



MICHIGAN GUIDES TO COMPLETE IN MEET APRIL 12, 13

Skill with a frying pan and an open fire is going to count along with depth of strength and daring when the No. 1 Guide is chosen from among professionals assembling for the Michigan open guides meet at Newago April 12 and 13.

Guides will clean their own fish, make their own fire, and prepare a meal of fish, potatoes and coffee to be judged by its taste as a party on the trail would judge it. The cooking contest will follow a demonstration of how to catch fish, bait and fly casting, competition under natural conditions, from boats in the Muskegon river.

Rifle and pistol shooting events will be directed by Russell J. Martin of the conservation department, and pistol teams from the department and State Police as well as guides will compete in the matches.

Boat poling against the current, over a tricky course, will be only a preliminary to the big event, the 1-mile boat race down the big Muskegon from Croton to Newago. For this event, spectators line the high banks by thousands.

A split-second contest, competition between archers and men with pistols, a demonstration game fish contest and a quiz program conducted by Newago News (Ernest Jack Sharpe), and other unusual features are scheduled.

First held in 1940, the Newago open guides meet has shown how well developed are Michigan's facilities for accommodating sportsmen attracted by the state's nationally famous hunting and fishing.

STATE ADDS NEW OPEN AREAS FOR FISHERMEN

Nine miles of trout streams, two lakes and more than 5,600 acres of game lands are added to areas under management by the state conservation commission.

A 20-year lease from the Michigan Public Service Company of

Traverse City assures trout fishermen freedom to fish 4,500 feet of the Sturgeon river in Chobson county and 1,800 feet of the Boyne river in Charlevoix county. The lease is for a nominal consideration, and may be renewed.

Regular purchases with income from fishing license fees include purchase in Escanaba River game area that includes seven miles of trout stream on Flatrock creek, Camp 11 creek and branch, and the north branch of the west branch of the Escanaba river, and 1,200 feet of frontage on Johnson lake, in Marquette county.

Game lands acquired, besides those in the Escanaba River area, include 445 acres in Wilderness park game area, 650 acres in Norwaga game area, 200 acres in Plunkett game area, and 50 acres in Hardwood state forest. With Plummet-Robertson lands 100 acres was added to Rose Lake wildlife experiment station, 805 acres was added to the Barry county project, and 1,000 acres was purchased in the Gratiot-Escanaba area. The project was enlarged by a 140 acre addition.

DEER-YARDS WILL BE INSPECTED EARLY IN APRIL

Mt. Atlanta, Grayling and possibly West Branch or St. Helen have been selected as starting points for deeryard inspection trips to be conducted by conservation department game men on two week-ends in April.

Southern Michigan sportsmen wishing to observe personally the condition of forage supplies, in swamps where deer have wintered, and possibly see for themselves some deer dead of starvation, will gather at the towns listed, on April 6 and April 20, weather permitting. April 27 a tour may be conducted to the yards on Drummond island.

Conducted tours of the deeryards are held each spring to acquaint sportsmen with conditions in the deer range at other times than the hunting season. Last year hundreds of hunters joined the tours held on weekends in deer country. Sportsmen are advised to contact the game division of the conservation department in Lansing before planning a trip, to be certain of dates and starting points. Those attending are advised to carry lunches and wear warm clothing and waterproof footwear, since they may have to walk a mile or more from their automobiles.

Letters to the Editor MUST BE SIGNED

FIRE FIGHTERS ANTICIPATE EARLY FIRE SEASON

Forest fire fighting personnel of the state conservation department is swinging into action ahead of the usual schedule this year, in anticipation of an early period of high fire hazard. Reports from district supervisors indicate the earlier fire season is expected in most parts of the state.

In 1940 the heaviest losses of the season were in the first month. As much as two-thirds of the annual forest-fire loss in recent years has occurred between April 1 and May 20, according to conservation department records.

Dry vegetation, which has not had time to "green up" and high winds present a fire hazard that is underrated by some trout fishermen, wildlife pickers and hikers visiting streams, woods and fields for the first time in the season.

Work of repairing winter damage to telephone lines connecting fire towers and of readying equipment for use already has begun in some parts of the state where the snow has already gone.

Finishing touches are being put on 10 new radio sets which are to be installed in fire towers this spring. Constructed by department technicians at Roscommon and Marquette, these sets will bring the number of towers equipped with radio communication to 110. Some mobile radio units are available for use in the field in automobiles, in times of emergency.

B. B. WEBB IS NAMED HEAD OF RED CROSS

Byron B. Webb of Pontiac was elected chairman of the Oakland County Chapter of the American Red Cross at a combination quarterly meeting and Disaster Institute. Tuesday, March 18, at the Pontiac Hotel, Pontiac. Mrs. Henry Seelye, secretary of the chapter, presided in the absence of Stuart Whitfield, who had served as acting president. Dr. Harold E. Purcell left to head the Medical Division of the Selective Service Commission at Lansing.

Mrs. T. W. Jackson reported for the nominating committee. Mr. Webb served last fall as Roll Call chairman.

The dinner meeting concluded an all day Red Cross Disaster Institute, planned by Marshall Smith, disaster chairman.

Maurice R. Reddy, director of disaster relief, conducted the Institute, which, besides the dinner meeting, included a luncheon meeting at the Waldron Hotel for governmental officials and an afternoon meeting at Birmingham Community House for Social Workers.

Mr. Reddy stressed the facts that the Red Cross coordinates community resources in time of disaster, provides relief on a basis of

need, and that the Red Cross, a semi-governmental agency, is chartered by Congress to assume responsibility in time of disaster. Red Cross records show that a yearly average of one hundred major disasters occur in all parts of the United States.

Facts About the Telephone

Bell System operators answer 97 per cent of all local telephone calls they handle within ten seconds.

The number of conversations carried on over the wires of the Bell Telephone System has more than doubled in the last 20 years.

Tests have shown that wind can cause telephone wires to sway about six inches between poles 100 feet apart and about 40 inches between 200-foot spans.

More than 2,550 tons of nickels, dimes and quarters are collected annually from New York City's 88,000 public telephones. Nineteen of these coins are nickels.

The total number of telephones in service throughout the world on January 1, 1940, is estimated at 42,900,000. This corresponds to an average of one telephone to every 51 persons. There is one telephone to every six persons in the United States.

"Black light" is the name of the new mercury lamp for automobile lights that can throw its ultra-violet beam for 500 feet, but is invisible from the air.

Letters to the Editor are always welcomed by this newspaper.

JOHN F. MACKEY, Attorney, 215 E. Maple, Birmingham, Michigan. STATE OF MICHIGAN. THE PROBATE COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the City of Pontiac, in said County, on the 20th day of March, A. D. 1941.

Present: Hon. Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate. In the Matter of the Estate of Minnie Carl B. Westbury, executor 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 appointed to receive, examine and adjust all claims and demands against said deceased by 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 2nd day of June, 1941 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.

Arthur E. Moore, Judge of Probate. A True Copy. Placed on File. Probate Register. Mar. 27-Apr. 10

LEON H. HUBBARD, Attorney, 2335 Bagley Street, Pontiac, Michigan. STATE OF MICHIGAN. IN THE CIRCUIT COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF OAKLAND. IN CHANCERY.

At a session of said Court held in the Court House in the City of Pontiac, Michigan, this 18th day of March, A. D. 1941. Present: Honorable George B. Hartwick, Judge.

It is satisfactorily appearing by affidavit on file that the said Leon Hubbard is a resident of the City of Pontiac, Oakland County, Michigan, but that, at the present time, he is absent from the State of Michigan. It is ORDERED that the said Leon Hubbard appear and answer the Bill of Complaint in this cause within three (3) months from the date of this order. It is further ordered that the said Bill may be taken as confessed against him and that this order be published according to law or that a copy of the same be personally served on the defendant by registered mail.

A True Copy. Lynn D. Allen, County Clerk. By Frances Brown, Deputy. Mar. 27-May 3

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ADVENTURE SERIES TO FEATURE WAR AVIATOR

The complete and exciting story of the training of army flyers, including dog fights by fast pursuit ships and tactical maneuvers by glint bombers, will be told in natural color motion pictures with accompanying commentary at the Detroit Institute of Arts, Woodward at Kirby, next Sunday afternoon, March 30, at 3:30, when Canfield Cook, World War flyer and aviator, will appear on the stage in person, to present his natural color motion picture lecture, "America Puts on Wings."

Working in cooperation with the War Department, Cook was able to photograph army operations from which outsiders are usually excluded. He made thirty trips into foreign countries to study the progress of aviation abroad and uses the facts thus gained in his entertaining and informative commentary that accompanies his natural color motion pictures. He was the youngest commissioned pilot in the World War, serving with the Royal Air Force.

"Amazing opportunities await American youths in aviation," says Canfield Cook. "Thousands of workers are needed in every branch of the industry to meet the demands of our defense program. Experience gained during the present emergency will prove of great value in the commercial flying field when peace is again restored."

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"BLONDIE PLAYS CUPID"
With Penny Singleton and Lynne Lake
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Also Color Cartoon Latest News every Wednesday

IT PAYS TO SHOP IN FARMINGTON

Advertising is nothing more than a conversation between yourself and your merchant. He pays for it but it saves you money.

AUCTION SALE!

Tuesday, April 1st, 10 a. m.

At Ann Arbor Fair Grounds

Ann Arbor Implement Co.'s Annual Sale. Consisting of 12 farm Tractors and 100 pieces of Farm Equipment.

DON'T MISS THIS SALE

Lunch Wagon on Grounds

ANN ARBOR IMPLEMENT CO., Prop.

E. C. SMITH, Auctioneer

A REPORT to America

The Ford Motor Company's business has always been to serve the needs of the American people. In providing them with low-cost transportation for the past 38 years, we have developed one of the country's largest and most useful industrial units. During a national emergency, we feel that these facilities should be devoted without reserve to our country's needs. Toward that end we started rolling months ago, with these results:

- 1 A \$21,000,000 Ford airplane engine factory, started only 6 months ago, is nearly completed. Production will start with an initial order for 4,236 eighteen cylinder, air-cooled, double-row, radial engines.
- 2 We are building a new \$800,000 Ford magnesium alloy foundry, one of the few in the country. It is already producing lightweight airplane engine castings.
- 3 Army reconnaissance cars—military vehicles of an entirely new type—are rolling off special Ford assembly lines at the rate of more than 600 a month. We have produced Army staff cars and bomber service trucks.
- 4 The government has given the "go-ahead" and work is now under way for the fast construction of an \$11,000,000 Ford plant to produce bomber airplane assemblies by mass production methods.

- 5 Several months ago work was started, on our own initiative, on an entirely new 1500 horsepower airplane engine especially designed for mass production. This engine is now in the test stage and plans are being developed for producing it in large quantities when and if needed.
- 6 A Ford aircraft apprentice school has been established to train 2900 students at a time.

That is a report of progress to date.

The experience and facilities of this company can be used to do much of the job which America now needs to get done in a hurry.

Our way of working, which avoids all possible red tape, enables us to get results and get them fast. This benefits users of our products and workers who produce them.

We are ready to make anything we know how to make, to make it to the limit of our capacity if we need, to make it as fast as we can go, and to start the next job whenever our country asks us to. And to this end, we know we have the full confidence and loyal support of the workmen throughout our plants.



FORD MOTOR COMPANY

AUCTION SALE

APRIL 5 at One O'Clock

Having sold our farm, I will sell all our personal property on the premises known as Gust Schroeder Farm, located on 12 Mile Road, number 36730, West Farmington.

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E. C. SMITH, Auctioneer

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AUCTION SALE!

Wednesday, April 9, 10 a. m.

22 Head of Cows and Hens and Farm Implements 2 miles west of Farmington and one mile north on Haggerty Highway.

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MRS. MARY EISNER, Prop.

E. C. SMITH, Auctioneer

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Assignees of Mortgages

Dec. 25-Mar. 20

Please take notice that the above described mortgage foreclosures sale has been fixed and postponed from Wednesday, March 27, 1941, to Wednesday, April 9, 1941, at the same time and place.

Ward A. Cornell, Deputy Sheriff, Oakland County, Michigan, Mar. 27-Apr. 9