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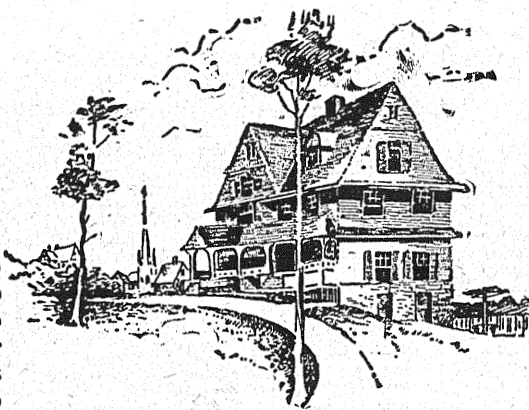
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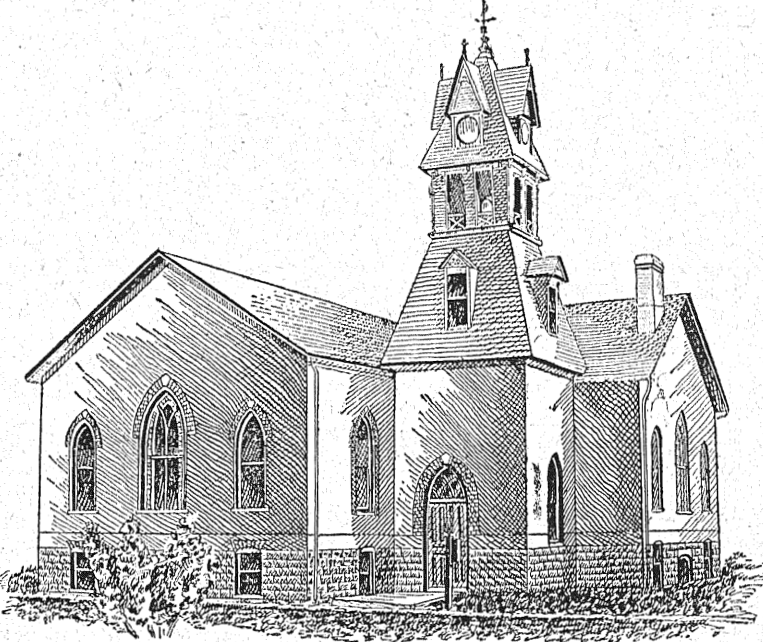
## ANNIVERSARY AND JUBILEE.

The Seventh Anniversary of the Re-Dedication of the M. E. Church was fittingly celebrated last Sunday and Monday.

The beginning anniversary service was held Sunday morning. The day was auspicious indeed. A large congregation filled the audience room. Rev. S. A. Dean preached an inspiring sermon from Exodus 34:29-30. The following is an abstract of the sermon:—"Moses was a great man and had high favor with God. God talked familiarly with him. The Red Sea had opened. Horob had poured forth its waters, the Amalekites had been disconcerted and at many times God had favored Moses with his presence. When the people gazed upon Moses they saw a man who had been in touch with Je-

which was preached in the evening by Rev. Dean about \$100 more was subscribed thus making an amount amply sufficient to put the church in good repair.

In his evening sermon Rev. Dean drew some lessons from the lives of Jacob and Esau and took for his text Gen. 32:27-28. The following is a brief opinion:—"There are some red letter days in every man's life. The time of conversion is one of these. Every man has a place of decision. Elisha with plow and oxen, Moses in wilderness and Jacob wrestling with the angel are ex-



First Methodist Episcopal Church.

hovah and they realized this. It is the same today. People can tell those who have been in touch with God.

The more a man sees in God the more he desires Him. We don't wonder at the aspirations of Moses. God even granted Moses' demand 'Show me thy glory.' When Moses returned from the mountain he had to veil his face before Aaron could come near him. The followers of Moses saw that he had something to which they were strangers. Some say 'I wish I might have lived in those days.' These privileges of Moses' were not greater than those of every christian today.

Men may and do enjoy communion with God. Adam and Eve enjoyed this communion until it was blighted by sin. Abel and Enoch had this also and Abraham was called the friend of God. May young people have communion with God? Yes. Bishop Taylor when asked why he baptized so many young children said 'Children are the only people I am sure of when I do baptize.' Some of the leaders of Israel were not followers of God as they should have been, but God had a great work for the praying boy Samuel. Samuel heard God calling him several times before Eli realized this. How slow many old people are to realize the call of God to the young.

That women have had communion with God is testified to by the fact that no person who was not in communion with God could have written written such lines as the following:—"I have entered the valley of rest and Jesus abides with me there."

"In the secret of his presence how my soul delights to hide."

The man enjoying communion with God reflects the divine glory. We are assimilated in character to the object of our worship. That is why some of us are so poor specimen Christians.

When a man makes himself and then worships the object he has made he is certainly in a bad way. But did you ever see people that were so good that their religion would make you ache? Here the speaker commended the good sense of the banker who hung the following motto in his bank 'Talk brightness; the world is sad enough.' I like a religion of gladness, children, song, birds and flowers. Perhaps someone asks 'I wonder what you do with your trouble when you have any?' I will tell you what I don't do with any trouble that I may have. I don't hold it to me with an iron grip. I let it fly away as fast as it will. I know, that if you will let it religion will make a happy old man. Many of us are so constituted by nature that we can't show beauty in our face but we can let it shine out in our lives.

The man who enjoys communion with God is sure of recognition. He doesn't have to say 'See how I shine.' Moses didn't have to say this. 'Let another praise thee and not thine own lips,' is a good maxim. The man who wishes to get into office is a pretty good man to keep out of office. If you are an efficient member of the church the church will find it out. A Godly life is a beacon light of salvation. God help us that our lives may be beacon lights of this character.

At the close of this service about \$75 was pledged which will be expended for repairs on the church in the way of new windows, a new roof, etc. At the close of the excellent sermon

amples of this fact.

At this point the speaker told in a vivid manner the story of Jacob and Esau and the mess of pottage. He brought out the following facts. 1st. Jacob came honestly by his deception from his mother. 2nd. Jacob didn't amount to much until after his wrestle with the angel. 3rd. A man who takes advantage of the necessities of a brother in want is as mean as Jacob. 4th. It is a serious mistake when a parent loves one child more than another. 5th. It is the height of meanness when a person uses the livery of the Lord to serve the Devil. 6th. A man may dream himself up to Heaven and then act in a mean selfish manner the next day. 7th. When God turns His light into your soul you will see yourself as you are. 7th. It is every person's privilege and duty to have the changed name. 9th. Every man who would prevail as a prince must go to God not only in trouble but also in peace. 10th. We must prevail with God before we can prevail with men. 11th. A man is not worth much in this world until God touches him.

### MONDAY'S EXERCISES.

The anniversary and jubilee closed on Monday with a bountiful chicken-pie supper of which about 175 people partook. This was followed by a reminiscence and anniversary service throughout which wit and wisdom were very prominent. Several musical selections were rendered all of which were of a very high order.

The first was an anthem by the choir followed by an instrumental solo and encore by Miss Ora McKim. These were very fine.

Dr. Gifford in making opening remarks spoke in brief as follows. "We are marking the jubilee of the seventh year of our worship. Cass City has a royal lot of people. I haven't heard any fault found with any of my predecessors," to which statement one brother remarked "This must be Heaven." "But this is the first time I ever had a sufficient amount of chicken-pie placed before me to scare me."

After these opening remarks Rev. Penn spoke principally from a reminiscence standpoint. He was thankful to Providence for the privilege of being present at this jubilee. He had always heard that Methodist ministers were courageous and was not a little surprised to find that one should get scared over chicken-pie. It didn't seem that he had been away from Cass City. "When I was appointed to Cass City I didn't know where I was going and although my wife knows almost everything she didn't know where Cass City was situated. I finally saw a man who

### He Declined.

A few days ago Edward W. Finney received a commission as cadet in the in the Revenue Cutter Service of the United States government through the department of civil service. He passed the civil service examination last August by a very creditable margin, his standings averaging somewhat over 85 per cent. He has, however, decided to resign the commission in order that he may carry on his campaign for the office of register of deeds in this county, for which he was nominated some time ago by our county Democrats.

## Don't Think For a Moment!

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Special Sale on Shoes Closes Sat., Oct. 25th

that we will not give bargains in that line after that date. Our Shoe trade is

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### I. O. O. F.—REBEKAHS.

Over 1200 in Attendance at the Grand Lodge this Week.

The annual convention of the I. O. O. F. and Rebekahs has been in session at Pt. Huron this week. Those in attendance from this place are Mrs. J. F. Hendrick, Mrs. J. D. Crosby, M. L. Moore, F. C. Lee and H. S. Wickware. The Detroit Journal published a short report of the convention which is as follows:—"The proposed home for disabled and dependent Oddfellows will be an important matter before the grand lodges. At the last convention a committee with power to act was appointed, but some difficulty arose, and a report will be made at this convention. It is probable that the entire convention will have to act on the matter. During the year \$1,600 was received for the home fund and the total dues received was \$15,500. A revised constitution and bylaws will be passed on at this session by both the Rebekahs and the grand lodge, both of course being separate organizations. Saginaw is after the next convention, and from all appearances will land it."

### PLEASANTLY SURPRISED.

On the Evening of His Sixty-ninth Birthday.

A pleasant little "surprise" was arranged for John C. Laing last Friday evening, the occasion being his sixty-ninth birthday. When Mr. Laing returned home from the store in the evening he found a number of his gentlemen friends awaiting him. The company consisted of old friends of Mr. Laing, who, like him have been residents of Cass City for many years. The evening passed pleasantly and at



HON. JOHN C. LAING.

the close Dr. Deming presented Mr. Laing with \$10 in gold, a slight token in remembrance.

Mr. Laing has a large acquaintance in Cass City and surrounding country, and has been associated with her interests since 1860. He is best known for honest integrity and upright life.

The ENTERPRISE extends best wishes and hopes that Mr. Laing enjoy many years of peace and prosperity.

### Next Saturday Night.

The Francis Russell Concert company will give an entertainment in the opera house Saturday evening for the benefit of the high school. They come highly recommended, and we quote what the Bad Axe Democrat says of them:—"The entertainment given at the Presbyterian church Wednesday evening by the Francis Russell Concert Co. was very pleasing to the large audience. The program was full of good numbers from start to finish and each number was artistically given. Mr. Russell's rendering of dialect, character, wit, humor and pathos were the very essence of art of expression while his flexible voice further captured his hearers in delightful song."

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### Obituary.

The following is a clipping from the Newton Journal, of Newton, Kansas:—"Anna Wade, nee Straw, the widow of the late Rev. B. F. Wade, died at Newton, Oct. 5th, 1902, aged 65 years, 10 months and 8 days. She was born in Middle Paxton township, Dauphin county, Pa., Nov. 27th, 1836.

"At the early age of 14 years she was happily converted, and received the sweet consciousness of Divine favor, and from that time until she fell asleep in Jesus, she led a devout and consistent christian life.

"On Oct. 15, 1854 she was united in marriage with Rev. B. F. Wade, and for a number of years she shared faithfully the joys and hardships of an itinerant life in the bounds of the Michigan conference.

"She was unassuming and of a reserved disposition, yet always pleasant and perfectly contented with her lot, though there often came times of great sorrow. Of her eleven children, two sons and three daughters preceded her in death, and on the 11th of last February she was bereft of her husband. This blow was too much for her already impaired physical strength, brought on by her sorrow of several years' standing. During the last two weeks of her suffering she waited in gentle resignation and patience for the end. She earnestly exhorted her two sons and four daughters, who were by her bedside, to "be sure and meet her in heaven." Of the children yet living, one son, G. J., resides in Chicago, the other son, F. A., and her

daughters, Mrs. C. J. Darling, Mrs. J. F. Winger, Mrs. Gus Harrison and Mrs. William Balm, reside with their families in this city."

Mrs. Wade was a former resident of Cass City and her death will be regretted by her friends here.

### Was She to Blame?

A beautiful pastoral comedy drama, entitled, "Was She to Blame?" will be rendered in the Hitchcock opera house next Tuesday evening, Oct. 23, by a good strong company. This drama is full of dramatic intensity and power. There is an intermingling of pathos and comedy, tears and laughter. It is of true heart, free from vulgarity and ribald jest. It is said to be one of the best plays on the stage and should be attended by all.

### Nuptials.

A quiet wedding took place in our midst Tuesday evening, when Wm. Zinnecker and Miss Lillian Wallace were united in marriage by Rev. L. Brumm, in the presence of the relatives of the contracting parties. Mr. and Mrs. Zinnecker are well and favorably known in this vicinity and the ENTERPRISE joins with their many friends in extending congratulations.

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**SOME OF THE STOCKHOLDERS WHO  
ATTENDED ANNUAL RAILWAY MEETING.**



At the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad company in Chicago recently millinaires and section men brushed elbows and farmers and business men exchanged confidences, all being owners of stock in the company. The youngest capitalist present was a boy 15 years old, who owns two shares. There were women, too, who owned stock.

Young Cornelius Vanderbilt, looking the part of a leader of fashion in his faultless attire, could not boast any more frequent attendance at these meetings than Charles Bacon, who has come every year from Hammond, La., to vote his shares on any question of the management of the great system which might require his personal consideration.

A section boss from Iowa who sat in a rear seat never moved his position or opened his lips except to vote "aye" during the entire meeting, but neither did John Jacob Astor, who sat beside him. Both sat with their legs crossed and while Mr. Astor displayed silk lavender half hose, the Iowa showed white wool socks below his short, baggy trousers.

One of the character types was Mr. Bacon, whose long beard and hair showed aversion to the barber, and who had made a soiled white muffer take the place of a collar. Then again there were a number of apparently well-to-do business men and several women who had come to participate in the annual deliberations of the stockholders.

**TREASURY IS WELL PROTECTED.**

Burglars Would Have Hard Work Securing Nation's Wealth.

The treasury of the United States at Washington, containing an immense amount of gold and silver coin, is guarded both by men and modern mechanism. Every vault is connected with an electric alarm so sensitive that the slightest touch of the hand will sound a warning at the office of the guards and in the police stations of the city of Washington. False alarms have occasionally sent armed men hurrying to the treasury. A signal allowed to continue would bring out the troops at Fort Meyer, three miles away. Besides these mechanical safeguards, seventy-two men, under a captain, are engaged in watching the treasury. Of these, one-fifth are detailed for day service and two-fifths for each of the two watches of the night.

**Pelletan Between Two Fires.**

The launching of the French steel cruiser Kieher, which took place at Bordeaux the other day, has given rise to an amusing dispute. La Lanterne and some other Paris papers strongly urged Camille Pelletan, the minister of marine, to affirm his convictions by forbidding the religious ceremony of christening the vessel. A crusade on the other side was started by the reactionary organs. The latter gained their point. The Kieher was solemnly baptized and blessed by Abbe Harman. M. Pelletan is now accused of being a man without the courage of his convictions by the socialist and free thought press.

**NEW MINISTER TO SPAIN.**

Arthur Sherburne Hardy Has Much Diplomatic Experience.

Arthur Sherburne Hardy, appointed minister to Spain in the recent diplomatic shifts, is a son of New England. His father was the late Hon. Alpheus Hardy. Born in Andover, Mass., in 1847, he was graduated from West Point, served as a second lieutenant in the Third artillery, and was professor of mathematics at Dartmouth college. He wrote novels, the best known of which were "But Yet a Woman" and "Passe Rose." During



his career as a diplomat he has been minister resident and consul general at Teheran, Persia; minister to Greece, Roumania and Serbia, and minister to Switzerland, having been assigned to the last named post in December of 1900 by President McKinley.

**TRUE DAUGHTER OF AMERICA**

Child of the Late Marcus Daly Wanted No Foreign Title.

Mrs. H. Carroll Brown before marriage was Miss Margaret Daly, the elder daughter of the late Marcus Daly, the capitalist and mine owner of Montana. She has inherited a large fortune. With her sister she passed several years in Paris, where



Mrs. H. Carroll Brown. She was educated in a convent. About a year and a half ago she became the wife of Mr. Brown, a Baltimore man, who is a member of the Maryland club, the Elkridge Fox Hunt club and has been master of the hounds of the Green Spring Valley Hunt club. She always declared, even during her residence abroad, where she was much sought after by the nobility, that she would wed an American or remain single. Her father despised foreign fortune-hunters, whatever their titles.

**Princess a Successful Author.**

King Edward's second daughter, Princess Charles of Denmark, is making a success in literature from a royal standpoint. She has written a book, but it has not been printed. It is circulated in manuscript among the crowned heads of Europe. Not to be outdone by her royal literary aunt, Queen Helena of Italy has written a poem, which is to appear shortly in the German review, Berliner Leben. It is entitled "The Other Crown," and gives the reverse of the medal of royalty as usually seen by popular eyes.

**Credit to the Negro Race.**

Moses Leonard Frazier, the only negro who was ever graduated from the school of political science in Columbia university, New York city, is a shining light. He has been graduated from three colleges, conducts a real estate business and finds time to manage a barber shop. He is a master of philosophy, a bachelor of philosophy, a master of arts and an inventor.

**Vassar Graduate's Good Luck.**

A Vassar graduate of 1889, Miss Helen D. Thompson, is turning her knowledge of sanitation and social work to the advantage of a whole community at Orange, N. J., where she has been made sanitary inspector. Her efforts to instruct people in unsanitary surroundings in better ways of living have met with success where men have failed in their attempts.

**SEE DANGER IN PIGEONS.**

French Authorities Order Slaughter of Possible Messengers.

The French minister of war recently forwarded an order to the troops on duty in the Hautes Alpes to kill all pigeons seen crossing the frontier. This order is the result of the discovery that for some time past pigeons have been sent into France from Italy and then liberated clandestinely. It is believed that in this means spies have been able to send reports out of the country. At Embun the officer in command seized a basket containing 25 pigeons, which had arrived at the railway station from Italy in charge of a man named Maglione, of Tunis. When questioned the man said the birds were for sale, but the military authorities refused to believe him and he was conducted over the frontier.

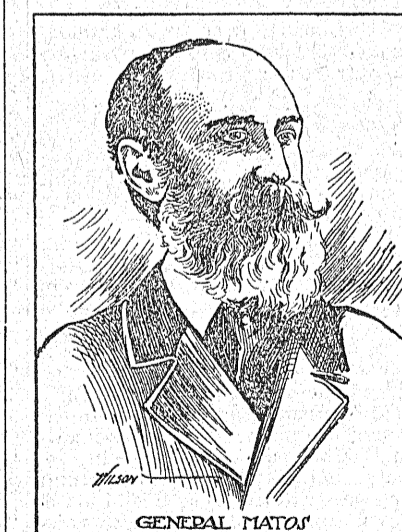
**Peril from Pinnacle Rocks.**

An old officer of the coast survey thinks that the accident to the Brooklyn, which ran on a rock in Buzzard's bay in the recent mimic war off the New England coast, was caused by a pinnacle rock. Such a rock is hard to locate, as it is a stone spire and one may go within six feet of it and never suspect its presence. A weighted rope hung between two launches and the bottom of some unlucky ship are the only things which can discover such a rock. The Pilgrim rock in the East river in New York harbor was not discovered until the Fall river boat of that name ran into it. Schoolship rock, off Cottage City, Martha's Vineyard, is another stone of this kind, and a third lies somewhere near the entrance to Vineyard sound. New York harbor has one or two other pinnacle rocks beside Pilgrim rock.

**FOE OF PRESIDENT CASTRO.**

Gen. Matos Leads Revolutionary Forces in Venezuela.

Gen. Matos is the leader of the revolutionary forces opposed to President Castro in Venezuela, and at the present writing it looks as if the movement would be successful. Gen. Matos is an able man and has the confidence of a majority of the citizens of the republic, but the army is divided



in its allegiance. President Castro is believed to have accumulated much money during his incumbency, and if defeated will follow the usual course of deposed heads of South American republics—proceed to Europe and enjoy life in luxury.

**The Yorkshire Breed**

It is reported in a Canadian paper that at a meeting last fall a noted hog packer of the Dominion expressed himself strongly of the opinion that the large Yorkshire hog was the best animal procurable for the bacon trade. He had hesitated to say which was the best hog, but after mature consideration and long experience he had come to the conclusion that the breed mentioned filled the bill in the best possible manner. In his opinion this hog should be largely used to cross upon the common stock of the country with the object of improving the shape of the hogs for the bacon trade. The large Yorkshire gave the greatest percentage of No. 1 sides, while other breeds gave good sides, but not in so large a proportion as the Yorkshire. His observations led him to the conclusion that this breed was more prepotent than any of the other breeds. In other words, it has greater power of impressing itself upon its progeny. The trouble with other breeds was that they seemed to lose their identity when crossed with the common stock of the country. The Yorkshire always asserted itself and therefore was the best hog to use for the purpose of grading up common stock and securing bacon hogs of the most desirable type. If the proper type be an extra long, slab-sided individual, then the Yorkshire hog is, of course, the best living personification of this type. The bacon curer should know what they want, hence we have nothing to say against this gentleman's opinion. In Canada they cannot be expected to raise or finish lard hogs. Corn is too scarce a commodity with them and the nitrogenous foods are grown on every side so that bacon hogs are the main staple of the swine breeder. It is interesting, however, to learn that the long continued breeding and nitrogenous feeding of the Yorkshire has given it prepotency over other breeds. This claim goes to show what we have held in these columns, that natural feeding as is followed for bacon production is best for the hog. He remains more healthy when the muscular system is developed by "hard" foods rather than the fat-making corn ration. The best bacon is made where such foods as barley, pease, wheat, oats and clover prove most luxurious and where the grains mentioned weigh heavy to the bushel. As a rule the altitudes are high, the climate cool and the soil full of mineral matters. Corn delights in deep, humus-rich soils in hot climates. In such an environment grains do not as a rule weigh well to the bushel. If the soil is rich the straw grows rank and the heads fill imperfectly by ripening time. Oats here grown are light and chaffy. Pease do not do well. Corn is the bumper crop and lard hogs prevail and prove profitable. But the lard hog becomes sluggish if long bred and fed in this environment. The litters become small and the bacon curer cannot find what he is looking for in his business. The fat round hog does not afford the sides he wants, and so he says the long-sided Yorkshire is the best hog for him. This is merely a matter of individual requirement. The corn-fed lard hog is all right in its place, and for the requirements of the packer who is handling that class of hogs. It will be good policy for the corn grower to be also a lard hog grower and feeder at the same time. But there is one thing he can learn from what the bacon curer has said, and that is that there is a way of increasing the size of the litters. That is to use prepotent blood, and this we contend is best found where there is the proper environment for the production of the bacon hog. It is not necessary to use the Yorkshire unless one so desires. The conditions which make that hog prepotent also render other hogs prepotent when raised in that environment. It is then only necessary to go to that environment for fresh boars, and this we believe to be the best policy a breeder can pursue when his home bred boars beget small or weak litters. A change of blood may be made without going outside of the breed kept on any particular farm. The defects of the home-bred animals may be remedied by infusing the blood of boars of the same breed and even family.—Farmers' Review.

**Up-to-Date Creameries**

Last week we had something to say about the filthy conditions existing in some of the creameries in Illinois. In this article we wish to show something of the other side of the shield. There are here and there in Illinois creameries that are models for cleanliness. The writer recently visited such a one at Amboy, Illinois. The creamery is owned by K. S. Townsend. The building is new and well built. In size it is 30x70 feet. All outside walls are of brick with two-inch air space, and all cross walls are of brick. All the floors are of cement, with the exception of the office and store. Every room has a drain to the sewer. There is electric light in every room. There is a butter room and water from a well that supplies water at a temperature of 50 degrees. All the milk is pasteurized

**between the weigh can and separator,**

so that both the cream and the skim milk are pasteurized. The eaters of the butter and cheese are thus protected from disease germs, and the calves and pigs that consume the skim milk are likewise protected.

Mr. Townsend is making great efforts to produce perfectly clean butter and cheese and he is succeeding. His butter retails in Washington at 40 cents per pound even in the summer time. His butter has excellent flavor and aroma. The buttermilk is delicious. As no other creamery visited was the flavor of the buttermilk so good as at this, showing that the cream had not only kept pure, but that it had been ripened just right before churning.

Such a creamery should be patronized widely that the efforts of the maker may be rewarded and that kind of work encouraged. And here is just one reason why we have dirty creameries; the men that strive and spend large sums of money to produce butter under right conditions do not receive proper reward for their well doing. While the butter made by Mr. Townsend retails in Washington for 40 cents per pound, as mentioned, Mr. Townsend receives for his product only the regular Elgin price, which at the time of visit was 20 cents per pound. In other words, the middleman gets all the benefit of the hard labor of the buttermaker. Mr. Townsend gets for his butter the same price that the dirty buttermaker gets. How long can a man be expected to run such a factory if the public will give him no recognition at all? If a man could receive an advance for his butter, say of five cents per pound, on account of the very good conditions under which it is produced, it would stimulate others to follow his lead and spend money in the betterment of their creameries.

And let it be understood that it requires the expenditure of money and that too in large sums. Cement floors cost money, perfect appliances cost money, pasteurizing machines cost money. It costs money to keep up the plant after it is established.

At Belvidere, Illinois, the party visited the creamery of E. J. Bennett. This is another creamery of the same class as that at Amboy. Every effort is made for cleanliness. The floors are not only cemented, but the cement is covered with glazed tile. This makes it easier to clean and to keep clean. Mr. Bennett has been in the work of producing butter and cheese at this point for many years. He has also built up a cream trade, and much of his effort is spent in producing a high quality of ice cream, for which he has ready demand. Other factories have flourished in his vicinity, but have disappeared, the disappearance being largely due, we believe, to the high degree of cleanliness attained by their competitor. This has won the confidence of the community.

Nevertheless Mr. Bennett has to sell his butter at about the Elgin price, which of course means that he is not getting for his work what it should bring, when we take into consideration the price that is paid for butter produced in the ordinary creamery. The general public discriminates sharply as to good, fair and poor butters and is willing to pay accordingly, but the dealer refuses to recognize any difference in butter or cream.

The problem is how can we improve conditions. The first thing that should be done in attempting to solve this problem is to secure for those men that are engaged in producing the high-class article, reward for their outlay and labor. At the present time there seems no better way than to encourage the consumers to buy direct from the producers. Neighborhood clubs might be formed among the consumers and a person sent now and then to inspect the factory from which their butter is bought. The consumers could well afford to pay a few cents more per pound than they have been in the habit of paying. The commission man is about unreachably in this matter. He has averaged up his purchases so long that he is likely to continue to do so. We are certain that if the consumers of butter could in each case know the origin of the butter they consume the dirty creameries would soon go into bankruptcy for lack of patronage; for people will not eat dirty butter if they know it.—Farmers' Review.

**Salt Production in Oklahoma.**

A press dispatch from Wichita, Kan., says: The Oklahoma salt fields promise to become an important industry within a short time. Ever since the territory has been opened to settlement enough salt has been manufactured in Blaine county to supply the whole western portion of the territory and recently, since the railroads have entered the salt mining region, the industry has grown wonderfully. Experts who have examined the salt fields of Oklahoma say that the supply is inexhaustible. Ferguson, named after the present governor of Oklahoma, is the center of the salt mining. Salt Creek, in whose bottoms the salt mines have been found, rises in the southeastern portion of Blaine county, and its branches cover almost the entire distance of the surface.

Saved by Prayer.

Two small children of a friend of ours were chased across a field one day by a ferocious cow, and in talking about the escape, the little girl said: "We were saved, mamma, in answer to a prayer. I told Tommy to pray as we ran, and he said he didn't remember any prayer, so I told him to say what papa says at breakfast; so he shouted: 'For what we are about to receive, make us truly thankful.' Then we crawled under the fence and were saved."—Little Chronicle.

**HUMOR OF THE DAY.**

**LATEST JESTS EVOLVED BY THE FUNMAKERS.**

**Sweet Girl's Neat Retort to Short-Tempered Lover—Why He Regretted Hearing the Minister—Children Have Fun Playing Daniel.**

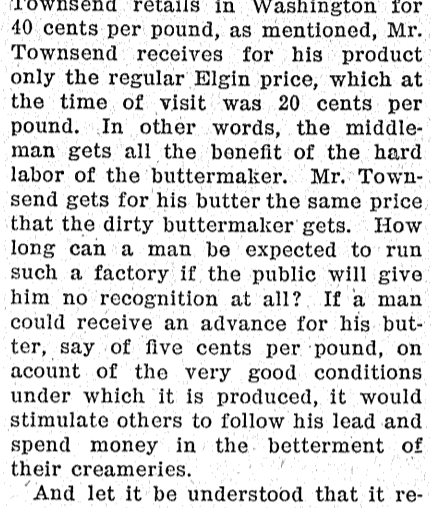
Domestic Point of View.

If there was anything upon which Mrs. Upjohn prided herself it was her coffee. It was always rich, black and strong, and she trusted the making of it to none but her own fair hands.

This is why the visitors in the parlor, from whose presence she had excused herself for a few moments, distinctly heard through the partly open door the loud, horrified voice of the kitchen girl:

"For goodness' sake, ma'am, you're not goin' to feed the company on the horrid black stuff you drink yourself, are ye?"

Just Engaged, Too!  
(Why do girls do this sort o' thing?)



He (savagely)—Pah! It's no use arguing with a fool.

She (sweetly)—But I wasn't arguing with you, dear?

**One of the Social Troubles.**

"I'm dreadfully worried about Jennie," she said.

"Why?" he asked.

"Well, she's just learning to write, and it's impossible to tell whether the round hand, back hand or the angular style will be fashionable when she is ready to 'come out' in society."

Indeed, the problems that beset the modern mother are more serious than a careless man realizes.

**His Rights.**

"Say, you!" yelled old Hunk to the boy next door. "Take your beastly kite away! You're flying it over my house."

"Do you own the atmosphere above your house?" demanded the boy.

"No, you young hussler!" snorted old Hunk. "I don't own any of the atmosphere, but I own the space above my house, all the way up."

**Still a Hoodoo.**

Imogene—You needn't tell me opals bring bad luck. The one in my ring dropped out while I was feeding the chickens in the back yard the other day. A hen gobbled it up. We killed her, and I not only recovered my opal, but had chicken pie for dinner.

Belinda—Well, it was unlucky for the chicken, wasn't it?

**His Little Joke.**

In an effort to push the mislive clear into one of the patent mail boxes she had got her fingers caught. He watched her efforts to extricate them.

"Beware," he said, "of the mailed hand."

When she got him home he was sorry he had said it.

**Do Your Feet Ache and Burn?**

Shake into your shoes, Allen's Foot-Ease, a powder for the feet. It makes tight or New Shoes feel Easy. Cures Corns, Bunions, Swollen, Hot and Sweating Feet. At all Druggists and Shoe Stores, 25c. Sample sent FREE. Address Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

**The human fly is apt to mistake adhesion to, for possession of, the fly-paper of mammon.**

**Scald head is an eczema of the scalp—very**

governed sometimes, but it can be cured. Dean's Ointment, quick and permanent in its results. At any drug store, 50 cents.

"A dose in time saves lives." Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup; nature's remedy for coughs, colds, pulmonary diseases of every sort.

After men pass fifty, they take great pleasure in calling each other "boys."

Nothing half so fine as Mrs. Austin's Pancake flour. Ask your grocer for it.

Ireland's vice-chancellor, the Rt. Hon. Hedges Eyre Chatterton, aged 83 years, has just got married.

**TROUBLE BEGINS.**

Trouble begins with the first back-ache.

Backache comes in many forms—sudden twinges of pain, sharp stitches, slow, exhaustive aches.

Most backache pains are kidney pains.

The kidneys fail to perform the duties nature intends them to do and the warning of trouble comes through the back.

Neglect the kidney warning, grave complications will surely follow.

Urinary disorders, Diabetes, Bright's Disease, are the downward steps of neglected kidneys.

Doan's Kidney Pills cure every kidney and bladder sickness, and the cure lasts. Read this proof of it:

Mrs. Adam Guntle, residing at 701 South Plum St., Crawfordsville, Ind., says: "I made a public statement in 1897, saying that Doan's Kidney Pills had cured a member of our family after he had suffered for years with a weak back and kidney troubles. He took three boxes of this remedy and was completely cured. Now three years have elapsed since I made this statement and I am only too pleased to reiterate it. I have also used Doan's Kidney Pills myself, obtaining the best results. I have recommended this remedy to my friends and neighbors as one which can always be depended upon."

A FREE TRIAL of this great Kidney medicine which cured Mrs. Guntle will be mailed on application to any part of the United States. Address Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y. For sale by all druggists, price 50 cents per box.



Imagine This in Chicago.

A Roxborough shopkeeper has complained to the water department that the goldfish in his show window have died since that section of the city has been supplied with filtered water, and he jumped to the conclusion that the fish had been poisoned by the clear fluid. In truth, they had simply starved to death, since the water had been so effectually purged of impurities that it was practically sterile.

As the purified water gradually finds its way into different sections of the city the aquarium pets must be fed or they will perish. This is a less serious matter than letting the people themselves perish from using water filled with death dealing germs.

**Connaught Popular With Americans.**

By the frequency with which the Duke of Connaught has been entertained by Americans in England of late one is led to suppose that the king's brother is developing a marked partiality toward American ideas. The duke and duchess have promised to visit Mrs. Adair at her beautiful Irish home at Glenveagh, Loch Erne, Mrs. Adair is the daughter of Gen. Wadsworth of Genesee, N. Y.

**Instant Relief from Rheumatism and Neuralgia.**

Here is a case: Mr. T. Shepherd of Whitburn, Sunderland, Ohio, says: "My wife suffered severely from rheumatism, and neuralgia. She could not get one moment's rest and was nearly crazed with pain. Obtained instant relief and a permanent cure by using the contents of one bottle of St. Jacobs Oil. There is no other remedy in the world that will do this. The instantaneous effect which St. Jacobs Oil produces is a part of its half a century record." St. Jacobs Oil is sold in 25c. and 50c. sizes by all druggists.

The words "Acts like Magic," "Quers Pain," which have been used in connection with St. Jacobs Oil for more than 50 years are wonderfully and truly descriptive.

**Good Move of Y. M. C. A.**

The Young Men's Christian Association of the Bowery, New York, has leased a farm of 130 acres in New Jersey. The farm is intended to serve as a temporary home for men who are awaiting employment. They are not expected to remain there longer than two weeks. While they are working on the healthy upland the extensive employment machinery of the Y. M. C. A. is working in their interests.

**STATE OF OHIO, CITY OF TOLEDO, ss.**

LUCAS CORSETT, I, ss. Frank J. Cheney makes oath that he is the senior partner of the firm of F. J. Cheney & Co., contractors, residing in the city of Toledo, County and State aforesaid, and that said firm will pay the sum of ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS for each and every case of Catarrh of the bladder cured by the use of Hall's Family Pills, and will not be held liable for the same.

Sworn to before me and subscribed in my presence, this 6th day of December, A. D. 1898.

[SEAL] Notary Public.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills are the best.

**If God puts you in a dark place it may be a compliment to the light that is in you.—Rams Horn.**

**If you are wise, be wise; keep what goods the gods provide you.—Plautus.**

**Some people always insist on looking at a dead man, because he's free.**

**WA-HOO THE GREAT BLOOD & NERVE TONIC**

**A POSITIVE KIDNEY and BLADDER CURE**

In fact Never Fails in any Catarrhal Troubles.

This Preparation contains { Sarsaparilla, Prickly Ash, Yellow Dock, WA-HOO, Rhubarb, the following ingredients: Wild Cherry, Sassafras, Mandrake and Dandelion.

It is prepared with great care and skill. It deserves your consideration, and if, upon fair trial, it does not give satisfaction, we will gladly refund the price paid for it.

It will clear Your Complexion, brighten your eyes, and fill your being with snap and vigor.

It is a Pure Vegetable Compound, free from all mineral poison. It cures all bilious derangements and cleanses the blood of impurities.

It Restores Weakened Constitutions, tones the nerves, creates appetite, and cures positive cure for Rheumatism, Blood Disorders, Stomach Troubles, Liver and Kidney Complaint, Sick Headache, Malaria, Pimples, Boils, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Catarrh of the Stomach, Nervousness, Skin Diseases, Salt Rheum and Neuralgia, Female Weaknesses and Irregularities promptly relieved and permanently cured.

PRICE, \$1.00 PER BOTTLE—IF YOUR DRUGGIST HASN'T IT WRITE US. MANUFACTURED BY WA-HOO REMEDY CO., DETROIT, MICH.



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The wide circulation of the ENTERPRISE in the counties of Tuscola, Huron and Sanilac, makes it valuable advertising medium.

A. A. P. McDowell, Proprietor.

## Professional Cards.

**J. D. BROOKER,**  
ATTORNEY AT LAW, Solicitor in Chancery, Reference: Exchange Bank and Cass City Bank. Office in Second story of Exchange Bank block, Cass City, Mich.

**Dr. J. H. Hays**  
Physician and Surgeon. Offices in new Alle Block. Residence, Soeger street, four doors south of New Sheridan. Phone 15.

**Dr. G. M. Livingston.**  
Physician and Surgeon. Graduate of the University of Michigan—1898. Special attention given to diseases of women and children. Office over Cass City Bank. Telephone 27.

**Dr. A. N. Treadgold.**  
Physician and Surgeon. Will faithfully serve those who may employ him. Office in the second story of the City Block. Phone No. 33. 6-20-01

**A. W. Truesdell, M. D.**  
Physician and Surgeon, Shabbona, Mich. Special attention to surgery. 6-12-02.

## DENTISTRY.

**I. A. FRITZ, DENTIST.** Office over Fritz's drug store. Assisted by P. L. Fritz, D. D. S., graduate of University of Michigan.

**P. A. SCHENCK, D. D. S.**  
DENTIST—graduate of University of Michigan. Office in new Fritz block, Cass City, Mich. 19-31-01.

## Societies.

**I. O. F.**  
COURT ELKLAND, No. 525, I. O. F., meets on 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of each month in their hall in the Campbell block, at 7:30 p. m. Visiting brethren are cordially invited.

**WILLIAM MESSNER, C. R.**  
A. A. P. McDowell Rec. Sec. 8-11-07

**I. O. O. F.**  
CASS CITY LODGE, No. 203, meets every Friday evening at 7:30. Visiting brethren cordially invited. A. A. P. McDowell, N. G. D. LIVINGSTON, Secretary.

**K. O. T. M.**  
CASS CITY TRUMP, No. 74, meets the first and third Friday evenings of each month, at 7:30. Visiting Sir Knights cordially invited. F. S. RICE, Commander. A. A. P. McDowell, Record Keeper.

## Church Directory.

**BAPTIST**—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on Sunday. Sunday school at 12 m. Young people's meeting Monday evening. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening. Rev. R. WEAVER, Pastor.

**EVANGELICAL**—Services begin with Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. Preaching services 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Y. P. A. meeting 6:40 p. m. English services every Sunday evening. All are invited. Rev. L. BRUM, Pastor.

**METHODIST EPISCOPAL**—Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday. Class meetings follow morning services. Sunday school at 12 m. Junior League at 3:40 p. m. Epworth League at 6:40 p. m. Prayer meeting at 7:30 on Thursday evening. Rev. M. W. GIBBON, Pastor.

**PRESBYTERIAN**—Sunday preaching services, 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at 12 m. Y. P. S. G. E. at 6:40 p. m. Prayer meeting on Thursday evening at 7:30. Rev. A. TORNET, Pastor.

**H. L. PINNEY,** Cashier. **C. G. MATZEN,** Asst. Cashier.

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Loans money on approved notes and real estate.

In Partial Payment Terms if desired.

Pays Interest on Time Deposits.

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## Cass City Stage Line

Runs daily between Cass City and Caro, leaving Cass City at 6:00 a. m. Returning, leaves Caro at 1:30 p. m. Ample passenger service and general delivery of all kinds. Leave all orders at Caro House. 6-26 E. HOBART, Proprietor

## ...THE...

## People's Bank

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Money to Loan on Long or Short Time.

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**C. H. SCHENCK,** Cashier.

## DYSPEPTICIDE

The greatest aid to DIGESTION.

**One Minute Cough Cure** For Coughs, Colds and Croup.

# SHYLOCK

Shylock was the man who wanted a pound of human flesh. There are many Shylocks now, the convalescent, the consumptive, the sickly child, the pale young woman, all want human flesh and they can get it—take Scott's Emulsion.

Scott's Emulsion is flesh and blood, bone and muscle. It feeds the nerves, strengthens the digestive organs and they feed the whole body.

For nearly thirty years Scott's Emulsion has been the great giver of human flesh.

We will send you a couple of ounces free.

SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. Sec. and 4c. 10c.; all druggists.

## Pigeon.

F. L. Pettit entertained his father and mother, from Cass City, on Sunday.

The dwelling houses of F. L. Pettit and L. Eberline are being rushed to completion.

A chicken pie supper at the M. E. parsonage on Wednesday evening for the benefit of the Ladies' Aid.

Pigeon is now incorporated as a village and a few of our citizens who do not like to be called "pigeons" are proposing to change the name.

When you wake up with a bad taste in your mouth, go at once to A. Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston, and get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. One or two doses will make you well. They also cure biliousness, sick headache and constipation.

No danger of consumption if you use Foley's Honey and Tar to cure that stubborn cough. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

## West Grant

Bean harvesting is almost complete in this burg.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Twillon Heron, a son, the 10th inst.

Miss Mable Barnham is assisting L. Mathews in the fruit harvest.

Mrs. Colley, of Cass City, was the guest of Mrs. Jas. Mahrg Sunday.

Mrs. McMillan and W. Durfy, of Ont., are visiting relatives and friends here and in Sheridan.

## Stops the Cough and Works off the Cold.

Laxative Bromo-Quinine Tablets cure a cold in one day. No Cure, No Pay. Price 25 cents.

## Never Ask Advice.

When you have a cough or cold don't ask what is good for it and get some medicine with little or no merit and perhaps dangerous. Ask for Foley's Honey and Tar, the greatest throat and lung remedy, it cures coughs and colds quickly. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

## Cumber

Nearly everyone is pulling beans.

George Schiestel was in Argyle Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Lowe were in Uby Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Brown visited at Chas. Ewing's last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Robinson visited at the home of Mr. Mrs. Chas. Lowe.

Will Armstrong spent last week with his brother near Mills, returning home on Monday.

The sale at Mr. Armstrong's store last Saturday evening was well attended and quite a few articles were disposed of.

Miss Ethel Meredith has returned to her home in Shabbona, after spending three weeks with her sister, Mrs. S. Robinson.

Mrs. Corrin left last Monday for La-comb, Alberta, where she will join her husband, who went there about six months ago to take up land. Her daughter, Mattie, did not accompany her.

## He Learned a Great Truth

It is said of John Wesley that he once said to Mistress Wesley: "Why do you tell that child the same thing over and over again?" "John Wesley, because once telling is not enough." It is for this same reason that you are told again and again that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures colds and grip; that it counteracts any tendency of these diseases to result in pneumonia, and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale at A. Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

The merchants of Millington have decided to close their places of business each evening at 7 o'clock except Saturday evening until April 1st.

## CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

## Bay Port.

Mrs. D. Germain is on the sick list. Elsie Brown, of Caseville, visited friends in town Monday.

Earnest Baldwin, of Bad Axe, was the guest of Robt. Wallace Saturday.

Dr. McDowell, of Pigeon, has taken Dr. McLean's place, and we hope he will be successful.

Mrs. Anna Grant and daughter, Melva, and Julia Meyer left Monday for Los Angeles, Calif., where they intend to spend the winter.

A reception was given Thursday evening in honor of Dr. McLean, who left Friday for Flint, where he will continue his practice. All report a good time.

Three freight cars, side-tracked, not having the brakes securely set, ran off the end of the dock into the water going through a coal bin and carrying with it 20 tons of coal. The cars were loaded with fish eggs and hme. Two of the cars were removed by the wrecking train, the third being so badly damaged that it was left in the water. We know the company is eager enough for the fish, but we did not think they start an underground railroad to secure them.

**TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY**  
Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund the money if it fails to cure. E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

## "Watch The Kidneys."

"When they are affected, life is in danger," says Dr. Abernethy, the great English physician. Foley's Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

While opening a box, J. C. Mount, of Three Mile Bay, N. Y., ran a ten penny nail through the fleshy part of his hand. "I thought at once of all the pain and soreness this would cause me," he says, "and immediately applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm and occasionally afterwards. To my surprise it removed all pain and soreness and the injured parts were soon healed." For sale at A. Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

## Wilmot.

W. Ford is buying potatoes to ship.

Will Cohan came home Tuesday night.

W. H. Travis is at St. Paul, Minn., for a few days.

W. Westerbe and E. N. Hartt are helping G. Brock on his house this week.

Mrs. John Thompson, from Caro, is spending the week with relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. Mary Baker, of Clifford, came Tuesday to stay a while with her father, W. Wilson, who does not get any better but seems to be gradually failing.

Alex Graves and family came Saturday. They have brought their household goods and will build a house on their farm at once as they intend to stay.

Floyd Pierce, who has been sick with fever for so long, is now able to sit up a short time, but his mother and brother are both very ill with fever at present.

We neglected last week to mention the damage done by lightning during the storm a week ago Sunday night. Will Hartt's barn was struck and one corner of it torn out and Will Harbin's barn was also struck and two head of cattle killed.

All diseases start in the bowels. Keep them open or you will be sick. CAS-CARETS act like nature. Keep liver and bowels active without a sickening griping feeling. Six million people take and recommend CAS-CARETS. Try a 10c box. All druggists. 11-21-01

## Do Good—It Pays

A Chicago man has observed that "Good deeds are better than real estate deeds—some of the latter are worthless. Act kindly and gently, show sympathy and lend a helping hand. You cannot possibly lose by it." Most men appreciate a kind word and encouragement more than substantial help. There are persons in this community who might truthfully say: "My good friend, cheer up. A few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will rid you of your cold, and there is no danger whatever from pneumonia when you use that medicine. It always cures. I know it for it has helped me out many a time." Sold at A. Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

## Deford.

Roads are "horrid."

The new "Reverend" is here.

Mrs. Albert Mills is very sick.

Mrs. A. Bruce is still very low.

Elmer Lewis now labors at Caro.

Jim. Rule had a runaway Saturday.

The beet harvest is on in full blast.

Geo. Pratt has sold one of his work horses.

Benjamin Sharp has returned from Belmont.

Clayton Crawford is threshing beans near Cass City.

James Rule has laid up the threshing for this season.

The last rains assured the final ruin of all late beans.

Fred Crittenden has vacated the Sim Pratt house.

Lenard Patch and family visited at John McCracken's on Sunday.

M. D. Mills, of the north country, may or may not return to Novesta.

Sunday School now commences at 10 o'clock a. m. at the schoolhouse, No. 6 fr., Kingston.

Mrs. Gordon McCracken, of Buffalo, N. Y., has returned to her home after a two months' visit in this locality.

Elmer Bruce, who has the job for cleaning out the McCallum drain, is knocked out of business by high water. A Bostonian saw a copy of the Cass

City Chronicle and the Deford directory showed up more firms of a business nature than Kingston so he took it for the longest cown, and governed himself accordingly.

Merchant Croop has two potato cellars which hold twenty thousand bushels. Last year they were filled, and this year they are empty and will continue to be. Now, just think what that means to the people in this locality.

## Bronchitis for Twenty Years.

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief until I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure cure. It contains no opiates. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Get a free sample of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets at A. Bond's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston. They are easier to take and more pleasant in effect than pills. Then their use is not followed by constipation as is often the case with pills. Regular size, 25c. per box.

## Greenleaf.

Last week's correspondence

A. Livingston is visiting friends in Canada.

A. Paul made a trip to Ubyly the first of the week.

Miss Becky Chisholm made a trip to Bad Axe Saturday.

Jas. McNeal, of Bad Axe, was a caller in town Monday.

Peter McDonald, of Brookfield, was a caller in town Sunday.

Dr. Harrington made a professional call in town the past week.

Duncan McGillivray will have an auction sale the 22nd of Oct.

Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Keeney are entertaining friends from Detroit.

Miss Paul who has been seriously ill for some time is some better at this writing.

A little son came to gladden the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Smith Tuesday.

Mrs. A. Patrick left Tuesday for an extended visit with friends in Port Huron and Hamilton, Ont.

Mr. Powell has moved his family to Sebawaing, where he has obtained a position in the beet sugar factory.

A spark from a threshing machine set fire to a stack of hay belonging to John Gillies. Prompt action on the part of the threshers and neighbors saved the barn and grain stacks. Loss five tons of hay.

## Natural Anodyne

Mothers regarding approaching winter with uneasiness, children take cold so easily. No disease costs more little lives than croup. It's attack is so sudden that the sufferer is often beyond human aid before the doctor arrives. Such cases yield readily to One Minute Cough Cure. Liquidifies the mucus, allays inflammation, removes danger. Absolutely safe. Acts immediately. Cures coughs, colds, grip, bronchitis, all throat and lung trouble. F. S. McMahon, Hampton, Ga.: "A bad cold rendered me voiceless just before an oratorical contest. I intended to withdraw but took One Minute Cough Cure. It restored my voice in time to win the medal." A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

## A Dozen Times a Night.

Mr. Owen Dunn, of Benton Ferry, W. Va., writes: "I have had kidney and bladder trouble for years, and it became so bad that I was obliged to get up at least a dozen times a night. I never received any permanent benefit from any medicine until I tried Foley's Kidney Cure. After using two bottles, I am cured." T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

## Elmwood.

Miss Lizzie McDonald is very ill with fever.

Henry Dodge has returned from his northern trip.

M. Merithew, of Bay City, is visiting his cousin, E. S. White.

F. A. Turner and wife, of Caro, visited at D. E. Turner's Sunday.

John Hartly and Preston Stone were at Bay City the first of the week.

Mr. Winchester, of Baltimore, is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Leander Morse.

John Compton and Nathan Patter son, of Columbia, were at Elmwood Sunday.

Miss Ida Compton, of Gagetown, spent Sunday and Monday at her home here.

Farmers are harvesting beans. Some are badly damaged by the continued rains, others are very fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson, who have been visiting at W. W. Hargrave's, started for their home in California Monday. Mrs. Nelson is a sister of Mr. Hargrave's.

E. S. White and family received a telephone message from Unionville Monday, telling of the death of Mrs. White's uncle, Wm. J. Davis. Mr. White and family attended the funeral Wednesday. Mr. Davis has been a resident of Unionville and vicinity nearly forty years, and was highly esteemed.

## Forty Years Torture.

To be relieved from a torturing disease after 40 years' torture might well cause the gratitude of anyone. That is what DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve did for C. Haney, Geneva, O. He says: "DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cured me of piles after I had suffered 40 years." Cures cuts, burns, wounds, skin disease. Beware of counterfeits. A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures coughs and colds and prevents pneumonia. Take no substitutes. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

**CASTORIA.** The Kind You Have Always Bought Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Patrick Coyle, who was shot in the shoulder two weeks ago, necessitating a shoulder amputation of the right arm, returned home from St. Mary's hospital, Saginaw, Wednesday, feeling as thoroughly good as is possible under the circumstances.—Sebawaing Review.

## Danger in Fall Colds.

Fall colds are liable to hang on all winter leaving the seeds of pneumonia, bronchitis or consumption. Foley's Honey and Tar cures quickly and prevents serious results. It is old and reliable, tried and tested, safe and sure, contains no opiates and will not constipate. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Charles Elmers, son of Henry Elmers, of Pigeon, slipped and fell to the floor of his father's barn breaking his arm in several places. He was taken to St. Mary's hospital in Saginaw by Dr. Frenzel, and the arm was amputated above the elbow.—Sebawaing Blade.

## Broke Into his House.

S. Le Quinn, of Cavendish, Vt., was robbed of his constitutional health by invasion of Chronic Constipation. When Dr. King's New Life Pills broke into his house, his trouble was arrested and now he is entirely cured. They're guaranteed to cure. 25c at T. H. Fritz's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

A Sanilac county medical association has just been formed, whose object will be to promote the best feeling of fraternity possible among these professional men and then to promote the highest educational standard by broad reading and deep thinking. The following officers were elected for the following year: President, Dr. W. H. Smith, of Carsonville; vice-president, Dr. Kingston, of Creswell; treasurer and secretary, Dr. Tweedie, of Sanilac Center.

## A Love Letter.

Would not invest you if you're looking for a guaranteed Salve for Sores, Burns or Piles. Otto Dodd, of Ponder, Mo., writes: "I suffered with an ugly sore for a year, but a box of Bucklen's Arnica Salve cured me. It's the best Salve on earth." 25c at T. H. Fritz's Drug Store, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Authentic information has been received that the body of A. A. Crawford had been shipped from California to Gagetown, and which will undoubtedly arrive at that place Tuesday of next week. The transport on which the body arrived was quarantined in San Francisco for four days, thus the delay. The funeral will be held Sunday, Oct. 20th, as arrangements now appear, although no definite arrangements have been made with the deceased's family.—Ujly Courier.

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**Anniversary and Jubilee.**  
 (Continued from first page.)  
 said Cass City was a nice town and then I began to take courage; and when a short time after this I saw a lady who said Cass City contained some of the nicest people in the world I smiled. One of the first letters I received after being appointed to this charge was from T. H. Fritz who wrote: "You are to be our pastor. The official board has just voted to raise and enlarge the church. Hope you will not be discouraged." Bro. Fenn paid a tribute to Michael Scogar for his faithfulness when the church was moved. He also paid a high tribute to the Messrs. Fritzes, Campbell, Wood, Landon and other faithful men who had the interests of the church at heart and who stood by so faithfully during the planning, moving and rebuilding of the church. Bro. Fenn said he was afraid that the trustees were undertaking too much. He asked them how they dare undertake it. "People frequently told me that I would swamp and bury the M. E. Church of Cass City." He spoke about those of Cass City's prominent citizens who lay dead at the day of dedication or who had died about that time. He mentioned Dr. McLean and Dr. McDoyle's second wife in this connection.  
 "When we realized that \$6,000 to \$7,000 were to be raised on a cold October day, the day of dedication, it made strong hearts quail but we trusted in the Lord and went ahead. Bishop W. X. Nindé said he had never seen such an undertaking without a cent of money subscribed."  
 Following Rev. Fenn was a vocal solo which was sung very nicely by Wm. Coates.  
 The next five or ten minutes were occupied by Rev. Torbet, who as he said, came to Cass City about three years ago. He thought the people needed the Gospel because they lived on the "Polly Ann." Was glad to hear aspirations, christianity will never become unpopular.  
 Rev. Torbet was followed by Rev. Dean who declared that notwithstanding all that had been said about Dr. Gifford and the chicken-pie he was a brave man. Thought if he had done as well as Dr. Gifford he would have been too full for utterance. When Bro. Dean began talking it was about 10 o'clock and he rather surmised that he would have to follow the example of the colored preacher who thought it his duty to put in the roughest. He said "We don't understand many things."  
 Thinks Malachi wrote about the 20th century. He didn't understand why the church didn't smite the monster intemperance unless it was because it is so busy with the tariff or 10 to 1. When God's hand takes the baby it is hard to say all's well. He was sure that faithful service will be rewarded in whatever sphere it was done. "God seems at times to leave us when we need him most but this is not the case, we simply lose courage and fail."  
 "What I do know now and what you shall know hereafter," The tears, trials and darkness of the christian are all remembered by God. He thought in the assuring promise "They shall be mine when I make up my jewels," there was enough to keep us encouraged. He expected to live long enough to travel in an airship of such an improved type that there would be no danger of his being shot for a goose.  
 Following this was a song by Miss Anna Kingma. At the evening's entertainment Dr. Gifford who had taken a very prominent and influential part in the anniversary thanked the people who had contributed so generously with time and money; the Ladies' Aid Society for the important part they had played and any of the many others who had contributed to the success of the exercises. All seemed well pleased and regarded the seventh anniversary jubilee of the Cass City M. E. Church as a success in every particular.  
 Upsets all Predictions.  
 J. F. Hughes, was a candidate for county treasurer at Du Pont, Ga., but it was predicted that he could not live six months. He was attacked with a running abscess on his lung and suffered for three years; his life trembled in the balance when he heard of Dr. King's New Discovery for consumption. He tried it and was finally cured and thus upset the predictions of all who knew him. It's positively guaranteed for Throat and Lung troubles by T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston. Price 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free.

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**The Breakfast-Food Family**  
 John Spratt will eat no fat. Nor will he touch the lean. He seems to eat of any meat; He lives upon Foodline.  
 But Mrs. Spratt will none of that; Foodline she cannot eat. Her special wish is for a dish Of Expurgated Wheat.  
 To William Spratt that food is flat Or which his motor hates. His favorite food—his special need— Is Kala Heapa Oats.  
 But Sister Lil can't see how Will Can touch such tastiness food. As breakfast fare it can't compare, She says, with Shredded Wood.  
 Now, none of these Lenten please; He feeds upon Bath Mice, While Sister Jane improves her brain With Cero-Grapo-Grais.  
 Lycopodium votes for Father's Oats; Progress supposes to May; The Junior John subsists upon Uneda Bay's Hay.  
 Corrected Wheat for little Pete; Flaked Pine for Dot; while "Bub," The infant Spratt is waxing fat On Battle Creek Near-Grain.  
 (Chicago Tribune.)  
**World's Production Of Coal In 1901.**  
 The forthcoming volume of Mineral Resources of the United States for the Calendar Year 1901, United States Geological Survey, estimates the world's production of coal in 1901 at 866,165,540 short tons. The three great coal-producing countries of the world are the United States, Great Britain and Germany. The output of these three countries combined makes up 81.61 per cent. of the world's total. Austria-Hungary comes fourth, France is fifth, Belgium sixth, and Russia seventh. The last country, notwithstanding its vast area, produces only about 6 per cent. as much coal as the United States. The three countries which lead in the production of coal are the three countries that lead in industrial development. Prior to 1899, Great Britain led among the world's coal producers, but during 1899, 1900 and 1901 the United States has made such remarkable increases in coal production, due principally to the unprecedented activity in the iron and steel and in other metal trades, that we now stand far in the lead of all competitors, with a production in 1901 exceeding that of Great Britain by 47,965,338 short tons, or 19 per cent. Up to the close of 1900 the coal production of Great Britain and her colonies, if taken together, still exceeded that of the United States, the excess in 1900 being 3,368,825 short tons; but the enormous output of the coal mines of this country last year exceeded by about 26,000,000 short tons the entire output of Great Britain and her dependencies, including India and the Transvaal.  
 Of the output of coal in 1901, the United States produced 33.86 per cent., Great Britain and her dependencies 30.85 per cent., and Germany 19.42 per cent., or, combined, 84.14 per cent. of the total production.  
**Cannot Condemn Mail Boxes.**  
 First Assistant Postmaster General Wynne has issued a circular letter to the postmasters of all rural free delivery postoffices, instructing them that postmasters and rural free delivery carriers are not permitted to condemn the letter boxes used by patrons. The order directs that they shall continue to serve boxes already erected until a regular inspection of such boxes can be made by the route inspectors and special agents who will condemn the boxes found unsafe or which otherwise fail to meet the requirements. The entire force of rural free delivery inspectors are now investigating petitions for such service and these box inspections probably cannot be made for a month or two.  
 There will be 14,000 rural free delivery postal routes in operation on July 1 next, and the estimate for appropriations for the next fiscal year provides for 12,000 more.  
**Look Out For Fever.**  
 Biliousness and liver disorders at this season may be prevented by cleansing the system with Dr. Williams' Little Early Risers. These famous little pills do not gripe. They move the bowels gently, but copiously, and by reason of the tonic properties, give tone and strength to the glands. A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

**STATE BOARD OF HEALTH REPORTS**  
 Continue to Show that a Large Percentage of Deaths are Due to Obsolete or Chronic Diseases.  
 It is only within the last few years that science has recognized the importance of this class of diseases. We can all remember when they were only treated by ignorant, irresponsible men. One of the first scientific institutions organized for the treatment of chronic diseases was the Detroit Medical and Surgical Clinic, founded by Dr. Morrison, a graduate of the University of Michigan, and a man who has spent more than one-half of his life in the study of chronic diseases, both in the hospitals of this country and Europe.  
 His efforts have been crowned with abundant success and he is recognized by the press and people as the greatest specialist in these cases that we have in this country. The Detroit News-Tribune, July 30, 1898, said: "It is no invidious comparison to say that no specialist in Detroit or in the State of Michigan, has had such a wide experience as Dr. Morrison, and as an expert diagnostician he has few equals in this country."  
 The diseases that have received especial study and in which cures have been made in more than 93 per cent of cases are: Catarrh, Ringing in the Ears, Deafness, Diseases of the Eye, Ear, Throat, Lungs, Stomach, Kidney, Bladder, Diabetes, Dyspepsia, Constipation, Rheumatism, Paralysis, Epilepsy or Fits, Rupture, Piles, Male and Female Weakness, Blood Poison and Private Diseases.  
 It makes no difference how difficult, or what your case may be, nor how many have failed to cure you, there is always hope for you, until you have returned to the Detroit Clinic. It has been told that your case is incurable. The reputation of this Clinic has been made by curing cases that were supposed to be incurable. After examination, if your case is not curable, you will be so informed, and it costs you nothing.



Dr. Morrison, Chief of Staff.  
 Gordon House, Cass City,  
 Fri. and Sat., Oct. 31, Nov. 1  
 Sanilac Centre, Robert House,  
 Tuesday, October 28.

Eyes tested and glasses fitted free.  
 Facts are better established by the testimony of two or three good citizens than by pages of argument; hundreds of cured patients send their testimonials unasked, but space will only allow a few.  
 Dear Sir—For several years I have been troubled with deafness, roaring in my head and all the symptoms of Chronic Catarrh. I believed that my case was incurable, but upon the urgent request of a friend I consulted Dr. Morrison, of the Detroit Clinic. After a careful examination he said he could cure me in two months. I commenced treatment and in two months I was cured; could hear as well as ever; no more pain or roaring in the head. I was afraid it would return but I have had a severe cold since I was cured and there has been no return of the trouble, so I know I am cured. I want all your readers to know of my wonderful cure.  
 FRANK BOND,  
 Cass City, Oct. 10, 1901.

Dear Sir—I want your readers to know of my wonderful cure. For 5 years I have been growing worse with a complication of diseases. I have been treated by many of our best doctors, but as I always grew worse I had made up my mind that my case was incurable. But Dr. Morrison has cured me in 4 months, as you know. I have lived in this country for many years and am well known.  
 Gagetown, Sept. 6, 1902.  
 ADELIA LOZIER.

Dear Sir—I take this means of informing my friends and the public in general of my wonderful cure by Dr. Morrison, of the Detroit Clinic. I have suffered for years with diseases of the heart, kidney, stomach and bladder. I have been treated by many doctors and received no benefit and concluded that my case was incurable, but on the first of May I consulted Dr. Morrison at Cass City and he told me that he could cure me. He has kept his word, for I am cured and I want every one to know it, for after curing me it seems as if he could cure any one, for I think I was as bad as any one could be.  
 ELBERT BEAUP.  
 Cass City, Oct. 11, 1901.

The great success with which the Clinic treats all kinds of diseases is the wonder and admiration of all scientific men. The specialist in charge is noted for his skill, and the care with which every case is treated. No case that is not curable will be treated, but curable cases are treated with the latest scientific methods, and in no case does it interfere with the work of the patient.  
 Remember, it costs you nothing to consult this specialist, such an opportunity does not offer itself very often to people outside of large cities, and our citizens will certainly do well to take advantage of this one. It is best to consult the specialist personally, but question blanks will be sent on application, and all communications will receive prompt attention, if they are addressed to  
 DETROIT CLINIC,  
 Box 110, Detroit, Michigan.

While Alf Edgar was filling the reservoir on a gasoline stove in the back room of the tailor shop last Friday afternoon, the stuff became ignited in some manner and for a few minutes there was a torrid interval in the old shop. The fire started in to do business on a large scale, burned the paper of the wall and ceiling, damaged the wood work and destroyed what clothing was being made. By good hard work the fire was finally extinguished but the room presented a sorry appearance. It will take about a hundred dollars to repair the damage.—Croswell Jeffersonian.

**Spent More Than \$1000.**  
 W. W. Baker, of Plainview, Neb., writes: "My wife suffered from lung trouble for fifteen years. She tried a number of doctors and spent over \$1000 without relief. She became very low and lost all hope. A friend recommended Foley's Honey and Tar and thanks to this great remedy, it saved her life. She enjoys better health than she has known in ten years." Refuse substitutes. T. H. Fritz, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

Caro has a case of smallpox and it is reported that the whole town has been exposed.  
 Lena, daughter of William Willets of Worth township, was terribly burned last week Wednesday, and at one time it was thought she would not recover. It appears she was paring potatoes, with her back to the stove, when her dress caught fire and was soon all in flames. She immediately ran out doors, and the current of air only caused the fire to burn more rapidly, but she finally jumped into a tub and her brother pumped the water upon her and quenched the flames, but not until all of her clothing from her waist down was totally burned. She will recover but is at present in a critical condition.—Croswell Journal.

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 or that sore-footed horse we want to get at. We'll not let go of its foot until we find out what the trouble is. And if it's caused by improper shoeing—like nine out of ten are—we'll do our best to bring it out all right.  
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 either price get you a solid suit. A suit that you will feel at home in—that you'll feel dressed in—that will be strongly, thoroughly made. It will be cut to fit you perfectly, it will be fashionable, and it will be big value for whatever money you pay for it.  
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 This preparation contains all of the digestants and digests all kinds of food. It gives instant relief and never fails to cure. It allows you to eat all the food you want. The most sensitive stomachs can take it. By its use many thousands of dyspeptics have been cured after everything else failed. It is unequalled for the stomach. Children with weak stomachs thrive on it. First dose relieves. A diet unnecessary.  
**Cures all stomach troubles**  
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Avoid get-rich-quick schemes. See I. Tim, vi., 9.

Queen Draga must have dropped a letter off the end of her name.

The trouble with the air ship is that it is so apt to be out of its element.—Puck.

Isn't there some able-bodied man in Belgium who can give King Leopold a swift kick?

Strike out "obey" from the marriage ceremony. This is the age of revolt, not obedience.

Trouble in Macedonia has assumed almost the proportions of a South American revolution.

Will Wall street never learn that it cannot safely do \$1,000,000 in business on \$10 capital?

Boxing contests are prohibited in Kentucky. They want the real gougey article down there.

In the tropics there is no monopoly in the necessities of life. That is the situation in a coconut shell.

Ping-pong punch has made its appearance in New York. It is reported to be fully as bad as its name.

Apparently Venezuela does not wish to have the rest of the world know just how serious the situation is.

According to the ruling of a court justice it costs a dollar in Missouri for a man to whip his wife—if he can.

Evidently there is money back of the defense of William Hooper Young, for his attorney believes him innocent.

If you are tempted to refer to any one as "a peach" these days—well, don't do it. Remember, peaches are cheap.

There is something about the name of Capt. Sverdrup, the Swedish explorer, that is suggestive of a game of old sledge.

South Africa will be compelled to pay \$500,000,000 as its share of the cost of feeding the British army on jam and jelly.

It is probable that the duchess of Marlborough would trade her title for the honor of being a plain American girl once more.

It is reported that the Cubans are finding it difficult to obtain work. What happiness the average Cuban must be enjoying.

Mr. Hanna says he has been informed that "stand pat" is a phrase used in poker. Mr. Hanna has been correctly informed.

It may interest Explorer Baldwin's "angel," Mr. Zeigler, to learn that the Duke of Abruzzi is an inveterate smoker of cigarettes.

A New York paper says that trusts are as old as man. It will be remembered that the serpent in paradise organized a trust in apples.

Pietro Mascagni and General Booth came over in the same steamer. Perhaps Pietro has agreed to raise the level of Salvationist music.

If new nicknames should be given the various states now, it is a foregone conclusion that New Jersey would be known as the Great Trust State.

England is disposed to admire America's public school system. Every now and then England discovers something worthy of attention in this country.

If New York had not spent so much money on monkey parties over at Newport last summer it would have more dollars now with which to transact business.

Prof. Robert Hill, a scientist, having inspected Mont Pelee, is going on to Texas. As between Pelee and Texas, the professor seems disposed to jump out of the frying pan into the fire.

It is reported that the Princeton geological expedition to Montana found there, among other fossil remains, a dinosaur with a tail fourteen feet long. This is indeed a remarkable story.

While picking a pocket horse chestnut to ward off rheumatism, Frederick Blabau, a Pennsylvania farmer, fell from a tree, fracturing his right leg and left arm. Presumably he hasn't felt the rheumatism since.

A New York man who died the other day left a collection of over 100 snuff boxes. So live, young man, that when you die the world will see you had a definite object and aim in life.

An explanation of the astounding spread of profanity is found in the census bulletin showing that one person in every forty-five has a telephone.

Prof. E. Benjamin Andrews has declined a raise of \$1,000 a year in his salary. The politicians will hereafter regard him with increased suspicion.

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Daniel Kahlor, of Cheshire township, convicted last week of criminal assault upon his 15-year-old daughter, was sentenced by Judge Padgham Monday to 25 years in Jackson prison.

"Bill" Judson, of Ann Arbor, says: "I will buy \$10,000 or \$20,000 worth of wood, deliver it here, and sell it to the poor and improvident at actual cost, and I will give bonds, if asked for, to the extent of \$100,000 that this will be done."

Capt. A. E. McCabe, formerly a prominent young lawyer of Petoskey, and of the firm of Pailthorpe & McCabe, has resigned his position as assistant chief of the forestry bureau in the Philippines and will engage in the practice of law in Manila.

A heavy frost Sunday night badly damaged the fourth and last celery crop of the season. Twenty per cent, it is estimated, will be lost, as the frost will prevent the crop selling at the usual prices because of blighted tops; \$9,000 is the financial damage.

Brig.-Gen. John M. Wilson, U. S. A., retired, late chief of engineers, U. S. A., Washington, D. C., as an officer of the engineer corps of either the military or naval service of the United States.

Mr. E. W. Parker, Washington, D. C., as an expert mining engineer, Mr. Parker is chief statistician of the coal division of the United States geological survey and the editor of the Engineering and Mining Journal of New York.

Hon. George Gray, Wilmington, Del., as a judge of a United States court.

Mr. E. B. Clark, Cedar Rapids, Ia., grand chief of the order of Railway Conductors, as a sociologist, the President assuming that for the purposes of such commission, the term sociologist means a man who has thought and studied deeply on social questions and has practically applied his knowledge.

Mr. Thomas H. Watkins, Scranton, Pa., as a man practically acquainted with the mining and selling of coal.

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A special dispatch from Amsterdam, by way of London, says that Queen Wilhelmina is expecting a visit from the stork about the end of November.

Rev. Bruce Brown has been compelled to resign from the pulpit at the Central Christian church at Denver, because he permitted laymen to discuss labor topics in the pulpit.

At the Riverside plant of the National Tube Co., at Wheeling, W. Va., a steam pipe parted fatally scalding Wm. Anderson, Henry Westenhauer and W. H. Johns, and seriously scalding Samuel L. Grady, Arthur Halfpenny, Frank Barton, M. H. Burke and Ed. Carter.

Dynamite was used in Saratoga Springs in the motorist's strike on the Hudson Valley road. A trolley car on South Broadway was partly wrecked. The car windows were broken, the track torn up and the windows of a nearby saloon shattered, but no one was injured. A riot is feared in Mechanicsville.

George Crocker, the California millionaire, who arrived at New York on October 23, from London, where he had been ill from blood poisoning caused by an ulcerated tooth, has undergone an operation in New York. This is the third time Mr. Crocker has been in the hands of the surgeons since the tooth became ulcerated.

Eleanor Gertrude Stephens, of Boston, and Dr. Herbert Edmund Packington, of Brooklyn, were married in Colorado Springs, last night. The ceremony being composed by the groom and the contracting parties doing practically all the talking. At the conclusion, the minister officiating declared the contracting parties man and wife. No ring was used, the bride presenting to the groom a pink rose and receiving a white lily.

A distant earthquake shock accompanied by a muffled rumbling like distant thunder, was felt at Clarksville, Tenn., Saturday afternoon. The shock was of several seconds duration and shook houses very perceptibly in the city and suburbs. Dishes and windows were rattled and many people rushed from their homes in fright. Reports from Fayette, Ga., Swain, Tenn., Mont. Eagle and Tracy City say that both shocks were felt at those places.

AMUSEMENTS IN DETROIT. DETROIT OPERA HOUSE—"Chauncey Olcott"—Saturday Matinee at 2; Evenings at 8. LYCEUM THEATRE—"Mr. Jolly from Jolly"—Saturday Mat. 2:30; Evenings 8:00, 8:30. WHISKY THEATRE—"The Flaming Arrow"—Matinee 1:30, 5:30; Evenings 8:00, 8:30. THEATRE ANTIENNA—"The Flaming Arrow"—Matinee 1:30, 5:30; Evenings 8:00, 8:30.

THE MARKETS. Detroit.—Cattle—Choice steers, \$5.00 to 6.00; good to choice butchers, 4.00 to 4.50;

GOD'S APPOINTMENTS.

"This thing on which thy heart was set, This thing that cannot be, This weary, disappointing day, that dawns, My friend, for thee; Be comforted, God knoweth best, the God whose name Is love, Whose tender care is evermore our passing Lives above. He sends thee disappointment? Well, then, Take it from his hand, Shall God's disappointment seem less good than What thyself had planned?"

God bids thee tarry now and then, for bear The weak complaint; God's leisure brings the weary rest, and cordial gives The faint, God bids thee labor, and the place is thick with Thorn and briar; But he will share the hardest task, until he calls Thee higher. So take each disappointment, friend; 'tis at thy Lord's command! Shall God's disappointment seem less good than What thyself had planned?"

The Living Dead.

BY GIBBON HICKS. (Copyright, 1902, by Daily Story Pub. Co.) George Bartman was traveling west for the rest and recreation he needed after some years of absorption in a successful business in an eastern city. He had stopped over for a few days in a Colorado town and was standing on the platform of the railway station awaiting the arrival of the train which was to carry him on his journey farther west. The train was twenty minutes late, and he was willing away the time watching the scenes about him.

There was some commotion in front of a saloon near the station. A man and a woman seemed to be struggling, while an interested crowd of loungers laughed and jeered.

Moved by curiosity the traveler walked towards the saloon, and as he drew near he heard the woman pleading: "You've drunk enough, Jim. Please come home."

At the sound of her voice Bartman stopped suddenly, and then on impulse hurried forward. Making his way through the crowd he saw a brutish-looking man—red-eyed and bloated—and a slatternly woman holding to his arm and trying to draw him away from the saloon. The woman, it could be seen, had once been beautiful, but she was now a pitiful wreck.

"Is she his wife?" asked a bystander. "I s'pose so," answered another. "She come here with Jim Shoffer 'bout five years ago. He 'peared to have lots of money, and they lived a high-flyin' life. Jim got to gamblin' and drinkin' and goin' all the gait at a hell-roarin' rate 'til he went down into the gutter and she went with him. I s'pose she's one o' them fool women that'll stick to a man and go to the devil with him, no matter how much he abuses her."

"Does he beat her?" "Treats her like a dog, and she hangs to him like a dog in spite of his cussedness, as if her salvation depended on him."

Shoffer shook himself free from the woman and made his way unsteadily into the saloon. The woman followed him and others of the crowd went in. Bartman also entered the saloon. Shoffer was standing at the counter as the bartender prepared to serve him a drink of some vile, cheap stuff for the nickel he had placed on the bar. The woman took hold of him again and said, "Jim, you shan't drink any more. Come away."

Shoffer turned fiercely and muttering an oath, struck her in the face. To the astonishment of all Bartman stepped quickly forward and with a well-directed blow felled the drunkard to the floor. Then with his hand at his hip, facing the people who had crowded into the saloon, he showed himself ready to meet any attack that might be made to resent his action.

The fallen man rose with difficulty to his feet and slunk away into a corner of the room.

No one else moved except the woman, who rushed up to Bartman, gazed a moment intently in his face, and then, covering her own face with her hands, cowered down by the counter.

Seeing that no interference was attempted or contemplated, Bartman

went to the woman and, taking her by the arm, raised her up and led her out of the house. As the loungers began to follow he checked them by an imperious wave of the hand.

The woman, with head bent down, walked beside Bartman until they came close to the station, where she sank down upon a curbstone.

"You can never forgive me," she sobbed, not raising her head. "I can say this much," said Bartman, "which may give you some satisfaction, if you have any good remaining in you: Your children and mine do not know of your conduct

and of your fate. They believe their mother is dead, and that she died a true mother and an honorable woman. And you are dead to me and to them." Without further word he slipped a bank note in the hand of the weeping woman and hurried into the station, where he boarded the train which had just rolled in.

Five minutes later as the train slowly moved out of the station Bartman looked out of the car window and saw the woman still sitting and weeping where he had left her. He also saw the man whom he had knocked down in the saloon approach the woman, take the bank note from



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HUSBAND IN NAME ONLY.

Curious Contract Between Couple Recently Made in Berlin. Here is a curious advertisement which recently appeared in a Berlin paper: "A distinguished lady desires to marry a genuine count; will pay well for the title."

A few days after it appeared a genuine count called on the "distinguished lady," who was a divorced actress, and told her that, if they could agree as to terms, he would be most happy to marry her. He admitted that his income was only \$200 a year, and that, therefore, he was constantly in need of money.

In a few minutes the two came to an agreement, and a contract was signed. The count will receive \$500 on the day of the wedding, and as soon as he receives it he will leave his wife and never again approach her. Moreover, he pledges himself to give his wife, within two months after their marriage, ample cause for procuring a divorce from him, and she in turn promises to pay him \$5,000 on the day when the divorce is granted.

This singular contract was drawn by a lawyer, whose office is in the Friedrichstrasse, and is said to be perfectly valid.

Shah as Shopkeeper. When a certain late shah of Persia became temporarily embarrassed for money he had quite a unique method of filling his purse. He would go to the market, where, after examining the shops, he would select one, and turning to the proprietor would say: "Will you take me in as a partner in your business for the day?"

The offer was, of course, eagerly accepted. The shah would take his seat near the shop entrance, and say to his courtiers, whom he always took with him on these occasions: "Now, I'm the salesman. Who'll buy?" The latter, not daring to refuse the offers of the royal merchant, set about clearing the shop of its contents, paying sometimes \$250 for goods that were not worth \$50. No one was allowed to beat down prices or to leave the place without making purchases. When everything was sold the shah had a list of the cost price of each article made out, and loyally shared with the shopkeeper the amount of the profit realized.—Pearson's Weekly.

A Retributive Sting. A man who was engaged in writing anecdotes and such things for publication read his latest effort to his wife. "Don't you think that's pretty good?" he asked.

"It is good, but it's not new. I have heard it before," she answered. "Yes, I know you have; but you heard it from me. It has never been in print."

"I have heard it more than once, and have told it several times myself," she insisted.

"Oh, well, I am going to send it along," he snarled. "I don't care if you have told it. That doesn't of absolute necessity spoil it, although it does, I must confess, militate against it a good deal."

And that was the reason why he had to subsist on cold victuals for a week thereafter.

Only an amateur artist would attempt to paint a toper's nose in water colors.

Maubikeek, the Lion-Tamer.

By SEWARD W. HOPKINS, Author of "Jack Robbins of America," "In the China Sea," "Two Gentlemen of Hawaii," "On a False Charge," Etc.

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CHAPTER XII.

"Your excellency," he said, "you have heard the words of the Count di Pordino—his dying confession. Do you believe it?"

"Yes, I believe it is true," whispered Maligni.

"And is there any act which you wish to perform before you die, to make reparation for the wrong that has been done an innocent man?"

"Yes—yes. Let Henry Thoriane be brought before me. I will do him justice, that I, too, may receive justice from God."

The monk sat down to the writing-table, and taking a pen, began writing on some of the official paper of the pretetto.

Having finished, the monk held in his hands two papers. One of these he began to read aloud to the Count di Pordino.

It ran thus: "The Confession of the Count di Pordino, on his dying bed, before Maligni, the Pretetto of Cagliari, and the assembled monks and soldiers of his household:

"I, the Count di Pordino, do confess and do swear before God that the confession is true; that my nephew, Henry Thoriane, the owner of the Villa Thoriane and its estate, is innocent of the crime of conspiracy against the pretetto, with which crime I charged him, for the sole purpose of putting him in prison and receiving at the hands of the pretetto my nephew's estate as my reward."

"And it is my fear of future punishment that impels me to make this true confession and withhold none of the truth, that justice may now be done to my nephew, Henry Thoriane, whom I have wronged."

"Is this correct, count?" asked Brother Michael, when he had finished.

"Yes," whispered the count. "Then sign."

Brother Michael dipped a pen in ink and placed it in the grasp of the dying man. Feebly his fingers moved over the paper and scrawled his signature.

Then Brother Michael turned to the pretetto and read the other paper. This was an official document, restoring Henry Thoriane to all rights of citizenship, restoring to him his valuable estate and removing all taint and disgrace from his name.

This was signed by the pretetto, and the official seal was placed upon it. "Bring Henry Thoriane before me, that I may beg of him forgiveness!" gasped the pretetto.

"Wait. There is one thing more to be done in an official capacity," said the monk. "Your excellency, you recall the incidents of the night on which your brother was murdered?"

The pretetto signified that he did.

"A young man who had entered here to rescue Nita Barliotti from your brother—a young man who had no enmity toward Pacho Maligni himself, but who was acting in obedience to the request of a friend who was lost at sea—was seized, and, with no other evidence against him, was sentenced to imprisonment for life for the crime. Your excellency, that young man escaped, but he is here."

Obedient to his signal, I stood before the pretetto. "He is the Jew who came with me to give you warning of the attack that was to be made tonight. We have evidence, your excellency, that will convict another of the crime, and it still remains to seize the real murderer and place him in prison. And this young man, who is innocent of any crime against the state, needs but your signature to make him free from the stigma that has been put upon him."

"Is it true? You know the real murderer?"

"It is true," said the monk. "I swear it."

"Before I die—before I die," murmured the pretetto, "let nothing remain undone."

The monk again wrote, and this time it was a paper declaring me innocent of the crime of murder, and ordering the removal from the books in the Department of Justice of all charges against me, Richard Wilber-ton, of New York.

This the pretetto signed, and again the great official seal was used.

"Now—let me see Henry Thoriane," gasped the pretetto.

"You shall!"

These words came from the monk, but not in the soft, priestlike voice I had heard before. They came in deep chest tones, with a sternness that startled me and every one else in the room. Brother Michael removed the goggles from his eyes, and threw aside his monkish garb. Standing erect, he seemed taller, and his smooth-shaven head was squarely set upon shoulders of massive mold.

"Behold me! I am Henry Thoriane!"

"Thoriane!" gasped the pretetto. "Thoriane!" murmured the Count di Pordino.

"It is true! He is Henry Thoriane!" exclaimed several of the soldiers, among whom was the captain of the guard.

But what of me? I stood trembling, paralyzed in every limb. I tried to cry out in an excess of joy, but my tongue refused obedience to my will and clung to the roof of my mouth. Those massive shoulders! That well-poised head! That thunderous voice! To

those around me, the undisguised monk was Henry Thoriane. To me—I recognized him in spite of the shaven head and lip shorn of its mustache—he was Maubikeek the Lion-Tamer.

He saw my emotion. He stepped to my side and grasped my hand. "Friend Wilber-ton," he said, "I see you recognize me. You are surprised and speechless. Yes, it is I, Maubikeek, now, thank God, once more in possession of my own, and enabled to bear my own name—Henry Thoriane."

"Maubikeek!" I managed to gasp. "—I thought you were lost at sea."

"No," he replied, smiling. "You see I was not. But all that can be explained later. Now I must see my darling. Where is she?"

"In her room."

I led him away from the room. As we turned to go there was a gasp, a murmur, and a cry of terror behind us.

"They are dead!" said a physician. "The pretetto and Count di Pordino have gone to their last accounts."

In the hall we met Mutterelli, who wore the same placid smile of satisfaction that always characterized him.

"Ah, signor," he said, laughing. "I see you have made the acquaintance of my old friend and playmate, Henry Thoriane."

"He is my hero Maubikeek," I replied. "We go to see Nita Barliotti. How is she?"

"Fully recovered," said Mutterelli, "and waiting to see Signor Wilber-ton of New York and Henry Thoriane of Cagliari."

"You have told her?" asked Thoriane.

Mutterelli bowed, and Thoriane rushed away. I changed my mind about accompanying him, and leaving him to enjoy the bliss of the reunion alone with Nita, I retraced my steps and went back to the library with the imperturbable Mutterelli.

CHAPTER XIII. This chapter is of the nature of an interjection. It contains, without any reference to the chain of events in which I was an actor, the story of Henry Thoriane. This I gleaned from him in bits during the few days immediately following the death of Maligni, the pretetto, and the Count di Pordino.

The story of Thoriane which Mutterelli had told me concerning the arrest and imprisonment of the innocent man for conspiracy and the confiscation of his estate, was true. He had been incarcerated in the monastery of the Saints. The truth was this: Thoriane, during his days of liberty, had, as Mutterelli had informed me, been an open enemy of the monks of the Saints. But his enmity was not directed toward the entire body, nor against the superior of the monastery, but against those monks whose practices he believed to be corrupt and who, he believed, were in league with the pretetto and the Count di Pordino in their extortion and brigandage. In this he had found a secret friend in no less a personage than the superior of the monastery himself, who, though a good man, was weak and unable to successfully cope with the combination for evil which he knew existed.

He did, however, develop enough backbone to help his friend Thoriane, and soon after the imprisonment of the innocent man, the superior succeeded, in some way, in making the pretetto believe that the prisoner would be more secure in solitary confinement in the monastery. The pretetto readily assented, and Thoriane was removed from the Torre dell' Elefante to the monastery.

From the monastery he was assisted to escape by the superior, who continually reported to the pretetto the security and safety of his prisoner.

Thoriane lived for a time in the marble grotto, and one day he met, while hunting mouton, disguised beyond recognition, his old comrade and university companion, Mutterelli, to whom he made himself known. Mutterelli helped him to escape from Sardinia, with the four mountain lions who had been his companions in the grotto, and with these he resolved to seek his fortune in America, until he had amassed enough money to enable him to legally and successfully combat the charges against him and regain his confiscated estates.

He reached America successfully and exhibited his lions in a small way, adopting the name Maubikeek as being one not likely to lead to identification.

Then Pacho Maligni, the brother of the man against whose life he was accused of conspiring, began operations collecting the materials for his circus. Pacho Maligni, although he may have known of the change of ownership of the Villa di Thoriane, keeping abreast of the affairs in Sardinia, he did not know Maubikeek, and the lion-tamer resolved to link his fortunes to those of the Sardinian, with the hope that in some way the connection might lead to some discoveries that would be advantageous to himself.

At the rehearsals he met and loved Nita Barliotti, and she returned his love. To her he told all the story of his misfortunes, and found in the beautiful trapeze girl a ready sympathizer.

What occurred in New York to stir and start afresh the adventures of my remarkable friend has already been set forth in these pages.

When Thoriane, or, as I knew him, Maubikeek, was left behind on the sinking Queen, he did not go tamely to a heroic death, as I supposed, but resolutely set to work to save his heroic life. He managed, by the aid of two others, to get a raft together before the ship went down. This was furnished with a sail and supplied with food. Upon it they launched themselves upon the waves.

They were fortunately driven to the

Azores, where, after a stay of a week or so, they were taken on board a sailing vessel which was bound for Lisbon, and which had stopped at the Azores for water. From Lisbon he came to Italy, and at Genoa sought his old friend Mutterelli, whom he felt he could trust implicitly. Being informed that Mutterelli was in Cagliari with Signor Wilber-ton of New York, Thoriane made all preparation to enter the country where his life and liberty were not safe, and the day he saw me wounded by the wayside was his first day in Cagliari. He had found Mutterelli, and these two at once entered into a secret compact, the results of which we have seen.

Mutterelli was a member of a secret order in Italy and Sardinia, into which he initiated "Brother Michael," and it was the authority this membership gave him that enabled the putative monk to compel the band of Count di Pordino to withdraw just when they held victory in their grasp.

Thoriane, as Brother Michael, became the guest of the superior of the monastery, and from that vantage ground proceeded to put into operation all the wires and machinery of his secret skill to bring to a successful termination his dangerous mission.

And now that we have seen how well he carried out his purposes, how steadfast he was in his love and in his friendship, and how skillfully he did the work he had on hand, I leave it to the reader to justify the love and admiration that Nita Barliotti and I felt toward his man, whose nobility of soul and sterling worth are worthy of a more fitting tribute than can be conveyed in my feeble and inadequate language.

CHAPTER XIV. As I said in the foregoing chapter, the days immediately following the death of the pretetto and the Count di Pordino were exciting ones.

A new pretetto was appointed by the king, and he proved to be a generous and intellectual man, at whose hands we received the kindest treatment.

The villa of Maligni remained in his family, and the new pretetto resided at the pretettura in the old castle, in Cagliari, with his wife, a charming woman, and his daughters, accomplished young ladies about the age of Nita.

Here Nita remained as his guest during the remainder of our stay in Sardinia, while Mutterelli and I took up our abode at the splendid but neglected Villa di Thoriane, as the guest of Thoriane.

Under the new pretetto all my belongings were restored to me, and I was once more in possession of the letter of Antonio Sigmotta, and the locket and pin that had belonged to the infant Alice Graviscourt.

The importance of these was greatly augmented by another document which contained the statement of Dambo, duly attested by the new pretetto, and the import of which will be duly disclosed.

I made Nita Barliotti fully acquainted with the significance of these things; and our impatience to be off to America to finish our work was generously met by the new pretetto, who added us in every way, and finally saw us depart from Cagliari with many expressions of regret.

Thoriane wished to have the marriage of Nita and himself solemnized before leaving, but she archly bade him be patient, for there was plenty of time; and she preferred to know the truth concerning herself before she became his wife.

To our united voices, Thoriane laughingly yielded, and placing his estate in competent hands, to be cared for until his return, 'er final adjustment, he announced himself as ready to start.

So we took a steamer to Genoa, where I made good my promises to the faithful Mutterelli, and placed to his account fifty thousand lire, equal to about ten thousand dollars.

(To be continued.)

"LOADED" FOR THE LECTURER. Guests at Convivial Dinner Embarrassed the Professor.

Prof. Edward Howard Griggs, formerly of Stanford, "the perfect man," still continues to be the wonder and sensation of Boston where his ethical lectures are drawing cultured mobs from all over the country side. I am told that people come in wagons, automobiles and on bicycles—make pilgrimages to his rostrum. I was noticing an article of his which appeared in the Overland Monthly a few years ago. It was a good article, and the reading of it recalls to me a story. Shortly before Prof. Griggs left Stanford for his Eastern tour, he was the guest of honor at a dining club here. The club is a cultured affair, and the reading of a paper is a regular ceremony at their periodical dinners. Prof. Griggs was to read the paper on this occasion, and some of the members got wind of the fact that the professor intended to read his paper which appeared in the Overland Monthly. A copy of the magazine was accordingly bought and submitted to a printer. A press proof of the essay was given to each member of the club. When Prof. Griggs' turn came he arose with much impressment, produced his manuscript, and began. When he read the first sentence he was surprised to note that his words were being delivered in unison by every person at the table. He looked up, and when he saw his hosts holding "proof" on him the proof was sufficient and he sat down.—San Francisco News Letter.

"There are just two things I like about a vacation," remarked Uncle Jerry Peebles; "the goin' away and the gettin' back."—Chicago Tribune.

Ergotism—Cautions, Stockmen

Press bulletin 117 of the Kansas station says: During the present season, owing to the heavy rainfall or other climatic conditions there has been developed upon wild rye and other similar grasses a fungus known as ergot, commonly called "spurred rye." Within the past few weeks a number of complaints have been received at the Kansas Experiment station from the eastern and central parts of the state indicating that injurious and fatal results have occurred among stock from eating this fungus.

Ergotism is a disease of animals caused by eating ergot either on pasture grasses or hay. Ergot is a parasitic fungus (Claviceps purpurea) that develops on the heads of wild rye, red top and similar grasses. This fungus replaces the ordinary seed or grain with a black or brown-black grain much longer than the ordinary rye grain, cylindrical, pointed and slightly curved. The number of grains of ergot in a single head of rye or grass will vary from one to a dozen or more. The grains of ergot can be easily recognized by their shape and color. There is no dust or smut upon the heads of grain as there is with some fungi. Ergot does not attack corn or sorghum.

Outbreaks of ergotism occur nearly all over the world and often cause heavy losses among cattle and horses. Serious losses from ergot in this state have not occurred since 1884, but it is possible that owing to the abundance of ergot upon grasses the present season, serious loss may follow unless care is exercised to prevent feeding a large amount of ergot. Cold weather and a limited supply of drinking water seems to favor the development of ergotism.

Symptoms.—The symptoms of ergotism may occur at once after eating the fungus, provided the animal gets sufficient quantity; or they may occur only after the animal has eaten the fungus for some time. Ergot lessens the blood supply, especially in the extremities—feet, tail and ears—the affected parts swell, get cold, a well-defined line usually forms about the part, below which the tissue dies and sloughs off. When the feet are attacked the animal becomes very lame. Ergot causes abortion in pregnant animals, but this must not be confounded with contagious abortion among cattle. Ergot also affects the nervous system, causing trembling of the muscles, weakness, staggering gait and sometimes convulsions. The digestive system is often affected and there may be purging, indigestion and abdominal pain. Cattle are more seriously affected by ergot than horses.

Treatment.—To prevent the disease do not feed animals hay or grass containing ergot, and when the disease occurs ergot should be withheld at once. A purge of one pound of epsom salts for adult cattle, or a quart of raw linseed oil for horses, should be given. Give sloppy, nutritious foods with plenty of drinking water. Bathe affected parts, feet, etc., with hot water rubbing to stimulate circulation, and apply antiseptics such as a five per cent solution of carbolic acid. Suspected specimens of ergot may be sent to the Botanical or Veterinary Department, Agricultural College, Manhattan, Kan., for identification. Hay that has been cut early is less apt to contain ergot than late-cut hay.—N. S. Mayo in Farmers' Review.

Bogus Butter to Be Made in Canada. An eastern contemporary reports that some New York manufacturers of bogus butter, or rather, of adulterated butter, have decided to locate in Canada, on account of the severity of the national legislation on oleomargarine and adulterated butter just passed at Washington. Probably no person in the United States will greatly object to their going. We do, however, predict that the Canadians will not look upon the move with favor. They have not in the past been very partial to adulterated dairy products of any kind. As soon as they find that a few factories of the bogus and adulterated goods have been erected in Canada we feel certain that they will pass most radical legislation. The absence of such factories has been their strongest card in the past in winning over the English market for their cheese. Canada passed rigid laws preventing the manufacture under any kind of restrictions of filled cheese, during the same time that its manufacture was freely permitted in this country. The result was that Canada took our very profitable foreign market for cheese and has kept it. Once let the foreigner get the information that bogus and adulterated butter is being made in Canada, and the Canadian butter seller is bound to suffer. The Canadian authorities are doing everything possible to open up the foreign market to Canadian butter. It will be interesting to see what they will do to the bogus butter plants that it is proposed to locate in their midst.

Cuba to Produce Oranges. Already the enterprise of Americans is being seen in Cuba, where the growing of oranges and pine apples for the American market bids fair to become a great industry. Some of the men that were formerly engaged in growing oranges in California have gone to Cuba and taken up the work of orange growing. One of them declares that the Cuban oranges will prove strong competitors to the oranges grown in California. This will be the reviving of an industry that thrived to a considerable extent before the Spanish war, but was then hampered by the commercial conditions as they existed in relation to the importation of Cuban oranges into the United States. Shippers of oranges in Havana declare that they have more than once sent oranges from Havana to Chicago via New Orleans in less than 45 hours, and that they can do even better than that when the business is reduced to a system. The Illinois Central Railroad has installed a line of fruit steamers between New Orleans and Havana and these are to run so as to make the best time possible between those two cities. This line has an immense business in the carrying of bananas, which are very perishable, and so is fitted to handle oranges in bulk or any other way. In the next five years we may expect to see a tremendous expansion of the Cuban orange growing industry.

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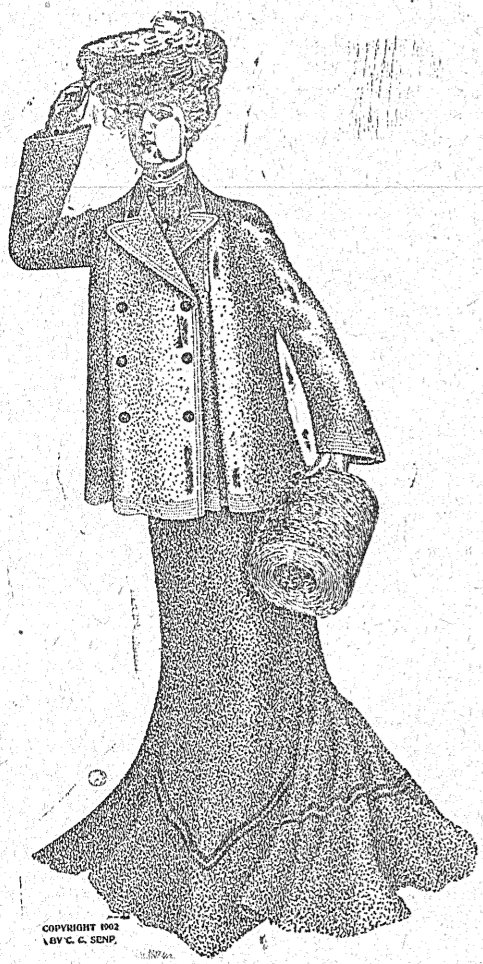
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## LOCAL HAPPENINGS

Wm. Coates made a call in Gagetown Sunday.

See Laing & Jones' offer for Nov. 1st. See adv.

E. R. Hunt spent part of last week in Detroit.

Secure your seats early for the lecture course.

H. B. Outwater coats prices in his adv. this week.

House plants at reasonable prices at the ENTERTAINERS office.

Mrs. Thos. Robb, of Crosswell, is the guest of her son, L. Robb.

Dr. Thomas Fritz, of Caro, was in town over night on Tuesday.

Mrs. Jno. Proff, Sr., is on the sick list this week, but is improving.

The residence of John C. Laing has been beautified by a coat of paint.

N. Bigelow & Sons invite everyone to their cooking exhibit. See adv.

Percy Bertrand, of Sebawing, is the guest of his brother, Bert, of this place.

Have you noticed those nice ferns and begonias for sale at the ENTERTAINERS office?

Rev. Torbet will preach at the Quick schoolhouse next Sunday at three o'clock.

J. L. Hitchcock & Sons have a change of adv. which will be of interest to you.

F. C. Lee and family have moved into the residence rooms over Mrs. Lee's store.

F. Pitcher and family have taken up their residence with John Ball on Third Street.

The Ladies' Literary Club will meet at the home of Mrs. L. B. Auten next Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lauderbach entertained Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Fritts and family on Sunday.

You can't afford to miss the Francis Russell Concert Company entertainment Saturday evening.

Joe Clements and sister, Miss Mabel, accompanied by Miss Martin, spent Sunday with friends in Caro.

Roy Halleck has moved into rooms in the residence of John Hamilton on West Street, for the present.

Mrs. David Gray, of Bay Port, was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Scott Brotherton, a few days this week.

Mrs. A. Schweger entertained a company of friends Thursday evening in honor of Miss Luella Benkelman.

Chauncey Boulton, who has been at his parental home the past month, went to Detroit Tuesday afternoon, where he has secured employment on the boat, "City of Detroit."

Francis Russell Concert Company at the Opera House Saturday evening for the benefit of High School.

Wm. Phetaplace, Harb Ferguson and Miss Maud Ferguson, from near Shabbona, spent Sunday with friends in town.

We can use a few cords of wood which will be taken on subscription. Who'll be the first to gladden our hearts?

Mrs. Michael Sheridan left on Saturday for Monroe where she will visit her daughter, Ella, who is a student at the convent.

Mrs. Jas. McLellan, of Bay City, who has been the guest of her mother, Mrs. A. Parker, the past week, returned home Tuesday.

J. H. Davis left Wednesday for Pontiac where he expects to remain a few days on business in connection with his clothes dryer.

Mrs. Gillies, of Cass City, and her daughter, Miss Sarah, of Greenleaf, were guests of Mrs. X. A. Boomhower Saturday.—Uby Courier.

Robert Fuester, of Uby, and Miss Belle Morrison, of Sheridan, were married by Rev. Gifford at the M. E. parsonage, on Wednesday.

Pearl Parker, who has been employed in Lansing for some time, returned home Saturday evening. He expects to remain here for a while.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris and Mr. Harris' mother, who have been the guests of relatives in this vicinity, returned to their home in Detroit Tuesday.

W. J. Campbell and A. A. P. McDowell, editor of the Enterprise, left Thursday afternoon for the Canadian Northwest on a month's pleasure trip.

Mrs. Richard Hoshal and two children, of Detroit, were in town Friday on their way to visit Mrs. Hoshal's father, E. Knight, of Grant Township.

Mrs. E. F. Marr and son, Glenn, left for their future home at Bear Lake on Thursday. Mr. Marr will follow as soon as he can close up business matters.

Word was received here this week that Miss Hettie Gilbert, formerly of this place, was married Oct. 8th, to Herbert Lawrence Gillard, at Wallaceburg, Ont.

There will be no preaching services at the M. E. Church next Sunday evening, on account of Rev. Torbet's farewell sermon, at the Presbyterian church, Gagetown. League as usual.

Services will be held in the Town Hall next Sunday afternoon at three o'clock. Services to be conducted by Rector McGinn of the Episcopal church, Gagetown. All are cordially invited.

The following letters remain unclaimed in the P. O. at Cass City, for week ending Oct. 13, 1922: George Smith, R. L. Wright, Maud Hopkins, Alvin Wyckoff, H. S. Wickware, P. M. M. The young people of the Baptist church will give a Halloween social at the home of Mrs. J. D. Tinney, on Garfield Avenue, on Friday evening, Oct. 21. Young people cordially invited. 10c.

H. T. Elliott was in Gagetown yesterday. He took charge of the remains of A. A. Crawford, who died in the Philippines some time ago. The funeral services will be held to-day at his home in Gagetown.

The Christian Endeavor Society will hold a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock, Friday evening, Oct. 24, to which all are cordially invited. A good program will be rendered. Admission 10c.

Miss Lillie McCall entertained a number of her young lady friends at her parental home, on the corner of Oak and Sanilac Streets, last Friday evening. Flinch, the popular game of the season, was indulged in, and greatly enjoyed.

A company of young people enjoyed a surprise party given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Seeger, Thursday evening, in honor of their son, William's nineteenth birthday. "Will" was completely surprised and all spent a most enjoyable evening.

It has been rumored in several localities that F. C. Lee & Son have sold out their undertaking business. Mr. Lee informs us that the rumor is untrue, that they are still in the business and intend to remain. The office will be found open at all hours.

At the Presbyterian church next Sunday morning the Lord's supper will be commemorated and baptisms and reception of members. Rev. Torbet will preach his last sermon in the evening, and by the authority of the presbytery, declare the pulpit vacant.

Miss Ola Lamb, with two young lady friends, started for the south Friday morning to attend a young ladies' college at Charleston, W. Va. May they have success is the wish of their many friends. Miss Lamb is well known to Cass City young people.

Geo. Gray, our Oxford Down sheep breeder, purchased a few days ago of Peter Arkell & Sons, of Teeswater, Ont., a thoroughbred Oxford Down ram, which arrived here Thursday last week. Mr. Gray is one of our most prominent breeders and proposes to have nothing short of the best.

Last Sunday evening the Sunday school of the Presbyterian church held a Rally service instead of the regular services which was enjoyed by all present. Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock and Miss Lois Cleaver, delegates to the C. E. convention held at Unionville last week, gave very interesting reports.

The Sebawing Blade says: "Cass City has not given up hopes of securing a beet sugar plant, as western capitalists are aware of the desirability of the site and are now making propositions to the citizens. Farmers stand ready to contract abundant acreage as soon as the plant is assured."

While hunting in Janes' woods last Saturday afternoon, Frank Meredith accidentally shot himself. He slipped off from a log on which he was standing and the rifle was discharged, the ball entering his instep and lodging in the bone. Frank walked home a distance of nearly a mile and a half. Dr. Livingston removed the ball and he is recovering nicely.

While Jas. Rule, of Novesta, was driving into town last Saturday, his horse slipped and he fell. As he reached the hill in front of C. Schwager's. It seems the tongue broke loose from the neck-yoke and let it down to the ground where it broke. The horses became frightened and detached the muleselves from the rig, running nearly to the main part of the village. Fortunately no serious damage was done.

### Accident at Vassar.

The morning train from Vassar to Caro was dinged at the junction of the Caro branch line with the main line. Just as the engine and foremost car passed over the switch safely, the hind car left the track and went down the embankment at the time. Judge Cob and Attorney Porter and other passengers were in the car on their way to attend the Circuit Court at Caro. Mr. Porter was badly bruised. The other passengers were badly shaken up. No lives were lost.

### Wanted.

200 cords of 3 ft. wood—Dry Hemlock, Tamarack or Maple. A. H. ALE.

### The Worst Form

Multitudes are singing the praises of Kodol, the new discovery which is making many sick people well and weak people strong by digesting what they eat, by cleansing and sweetening the stomach and by transforming their food into the kind of pure, rich, red blood that makes you feel good all over. Mrs. Cranfill, of Troy, I. T., writes: For a number of years I was troubled with indigestion and dyspepsia which grew into the worst form. Finally I was induced to use Kodol and after using four bottles I am entirely cured. I heartily recommend Kodol to all sufferers from indigestion and dyspepsia. Take a dose after meals. It digests what you eat. A. Bond, Cass City; F. A. Francis, Kingston.

We have a beet knife well worth the money—50c. J. L. HITCHCOCK & SONS.

### CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Wittich*

### Notice.

All old accounts owing Wm. A. Anderson or the firm of Anderson & McCallum must be settled on or before the 1st of November.

### Improved Farm for Sale.

120 acres, clay loam soil, extra buildings, easy terms. Call at farm section 36 Elmwood or address. JOHN AXFORD, Caro Mich. 9-25-24

SPECIAL SALE on suits next Saturday at Mrs. Lee's. 10-16-24

### Special Premium List.

The following is a list of the special premiums awarded at the Cass City Fair:

Best pen chickens, \$1, S. Champion—Harry Landrigan. Best bushel June clover seed, \$1, J. B. Cootes—B. Pasage. Best pair socks or stockings, 1 lb. yarn, J. N. Dorman—Fine socks, Mrs. Matthew Parker; Coarse socks, Mrs. W. Macauley; stockings, Mrs. Luther Karr. Best white dent corn, \$1, A. W. Traver—Wm. Golly. Best 5 lb. crock butter, \$2.50 ladies' shoes, J. D. Crosby—Jas. Maharg. Barred Plymouth Rock chickens, \$1, A. G. Berney—J. H. Striffler. Best white bread from White Lily flour, 50 lbs. flour, J. W. Heller & Son—Mrs. Jas. Eno. Best 5 lb. crock of butter, \$2, M. Sheridan—Mrs. Geo. Davis, Wickware. Winners of ball game, \$1, H. S. Wickware—Caro. Best canned strawberries, 1 doz. 2 qt. jars, H. B. Outwater—Mrs. L. Huffman. Best agricultural broom mare, \$1 worth clothing out of store, W. Falls—Motz & Ackerman. Best hemstitched tablecloth, 1.2 doz. china bread and butter plates, Mrs. G. W. Goff—Mrs. G. A. Striffler. Best sucking colt, rawhide whip, G. W. Goff—Jas. Reagh. Best herd of cattle, \$2, Strick & McDemott—Chas. Kary. Best pen Shropshire Downs, \$1, T. H. Hunt—Alex Marshall. Best herd of swine Class 35, \$1, H. B. Fairweather—E. Knight. Best sample sugar beets, \$2, C. W. Haller—W. F. Hayes. Best bouquet out of flowers, lady's sewing locker, H. T. Elliott—Mrs. E. G. Fancher. Best 2 lbs. stocking yarn, \$1 in ladies' furnishings, Mrs. F. O. Lee—Anna Parr. Best draft stallion, \$1, Wm. Bentley—Hugh McCall. Greatest display foliage plants, \$1, H. L. Hunt—Mrs. E. E. Fancher. Best 3 yr. old Clydesdale stallion, 100 printed envelopes, A. A. P. McDowell—Hugh McCall. Best log cabin quilt, 1.2 doz. photos, J. Maier—Jacob Sohenok. Nearest guess to paid admission, box cigars, J. C. Lauderbach—Chas. Schwager. Best portrait in water color, \$1 in trade, J. F. Hendrick—Frances Salver. Prettiest dressed doll, \$1, Jno. Ball—J. D. Brooker. Best hair receiver, \$1, Jno. E. Riker—Anna Parr. Nearest grand stand guess, E. H. Pinner—J. R. Schwager. Best 2.1 lb. Bert Torbet. Best essay on the Fair, \$2, Tri County Chronicle—Albert Torbet. Best and greatest exhibit pears, 6 standard pear trees, Adrian City Nursery Co.—Wm. Golly. Best assorted collection canned fruit, 6 perpetual roses, Adrian City Nursery Co.—Mrs. J. Fancher. Best exhibit of apples, 1 doz. apple trees, Adrian City Nursery Co.—Wm. Golly. Assortment and greatest variety peaches, 1 doz. peach trees, Ilgenritz Sons Nursery per Robt. Miller—John Elliott. Best display grapes, 1 doz. grape vines, Ilgenritz Sons Nursery per Robt. Miller—Fred Burk. Best display flowers, 6 rose bushes, Ilgenritz Sons Nursery per Robt. Miller—Mrs. Fancher. Best 5 lbs. of butter, 50c in trade, Mrs. J. McGilvray—Jas. Maharg. Best pair men's mittens, pair flat irons, J. L. Hitchcock & Sons—Mrs. W. Macauley. Best pair White Rocks, 5 lb. package Pratt's Poultry Food—Harry Landrigan. Best pair Black Minorcas, 5 lb. pkg. Pratt's Poultry Food—Harry Landrigan. E. C. Brown Leghorns, 5 lb. pkg. Pratt's Poultry Food—Harry Landrigan. Best pair Light Brahmas, 5 lb. pkg. Pratt's Poultry Food—Wm. Seeger. Best pair White Wyandottes, 5 lb. pkg. Pratt's Poultry Food—Chas. Schwager. Best pair Golden Wyandottes, 5 lb. pkg. Pratt's Poultry Food—G. A. Striffler. Best pair Silver Spangled Hamburgs, 5 lb. pkg. Pratt's Poultry Food—Harry Landrigan.

### Confessions of a Priest.

Rev. Jno. S. Cox, of Wako, Ark., writes: "For 15 years I suffered from jaundice. I consulted a number of physicians and tried all sorts of medicines, but got no relief. Then I began the use of Electric Bitters and feel that I am now cured of a disease that had me in its grasp for two years." If you want reliable medicine for Liver and Kidney trouble, stomach disorder or general debility, get Electric Bitters. It's guaranteed by T. H. Fritz, Cass City, F. A. Francis, Kingston. Only 50c.

Beatrice, little 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Ward, of Millington, fell into a cistern Wednesday afternoon and was drowned before assistance arrived.

Man and wife wanted to work on farm. Enquire of W. W. Withey east of Grist Mill. 10-23-22

Lost—A Lincoln Ram. Anyone giving information of the above will be suitably rewarded. C. H. HAMMOND, Elmwood, Mich. 10-23-22

"Don't forget to remember" when in need of an auctioneer I am still in the business. JAS. MCKENZIE, Cass City. 10-23-24

We have the only embroidery shirt waist patterns in town from \$3 to \$5. J. L. HITCHCOCK & SONS.

### ORDER OF HEARING.

STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola—ss. At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the Probate office in the village of Caro on the 7th day of October in the year one thousand nine hundred and two. Present, John M. Smith, Judge of Probate. The Matter of the Estate of Harriet Fremont, deceased. An instrument in writing purporting to be the last will and Testament of said Harriet Fremont, deceased, has been delivered into Court for Probate. It is ordered that: Monday, the 3rd day of November, next, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, at the Probate court be assigned for proving said instrument. And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in the Cass City ENTERPRISER, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, two successive weeks previous to said day of hearing. JOHN M. SMITH, Judge of Probate. (PROBATE SEAL) 10-9-4 Judge of Probate.

## Cross?

Poor man! He can't help it. It's his liver. He needs a liver pill. Ayer's Pills.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful brown or rich black? Use **Buckingham's Dye**

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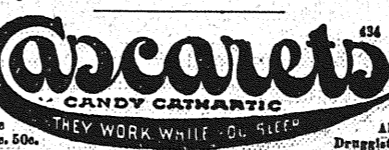
½ gallon Fruit Jars @ 55c per dozen  
Quart " " 45c "  
Pint " " 35c "  
A 30c Coffee @ 22c per pound  
A 18c " 14c "  
A 50c Tea @ 45c "  
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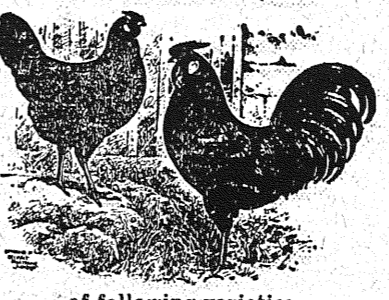
## A. H. ALE & COMPANY.

Conductor Wickware of the P. O. & N. railway had a narrow escape from death at Imlay City last Saturday morning. He attempted to board his train, slipped and went under the step but rolled clear of the wheels.—Imlay City Times.



Genuine stamped C. C. Never sold in bulk. Beware of the dealer who tries to sell "something just as good."

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Wheat No. 1 white.....	70
Wheat No. 2 red.....	65
Oats.....	55
Barley.....	45
Peas.....	25
Clover Seed.....	75
Hay, dressed per ton.....	600
Eggs per doz.....	600
Butter.....	14
Hops, dressed per cwt.....	700
Beef, dressed.....	600
Suop, live weight, per lb.....	2 1/2
Lamb.....	4 1/2
Chickens.....	6
Ducks and geese.....	6
Hides.....	25
Potatoes.....	25 to 30

MARKETS AT NOTER HILLS.  
White Lily..... 4.50 per bbl  
Heller's Best..... 4.00  
Grand Flour..... 4.00  
Laurel..... 1.80  
Bolted Meal..... 2.00 cwt  
Feed..... 1.40  
Meal..... 1.40  
Bran..... .50  
Middlings..... 1.00  
Flour..... 2.00  
Salt, per barrel..... 65

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Advertisements will be inserted under this heading for three cents per line each week.

QO Potato Cakes for sale. J. L. HITCHCOCK & SONS.

A few White Plymouth Rocks for sale at a bargain. A. A. P. McDOWELL.

FOR SALE—A good 80 or 120 acre improved farm 2 1/2 miles south and west of Cass City. Stock, tools and crops with it if desired. 9-11-22 GEORGE APLIN.

FARM FOR SALE—Good farm of 80 acres 5 miles from Cass City. \$500 cash, remainder on terms so easy that entire amount can be paid from products of the farm. E. H. PINNEY, 9-18-22

Fourteen second-hand Cook Stoves for sale cheap. J. L. HITCHCOCK & SONS.

GOOD servant girl wanted at once. A. A. P. McDOWELL.

HOUSE, barn and two lots for sale. A. A. HITCHCOCK. 10-23-22

HERSEY heater, two-year-old, fresh, for sale. 11-16-22. SAIGEON & SON.

LARGE Pekin Ducks for sale. MRS. J. F. COPLAND.

MONEY TO LOAN—At six per cent straight without any bonus. Will receive partial payment at the end of any year. E. B. LANDON, 1-2-

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SITUATION WANTED by widow lady with one child, where there is no small children. Address 10-8-22. Mrs. VIOLET MORRISON, Greenleaf.

SHEEP to let on shares. E. W. KEATING, 9-26-22

SIXTY acres for sale. F. FITCHER. 9-4-22

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