

A man will not be the better because he had a well-born father, if he himself is naught. But true high-birth is in the mind, it was never in the flesh.
—King Alfred

April is membership month in the YWCA. You are invited to visit the branch nearest you and become one of the 20,000 women and girls who find satisfaction in the Detroit YWCA.

NEWS LETTER

By Rep. Howard R. Estes

The session's first appropriation bill passed the Senate and is now in the House. It is the public welfare bill and provides for an appropriation of \$54,309,173.00, which is an increase of more than a million and a half dollars over that of the fiscal year ending next June 30.

A spirited battle was waged last week on H. B. 167, giving the Conservation Commission discretionary power over open seasons, bag and possession limits on game birds and animals. During the long debate, efforts to send the bill back to committee failed. In a 3½ hour discussion, opponents claimed the Legislature should not delegate so much power to a department, and in support of the contention that the Commission was not unskilled in handling the power which this bill would grant, read a wire from one of the Commissioners, in which he stated "that so much power should never be given to any department."

Proponents of the bill plead for its passage based upon the need for placing the matter in the hands of trained people who are on the job year around. Damage done to orchards and crops by the overpopulated deer herd was stressed, but instead of winning sympathetic votes in support of the bill, drew forth a chorus of promises from the opponents to support a bill, if introduced, which would grant the department power to go into the fruit belt area and relieve the distress. Unwilling to go for a state-wide discretionary power bill, a plea was made to representatives from the metropolitan areas, to "go along with us and kill this bill because you may want our help later on some of your problems such as water pollution." Advanced to its final passage, the rules were suspended to vote on it immediately. Further debate was shut off by moving the previous question, and when the vote was taken, only 33 votes were registered for it — 18 short of the necessary votes to pass it.

On the heels of the defeat of this bill, another bill was prepared, giving the Conservation Commission authority to establish open seasons on deer in Allegan, Leelanau, Benzie, Charlevoix, Grand Traverse and Antrim Counties to relieve distress due to overpopulation, under such rules as it shall deem expedient. Advocates of an F.E.P.C. bill descended upon the capitol for a public hearing on the bill now in State Affairs committee. Only those favoring the legislation appeared, and they were unanimous in their charge that discrimination in employment, because of race, color, religion, sex or national origin, is almost universally practiced in Michigan. They deplored the situation as being morally indefensible, economically disastrous, a violation of our ideals of equality and freedom, and a threat to the peace, welfare and safety of the people.

Although a great deal of opposition to the particular bill in question exists, as evidenced by accumulating mass of protests by mail, none of the opponents were present to give their views.

It is questionable that this bill will pass, though some form of an F.E.P.C. bill, possibly one placing control in local communities, is expected to be reported and be enacted into law.

Introduction of a bill to appro-

BEAT RANKIN'S BONUS BILL



WASHINGTON, D. C. — In a hectic finale the House killed the Rankin Veterans Pension Bill by sending it back to the committee. The vote was 265-207. The motion to recommit the bill was made by Rep. Olin E. Teague (D. Tex.) (left) who is shown here discussing the situation with Rep. Glenn R. Davis (R. Wis.). Both are veterans and both voted for recommitment.

prate 10 million dollars from the general fund to assist in public school construction, provoked a storm of protest. With the largest portion of the state's richest source of revenue now being turned to local units of government and schools, and many other revenues earmarked by the constitution and by law, resulting in a large deficit, this measure has little chance of passage.

Among other bills introduced are bills to repeal the lobbyist registration law, which did not work out as intended.

Bounty Payments Up; Bobcat Bounty Ended

While the number of predators turned in for bounty was down to 61 in February, payments were slightly higher than in January, the conservation department reports.

Bounty trappers received \$910 last month due to a greater percentage of coyotes presented for payment at \$20 for females and \$15 for males and a lesser number of bobcats of both sexes at \$5.

Lent Idea: Cheese For Protein And Calcium

Some folks like it mild and some folks like it "nippy" but almost everybody likes some kind of cheese.

With over 400 kinds from which to choose you can easily find several kinds to use in your Lenten menus to add variety, advises Josephine Hoke, Home Demonstration Agent. It adds to the calcium count, too.

A little simple arithmetic will tell you cheese is a thrifty protein trade. It takes eight ounces of yellow cheese or 10 ounces of cottage cheese to provide as much protein as a pound of meat with a moderate amount of bone. Since it has been discovered that adults need more calcium, cheese has become very popular. It is an outstanding source of calcium.

You might like to try cheese fondue on your menu parade this week. The recipe comes from Roberta Hershey, Extension Foods Specialist at Michigan State College.

Scald 1½ cups of milk. Add 1½ cups of bread crumbs, 2½ cups of grated cheese, 1 tablespoon of fat and 1 teaspoon of salt. Beat the three eggs whites until stiff and fold into the mixture. Four into a greased baking dish. Bake in a moderate (350 degrees) oven for about 30 minutes or until set. Serve the fondue with a green

vegetable to provide iron that the cheese lacks and wait for old and young to ask for seconds.

If you haven't secured your forage crop seeds for this year's planting, don't delay. They're expected to be scarce. Adapted varieties that will grow well under Michigan conditions are the best buy.

What you believe must influence what you are. What you are determines what you do, and what you do determines your value here and hereafter.
—Jane Tudor

Y-Teens, junior members of the YWCA, have clubs in 28 senior high schools of greater Detroit. Y-Teens welcome girls of all races, nationalities and creeds.

From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



Remember How We Talked?

It went like this at the Hooper's the other night. Hay's eighteen-year-old daughter is talking about "a real gone guy—solid—out of this world, bud, def."

"Now what kind of language is that?" Hay barks. "Can't she speak English?"

"Til translate it for you," Ma Hooper says, "in the language of the twenties, when you were about twenty years old. She simply means this fellow is the 'cat's whiskers.' Remember how we used to talk sometimes?" Hay went back to reading his newspaper.

From where I sit, it's easy to criticize the other person when we don't take a good long look at ourselves. Sure, there'll always be some differences. I'm fond of a temperate glass of beer and maybe you would prefer ginger ale—but let's just live and let live. Because when we go out of our way to find things to find fault with in others, chances are they can find a few in us, too.

Joe Marsh

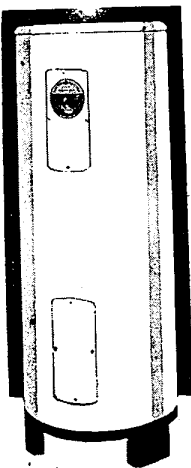
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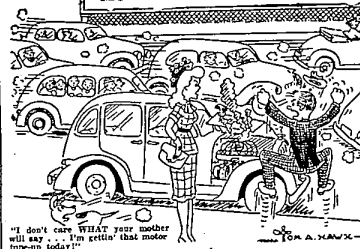
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