son, Larry Grant, at Sessions Hospital on January 9.

Mrs. Fred Lee of Walled Lake and Mrs. Henry Hill of Northville called on their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Walker, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Wilkins and children and Joseph Kaposi of Detroit and Miss Virginia Seebaldt were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hofmann.

Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Irving were Sunday callers of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Hills in Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. George McNeal and Mrs. Ruth Young of Detroit were dinner guests of their mother, Mrs. Emma Damon, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Erickson had for their Sunday guests, Mr. and Mrs. Olander of Detroit.

Miss Marge Billings and Camp Frisk were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Billings on Purling Brook Road.

Miss Ruth Esch entertained at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Esch, on Sunday evening. The Misses Elaine Greene, Margery Morris, Nora Pulcher, Adeline Houts, Glenna McIntyre, and June Esch, also James Youngblood, Ralph Houts, Donald McIntyre, Paul Gawne, Robert Blakeslee, Charles Hyde, Ray Mason and Harry and George Esch.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Mauer and son, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Smale, son, and father Vernon Smale, Sr., of Detroit, were dinner guests of their father, Edwin Cooper and Mrs. Damon on Saturday.

Mrs. H. A. McIntyre attended the Tea given by Mrs. Yost in Detroit, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hofmann called on their sister, Mrs. Edward Putnam and baby son, in Sessions Hospital, Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Wright were Tuesday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Fendt.

Geo. Esch has received notice to report for his Air Corps Service enlistment.

Mrs. LaForge, Mrs. DeMonette, Mrs. Shop and Mrs. Billings attended the Santa Heals Ice Revue at the Olympia, Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Louise Manzel attended the Euchre Club at the home of Mrs. Dowell on State street, Wednesday afternoon, for Mrs. Viola Scheu's birthday anniversary.

Mrs. Clara Salow, Mrs. Louise Mass, and Mrs. Louis Fendt called on Mrs. Will Morris Sr., on Twelve Mile Road, Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Esch is recovering from an attack of laryngitis.

Mrs. Frank Tuft of Pontiac Lake will be the guest of Mrs. A. H. Koss, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Tugman were guests of relatives in Brighton, Sunday.

WEST POINT PARK

Miss Lorene Beckwith of Farmington was the week end guest of Miss Doris Gilbert.

Mrs. George Hayes and Mrs. Oliver Townsend of Detroit were guests of Mrs. Lucian Gilbert and Mrs. Stanley Chavey, Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Addis were guests Saturday of Mrs. Lin Sharp of Jackson.

Miss Jeanne Addis and Miss Dorothy Altama spent Saturday in Detroit on a shopping tour.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ault were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Keyser in Huntington Woods, Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Lucian Gilbert was the guest of her mother, Mrs. Charles Pankow of Detroit, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Craig and daughter Joanne, and Mr. and Mrs. Pat McCrory and daughter Margaret, of Detroit, were Sunday afternoon and evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Chavey.

The Sunshine Sisters of Folger subdivision met at the home of Mrs. J. W. Ault Thursday evening. It was decided to continue working along the same lines and with practically the same leaders as last year.

Mrs. Gordon Cameron is last year's president. Miss Lora Ault is acting president or vice president.

Mrs. Jack Tallman is secretary-treasurer, and the club committee consists of Mrs. Homer Coolman, and Mrs. Russell Ault. Other committees will be chosen later. The next meeting will be Thursday afternoon, the twenty-third. This will be a very special meeting open to all women of the neighborhood.

Location and details may be learned by calling the secretary, Mrs. Jack Tallman.

"Reverence" will be the topic at the meeting of the Wonder Book Club Friday evening. As usual the young folks will meet at the home of Miss Lora Ault.

Mrs. Soos of Shadyside avenue, has been seriously ill for several days.

The Ladies' Community Club met at the home of their president, Mrs. Albert Owen, Wednesday. A hot lunch luncheon was served. Ladies' friends were diversion. A sewing bee was planned for the near future.

Mrs. Edwin Johnson was taken seriously ill Saturday, but is now progressing satisfactorily.

The sixth, seventh and eighth grades of Pierson school held a very enjoyable skating party on the Bretmeier property Friday evening. A number of the young people attending high school from this district joined in the fun.

Little Elsie Barnum of Westmore returned from the hospital Tuesday evening and is convalescing satisfactorily.

Mrs. Harry Houghland has been on the sick list this past week. A meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Howard B. Middlewood, 19326 Farmington Road, January 20 at one p. m. to discuss the United States Surplus Cotton Matress Making program.

Members of Michigan State College and extension work, will be present to make clear all phases and information on the subject. The mattresses are to be made on a large matress machine, by individual groups until all members of that group have completed theirs. The mattresses must not be sold, and the work must be done by the person wanting the matress, with the assistance of the rest of the group. Mrs. Middlewood invites the group, who have the slightest interest in the subject, to be present at this meeting. Miss DuBarb will enlighten them on all the angles regarding the matress making program.

A P.T.A. meeting is to be held Thursday, January 23, at 8:30. Refreshments will be served. William McNair, program chairman, has some interesting entertainment planned for the evening.

Park P.T.A. are invited to visit the Farmington P.T.A. on Wednesday evening, January 22.

Homer Middlewood left last week for a trip to Florida.

State Swaps Rainbow And Brown Trout Eggs

With deliveries of 5,250,000 brook trout eggs and 350,000 rainbow trout eggs added to those preserved in state hatcheries, the conservation department's 1941 game fish production program is well started.

The rainbow eggs, sent to Watertown from Neosho, Missouri, by the federal fish and wildlife service, were received in exchange for an equal number of brown trout eggs. The brook trout eggs were obtained both by exchange and purchase from Cape Cod and Plymouth Rock, Massachusetts, and from Paradise, Pennsylvania.

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DOES FORD PAY GOOD WAGES?

HERE ARE SOME FACTS about Ford Labor.

During the year ended November 30th, 1940, the Ford Payroll throughout the United States averaged 113,628 hourly wage earners, not including office employees, students, or executives. They were paid \$185,105,639.12. On this basis, the average annual wage was \$1,629.05.

According to the latest available government figures, the annual average wage of all workers in employment covered by old age insurance law was \$841.00.

If the 45,000,000 workers of this country received the same average wage as Ford employees, they would have had additional wages of more than \$3,000,000,000, thus increasing the national income about 50%. Think what such an increase would mean to the workers of this country and to the American farmer, whose prices are based on the national income.

Wage scales in the Ford Rouge plants are divided into three classifications:

Unskilled
Minimum hiring wage . 75c per hour

Semi-skilled
Minimum hiring wage . 80c per hour

Skilled
Minimum hiring wage . 90c per hour
Higher wages are in consideration of ability and years of service.

Minimum wage scales for unskilled labor at the Rouge plant are the highest in the industry. Top wages for skilled labor compare favorably with, or are higher than, wages in other automobile plants.

Now some facts on Ford labor conditions:

Not only are sanitation and other health conditions the best in the industry, but Ford also leads in safety devices for the protection of employees. Proof of this is found in the following com-

parison of compensation insurance costs:

The national average rate in automotive manufacturing plants as computed by the National Association of Underwriters is in excess of \$1.50 premium on each \$100 payroll. The Ford cost of workmen's compensation is less than 50c.

This indicates that the chance of injury in a Ford plant is much less than in the average automobile plant.

The Ford Motor Company has no age limit for labor, and in fact deliberately attempts to keep older workers working. The average age of Ford workers at the Rouge and nearby plants is 38.7.

A recent check-up shows that nearly one-half the workers at these Ford plants were 40 or over, falling into these age groups:

25,819	between 40 and 50
14,731	between 50 and 60
3,377	between 60 and 70
417	between 70 and 80
12	between 80 and 90

In addition to the so-called regular employees, the Ford Motor Company has hired, and now has on the payroll, at the same regular hourly wage, thousands of workers who are blind, crippled or otherwise incapacitated for normal productive work. They are not selected for their ability to build cars or to maintain the plant. They are on the payroll because of Henry Ford's belief that the responsibility of a large company to labor goes beyond the point at which the unfortunate worker can no longer produce profitably.

The above are facts. They are open to anyone who really wants to deal in facts. Anyone who wants to get a job . . . buy a car . . . or place a national defense contract on the basis of fair labor treatment must place Ford at the top of his eligible list.

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