

BIRD SEASON TO OPEN SATURDAY IN LOWER MICHIGAN

LANSING, Oct. 10.—Thousands of hunters in the lower peninsula will invade the woods and fields beginning Saturday, the opening day of bird season in the southern half of the state.

On Oct. 15, the ringnecked pheasant and the ruffed grouse or partridge become legal game throughout the lower peninsula. There is no open season on the pheasant in the upper peninsula, while the grouse season across the

Straits opened Oct. 1 to extend through Oct. 12.

Prairie chickens and sharp-tailed grouse also become legal game in the lower peninsula, but only in the north half, beginning Oct. 15. There is no season on these species in the lower half of the lower peninsula.

The bag limits are: Pheasants—2 in a day, 4 in possession, 6 for season. Ruffed grouse—5 in day, 10 possession, 25 for season. Prairie chicken and sharp-tailed grouse—5 in day, 10 possession (combined) and 25 for season.

No season extends after Oct. 31, while the upper peninsula seasons close Oct. 12.

As at the start of the season in the upper peninsula prospects for hunting in the lower peninsula are also good. Reports received by the department of conservation during the summer indicated an abundance of pheasants.

The season on the varying hare and rabbit on Oct. 15 to continue through Dec. 31. The rabbit season in the upper peninsula opens Oct. 1 to continue through Jan. 31.

The daily bag limit on hares and rabbits is 5, possession 10 (combined) and 50 for the season.

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Any person who is a Citizen of the United States, 21 years of age, has resided in the City of Bloomfield Hills 20 days and in the State of Michigan 6 months prior to election day may register by calling at the City Clerk's Office in the City Office Building on or before SATURDAY, OCTOBER 29, 1938, between the hours of 8:00 A. M. and 5:00 P. M. The City Clerk's Office will be open to receive registrations on WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 19, between the hours of 8:00 A. M. and 8:00 P. M.

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Children In Court

By Judge Malcolm Hatfield

(Continued from last week)

Bombarding the Social World
Two socially prominent and well-to-do parents were severely lectured in court when their only son was implicated in an arson case.

When the parents attempted to shift the responsibility for their son's conduct to the playmate, the judge turned to the couple and said: "Both of you are so busy with your club, lodge and social obligations, that you have no time left to train your child. If I hear again that you employ a high school girl at ten cents an hour to supervise the activities of your nine year old boy, I will be forced to remove him from your custody."

Costly Economy
A father, learned in juvenile court that the definite means of causing a boy to steal is to deny him an opportunity to earn a small amount of spending money.

Reluctant Church and School
An unusual case was recently referred to the juvenile court, in which an adolescent girl displayed both the hostility of the church, school and public officials.

A careful investigation by an officer of the court revealed that the girl's parents had, on several occasions, in his presence, ridiculed the appearance of certain teachers, ministers and police officers. Her respect for these institutions, as well as for law and order, was greatly undermined, because she felt that religion was a racket, and that the average public official was a grafting politician.

The wise parent upholds the church and upholds the school teacher in all his says, even though she may sometimes have made a somewhat hasty decision. It is far more satisfactory to discuss a grievance with a teacher privately, with thorough frankness, than to abuse her in the child's presence. Once children learn that the home, school and church stand united, they will think twice before breaking rules and regulations.

Chronic Fault Finders
A college freshman was forced to discontinue her education upon her physician's orders.

This young woman was the only daughter of a highly neurotic and hypochondriac invalid mother. Each day during the school term, the mother would write her letters in which she vividly pictured her imagined afflictions. As a result, the daughter worried so much over her mother's condition, that she not only failed in her courses of study, but had to be placed under the supervision of a psychiatrist for observation and treatment.

Constant Threats
In a certain case it was necessary for the court to insist that the parents alter the treatment of their runaway daughter decidedly before she could be returned home.

This child had been chained in a basement infested with rats and other vermin. When she was 14 years old the girl was told by her mother that she (the mother) would run away with her father, if her mother could desert her, she really didn't love her as much as

she pretended. Rather than be a continued burden on her father, this girl decided to leave home, taking the first occasion that presented itself to carry out her resolve.

Dropping the Whip
The parents of a 16-year-old boy who was arrested for automobile banditry, should really have stood trial in his place, for, it developed, they were primarily responsible for the crime.

This young man's criminal career started some years ago when his parents let the whip fall from their feeble grasp. The boy soon picked it up, and from that day on, he never dropped it. His father and mother never realized that they had abdicated their authority and stepped down from their legitimate places as heads of the family. Consequently, the boy was never taught to respect authority, or the rights of others, and, as a result, soon violated both the Federal and State laws.

Quiet Wedding Planned By Hills Girl

Only the immediate families will witness the marriage next Tuesday morning, of Miss Bessie George, daughter of Mrs. Bessie Scotten George of Detroit, and Cal Edwin S. George of Bloomfield Hills, and Ned Westcott Loos of Ann Arbor. The ceremony will be performed at 10 o'clock at the home of the bride's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Armin A. Darnbacher, in Detroit, by Rev. Dr. Joseph A. Vanez. A bridal breakfast will follow. There will be no attendants.

Following their wedding, Mr. Loos, who is the son of Mrs. Bert Schoemaker of Ann Arbor, will take his bride by motor to Pasadena, Calif., where they will make their home.

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To Forewarn is to Forearm
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In his instructions the judge said: "These parents have six younger daughters at home, and they must be taught never to evade any of their children's questions. Take great pains to impress on them that it is far more satisfactory to candidly discuss with an inquisitive girl all problems which perplex her, than to put her off with generalities, as they did in the case of their elder daughter. Explain to these parents that to forewarn an adolescent girl is to forewarn her against future situations over which they themselves have no control."

Lament Parents
A youth who was arrested in the act of robbing a gasoline station confessed his guilt in court. At the conclusion of the trial the judge drew the father and mother aside and said: "In the past you have been too lenient with your son. You pleaded where

you should have commanded. You coaxed and humored this child, when your own experience in life should have told you that it was necessary to adopt a firmer course of treatment. As a result of your negligence your boy frankly admits he has lost all respect for your judgment and prefers to follow his own inclinations. Now the State is forced to step in and take over the responsibilities which you, as parents, failed to enforce."

Lying in the Child's Presence
With an ever increasing number of children being brought into juvenile authorities in many cities are becoming alarmed over the future holds for such youngsters.

One of the chief reasons for a 15 billion dollar a year crime bill is that many parents do not realize that they themselves are developing disobedience and dishonesty in their children. A most common method whereby parents help to instill the roots of dishonesty in youth is to lie in his presence. Parents should always remember that a son or a daughter will not long remain honest if they themselves are untruthful.

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Letter From Belgium To Local Matron Tells Of Tense European Situation

(Editor's Note: The following letter was received by Mrs. Rice A. Howell, of Southfield, from her brother, Fred C. Roggett, who is traveling in Europe.)

Dear Sis,

Well, here we are back in Brussels, Belgium, again and on our way to Holland and home when we can get a boat. By this time you are of course aware of the conference at Munich that settles things at least for a little while. It was a mighty close squeak and if you don't think the French and Belgians meant business you should have had our trip from Paris on Wednesday and on the trip in we ran into soldiers everywhere. At one place they had the road with exception of a narrow passageway for cars, barricaded with great iron cylinders planted upright in the pavement and a heavy guard of soldiers. In Paris they had the street lights fixed so that they only showed a little spot of light on the pavement so that bombing, it was hoped, would hit a little more difficult to hit the city.

The railroad stations were packed with people leaving and the road we came into Paris on was full of cars going away. We left Paris yesterday morning, or afternoon rather, and started for Belgium and military and military equipment. About 40 miles out we came to a line of all kinds of vans from Paris, all packed with soldiers going somewhere. I suppose moving up to the front.

About this time we decided we would get some gas as we did not think we had quite enough; well, all we did was decide. The military had seized all the gas and locked up all the pumps and you can bet the situation didn't look any too good. We went for miles and miles and everywhere the same, no hunting or shooting as the French call it. We finally did find a little station that let us have five gallons, the last he had, and that was a relief.

Then on and on in the growing dusk, soldiers everywhere, every

bridge guarded. Then another barricade, this one looking like huge steel Jack stokers, everything quiet, worried, but grim and determined, and at last, the Belgian border.

From the border to Brussels it was just one lot of soldiers after another, great lines of trucks with all sorts of military equipment, lines of great trucks towing huge cannons, long lines of horses, now with a sort of pack saddle, now and then a great steaming soup kettle on wheels, all grim and terrible in the dark rain.

In every village the streets were full of little groups of anxious people standing in the rain and watching all this show. It was to me a terrible and weird experience and one I shall never forget.

I guess from the papers this and other things may be heard out and Europe can settle down for a time at least. I for one am mighty glad. Things were all fixed for a war that would have ruined most of the countries and cost millions of lives and for that everyone in the world should be thankful. I do not believe that in any of the countries involved the common people wanted war; the Germans for all the noise, hear of all. I know when we were in Munich I was told that people were terribly frightened and I guess old Hitler, in spite of all his blarney, found himself out to the end of a limb and was mighty glad to back up a little.

I will write you again when we find out when we can. I hope you are all well and happy though I know you must be lonesome for the kids. Every two I pass through I sort of expect to smell chili sauce as you do in any small American town this time of year. But no. They raise sort of no good tomatoes here and don't know what to do with them.

Loads of love,
Fred.

His Vacation Is Permanent
Every now and then we read about the Duke and Wally being on vacation, and we always wonder what from—Greenwich, '38? C. Piedmont

TO DEDICATE FIELD IN SPRING, BOARD DECIDES

Special dedication exercises for the new track field at the Pierce school will be planned for early spring, the Birmingham Board of Education determined Tuesday night. Because the track is not yet completely finished, the exercises cannot be held this fall, it was decided.

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