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ACROSS THE AUCTION BLOCK

Flag advertising Petoskey water festival splashes to \$2,000

BY KARIN
MILLIMAN

JACKSON, Mich. — Taking top spot at a recent Holler & Hammer

auction was a marine flag advertising the 1950s Water Wonderland Festival. It was in excellent condition and measured 33 by 33 inches.



Above: This Buffalo sold for \$1,100.

The brilliant red color of this flag would capture attention as it proudly displayed that the festival was in Petoskey, Mich. It featured a boat skimming across the water. The final bid on this piece of history was \$2,000.

Also featured was an African Cape buffalo shoulder mount. Selling for \$1,100, this buffalo mount measured 43 inches off the wall and had a horn opening of 21 inches.

A 1950s banner advertising Weatherby guns and rifles measured about 29 by 28 by 40 inches. It read, "Weatherby builders of America's finest rifles and shotguns," and showcased one rifle and one shotgun. It was set

Right: Selling for \$2,000, this Water Wonderland flag was from the 1950s.

on a white background and featured a beautiful hanging yellow fringe at the bottom. It brought \$210.

There was a lot of taxidermy in this auction. An African Kudu antelope shoulder mount was sitting on a unique, wooden pedestal base, which was neatly decorated on all sides with animal hides. It measured 92 inches tall. The horn width was 27 inches, and the body had a width of 31 inches. It sold for \$800.

An African Sable Antelope shoulder mount measured 78 inches tall and had an 11-inch horn width. It



showed a 30 by 21-inch width base with a total depth of 44 inches. It sold for \$650.

A full-sized mounted

black bear stood 45 inches tall and measured 58 inches by 19 inches, with

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FEATURE

Poison bottles used shape to keep people safe

BY LARRY
LEMASTERS

One of the first deaths by poison ever reported was that of Socrates. In the *Phaedo*, Plato described the death of Socrates by hemlock, the most violent poisonous plant in the Northern Hemisphere. Hemlock comes from a large, fern-like plant that bears a poisonous resemblance to the carrot family.

Cleopatra also died by self-inflicted poisoning. It is thought she committed suicide by drinking a poisonous cocktail consisting of a mixture of opium, wolfsbane, and hemlock,

Left: Demert Drug & Chemical Company of Spokane, Wash., distributed this cobalt blue poison bottle.

which would have been a relatively painless death. Wolfsbane, also known as "monkshood," is a flowering plant that has been used for poison as far back as the second century BCE. This particular type of plant has a long, dark, and poisonous history.

Most of European society preferred arsenic as its poison of choice. In fact, arsenic is often referred to as "the King of Poisons."

Poison was once the preferred way to kill a political rival, and people in the ancient and medieval times had a potpourri of poisons to choose from: Hemlock, a favorite poison of the ancient Greeks, mandrake, nightshade, aconite, strychnine, wolfsbane, and arsenic, just to name a few.

By the 1800s, poison-



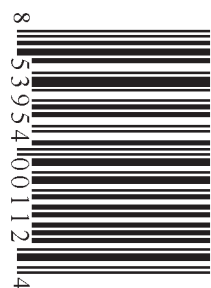
Above: Royal cobalt blue "poison" glass bottle, circa 1880s. This hexagon bottle is valued at \$425.

ous substances such as arsenic, cyanide, and strychnine were found in most pharmacies in America, and anyone could buy them. The easy access to such poisons led to a frequency of murder, suicide, and accidental death by poisoning across the United States. A public outcry ensued, and by 1900 most poisonous substances required a pre-

Right: 19th century, Victorian doctor's "Poison" bottle with skull warning. This crystal bottle with 14K gold cap and label is valued at \$3,250

scription, at least, or were outright banned. During this time, opium was openly purchased in pharmacies as well.

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6 - Cargo Trailers & Cattle Trailer : 19 ft tandem axle cattle trailer • Pace, Tandem axle, 14 ft box dbl rear swing doors • Cargo tandem axle, 14 ft x 5 ft 10" wide box, dbl rear swing doors • 14ft x 8ft wide, tandem with ladder rack on top • United cargo trailer, tandem axle 12ft x 6" x 70", ramp door • Covenant 12ft x 6ft single axle w/ ramp door • 12 ft x 6 ft single axle w/ramp door

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Snap-On 5 drawer tool box • Cornwell Elite 14 drawer stand-up tool box on casters • Craftsman 5 drawer tool box on casters • numerous small too boxes • Huge selection of shop tools includes approx. 300 box lots of hand tools • Snap-on sockets 1/2" up to 1 1/2" deep well • 2- new master Mechanics 21 pc socket sets • Makita & Milwaukee saw-zalls • Dwell tachometer • bolt cutters

Antiques & Collectables

10 Peddle Tractors & Car: old Dodge peddle car • 2 John Deere Ertle's & 1 trailer • old JD • JD Mod D-63 SN DTC6301 no wheels • McCormick Farmall Super M scale mod w/cart • McCormick Farmall scale mod w/ cart • Massey Harris 44 Dyersville IA • Allis Chalmers Dyersville IA • Minneapolis Moline • 4, Tonka commemorative dump trucks new in box • mini steam engine • United Sates Air Force hats & misc • Barbies • Star Trek Barbie • Ken, game of logic build the U.S.S. enterprise • pre historic mammoth tooth • cave bear paw hand • Eureka dbl barrel dart gun • misc Native American artifacts & baskets • Tanned furs red, grey & white artic fox • Raccoon • TREASURES FROM THE HOUSE: 10, colored leaded glass windows good cond • numerous lamps w/leaded glass shades • Bronze Statues • 2' x 4' oriental rug • misc hand made rugs • doilies •

Native American blankets & lots of wool blankets, beaded shoes • mini drums • misc old quilts • Thacher's Dairy 1884 1 quart bottle • Squier Strat elec guitar by Fender • numerous old picture frames of paintings & prints includes 6 Shirley Temple prints • Custom Garage McCormick Deering Farm machinery thermometer w/pic of tractor • 5 cent Fairy Soap sign • Old Bibles one dated 1877 • approx. 75 boxes of old books, 1922 Montgomery Ward catalog • 1902 Sears & Roebuck catalog • numerous old comic books includes Giant SuperBoy • misc old metal pins • Old photo albums • history books of Barrien county • mini hand wriinger, American Wriinger Co. NY-Gem salesman sample wriinger, has great stenciling • Coffee grinder • very old unique powder horn • Soap stone • chain link gloves • old thimble collection • lots of wooden toy blocks • mounted allegator approx. 5ft long • 4 smaller allegator heads • old riding spurs • old barn pulleys • hanging scales w/ brass fonts • misc old oil cans old opira glasses in case old marbles • wooden bowls • Brass Scales • GLASSWARE: Roseville, milk glass & uranium glass • depression & Ruby red • FURNITURE: Great selection of very unique & hard to find old oak furniture, 2, oak ladies secretaries w/ beveled mirrors • oak wall cabinet • Old China cabinet • Mission oak stand w/drop front • plant stand w/bottle cap top • twisted wood lamp stand w/glass ball claw feet • oak desk • mission oak library table • oak library table • 3 small marble top tables • 2, oak lion head legs • small oak drop front desk • oak square parlor table w/glass ball claw feet • Christ on the Cross floor lamp • Christ on the Cross wood carving • Christ last super 3D frames • assorted old canes • 2, marble top dressers • marble top oval table • maple high boy • oak dressing mirror w/hooks • unique oak dresser w/beveled mirror • mahogany Queene Ann jewelry cabinet • curly maple high boy • maple bed • oak wardrobe • oak kitchen table & chairs • Lionel train set plastic • Breyer horses • wash boards • lic plates • misc bake-a-lite

Approx. 30 Pieces of Furniture

Numerous Leaded Glass Lamps

10 Leaded Glass Windows

Approx. 200 Road Signs

Miscellaneous

Cover Collection, 1st president thru 40th 24 kt gold electroplated in letter w/ stamp • Misc baseball cards • Notre Dame 1941 Scholastic magazines • 1964 Notre Dame Photos •

Misc riding horse tack, bridles, halters & lead ropes • lg 4ft teddy bear • Misc sea shells • Boxes of yarn • 4 pair Levis jeans • Leather motor cycle jackets, Lg & XLg, sm leather vest • approx. 200 road signs include horses, cows, deer, Rd numbers, names & many others • hundreds of deer antlers • deer antler chandelier • lots of welded steel art such as cars, sea horse, cross, critters etc. • hand cuffs & shackles

Guns & Sporting Goods

GUNS: Winchester Mod 9410, 410 Ga. 2-3/4" lever new in box • Winchester 22 mag pump mod 61 w/scope • Mossberg 20 Ga 3" slug brl w/scope • Western Field 16 Ga. Pump polly choke rough • Savage mod 28, 12 Ga pump • Spring Field mod 67H, 12 Ga pump • Colt 38 spec detective spec 2" revolver • S & W 38 spec broken stock • H & R 1896 32 cal 6" • Iver Johnson hammerless revolver, 32 cal 5 shot • Smith & Wesson 32 long 2" revolver • Ruger Black Hawk 357 New mod 6" • Colt 32 cal pistol SN 369067 • US Revolver Co 32 cal hammerless • Berretta mod 21A 22 long pistol • Ruger 22 long single six new mod • Astra Cub 22 short, spain • brl • H & R 38 S&W dbl action stock damage • Colt 22 long 1918 The Woodsman Pistol • High Standard 22 long 4" revolver Centennial Deluxe dbl action • High Standard Centennial 22 cal stainless 6" • Iver Johnson mod X single shot 22 rough • WW II Italian 6.5 Mannlicher Carcano • Traditions Tracker 50 cal muzzleloader • AIR RIFLES: Daisy Buck B-B gun • Daisy mod 102 B-B gun • RY Hahn Super B-B repeater • 177 cal pump pellet gun • Crossman 177 cal pellet & B-B • Crossman Co2, 22 cal pellet revolver • 7x50 Bushnell insta focus military binoculars • misc knives • Bayonet USN Mark 1 BMC Nord 3066 • hunting coats & hats • AMMO: Misc ammo • 200 rounds 45 cal. 1911 automatics • Shake Speare 1307 & 1358 8.5ft premier & service split 3pc bamboo fly rods w/cases

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Poison

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The first law prohibiting the sale of opium occurred on Feb. 9, 1909. By 1914, laws regulating the manufacturing and sale of opium in the United States appeared.

Prior to the American Civil War, there was virtually no regulation on poisonous substances. Poisons, such as arsenic, were cheap and sold in ordinary pharmacies or supply shops to kill rats or other pests. In William Faulkner’s gothic short story “A Rose for Emily,” the protagonist Emily Grierson buys arsenic from the town’s druggist to poison her beau Homer Barron to ensure he would never leave her. When the druggist asks Emily why she is buying rat poisoning, she doesn’t answer him, but it is revealed in the story that the rat needing poisoned is, in fact, Homer Barron. This story helped point out how easily it was to buy poison and murder with it during the 1800s.

Because there were no electric lights in the mid- to late-1800s, poison bottles could be mistakenly picked up in the darkness of a home. To prevent accidental death by poisoning, glass companies patented different shaped bottles that were distinc-



Above: Antique, cobalt blue “poison” picket fence bottle. Made in England, this bottle is valued at \$425.



Above: Vintage, green glass skull poison bottle, that was offered on eBay for \$2,350.



Above: Unusual, Champion “Embalming Fluid” glass poison bottle from a funeral home. This oddity is valued at \$230.

tive to the touch, such as skull bottles for poisoning. Other poison bottles from the 1800s include coffin shaped bottles and, most prominently made, skull and crossbones shapes embossed in the glass. Another prominent feature of glass poison bottles was the use of cobalt blue glass. Hexagon-shaped bottles also indicated poisonous content and the shape could be identified by touch in the dark.

Vintage glass poison bottles can be found in cobalt blue, inky black, dark green, amber, and even clear class. Many of these bottles have embossed, raised letters spelling the words “DEATH” or “POISON.” Patterns of latticework, geometric shapes, and deep grooves are also found on glass poison bottles.

Joseph Harrison received a patent, believed to be America’s

first, for a poison bottle of cobalt blue in 1871. This bottle had a raised pattern of quilted-appearing diamond shapes. Whitall Tatum duplicated Harrison’s bottle in 1872 and continued selling poison bottles of this type until 1920, making this type of poison bottle the most common ever made and the most common found in collections today.

Reproduction glass poison bottles have flooded the secondary markets in the last 50 years. So let the buyer beware. Almost no antique around draws a collector’s eye as much as a skull and crossbones bottle with the embossed word “POISON” written on the bottle. However, these bottles are easily reproduced. Although reproduced poison bottles make interesting window dressings, espe-



Rare, “Cocaine/Morphine” from late 18th century glass. This bottle is ruby red crystal, measures over five inches long, and is valued at \$1,250.



Above and Right: Victorian, circa 1880s, poison bottle with skull warning.

cially cobalt bottles when the sun shines through the glass, these bottles have no historical significance at all, which means they have little to no monetary value at all.

Novice glass poison bottle collectors should study glassware in general and buy from scrupulously honest glass dealers. Collectors who pay a lot of money for a poison glass bottle only to later discover it is a cheap reproduction often find the experience a poisonous pill to swallow.



Above: Unusually shaped Martins 20 ounce aqua-colored poison bottle. No one is quite sure why the bottle has a “U” bend in the neck.



Above: Victorian “poison” bottle with skull warning attached. Valued at \$3,400.



Above: Rare, mint condition amber colored “Chloroform” poison bottle, circle 1895.

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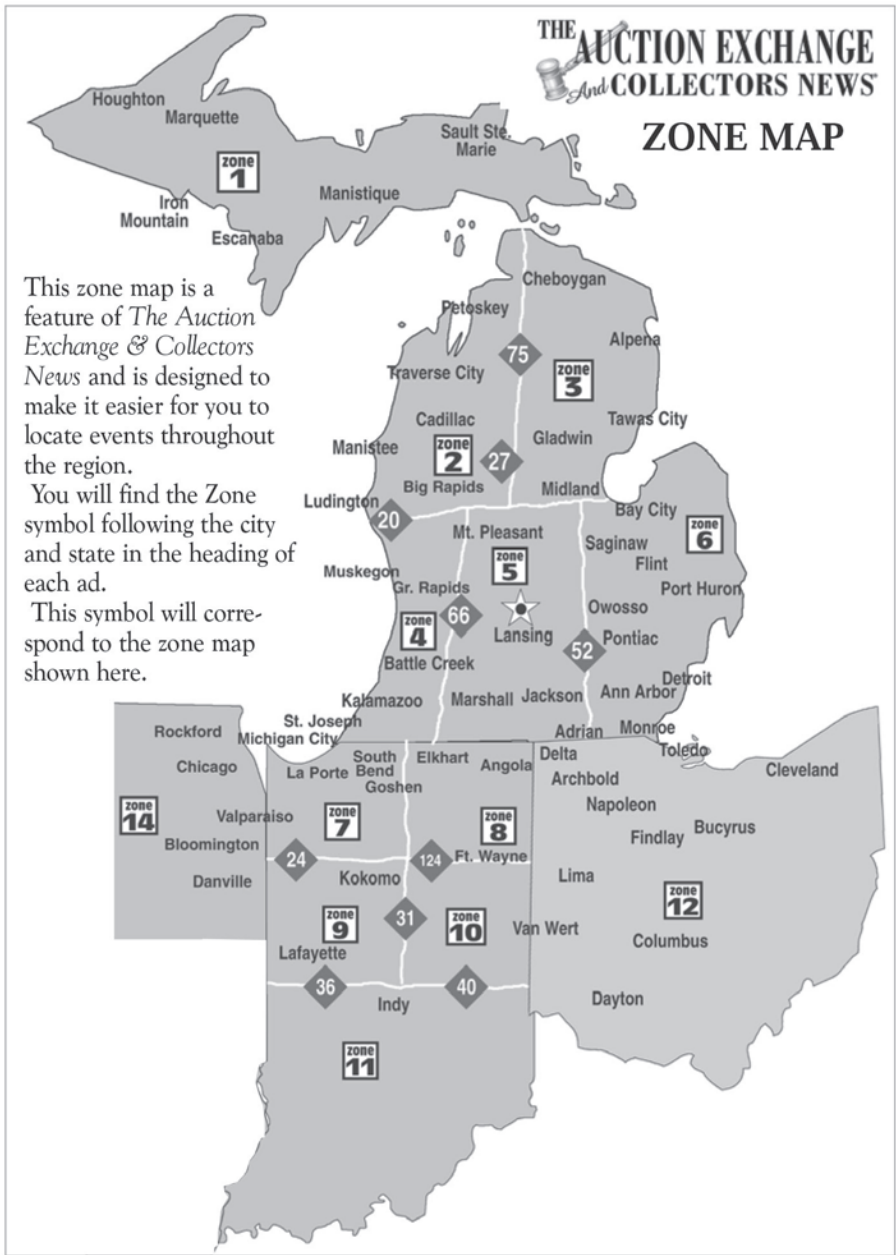
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<p>The Upcoming Auction Calendar is a listing of future Auctions beyond the current week.</p> <p>Auctioneers: This service is provided at no charge. As with everything - we do our utmost to make sure that your Auction is listed in a timely and accurate fashion.</p> <p>For our Readership: For more thorough listings contact the Auctioneer personally and tell them where you saw their ad!</p> <div>ZONE 2</div> <p>Sat., Sep. 13, Ron Ringel Auctioneer, Estate, Scottville, MI</p>	<div>ZONE 4</div> <p>Tue., Sep. 9, Stantons Auctioneers, Estate, Allegan, MI</p> <p>Thu., Sep. 11, Dales Auctioneering Service LLC, Tool, Tractor, Boat, Holland, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 13, Stantons Auctioneers, Estate, Hastings, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 13, Yoder Brothers Auction Service, Tool, Auto, Furn., Niles, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 20, Dales Auctioneering Service LLC, Tool, Pickup, Misc, Allegan, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 27, Dales Auctioneering Service LLC, Consignment, Holland, MI</p>	<p>Sat., Sep. 27, JP Auction Sales Service, Vintage Car Parts, Holland, MI</p> <p>Sat., Oct. 4, JP Auction Sales Service, Tractors, Equip., Holland, MI</p> <p>Sat., Oct. 11, Dales Auctioneering Service LLC, Tractor, Tool, HH, Zeeland, MI</p> <p>Sat., Oct. 18, JP Auction Sales Service, Quads, Guns, Snowmbl, West Olive, MI</p> <div>ZONE 5</div> <p>Thu., Sep. 4, Michael Auction & Realty Service, Furn., Tool, Misc., Liuchfield, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 6, Brian Hasty, Antique, Collectible, Hillsdale, MI</p>	<p>Sat., Sep. 6, Michael Auction & Realty Service, Estate, Adrian, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 6, Yutzy's Auction Service, Consignment, Charlotte, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 13, Dan Coville, Farm Equipment, Allen, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 13, Lyn Liechty Auctions, Estate, Morenci, MI</p> <p>Sun., Sep. 14, Burns Auction Company, Miscellaneous, Coldwater, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 20, Dan Coville, Estate, Quincy, MI</p> <div>ZONE 6</div> <p>Tue., Sep. 9, Braun & Helmer Auction Service, Farm, Saline, MI</p> <p>Wed., Sep. 10, American Eagle Auction Co., Estate, Whitmore Lake, MI</p>	<p>Thu., Sep. 11, Braun & Helmer Auction Service, Tractor, Tool, Equip, Livonia, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 13, Cor-Ian Auctions, LLC, ATV, Tool, Misc., Carsonville, MI</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 13, Rowley's Auction Service, Estate, Metamora, MI</p> <p>Tue., Sep. 16, Braun & Helmer Auction Service, Farm, Antique, Dexter, MI</p> <p>Tue., Sep. 23, Braun & Helmer Auction Service, Farm, Antique, Dexter, MI</p> <div>ZONE 8</div> <p>Fri., Sep. 5, Schrader Real Estate & Auction Co., Inc., Tractor, Collectible, LaGrange, IN</p>	<p>Tue., Sep. 9, Chupp Auctions & Real Estate LLC, Farm Equipment, Shipshewana, IN</p> <p>Thu., Sep. 11, Hahn Auction Service, Antq., Coll., Misc., Nappanee, IN</p> <div>ZONE 12</div> <p>Sat., Sep. 13, Aaron Mast, Antique Tractor, Middlefield, OH</p> <p>Sat., Sep. 13, Whalen Realty & Auction, Jeep, Tractor, Napoleon, OH</p> <p>Wed., Sep. 17, Whalen Realty & Auction, RE, Tool, HH, Holland, OH</p> <p>Fri., Sep. 19, Whalen Realty & Auction, 2 Day JD Farm Toy, Neapolis, OH</p>						

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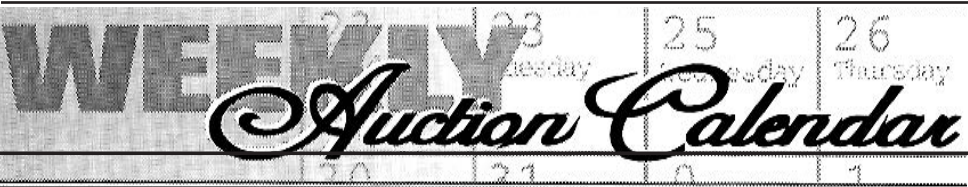


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- (3) 2015 International Prostar+ 122
 - 2014 Volvo VN Series
 - 2014 Volvo VNL
- 2014 Freightliner Cascadia 125
- 2011 Freightliner Cascadia 125
- 2009 Freightliner Cascadia 125
- 2004 International 4300 20' Flatbed Dump
- 2019 Isuzu NQR Crew Cab Box
- 2016 HINO 268 Box
- 2014 Freightliner M2 24' Box
- 2014 International 4300 26' Box
- 2010 International 4300 DuraStar 26' Box

TRAILERS

- 2015 Hyundai
- 2013 Stoughton ZGPVW-535T-S-C-AR
- (3) 2011 Wabash 53' Dry Van
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GREENVILLE, MI 48838

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Remaining Assets of Greenville Water Well and Estate Articles of Karlton Geiger .2 Auctioneers Selling. 10% BP

TRAILERS: 1985 Freuhauf 48 ft Semi Trailer; 1979 Trail Mobile 48 ft Semi Trailer; **TOOLS/SHOP:** 1945 Monarch 3 phase Metal Lathe; Machinist Tools; Rolling & Stationary Tool Boxes; Hand Tools; Pedestal Grinder; Large Ice Tongs; Log Chain; Cutting Torches; Piston Leak Detector; D & W Transit; Honda 2500 Generator; Honda Engine; Air compressors; Argon Welding Bottle; 100 lbs LP tank; (6) Acetylene Gas Tanks; Pedestal Shop Fan; Ryobi Chop Saw; Kirkhill Parts Cabinet; Topside Vacuum Pump; Self-Prime Diaphragm Pump; Holloshaft Gear Drive; Parts Bin; Berkely Submersible Well Pump; German Gas Powered Heater; Worthington Pump; Cleveland Stainless Boiler; Ant. Continental Tractor engine; Scrap metal (steel Rack, Misc. Steel, Snow Blade, long round tank, truck chassis, other pcs).

HUNTING/SHOOTING/SPORTING: 1931 Michigan small Game Badge; M1 Carbine Stock; (4) M1 Carbine Canvas Cases; Military Transport Cases; (2) Winchester Metal Gun Cases; Marbles Cleaning Kit & Compass; Wooden Boxes; Knives; Lyman bullet molds; Metal ammo Cans; (100) cans Black Powder; Tanerite; Chemical Mace; Wooden Arrows; Remington Gun Safe; **COLLECTIBLES:** Brass Steamboat Whistle; 1903 Reel to Reel movies; 20 tons' porcelain sign; Photos of Ionia, MI & Other Paper Goods (1953 Smyrna Centennial, 1936 & 1952 Belding Phone directory, Belding Bros & Co. photo, Silver theater Movie tickets, Sheet music); Stanley C. I. Horse & Buggy; (2) Gibson Refrigerator Employee badges; Flat River Conservation Pin; (5) Otisco Twp Constable Badges; Ant. Stanley Pocket Level; Stanley "55" Plane; Michigan Well Drillers Memorabilia; (2) Benjamin Air Pistols in boxes; Marxman Flashing Target; (3) Firestone Tire Ash Trays; Telegraph Key; Promotional Cast Aluminum Signal Cannon; **OFFICE/KITCHEN:** Baker Office furniture; Bunn commercial coffee maker; Carafes; Sandwich toaster; (2) Combination Safes. **MUSICAL:** (5) Microphones; (3) Mic Stands; Kustom 100 Guitar Amp; IPC Model LU-1104 Horn; (2) Guitar Chorus Pedals; Bogen Receiver; Fender 15B Amp; (2) Squire Amps; Gibson Duo-Medalist; Fender Amp; Guitars (Peavey, Rogue, Harmony); (2) Mandolins; (4) Violins; (2) Clarinets; York Baritone; Cornet; (3) Harmonicas; pipe Organ Flue; Hohner Bellows harmonica;

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Log splitter- Huskee 22 tons.
Machine Tools-Tray top Cincinnati Lathe. Craftsman 15 1/2" drill press, milling &drilling machine Model T-4657ser.no. 437085. 9 speed central machinery heavy duty drill press model no. T-149.
Welder & Plasma cutter- Holbart Handler 175. Chicago electric mono mig 170. Lincoln arc welder/generator, weldandpower 150. Miller spectrum 701 Plasma cutting sys. Lincoln idealarc 250.
Misc. Tools and more-Fenton anvil, machinist chest, tap & die sets, vices open end wrench set, chop saw, bench grinder, large grey HYD. press, drill sets, allen wrench sets, teleshopping gauges, micrometers, compact bender, torches & carts, sockets sets, Craftsman belt sander/grinder, pipe wrenches, bolt cutters, wheel pullers, HYD. jacks, c-clamps, arbor press, bull float, lawnmower lift, hammers, adjustable wrenches, A-frame on steel wheels with electric & manual hoist, Husqvarna 435 chainsaw, tire changing tools, gas cans, Campbell Hausfeld cast iron air compressor, 5HP. 60- gal tank, bar clamps, air tools, parts washer, Sears wheel balancer, chains. 6" carbide grinders Model NO. 161-2060, hose reels, car ramps, Misc. steel, floor jacks, vintage homelite super XL serial No. AO12301050. fuel tanks /gas boy pumps, lawn roller, grease guns, jackstand, come-alongs, 10-ton portable power unit, shop vacs, Subaru power washer, plastic toolboxes, Milwaukee hammer drill, torque wrenches, long handle hex key, JVC stereo, avanti small Freezer and much more.



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Inspection Friday, September 5th - Noon to 4pm & Auction Day starting at 8am

LOCATION: 11600 W MICHIGAN AVE.

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SALINE, MI 48176

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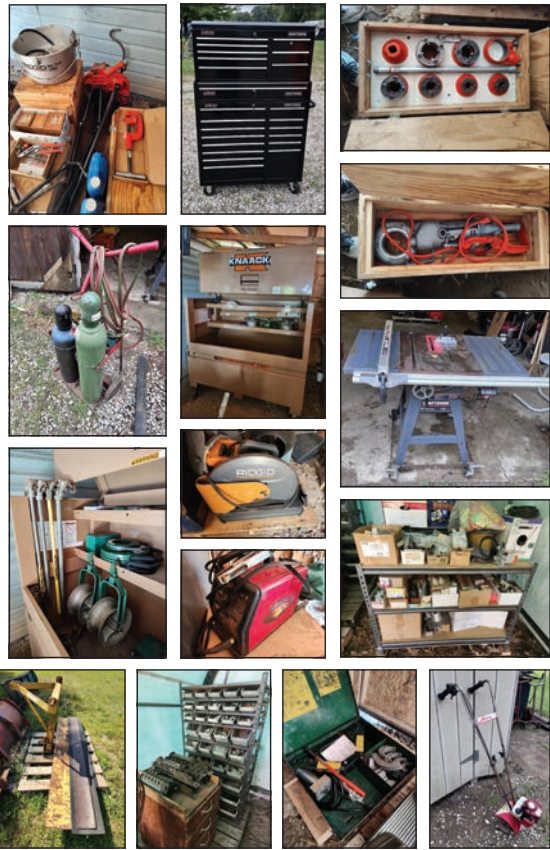
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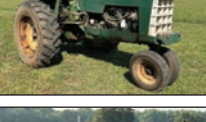
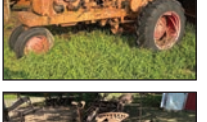
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ESCH ESTATE FARM AND ANTIQUE AUCTION #1



TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 16th @ 10 AM

LOCATION: 7260 DEXTER PINCKNEY RD.

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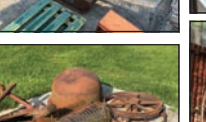
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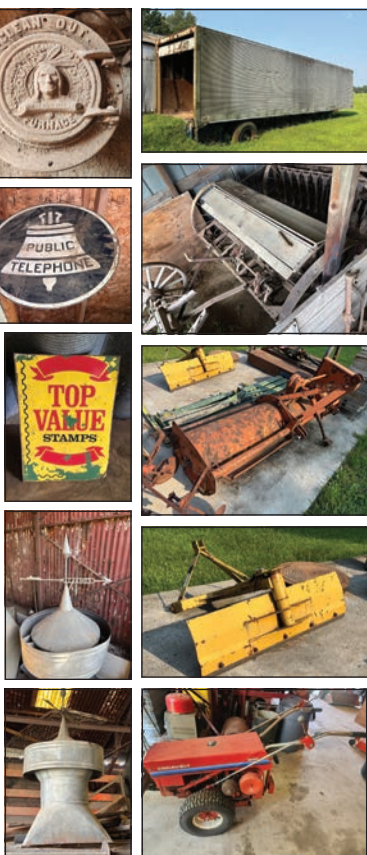
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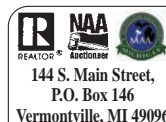
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A blue and white speedboat with a black outboard motor, resting on a grassy area with trees in the background. The boat has a sleek, aerodynamic design with a white upper hull and a blue lower hull. The outboard motor is mounted at the stern. The boat is parked on a green lawn, and a dense line of trees and foliage is visible in the background.



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An advertising poster for Western Winchester featured a squirrel in a tree watching a hunter. The framed piece measured roughly 28 by 42



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The 1939 World’s Fair promised a glimpse into the future

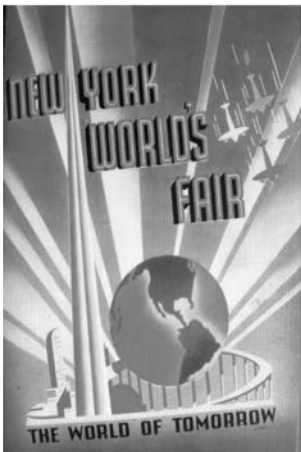
BY DONALD-BRIAN JOHNSON

1939: War clouds loomed over Europe, but global conflict had yet to reach American shores. With the dreary days of the Great Depression receding into memory, the country looked eagerly ahead. What would the future hold?

Well, for one thing, it held the dazzling New York World’s Fair, now celebrating its 85th anniversary. Billed as the “Dawn of a New Day,” the 1939-40 Fair promised a fascinating glimpse of the “world of tomorrow.” For its 45 million visitors, the Fair more than lived up to that heady promise.

By 1939, easily a third of the nation’s population had, at one time or another, attended a World’s Fair. There were no massive, open-all-year-round theme parks competing for tourist attention and pocket change. All wonders imaginable could be found in one place: the Fair! Pavilions celebrating far-off lands served up hearty helpings of exotica. Gleaming, massive statuary aped the stylings of ancient Greece and Rome, but with a modernistic twist. Technological marvels-to-come beckoned from the industrial buildings. The mighty Midway was awirl with thrill rides, tempting taste treats, and spectacular stage shows. The World’s Fair was a fleeting wonderland of adventure. Once the gates finally closed, almost every majestic structure was dismantled. All that remained were memories.

In September, 1939, Mildred Anderson of Chi-



Above: Something to remember it by: “World of Tomorrow” booklet containing 56 pages of black-and-white Fair photos.

cago saw an ad for an “All-Expense-Paid Eight-Day Deluxe Tour” offered by Powers Tours (“America’s Old Reliable”). For just \$49, Mildred had quite a trip by rail in store: Niagara Falls, Manhattan, Philadelphia, Atlantic City, Washington, D.C., Mount Vernon, and the Cumberland Mountains. The tour’s star attraction, of course, was the New York World’s Fair, and Powers went all-out in glamorizing this once-in-a-lifetime event:

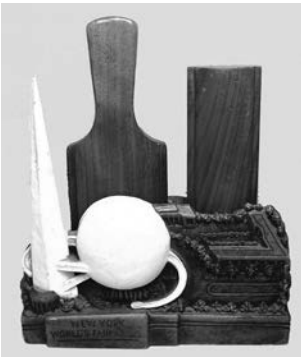
“Space does not permit us an opportunity to tell you of the magnitude of this great spectacle, but here you will see a world of wonders in two hundred buildings. This mighty exhibit cost—just think—one hundred and fifty million dollars, and covers over twelve hundred acres. It is breathtaking in immensity, with cascading fountain pools. . .a great amusement area facing a 280-acre lagoon. . .and a prophecy of the future in homes, transportation, fashions, foods, science, chemistry, and televi-



Above: A treasured keepsake: Mildred Anderson’s “1939 New York World’s Fair Officially Licensed Scrapbook.” (Author photo)

sion. Truly, the World’s Fair is a sight worth going a long way to see!”

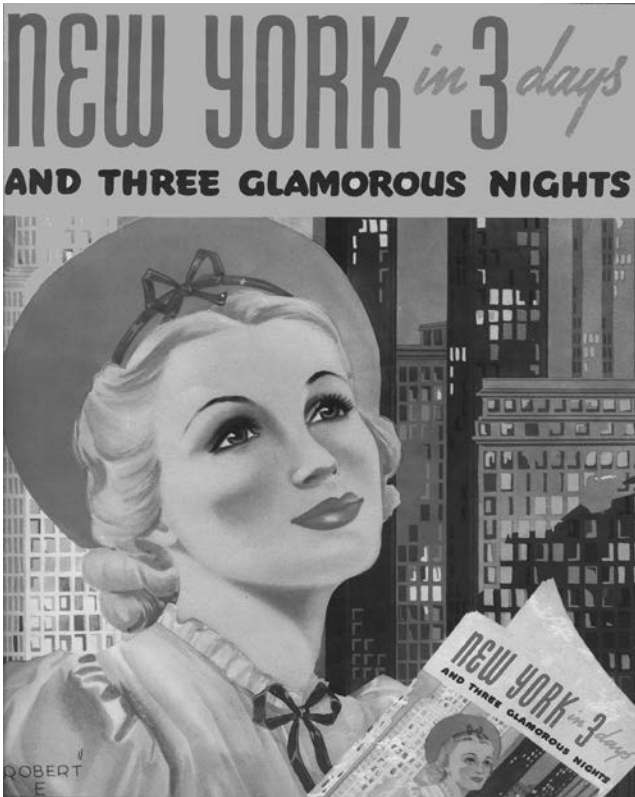
Like many travelers of the time, Mildred kept a scrapbook, a sort of “visual diary.” Her “Officially Licensed New York World’s Fair Scrap Book”



Above: Ideal for any gent’s dresser: Fair-themed brush set, by Syroco. (Photo by Ray Hanson)

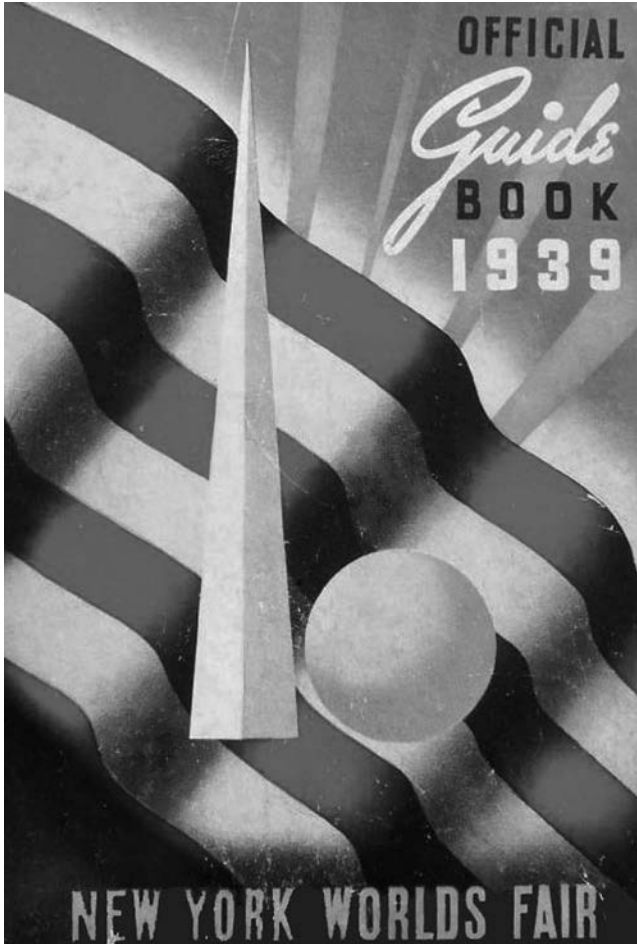
is jam-packed with memory-joggers: tickets; flyers, programs, napkins, matchbooks, placemats, salt-and-pepper and sugar packets, hotel soap wrappers, stationery, maps, menus, coasters, bottle labels, pencils, and even the occasional dried

See 1939 World’s Fair
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Above: Just the thing for first-time Big Apple visitors, like Mildred: New York in 3 Days and Three Glamorous Nights, 1939 guidebook. Cover illustration by Robert E. Lee. (Author photo)

Below: How-to-find your way around the Fair: hard-cover “Official Guide Book 1939.” 200 pages complete with photos and maps.



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Nice aluminum patio high-top bar w/ chairs—Eastlake style chair—cherry dresser w/ mirror—oak glide rocker—large Sakura china dish set—Moonstar dish set—electric mobility chairs—leather recliner—corner knic knac shelf—4 leg antique square dining table & chairs—leather love seat & sofa—lift chair—wall clock—oak square plant stand—glass patio table—patio furniture—Correll & Pyrex—ratan dining table & chairs—Sleep Number split king bed—hunting clothes & jackets—dressing mirror—3-section entertainment center—collection of Barbie dolls—queen bed w/ triple dresser—Beanie Babies—McDonald collectibles—Hallmark ornaments—oak cabinet—file cabinet & desk—oak barstool—painted dresser—ping pong table—Pink Depression glassware—globes—juice set—Bridge games—playing cards—ski boots—chamber pot—office desk & chair—figurines—leather jackets—baby crib—fans—purses—sewing items—cups/sauces—candy dish—glass baskets—fluted dishes—pressed glass—oak chairs—silver plate serving pieces—milk glass dish set—oak mantle clock—oil lamp—goblets—vases—sofa hide a bed—slat back oak chairs—baking dishes—electric roasters—Kitchenaide mixer—ice cream maker—bread maker—lamps & stands—old lunch box—cabinet bar—wall mirror—file cabinet—sofa table—folding table—old round metal card table & chairs—wall clock—pitchers—serving trays—crock pot—Large Quantity of old Dentistry furniture & equipment—lawn chairs—camp chairs—old grocery cart



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Hidden images made Bev Doolittle works intriguing

BY LARRY
LEMASTERS

Bev Doolittle is an American artist who works primarily in watercolor. She paints scenes of the old, American West, featuring Native American themes with wild animals, horses, and landscapes.

Raised in California, Doolittle attended the Art Center College of Design in Los Angeles when she won a scholarship to the college as a teenager. She spent her honeymoon at Bryce Canyon and Zion National Park, painting the crimson-colored hoodoos and red rock formations found in these national treasures. She spent a year of her artistic life driving around America's southwestern



Above: Unframed, signed print, 807/1500, of "Woodland Encounter," circa 1981, that is valued at \$10,000.

states in a motor home, painting scenes of the western landscape and wildlife. While touring in her motor home, she began to portray Native Americans in her paintings as her distinctive style and artistic composition blossomed.

Doolittle refers to her painting style as the

“camouflage technique” because many of the details of her paintings may be seen in more ways than one. Also, In many of her paintings, animals and Native Americans are found hidden among the landscape. “I use camouflage to slow down the storytelling in a painting. But my messag-

es about our wilderness and native peoples are never hidden,” she said in an interview.

A good example of her style is her painting “The Forest Has Eyes.” In this painting, the rocks and waterfalls are apparent when seen up close. When looking at this painting from a distance, faces of Native Americans may be seen within the rocks and waterfalls. In her painting, “Woodland Encounter,” a red fox is seen in the center of the painting, staring at ghostly Native American warriors moving silently and nearly unseen through a stand of aspen trees in the winter.

Looking at Doolittle's 24-set collection of paintings of dark-brown horses set against light brown



Above: Bev Doolittle print of "Sacred Ground" that can be purchased on the Internet for around \$8 - \$10.

rocks and white snow from a distance, one can see the words "Hide and Seek" spelled out camouflaged in the paintings.

Some of her paintings, such as her brilliantly camouflaged "Prayer for the Wild Things" usually come with a key to aid in understanding and "seeing" the images that haunt the paintings.

Many art critics call Doolittle's "Pintos" her defining work. It captures the dramatic style, technique, and effect of camouflaging pinto horses against snow covered mountains.

Doolittle enjoys her

“camouflage technique” of painting since it allows her fans and collectors to discover new meanings that are hidden within her work. She continues to paint in a distinctive and complex use of design, color, and pattern, making her work noticeable and recognizable in a single glance.

Today, collectors love to hang originals and prints of her works. A Bev Doolittle original painting, "Wolves of the Crow," was recently offered on eBay for \$175,000, and a signed print of "Eagles in Flight" was offered for \$12,000.

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• Elgin diamond watch • large Amber piggy bank • Seiko watch • brass ship thermometer • (10) super condition Heartland cowboy figurines including horses, hats, guns and more, Rogers, Lone Ranger, Wyatt Earp and others • Bat Masterson, Doc Holiday, Lone Ranger, Case Triple X, Case knives with extra blades and leather case, Kent pocket knife • various gun books • Bullet knives, Case Shark Cheetah Scout Marbles knife in box, Barlow knives • Huffman bakery knife • Bob's Standard coin changer • large amount of measuring cups, Kellogs, Coppes, Sellers • Kellogg and Post creamers • lots of old wooden kitchen utensils • set of Hopalong knife, fork, and spoon • (4) Campbell Kids spoons • old kitchen advertising utensils • Heckaman Dairy thermometer • Nappanee Dairy thermometer • varied Nappanee Company give aways • misc. other dishes, most advertising, a lot of Hershey • Griswold meat grinder • strainers • Davey Crocket glass and cups and plate • Doy Scouts collectible cup • varied Krispe cans • varied Fire King items • Treble oak sewing machine • super nice Coke tote, been repainted • Coca-Cola thermos • a lot of Davey Crocket & roy Rogers memorabilia • S.B. Blue Sox 1943 to 1954 bat pen • Coppes utility table, 1 drawer table cut down for coffee table • nice half gallon Enterprise sausage stuffer with horn and original label • (8) varied gum ball machines, some on pedestals, some free standing • nice John Deere gas powered snow blower • extremely nice 9 drawer machinists chest with mirror inside • varied primitive barn pulleys • old railroad lanterns, (2) very nice B&M, Boston and Maine red glove and New York Central • 2 large Japanese fishing floats • (2) very nice Rosewood Buffalo book ends • Daisy 2 gal. and 1 gal. butter churns • 6 quart Barlow Dairy milk bottles and carrier • (4) Anheuser-Busch kegs • pressed oak mantel clock • plus more not listed

Levi Tobias Items:

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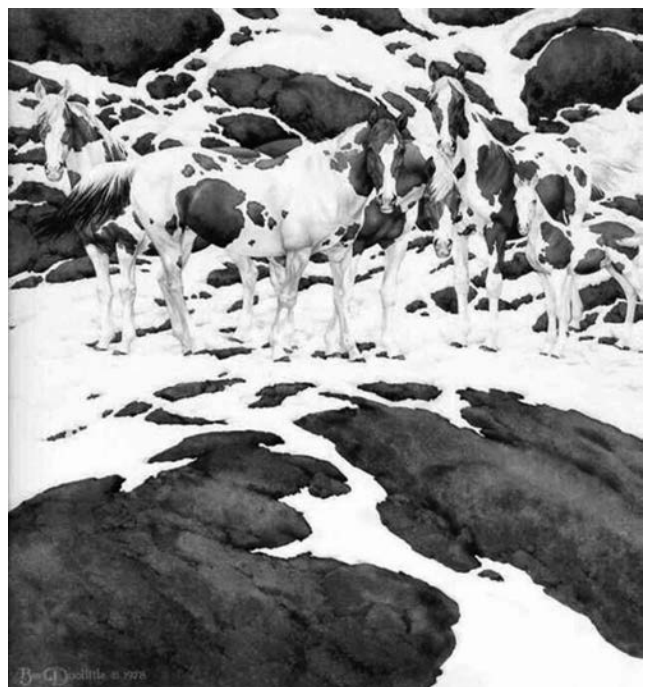
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Above: Doolittle's "Season of the Eagle" is considered a masterpiece in camouflage painting. This signed print is valued at \$600.



Above: One of Doolittle's early "camouflage" paintings, "Pintos," became her signature work, defining her style and technique.

WICE ESTATE AUCTION

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Forstner Drill Bits, Etc.; SawZall; Impact Sockets; Metric and Standard; 14 Ft. Aluminum John Boat and Trailer; 3 Pt. Back Blade; Lift Chair (approx. 2 years old); Very Nice Ant. Secretary Cabinet; Very Nice Ant. Dining Room Set including Buffet, Cobalt Electric Snowblower; Gas Grill; Electric Key Board; Sewing Machine and Cabinet w/Chair; Assortment of Jewelry and Jewelry Boxes; Bedroom Furniture including Dressers; 26" Walk-Behind Snowblower w/Track Drive (approx. 2 yrs. old); Folding Ladder; 80 Volt Cobalt Electric Chain Saw; 80 Volt Cobalt Weed Whip; Assort. Fishing Rods and Reels; Long Workbench; Very lg. Quan. of Hand Tools and Power Tools; Milwaukee High Torque Drill Driver; Lots of Cleaning and Lubricants; Electronic Driveway Markers; Small Refrigerator; 3 Upright Rubbermaid Storage Cabinets; Kitchen Dishes; Pots and Pans; Appliances, Etc.; Pyrex Bowls, Ant. Trunk; Metal Military Foot Locker; Ant. Rectangular Table; Westinghouse Cooker w/Metal Stand; Small Painted Kitchen Cabinet; Lg. Assort. of 45 RPM Records; 33-1/3 RPM Records; Stereo System; Ant. Oak Rocker w/Wicker Seat; (4) 60's style Armchairs; Double Axle Trailer w/treated Wood Deck and Beavertail; Aluminum Extension Ladder; 3 pt. Hitch; Bush Hog; Single Metal Axle Trailer w/Drop Gate; Many Hand Garden Type Tools; Ant. Inkwells; Ant. Metal Watering Can; Lots and Lots of Items too Numerous to Mention.

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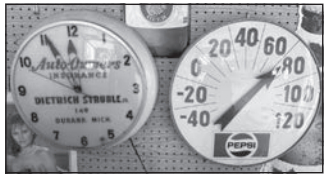
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CUB CADET RIDER-JD ZERO TURN-TRAILER
POLARIS 2X4-TOOLS-DOG PEN

Cub Cadet LT 1018-42 in. rider (450 hrs); JD Z950 zero turn 60 in.; 1994 Polaris 300 2X4-2WD; 5X10 trailer w/wood floor & drop gate; 6-14X7 & 4-20X9 & 4-16X8 in. Chrome rims; Craftsman 10 in. band saw; 2800 Schauer battery charger; Taskmaster floor drill press; pull type sprayer; Toro 824XL 2 stage snow blower w/ snow cab; 10X10 ft. dog pen; 10 in. chop saw; trim mower; Homak tool chest full of tools, mostly auto; hand & garden tools; elec. power washer; air hose reel; belt/disc sander; bench grinders; Mac rolling stool; Parking meter; fire hydrant; cement mixer; old oil jars; Martin house; lots of misc. garage items. **HOUSEHOLD:** Drop leaf dining table & 4 chairs; reclining lift chair; platform rocker; small tables; full size bed w/BS & mattress; single bed w/BS & mattress; 5 drawer chest & matching 9 drawer dresser & night stand; hand turned wood lamp; misc. crocks & jugs; 3 cushion sofa w/recliner ends; Wicker type 3 cushion sofa & chair; jewelry chest; Cuckoo clock; old Stallion cap gun; old traffic light-works; small glass display cases; bookcase; flat screen 44 in. TV & stand; bakers rack; old Gloritone cathedral radio; Indian & western statues; misc. household.

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NASCAR-LOCAL MEMORBIL-
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TOYS-COLLECTIBLES

Barber chair w/booster seat; antique 6 ft. wood barber pole; lighted barber wall pole; 2 old heated shaving cream dispensers; multitude of safety & straight razors; 10 misc. barber oils & scents bottles; Bush Wacker sign; Red Wings jerseys-plaques-20 bobble heads- hockey stick- 2002 champions bowling ball-2008 plaque-etc.; 3 Tigers bobble heads-1984 photo & plaques-Al Kaline photo- etc.; Chevy signs & clocks; Packard thermometer; Coke items; beer signs; Lots of local signs inc. Bill Jenkins-A&W-Bummies-Hilltop roller rink-Horns wrecker-Pizza Pete-Sky Drive in-to name a few. Lots of advertising clocks, inc. Onsted Library (auto Owners); Pepsi-Coke-Chevy-Willys service & cartoons great selection. Playboys: 383 unopened/ sealed Playboy magazines from 1994-2010 & 2015-16; Penthouse sealed from 1997-99 & 2007 & 8; **NOTE: We will be selling in 2 rings at 11:00 am, 1 on household & 1 on tools, then on the collectibles in 1 ring about 12:30 or 1:00 pm**

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1939 World's Fair

FROM PAGE 16

leaf. Each item, of course, was emblazoned with a logo trumpeting its origin.

But Mildred didn't stop there. In addition to the souvenirs, she also typed out a day-by-day synopsis of her exploits. Thirteen single-spaced, legal-sized pages detail her journey, from boarding the train in Chicago ("The food and accommodations are excellent; the people in the tour are high-class and friendly; everyone is in a holiday mood"), to bidding her new friends a fond farewell eight days later ("It was all more wonderful than I had imagined, and we had not a single travel anxiety. Certainly well worth the money").

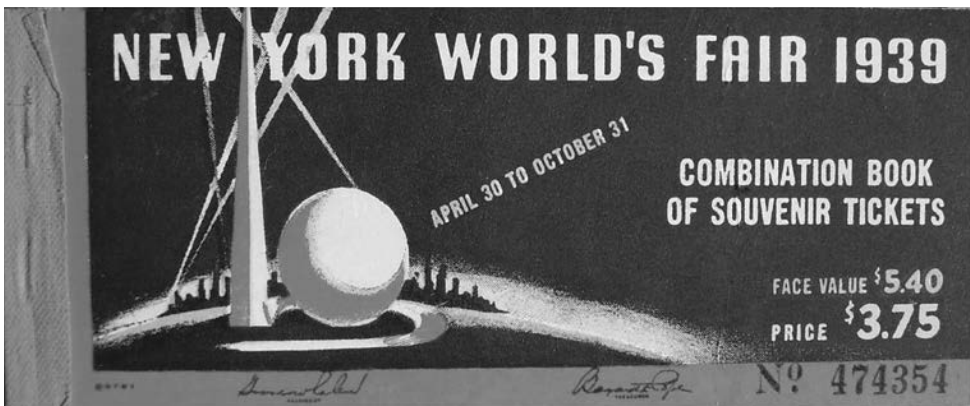
Greeting Fair visitors were two massive structures that have become iconic symbols of its modernistic thrust: the 700-foot high "Trylon," a towering needle-like pyramid, and its companion piece, the "Perisphere," an enormous globe housing the "City of Tomorrow." Mildred was properly impressed:

"The floor on which we stood revolved, denoting the cycle of one day, and as we looked below we saw a well-laid out city with the factories and business centers in the middle, and homes and apartment houses in the suburban districts. As the floor continued to revolve, the light faded, it grew darker, and the stars appeared. Looking up, we heard people singing, and saw them on a screen marching happily.

Below: Souvenir Ektachrome transparency, showing several iconic Fair structures: the Trylon, the Perisphere, and the "Four Freedoms" statues.



Below: You'll need these to get in: 1939 "Combination Book of Souvenir Tickets." Original price, \$3.75 for \$5.40 worth of tickets.



Above: 1939 Powers Tours brochure, from Mildred Anderson's scrapbook. Total tour price: just \$49! (Author photo)

It was a thrilling exhibit—a perfect city, and all of its people were happy and contented. Oh, and the musical accompaniment was directed by Andre Kostelanetz."

With so much to see, and only a short time to see it in, Mildred had to pick and choose. Among her Fair favorites: the Lagoon of Nations ("Oh the lights! The fireworks! The waters!") and the Telephone Building ("I had a test made of my telephone voice!"). The IBM Pavilion prompted some wishful thinking ("Wonder if I'll ever have one of those electric typewriters?"), while the Life Savers Parachute Jump prompted chills ("You wouldn't catch me on that!")

There were also plenty of special attractions for Mildred to enjoy. "Elsie



Above: Mildred definitely qualified for one of these: a 1939 celluloid "I Was There" button.

the Cow" greeted guests at Borden's exhibit, while "Billy The Pygmy Hippo," once a pet of President Calvin Coolidge, did the honors for Firestone Tires. Mildred bypassed "Frank Buck's Jungleland" ("Although I would have liked to view 'Monkey Mountain'"), the "Frozen Alive Girl," and the Michael Todd "girlie" show Gay New Orleans ("just not for us"). Instead, she opted for the spectacular "Billy Rose Aquacade." This watery wonder foreshadowed the popular Esther Williams movies, with its unique combo of synchronized swimming, popular music, lavish stage and lighting effects, and waterfalls, water curtains, and water cascades, pumped in at eight thousand gushing gallons per minute. Said Mildred:

"This was a beautiful water carnival of swimming and stunts. In one number, the swimmers wore swim caps which must have been covered with phosphorus, because when the lights were turned off, the caps glowed in the dark! There were lots of sequences where the swimmers swam in formation to waltz time. The finale



Above: Reliving Fair memories: 1939 souvenir plate by Tiffany.

was very impressive, centered around a huge American flag. And the star of it all was 'Tarzan' (Johnny Weissmuller)!"

And what would the trip of a lifetime be like without souvenirs? Among the abundant array available to Mildred and fellow Fairgoers: photos, pins, vases, commemorative plates, guide booklets, patches, plaques, ashtrays, compacts, coloring books, bookmarks, trays, vases, brush sets, and dresser boxes!

Twenty-five years after the first New York World's Fair, a second Fair blossomed in the same location. The "Perisphere" gave way to the



Above: Souvenir pin from one of Mildred's favorite Fair experiences: the "Billy Rose Aquacade."

"Unisphere." Such 1939 Fair "firsts" as television, air conditioning, fluorescent lights, View-Masters, nylon stockings, and even those red-yellow-blue balloons on Wonder Bread wrappers, now seemed old hat. A new "world of tomorrow" beckoned, but the desire to revel in it remained just as irresistible as it had in Mildred's day. Travelers again poured into New York (although \$49 tour packages were definitely a thing of the past), gathering souvenirs, and filling scrapbooks with their own pieces of time. And they said goodbye just as reluctantly as Mildred Anderson:

"Our stay at the Fair had been filled with fun and interesting things to do, but there was so much more to experience! We were not quite ready to leave, yet leave we must. As our bus departed the Fairgrounds, we had to stop for some little time to allow hundreds and hundreds of people to pass. People just like us, eager for their visit to 'the greatest experience on earth'. The beauty and grandeur of the Fair was so much more than I had expected. It will be etched forever in my memory."

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Donald-Brian Johnson is the co-author of numerous Schiffer books on design and collectibles. He was fortunate enough to acquire "Mildred's Scrapbook" at a garage sale. Please address inquiries to: donaldbrian@msn.com

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Lyn Liechty

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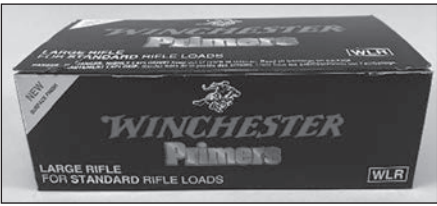
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