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WEST POINT PARK

By MISS L. A. AULT
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Mrs. John Redding, from Six Mile Road, near Plymouth, was calling on the Misses Ault, off Norfolk Avenue.

Mrs. Ernest Tallman, Mayfield Avenue, was hostess to a "Cosmetology Demonstration Party" last Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rehahn were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Galloway, in Garden City. Mr. Galloway is still in a serious state of health.

Visitors in Detroit last Tuesday included Mrs. Marvin Addis and her daughter, Mrs. Arthur Block, and the Misses Lora and Freda Ault.

Dolores, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Varhol, was taken quite ill during the week end.

Mrs. Marietta Wyman was with friends in Detroit Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vett Cooley, from Hazel Park, were recently calling on West Point Park relatives.

Emerson Ault has returned from a two week's stay with his daughter, Mrs. Roberts, in Monroe.

Pat Midwood has practically recovered from a bad attack of mumps and is about to return to school.

Mrs. Stanley Chavez, who has been seriously ill, is greatly improved.

The young son of Mr. and Mrs. Posner, Farmington Road, was ill last week with an ear infection.

Chicken pox has appeared among the children in the Hubbard Avenue section.

Miss Dolores Ault, Miss Inez

English, George Cooke and Wayne Ault were calling on Mr. and Mrs. Tom Roberts in Monroe last Friday evening.

Freda Ault spent Saturday evening and night with the Edwina L. Johnsons, on Claria Avenue.

Mrs. Robert Padot, from Monroe, was again visiting in West Point Park one day last week.

Mrs. Ralph Verhel, Mrs. Clinton Ault and Mrs. Forrest Ault were among the guests at a Brush Demonstration Party held at the home of Mrs. Edwin L. Johnson on Claria Avenue last Thursday evening.

A report that a portion of the Ash farm on the Oakland County side of Eight Mile Road is to be made into a race track is giving nearby West Point Park folks considerable concern.

There seems to be no zoning regulations to cover such a situation. Some wonder if there might not be possibilities for Big Business during the racing season.

A number of local people were in Detroit Saturday morning attending funeral services for Mrs. Al Fuerst, who died in a hospital early last Thursday morning.

Funeral services were held at the East Side, The Fuerst family had resided on Shady Side Avenue in West Point Park, and for many years Mrs. Fuerst had been well known and liked in this community.

For some time she has been a victim of chronic illness. Her husband, Al Fuerst, two daughters, Mrs. Virginia Jones and Carol, and three sons, Harvey, Ernest and Robert, all survive her.

Old neighbors from this locality sent a handsome floral tribute to the funeral parlors.

Edward Stromoski, formerly of West Point Park, but now of Wayne, who has been seriously ill for the past two years, is now reported in an even more critical condition.

Some of our friends, sojourning in Florida, write that since our snow and ice have disappeared, they will soon be returning to Michigan. Storms have recently done considerable damage in the south and the Florida climate is not so agreeable as some may imagine.

Hubbard Avenue, which, during the recent bad roads spell was practically impassable, now seems easily traveled again and the school bus is making its usual rounds.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wagner, Shady Side Avenue, entertained a group of Detroit relatives at dinner Friday evening.

Sunshine Sisters held a lively meeting in the Neighborhood Church Wednesday afternoon. During the Sunbeam session all present gave readings from a Biblical Cook Book, on hand for inspection. Reports were made regarding the sick of the community. Plans for future activities were talked over. A delicious home-made cake, served with the customary tea, made the get-acquainted period more pleasant. The next Sunshine meeting will be held in the Neighborhood Church on Wednesday afternoon, April 21st.

The Bake Sale sponsored by the Sunshine Sisters and held in Davis Country Store Saturday afternoon was a complete success. Only the finest quality of baked goods was on sale and items sold at high prices. Within four hours every item was disposed of. Proceeds are to be used in purchasing some needed new equipment for the Neighborhood Bible School. The Sunshine Sisters and teachers of the Bible School are very grateful for the cooperation received.

The Prayer-Bible Study group of the Neighborhood Church held a fine meeting in the McWaters residence on Shady Side Avenue last Thursday evening. Thursday night of this week the meeting will be held in the church.

Livonia Melodist women were busy Saturday consulting regarding kitchen arrangements for their church, which they hope soon to occupy. It is being planned to make the new church a social and recreational center for the community.

MSC SPECIALIST



JOHN N. FIELDS

John N. Fields was recently appointed extension specialist in forestry at Michigan State college and is now on the job in the east half of Michigan helping individuals and groups with their farm woodlot problems.

Before accepting this new position on March 1, Mr. Fields was a farm forester with the State Department of Conservation for four years. He was graduated from Michigan State college with a Bachelor of Science degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dixon, from Breton Road, were visiting with West Point Park friends last Thursday evening.

GRASS IMPORTANT IN FARM CROP ROTATION SYSTEM

Michigan farmers are realizing the need for a better balance between average in cash and cropland crops and hay and pasture. During the war, 11 million acres of land in the corn belt area went into intertilled crops, much of it from grass and legume acreage.

E. D. Longnecker, member of the soil science department at Michigan State college, believes much of this land needs to go back to grass and legumes to protect the soil. Soil tests conducted by the college show the use of legumes in crop rotations not only builds over the soil, but pays bigger returns over a five year period.

Tests on the Lee Forsten farm in Saginaw county show that rotations with alfalfa included in two years of a five-year rotation were most profitable. A one year use of alfalfa grossed \$35 less per acre over the five year period. When no legume or grass was used the income was \$70 per acre less than when two years of alfalfa were included in the five year rotation.

Longnecker believes Michigan farmers will find many demonstrations at the various Grass Day programs to be held throughout the state in June that will be of interest to them. Demonstrations held in different sections of the state will show proper methods of seeding, management, harvesting and using legume and hay crops.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Now It's Neckties Made of Milk!

Fellow in Andy Botkin's Tavern was boasting about a trick necktie he was wearing made out of a by-product of milk. "Took 33 pounds of milk to make this tie," he says.

Bill Webster was unimpressed. "Personally," he says, "I'd rather have the milk to drink. Just as I wouldn't change one glass of good American beer for a necktie made from thirty barrels of it!"

Yes, modern science being what it is—seems like you can make "anything out of anything" these days. But in the case of milk, well

I guess drinking it is still a whole lot better than just wearing it.

Of course there are lots of other ways of abusing goods and beverages—like a fellow who doesn't appreciate good beer enough to drink it slowly and in moderation.

But from where I sit, most people who enjoy a wholesome beverage like beer or ale are moderate—because beer itself is a beverage of moderation.

Joe Marsh

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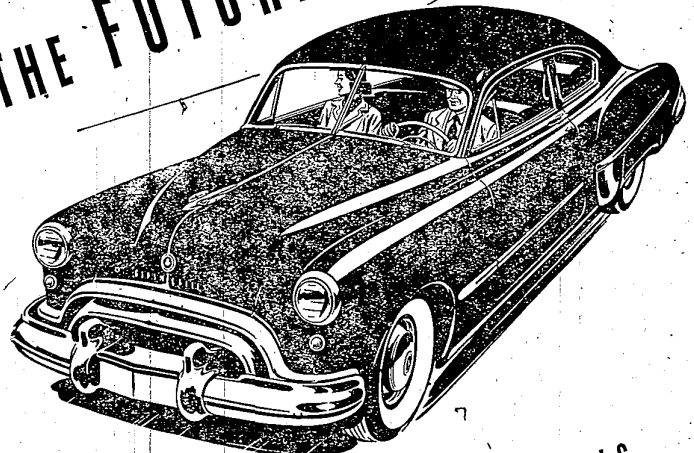
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