

SPRINGFIELD TO HOLD GALA JULY 4TH OBSERVANCE

Brigadier-General A. Conger Goodyear Speaker

PROGRAM OF SPORTS

Baseball Game Between Springfield Central School Varsity and Old Times—Refreshments

All Springfield in concentrating on making its celebration of the Fourth of July this year the best yet held.

The program will be held on the grounds of the Springfield Central school and will start promptly at 1 p. m. with a concert by the Springfield Central school band.

Then will follow the invocation by the Rev. Frederick M. Hurd after which George C. Hinds, chairman of the day, will introduce the speaker of the day, Brigadier-General A. Conger Goodyear. Having served as a Colonel of Field Artillery in France in the first World War, General Goodyear was assigned to the Transportation Corps, A.E.F., as general inspector after the Armistice and was appointed president of the Coal Commission for Central Europe under the Supreme Economic Council in 1919, and was made the American representative of the Inter-Allied Commission for Upper Silesia in the same year.

General Goodyear was Deputy Commissioner for the American Red Cross in the Pacific area from October, 1944, to May, 1945, in charge of liaison with the armed forces. In this capacity he visited the following stations: Honolulu, New Zealand, South Pacific Base Command Noumea, New Caledonia, Elate, Espiritu Santo, Guadalcanal, Russell Islands, Fiji Islands, Kwajalein, Guam, Saipan and Tinian. He was attached to the Tenth Army as observer, assigned to the 27th division, former New York National Guard, and was with that division from March 10, 1945, to April 24, 1945, with two weeks on Okinawa.

Following the address the Presentation of the Colors by men of the 27th division will be carried out and this part of the observance will close with the singing of "America."

Then will follow the sports events including a baseball game between the Springfield Central school varsity and the Old Times who will meet for the third time in heated contest.

Refreshments will be served on the grounds by the Springfield Grange and the Catlin Memorial Library.

Pvt. John Petersen Dies On Okinawa

Marine Pvt. John Petersen, aged twenty-seven, native of Oneonta, son of Mrs. Edward V. Clark, of Cooperstown, and husband of Mrs. Margaret Houghton Petersen of Ilion, was killed in action June 28 on Okinawa.

Telegrams were received Saturday afternoon by the mother and wife from Gen. A. A. Vandergrift, U. S. M. C. commander.

Pvt. Petersen had been overseas only about two weeks, having left Camp Pendleton, Calif., in May. He enlisted in August, 1944, at Ilion, and trained at Parris Island, S. C.

Before entering service, he had been employed about four years at the Remington Arms plant at Ilion. Earlier he had been with the Schine theater chain as assistant manager at Oneonta, and later in Cortland, Watertown and Carthage.

Born in Oneonta December 2, 1918, he was one of the four sons of Mrs. Mary Petersen Clark and the late Peter Petersen. He was graduated from Elmira High school, and married Margaret Houghton of Ilion April 10, 1939.

Surviving are his wife and mother, a five-year-old daughter, Patricia Ann; three brothers, Corporal Donald C. Petersen, who has served twenty-seven months with the Marines in the Panama Canal Zone; Sgt. Robert W. Petersen, U. S. Army, who after twenty-one months in England is awaiting transportation to the United States to be hospitalized for an operation; and Harold Petersen, Stamford, Conn.

G. L. F. Consolidates Egg Marketing Service

A further consolidation of egg marketing services by Cooperative G. L. F. Farm Products, to maintain operations in the face of shrinking production volume, has been announced by Kenneth W. McGraw, supervisor of G. L. F. upstate egg stations.

G. L. F. egg volume now is about 4,000 cases a week, compared with a peak of some 23,000 a year ago. The Army is continuing to take a large proportion of the eggs still received. McGraw explained that dwindling volume resulted from the over-culling prices paid for eggs by some buyers, the liquidation of poultry flocks for meat and increased consumption at producing points.

McGraw said today that the Tully and Ithaca G. L. F. egg stations had been consolidated temporarily, as had those at Danville and Buffalo, and that the Liberty station had been closed. Other moves of a similar nature are contemplated, he added.

Retail Prices For Grade A Eggs Fixed

New maximum retail prices for Grade A eggs for group 1 and group 2 stores are announced by the Price Division of the Binghamton District office of the Office of Price Administration.

The prices are effective June 21st through July 4th, 1945.

Group 1 store prices are: extra large grade A, 55 cents per dozen; grade A large, 53 cents per dozen; grade A medium, 49 cents per dozen; grade A small, 44 cents per dozen.

Group 2 store prices are: extra large grade A, 54 cents per dozen; grade A large, 52 cents per dozen; grade A medium, 48 cents per dozen; grade A small, 44 cents per dozen.

EARLY AMERICAN SCHOOL BUILDING



The work of moving this beautiful old stone landmark from the Town of Morris to Farmers' Museum grounds will begin soon.

Ancient Schoolhouse Is Coming to Cooperstown

To Be Part Of Early American Village Here

According to an announcement made by museum officials last week another addition to the early American village, which is being created on the Farmers' Museum grounds in Cooperstown will be moved to the site on Lake road this summer. It is a small, one room schoolhouse now standing at Filers' Corners near Morris, in the Butternuts Valley. Made of native field stone it has a white wooden Greek Revival front with four pillars.

This schoolhouse has been deeded to the Farmers' Museum by the Filers' school district as a contribution to the story of education in early America which will be shown through exhibits housed in this school.

Wooden desks from Cherry Valley have been shown in the museum of the New York State Historical Association in Cooperstown for some time. The Association operates the Farmers' Museum. There are a number of slates and an early globe which will be on display.

Contributions of very early school books in good condition, early copy books, pens, inkwells, slates, maps, tin drinking cups, games and other items associated with early school days will be greatly appreciated.

Sponsors of the project are grateful for the wholehearted response to their desire to recreate this early scene.

Top Ceiling Price For Strawberries 58 Cents

With homegrown strawberries now coming on the market, consumers are reminded by the Price Division of the Binghamton district office of the Office of Price Administration that the maximum ceiling price is fifty-eight cents per quart.

Each quart of strawberries must weigh at least 20 ounces, OPA officials emphasized.

Retailers or producers selling strawberries for more than 58 cents per quart are in violation and should be reported to War Price and Rationing Boards.

Infant Falls Three Stories To Pavement

Shoppers on the Chestnut street extension a few feet south of Main in Oneonta Saturday afternoon were horrified to see a baby plunge from a third story window to the street.

The child, Michael Ackley, aged two years, was rushed to the Fox hospital where despite all efforts he died a short time later. The child climbed from a couch on which he had been sleeping to the window, and the frantic mother was unable to reach it before the fatal plunge came. She was ironing in the same room and tripped over the ironing board. His father, Pvt. Warren Ackley was called from camp in Georgia by the tragedy.

News Notes Of The Surrounding Counties

The body of Alsona Parker, aged eighteen, who drowned while swimming in Fish Creek near Stagner bridge, Town of Vienna, Saturday afternoon, June 16th, was recovered at 8:15 Thursday night of last week about 1,000 feet from where he was seen to disappear by his father who was on the bank. Parker's body came out of a whirlpool to appear on the surface. The body of another drowning victim removed from the Barge Canal by State Police at Stanwix, was still unidentified Thursday night.

Members of the Windsor Sportsmen's association took action on the proposition of buying a tract of land at a meeting held recently when it was voted to appoint a committee of eight members to consider the purchase of at least 200 acres of land in the vicinity of Windsor, and to report at the July meeting to establish a game preserve and hunting grounds, and eventually to build a clubhouse and trap field for clay pigeon and skeet shooting.

Herman Chester Pettis, aged twenty-seven, of Jefferson, RD., is in the county jail at Delhi, charged with the theft of thirty choice hens which the owner said were worth five dollars each as breeding stock. State Police said Pettis sold the lot for five dollars. Pettis was ordered held for action of the Grand Jury when arraigned before Justice J. A. Thomson. Troopers said the chickens and cockerels, comprising choice breeding stock, were owned by Walter S. Rich of Hobart.

Four young men from Holland Patent, pleaded guilty recently in County Court at Herkimer to a charge of arson, third degree, in the burning of a barn owned by Mrs. Leo Payne, Town of Russia, and were given suspended sentences. The sentence of one year in Onondaga penitentiary was suspended on condition that the young men maintain good behavior for a three-year period. The judge said that the men had made restitution for the property destroyed.

MORE "A" GAS

The fifty percent increase in basic A gasoline rations went into effect throughout the country Saturday. Motorists using newly valid A-16 coupons, could buy six gallons with a stamp instead of four as heretofore.

That figures out to an average ration of three gallons a week, or about six miles of driving a day. Previously it was 2 gallons and four miles.

The six new A-16 coupons must last three months through September 21st, but they are good for a total of thirty-six gallons, twelve more than the A-15 stamps which expired Friday.

The fifty percent increase results from a cut in military requirements as a result of victory in Europe.

For the same reason the B ration ceiling was raised to 650 miles of driving a month, effective June 11th. The maximum had ranged from 323 to 475 miles in different parts of the country.

Milk Plants Listed For New York Pool

Dr. C. J. Blanford, administrator of the New York metropolitan milk marketing area, posted on Tuesday a list of 449 milk plants eligible to share in the New York milk pool August 1 when revised marketing regulations become effective.

The plants, located in six states, receive the production of 50,000 dairy farms whose output yielded a total return of nearly \$25,000,000 in May—the last month for which an evaluation is available.

The listing includes all plants that formed the pool for November 1944 because the new regulations declare that plants figuring in that pool are to be considered as pool plants.

Disputes Policy On Milk Rules

New York, N. Y., June 26—Dr. C. J. Blanford, administrator of the New York metropolitan milk marketing area, took issue today with the Milk Dealers' Association of Metropolitan New York, Inc. over the kind of rules and regulations needed to administer the government's milk marketing program in the New York market.

Charging that the dealers' association "would make a mockery of rules and regulations," Dr. Blanford promised a document of statements in opposition would be made public later.

He asserted, however, that "the association's recommendation would result in a vague and general set of rules subject to the administrator's continuous interpretation to fit individual cases."

He indicated that the association's proposal would prevent the operation of "a publicly known code of accounting and classification rules applying uniformly to all handlers."

TALBOT NAMED 1ST VICE-PRES. DAIRY LEAGUE

Henry H. Rathbun, New Hartford, Succeeds Sexauer, Pres.

TWO LOCAL DIRECTORS

Talbot Will Remain in Assembly—Has Been With League for Fifteen Years

Paul L. Talbot of Burlington Flats, Member of Assembly from Otsego county, was elected first vice-president of the Board of Directors of the Dairy-men's League Cooperative association at its annual meeting at Syracuse Friday of last week, at the same meeting at which Henry H. Rathbun of New Hartford was chosen president to succeed Fred H. Sexauer who declined reelection.

Mr. Talbot, who is Otsego county director of the League, has been associated with that organization for the past fifteen years. Heretofore the vice-president invariably has been a member of the executive committee, but as membership in the New York State Legislature and in the executive body at the same time was impossible, Mr. Talbot decided that it fairness to his constituents he would remain in the Assembly.

Grover C. Huernsey of Schoharie and Jay D. Sholes of West Edmeston were elected directors.

Mr. Rathbun, who is fifty-four, became active in the cooperative movement when he was elected president of the Oneida-Herkimer district. He became director of the association in 1926 and since 1935 he has been first vice-president.

He operates seven farms comprising 1,000 acres in partnership with his son, Henry H. Rathbun, Jr., and his son-in-law, A. F. Roberts. The farms are situated in Augusta.

Mr. Rathbun, on May 10th was appointed chairman of a three-man committee to carry on all sales and operations of the league. For the last ten years he has been in charge of all sales of Dairy-men's League milk outside of New York City.

5 More Area Men Are Honorably Discharged

Five more area men have received their discharge from the Armed Services and have returned to their homes.

Pfc. Lavern E. Howard of Edmeston, who entered the service in June, 1940, received his discharge at Fort Dix on June 20th. He participated in the campaign of Guadalcanal, Northern Solomons, and the Philippines. He wears the American Defense Service Medal, Asiatic-Pacific Service Medal, Good Conduct Medal, Philippine Liberation Ribbon and the Purple Heart. He had served three years in the regular army post.

First Sgt. Robert E. Mantor of West Burlington was discharged at Fort Dix on June 19th. He enlisted in June, 1940, and participated in the Ardennes, Rhineland and Northern France campaigns.

He wears the American Defense Service Medal, European-African-Middle Eastern Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal.

S/Sgt. William Bullion of Richfield Springs was discharged from Fort Sam Houston, Tex., on June 8th. He entered service in February, 1941, and was in the New Guinea Campaign.

He wears the Asiatic-Pacific campaign ribbons with two bronze stars, the American Defense Service Medal and the Good Conduct Medal.

Pfc. John E. Williams of Unadilla Forks received his discharge from Camp Upton, June 24, 1945. He was in the Normandy, Northern France and Rhineland campaigns. He wears the European-African-Middle Eastern Service Medal, and Oak Leaf Cluster to the Purple Heart. He received a disability discharge.

Social Security Rules Affect Resort Hotels

Since many hotels and resorts are only open part of the year, it is important to remind owners and operators of the requirements for reporting the social security number and wage earnings of their employees, Norman Chrystie, manager of the Social Security office, stated Monday.

"The employer's report is submitted quarterly to the Bureau of Internal Revenue. It shows the name, social security account number and amount of wages earned by the employee during the three-month period. Every employee, whether he is a part time or regular, is listed even though he is the only person hired."

"The Social Security Act defines wages as all remuneration for employment, including the cash value of all remuneration paid in any medium other than cash."

"In many hotels and resorts employees are paid a certain amount in cash plus food and lodging. These items are included in making a tax deduction. For instance, if a worker is paid fifty dollars in wages each month, and it is determined that the employee's food and lodging are valued at fifty dollars a month, the total wage on which the tax would be paid would be the cash wages plus \$50, or \$100."

Moses E. Lippitt, local chairman announced Monday morning total purchases in the Cooperstown district of bonds in the Seventh War Loan campaign amounting to \$916,509.92 by 1,066 different people. The quota is \$750,000. The local district includes the towns of Otsego and Springfield and a part of the town of Middlefield.

916,509 IN BONDS

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Cooperstown Central Grants 33 Diplomas

League Vice-Pres.

Commencement Activities In Progress Here

The Cooperstown Central High School awarded thirty-three diplomas Tuesday afternoon at its sixty-sixth annual commencement. The exercises were held in Smalley's Theatre which was filled to capacity by relatives and friends of the graduates together with friends, alumni and former students of the school.

Following is the roll of the graduating class:

- Peter Joseph Alotta
- Douglas A. Armstrong
- Thomas Au
- Ruth Arlene Bridger
- Mary Patricia Burr
- Alice Marie Chase
- Helen Frances Chetner
- Jane Andrea Coleman
- Patricia G. Davidson
- Lois H. Day
- Harvey Eckler
- Dorothy Margaret Galley
- Frank L. Gannon
- Marice F. Gardner, Jr.
- Charles LeRoy Hall
- Raymond C. Holbrook
- Richard E. Johnson
- Robert Leonard Jones
- Robert A. C. King
- Juliana J. Kinne
- Elle Sophie Locke
- Vincent E. Lynch
- Richard H. Meyer
- William J. Moakler
- Joseph A. Mogavero, Jr.
- Lester C. Morrison
- Donald J. Newell
- Harriet Marguerite Quait
- Joan Rosalind Roth
- Olympia M. Russo
- E. Milton Schidack
- Joyce A. Slater
- Gloria Kay Thompson

OPA BOOKLET

For the active participation of local housewives and other shoppers in the governments' meat control programs, OPA has prepared for distribution to consumers here pocket-sized bulletins listing the top ceiling prices for popular cuts and grades of meat. Folger Oudin, chairman of the Cooperstown War Price and Rationing Board, announced Wednesday.

The lists are available at the counter of the local Board Office to individuals and to club leaders, many of whom are expected to desire the list for distribution to members of their organizations.

Prices shown on the lists are ceilings for meat sold in Group 1 and 2 stores, which are independent stores with annual gross sales of less than \$250,000.

The ceilings are based on the new meat price schedules that went into effect June 15th, and are the highest that may be charged.

June Milk Return Forecast At \$3.47

Dairy farmers delivering milk to approved plants in the six states of the New York milk pool may expect a uniform price of \$3.12 a hundredweight for their June production, according to the monthly estimate of price and volume announced today by Dr. C. J. Blanford, administrator of the New York metropolitan milk marketing area.

The pool price of \$3.12 will equal the rate set last June when the average price of \$3.10 for June 1919 was surpassed for the first time. However, since dairy feed payments from the War Food Administration are now collectible at the rates of thirty-five and forty-five cents—ten cents less per hundredweight than the rates paid last year in the same state—the total return will be \$3.47 instead of \$3.57 as a year ago.

Production is expected to attain 683 million pounds—a new high for the month of June. Such a production figure would mean that dairymen will share \$22,399,600 at the uniform price. With the addition of \$400,000 for location and butterfat premiums and \$2,390,500 for dairy feed payments, figured at the lesser rate of thirty-five cents, farm income from the deliveries to the pool will come to \$24,100,100.

Clark Gymnasium Tickets—These tickets entitle the holders to the privileges of the Clark gymnasium and the program for one year without charge. The conditions for this prize are good scholarship, good deportment, and physical needs. Award for 1945: Sheila Coleman, Betty Davis, Geraldine Soklar, Joseph Gleary, Glen Lane, James Walrath.

Mathematics Prize—This prize consisting of \$20.00 is awarded to the student by the Board of Education to the student who attains the highest examination in the best written examination in English grammar. Award for 1945: Carolyn M. Connell.

The Bowen Latin Prize—This prize of \$6.00 in cash is awarded to the student of third year Latin, who attains the highest average in the best written examination in Latin. Award for 1945: Elizabeth J. Dunn.

The Bowen Latin Prize—This prize of \$6.00 in cash is awarded each year to the student in the academic department who received the best written examination in English grammar. Award for 1945: Carolyn M. Connell.

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Annual Meeting of Otsego County Children's Society

Reports Reveal Marked Accomplishment Of Year

The annual meeting of the Otsego County Children's Society, held Wednesday afternoon of last week at the home of Mrs. Jeannette M. Hoyt on Fall avenue, Cooperstown, brought reports of accomplishment along numerous lines.

The resignation of Ralph W. Ellsworth as president was accepted with great regret at this time. Mr. Ellsworth was elected president of the society at the time of the death of Judge Adrian Pierson, January 1, 1944, and he has served with great efficiency and success since that time. In his place Mrs. Hoyt, who has been a valued friend of the organization for twenty years, was elected.

Mrs. R. E. Brigham of Oneonta and Charles E. Merriam of Milford were re-elected first and second vice-presidents respectively. Jacob H. Schaeffer, instructor in History in the Cooperstown Central school was elected third vice-president and will bring added strength to the Board. Miss Florence Wardwell of Springfield Center was re-elected secretary and Russell Blodgett of Cooperstown treasurer.

Miss Ruth Winkley, director of the Children's Bureau of the Otsego County Public Welfare department, gave a most interesting and illuminating report of Child Welfare services during the past year. She said in part:

"A year ago at this time we had 211 active cases. This year there are 191 as of today's count. The case load has been reduced recently through the loss of one worker who closed eleven cases before leaving. These cases are in the family group. A year ago there were 79 families including 189 children on the active case load. As of today there are 57 families with 158 children on our active list."

"A year ago there were 89 children under foster care with seven in private institutions. This year there are 85 children in foster homes and 18 in private institutions. This shows the pressure to obtain good foster homes. Many women have preferred to work in war plants. On May 1st the boarding home rate of compensation was raised from five dollars to \$6.50 per week for children over two years of age, and from six to seven dollars a week for children under two years of age."

"Despite the fact that the picture is not particularly bright at the present time, we feel that we have weathered the worst period and are hopeful that soon, with more realistic boarding rates, enough homes will be available so that we shall not need to use institutions outside the county, except for the very difficult problem child who cannot be adjusted to normal home life."

VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE

Kenneth Hotchkiss, county Vocational Guidance supervisor, reported that guidance services were to be available to all the schools in the county next fall. It was gratifying to all, he said, that the Cooperstown Central school was to participate in the program.

Guidance counsel, he said, starts in Junior High school and consists of tests and interviews which will bring to light the particular aptitudes of the pupils so that their studies may be directed in the channels in which they show special skills.

As an extension of the guidance program it is hoped a course will be offered which will be available to teachers from each school, giving them the opportunity to become increasing familiar with guidance practices as new and better methods are constantly being developed. The guidance program is one feature of the Otsego County Vocational Education and Extension board.

Dental hygiene for all schools is also another goal for next year.

Still a third service is to be offered: a reading supervisor is to be made available. (Continued on page 8)

LEE W. LOCKE IS ELECTED CIVIL SERVICE COMM'R

Action Taken At Special Session of Supervisors

FULL TIME CLERK

Financial Report of County Road Fund—Bid for Extraordinary Snow Removal Costs

Lee W. Locke of Edmeston was elected a member of the Otsego county Civil Service commission to fill the unexpired term of Earl P. Francis of Oneonta, resigned, by unanimous action of the Board of Supervisors in special session in Cooperstown Thursday morning of last week. Action was taken under a resolution offered by the committee on County Officers and Compensation, Burrill P. House, Frank L. Gregory and Walter F. Gilday, seconded by Jerry B. Wilson. Mr. Locke's term will extend from July 1st, for two years and ten months. He is an enrolled Republican. The other members are Former Supervisor Lawrence W. Barrett of Burlington Flats also a Republican, and Major Albert E. Faron of Oneonta, a Democrat.

The Board also unanimously adopted a resolution offered by the same committee making the position of stenographer-clerk of the Civil Service commission a full time one at an annual salary of \$1,200 with increments of \$100 for the second, third and fourth years. The action is to be retroactive to January 1st. An appropriation of \$426 was passed to take care of the additional funds required, after the rules had been suspended upon motion of Mr. House seconded by Bert W. Lowe.

The rules were suspended on motion of Mr. House seconded by Alton G. Dunn and the sum of \$2,000 was appropriated to cover the cost of repairs and improvements to the court house and county clerk's building.

WELFARE QUARTERS LEASE

The lease of the quarters occupied by the County Department of Public Welfare in the Second National bank building in Cooperstown was extended for a period of five years from May 31, 1945, upon adoption of a resolution offered by Homer Thompson, W. Earl Winger, Jerry B. Wilson and Bert W. Lowe, seconded by William Mills Miller.

The sum of \$2,500 was appropriated to the Employees Retirement System of the county by the adoption of a resolution offered by Lewis F. Rose and Messrs. Winger and Wilson, and seconded by Howard E. Tilson after the rules had been suspended upon motion of Mr. House seconded by Charles S. Hurlbutt.

Provision to secure state aid for extraordinary snow removal during the past winter under the authority of legislation adopted this year was made by the adoption of a resolution authorizing the clerk, J. K. Kennedy, to make an estimate and report as specified in the statute. The resolution was offered by Alfred Monson, Alton G. Dunn and Edward J. Monroe and seconded by several members.

Communications were read from the Otsego County Medical society and the County American Legion urging the appropriation of funds for the employment of Public Health Nurses in the county, and the Otsego county Pomona Grange urged the appropriation of funds for the employment of a Home Bureau agent in the county.

TAX PROPERTY SOLD

A resolution was offered by Messrs. Rose, Winger and Wilson, seconded by Mr. House, and unanimously adopted providing for the acceptance of several offers to purchase lands that had been acquired by the county at tax sales as follows:

House and lot in town of Decatur formerly owned by Ray D. Pitts, to Town Realty, Inc., New York city, at \$31.45.

One hundred acres in the town of Decatur formerly owned by Truman Nichols, to Wayne Babcock, Worcester, RD 3, at \$100.

One hundred twenty acres in the town of Exeter to Vaughn Smith of Burlington Flats at \$150.

Storehouse on D. & H. land in the town of Maryland to Ford Weller of Schenectady at \$25.

Four properties in the town of Maryland formerly owned by the Wood Products company to Everett Kinch of Schenectady at \$500.

House and lot formerly owned by William Whitney in the town of Milford to G. A. Tunniff of the town of Portlandland at \$150.

House and lot in the town of Otsego formerly owned by Otis Pierce to William Allison, Cooperstown, RD., at \$50.

Property in the town of New Lisbon formerly owned by John Ballard including 224 acres to Elmore E. Coleman, of Mt. Vision, RD., at \$450.

Property in the town of New Lisbon including ninety acres of land formerly owned by George Fitch Estate, to Clifford Harrington of Mt. Vision, at \$210.

Property in the town of Unadilla including 25 acres formerly owned by George Vickersman, to Abijah J. Gilbert, at \$125.

THE ROAD FUND

Detailed figures of the costs and balances of the county road fund were submitted by County Treasurer L. Dean Beach as required by law.

Machinery Fund—Receipts, balance from previous year, \$11,637.99; rentals from county road fund, \$38,769.39. Total, \$50,407.38. Expenditures, gasoline, oil and grease, \$147.25; labor, materials, tires and tubes, \$13,510.60; material and labor for construction or repair of buildings, \$53.90; heat, light, water and outside storage, \$1,140.23; miscellaneous expenditures including 1945, \$5,937.77. Total, \$31,491.76. Balance on hand December 31, 1944, \$34,915.62.

County Road Fund—Credits, balance from previous year unappropriated, \$2,565.35; appropriated by county, \$3,424.65. Total, \$5,990.00. (Continued on page 8)