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THE YALLUP FAMILY

A very pleasant family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Larkins on Church St. last Saturday. Out of the 56 relatives, 52 of them assembled for the reunion of the decendants of Mr. and Mrs. George Yallup, deeseased, but for many years residents of Bingham township.

Among one of the four absent was Thomas Yallup of South Lyons, one of the five living children.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Larkins was very prettily decorated with carnations, autumn leaves and Halloween decorations.

The brothers and sisters are: Mrs. Lyman Sperry, Mrs. Thomas Teed and George Yallup of Bingham and Mrs. Stephen DuBois of St. Johns. Fourteen of the 16 grandchildren were present and all of the 19 great grandchildren.

After dinner Mrs. Frank W. Knapp of Bingham presided for the program which opened by all singing, "Nearer My God To Thee." A history of the Yallup family was then read by Mrs. George Yallup of Bingham.

George Yallup, father of the present generation, was born in Norfolk, England in 1819. His parents having died while he was young, he began working for his living at the age of six. August 14, 1844, he married Mary Baxter. After residing in England for 6 years, Mr. Yallup decided to come to America. He would send for his family as soon as possible. His money gave out while in New York, but he obtained work upon a boat bound for Cleveland. In Cleveland, he wrote and informed his family of his whereabouts and a year later went to Oakland county and worked until he had enough money to send for his family. During this time he took up 40 acres of government land, a part of which is now the old

homestead, 3 miles south of St. Johns.

Left alone in England, Mrs. Yallup supported herself and 4 small children mostly from gleaning in the fields. In making the trip to America the vessel she was on was wrecked. A second ship was driven back to port because of a severe storm. The third time she sailed with better results. On shipboard, Mrs. Yallup was very sick with cholera but finally with her family reached Detroit where they were met by Mr. Yallup, who had waited for them in that city for 3 weeks. They came to Bingham township in a lumber wagon and lived with a neighbor while their home, a log house, was built. Eight children were born to them and with one exception lived to have homes of their own and settled within 5 miles of their parents home.

Following the reading of the family history, officers were elected as follows: President, George Yallup, Bingham, secretary, Mrs. Perry Teed, Olive, treasurer, Perry Teed, Olive. Another reunion will be held next year at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Teed in Olive. The program closed with songs and recitations by the following great grandchildren, Erma Eaton, Velma Burg, Althea Knapp, Francis and Bernice Teed, Treva Larkins and also by Doris Sperry and Elva Burg.

FIND BOY IN ALLEY

Last Sunday evening Sheriff Cramer found a boy sleeping in a dry goods box in back of Wilson's Store. The boy is about 16 years old and gave his name as Roy Bronson. He says his mother is dead and his father is in a hospital in Lansing. For the present he is staying with Sheriff Cramer and Mr. Cramer thinks he has secured him a good home with a farmer who will send him to school and give him a good bringing up.

By Wilma Sowle

Jan. 1

Lewis Hugelot of Olive & Nellie Washington of Eureka, married
K.P. party for Edward Neuman, now deceased Cleared \$270
Clark Smith of Wacousta loses house by fire

Jan. 2

Claude W. Lambie married Nina Westbrook of Maple Rapids at M.E.
parsonage by Rev. Laufman

Jan. 3

Horace Sherman & Hattie Atkinson both of Bengal Married at M.E. parson.
Belle G. daughter of Mr & Mrs Albert J. Baldwin of St. Johns
united in marriage with J.R. McCall of Knoxville, Tenn.
Death of Israel M *BRAY* of Bengal

Jan 4

Arthur R. Crowner & Adah L. Sturgis married

Jan. 8

Rev. C. G. Thomas a former pastor of St. Johns M.E. Church dies from
stroke of apoplexy in Kalamazoo

Jan. 9

William Schavey announces he will be a candidate for sheriff.
Susan Donaldson died in St. Johns age 84
Mrs. Eveline Stevens of Eureka died

Jan. 10

Willie Davis of Riley, accidently shot.
Della Sheldon & Floyd White, both of Olive, married

Jan. 11

Mrs. J. Perkins of Victor burial

Jan. 12

Rt. Rev. Radmacher who was born in Westphalia dies in Indiana.
Death of infant daughter of Arthur Root

Jan. 13

Agricultural Society holds Annual Meeting
Died, Joel Wasar of Lebanon.

Jan. 14

Willis Davis of Riley death

Jan. 15

Judge George P. Stone given welcome to Clinton County bar.

Jan. 16

Death of Mrs. Mahala Van Burger of Victor
April meeting of Peoples Mutual of Ionia, Clinton & Ionia Counties
They vote to live 30 yrs. longer.

Jan. 17

Married; Charles H. Beech of Victor & Eva E. Burk of Greenbush

Jan. 19

Pres. Travis calls a public meeting to boost St. Johns
Fire destroys Henry Sobers home in Bath

Jan. 21

Suicide of John Wykoff of St. Johns

Jan. 21

Death of Mrs. Stephen Rowell of Duplain

Jan. 25

Death of Cassia Lowell of Wacousta
Congressman Fordney writes Postmaster Brunson that he will endeavor
to secure 2 more RFD routes for this County. Thanks, we got

Jan. 29

Death of John Gunsterblum of Wacousta

Jan. 31

Joseph Van Houghton crushed by a tree

Married, Grace Longcor to Fred Baker

Married, Rose Murray to Alton Church

Feb. 1

Mrs. G. E. Thompson dwelling in South Ovid, burns

Death of James Van Houghton

Feb. 2

Martin Powers of Pewamo killed by freight train

A son born to Fred Coolman and wife of Union Home

Fred Fehr shot by his wife. Lived in North part of St. Johns

Feb. 3

W.B. Smith celebrates his 58th birthday

Feb. 4

Death of 10 yr old son of Wm. Crovert from accident Lived at Bath

Home of Wm. Marlett in Hubbardston burns

Manley Marsh and wife celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary

A daughter born to Frank Terwilliger and wife of Maple Rapids

Feb. 6

A son born to Mr. & Mrs. Claud Bond of South Riley

Death of Chauncey Boles of South Ovid

Feb. 7

Death of Mrs. Elizabeth Beach of Maple Rapids

Death of Isaac Ocobock of South Essex

Lina Conn & Florence Wilson married

ITEMS FROM FEB 8 TO FEB. 21 not readable due to damaged paper

Feb. 21

Death of Frank Banhagel of Ionia

House belonging to Isaac Hewitt of Essex burned

Miss Iva Shepard & Rodney J. Bardwell of Denver, Colorado married

S.B. Daboll chosen chairman of Republican State Central Committee

Lena Reeb and Vern Walker of Maple Rapids married

Death of Mrs. R.E. Hathaway of Ovid

E. P. Waldron elected President of Commercial Travelers Rep. League

Feb. 22

Rural Route #2 established

Feb. 26

John Curtis & Clara Hope married

Feb. 27

Death of Mrs. Ida Phillips of Essex

Feb. 28

Death of Joseph Eddy of Eagle

Mar 1

Rural Route #3 established

Mar. 2

Death of Mrs. George W. Hyde of Hastings

Mar. 3

Edward Hawes & Maud Grubaugh of Elsie married

Mar. 5

Death of Willard Potter of Petoskey

Mar. 8

Death of Frank House of Elsie

A daughter born to Theo Gilboe and wife of Hubbardston

A son born to George Monroe and wife

Mar. 10

Death of Mrs. Marito Murell of St. Johns

Mar. 11

Death of Thomas Hall of Bath

Mar. 12

Death of Edna Gadt of Lansing

