

Sugar Ration Registration Set for May 4 to 7

Names of the Families of
Five School Districts Are
to Be Enrolled Here.

Superintendent of Schools J. I. Niergarth has received application blanks, instructions and cards for the sugar rationing registration which will take place from May 4 to May 7. Tentative plans are for registration hours each day from 8:00 to 9:00 p. m. at the school library when teachers of the school will assist in recording the names of consumers and hand out books containing the rationing stamps. These dates and hours do not apply to commercial registration as no instructions have been received as yet regarding the ration books for restaurants and other commercial houses.

Each member of a family has his own book and one adult member of a family may register the names of the entire family and secure books for them. At the local school building, not only the names of residents of this school district will be registered but also those of the Paul, Quick, Bird and Winton school districts will be enrolled for the reason that children of these five districts attend school here.

Each ration book contains 28 stamps, each stamp good for the sugar supply allotted each person for a two-week period. It is possible that the ration stamps may be used later in connection with the purchase of other commodities besides sugar.

From time to time the Office of Price Administration may issue orders rationing certain products. After the dates indicated on such Turn to page 5, please.

Solo and Ensemble Festival at Cass City Saturday

Charles F. Keen, band director of the Cass City Public Schools, has announced that the solo and ensemble competition festival for District No. 3 will be held in the school auditorium here, Saturday, March 28.

The counties included in District No. 3 are: Bay, Saginaw, Tuscola, Huron, Sanilac, St. Clair, Lapeer, and Genesee. Schools participating show that they are actively trying to improve their music departments.

Russell S. Howland, assistant band director of the University of Michigan, will be the adjudicator. Mr. Howland has acted as adjudicator in many district and state festivals both here in Michigan and in other states. He is a graduate of the University of Illinois where he was also solo clarinetist. He has done professional work in New York City, was winner of the Elfrida Whiteman contest for American compositions and has recently taught public school music in Colorado where he had first division groups in both junior and senior high schools.

This festival is part of the Michigan State Band and Orchestra Association set-up. The participants who receive a satisfactory rating will be eligible for the state festival to be held in Ann Arbor on April 24 and 25. These festivals are conducted in a self-competing manner. The participants are rated on their performance in Divisions I, II, III, IV or V meaning Superior, Good, Fair, Poor, or Very Poor respectively. It is in this way that direct competition is avoided and leads to higher educational and appreciative values.

Those participating from Cass City are: Soloists—Charles Kercher, flute; Clare Rawson, cornet; Dean Robinson, cornet; Jeanne Muck, horn; Bonnie Mark, horn. Ensembles are—Flute trio, Lorene Muntz, Betty Golding and Charles Kercher; saxophone quartet, Jeanne Profit, Robert Ryland, Isabel Striton and James A. McCoy; clarinet trio, Barbara Bardwell, Lena May Cross and Kathryn Price.

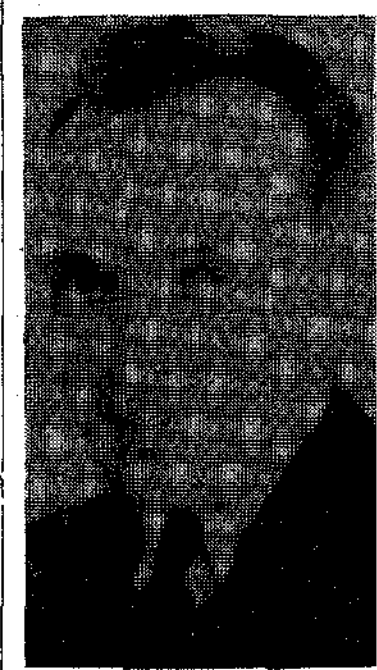
EASTERN STAR SCHOOL OF INSTRUCTION MONDAY

Viola Gram, grand conductress of the Grand Chapter of Michigan, will be in Cass City Monday evening, March 30, to conduct a school of instruction for members of Echo Chapter, Order of Eastern Star, and Gifford Chapter of Gagetown. The school will be held in the chapter rooms here.

Bake Sale.

Ladies of the Presbyterian Church will hold a bake sale at Krug's Store Saturday afternoon, March 28.—Advertisement.

Signs Contract as Supt. of Schools



J. Ivan Niergarth

has signed a contract with the board of education to continue as superintendent of schools at Cass City for the coming school year. Mr. Niergarth is completing his seventh year as superintendent here.



Paragraphs About Men in the Service

Five men will be sent directly to the army next Monday from Tuscola County by the county draft board. In the group are Carl Jackson, Caro; Demont Roller, Unionville; Ormel Enos, Fairgrove; James Seney, Vassar; Floyd Fiske, Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gruber received word from their son, Tommy, who is stationed at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, that he is well and happy and enjoys his work for Uncle Sam.

Earl Jones, Jr. enlisted in the Marines while at Albion College and he will complete this, his junior year, and also his senior year, before he will get his complete training. He will be placed in a Reserve Officers' Training Corps. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earle W. Jones of Flint, former Cass City residents.

P. F. C. Lachlan Donald McLachlan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex McLachlan, who is stationed at Fort Sill, Oklahoma, has been promoted to First Class Private.

First Class Cook Robert Knight of Camp Devens, Massachusetts, came Tuesday to spend a ten-day furlough with his mother, Mrs. Edward Knight, and other relatives here.

A recent arrival at a Marine Corps Base is Foster Parent, 17, of Reese.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sharrard have received word that their son, Aviation Cadet William Spencer, had passed his examination and received his classification as a U. S. Army pilot at Kelly Field, Tex.

Cancelled Stamps, Not Dyes, Is Object of Collection

Cancelled stamps, not the dye in the stamps, is the reason for the collection of stamps for charitable purposes in the free nursing care of children in London, England, Mrs. J. D. Brooker has been informed. A recent letter on this subject received by Mrs. Brooker says:

Beacon, N. Y.

My Dear Mrs. Brooker,

I am very glad that you have written me about Queens Hospital for Children in London for it is such a genuine charity to help the Hospital in its free nursing care for the children. For many years friends have been sending over to England cancelled stamps which the Hospital sells to regular stamp dealers and uses the proceeds to support costs at fifty (English) pounds apiece. The Hospital used to receive one shilling and sixpence a pound, but lately they are receiving a higher price for U. S. stamps and I am trying to verify it. In 1933 Miss Bowdoin of N. Y. C. began sending at her own expense the stamps and at present three cots are being supported. I receive stamps, trim them, and send them to N. Y. for shipment. Thousands of pounds go over each year. The story that they are used for dyes is incorrect and impossible.

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Junior Play.

Plan to attend the junior play tonight (Friday)!—Advertisement.

First Aid Classes Will Start at Cass City in April

Several Members of First
Classes Will Serve as In-
structors Later in Year.

Hugh Munro of Cass City has been appointed chairman of first aid work in Tuscola County by Mr. Sudar, regional chairman of the Red Cross division at St. Louis, Missouri. Mr. Munro will assist local Red Cross chairmen in each village of the county in organizing first aid classes.

At Cass City, two classes have been formed, the membership of both being full. Dr. F. L. Morris begins instruction of a class on Wednesday, April 1, and Dr. B. H. Starnann of another class on Monday, April 6. The doctors will be assisted by nurses. More classes will be started a little later. Anyone interested in taking first aid work is requested to contact Mrs. J. Ivan Niergarth, local Red Cross chairman, or Mr. Munro.

Baseball Schedule Has Six Games Away, Four at Home

Baseball Coach Harold Parker announces the following schedule for the Cass City High School team this spring:

April 21, Bad Axe, there.
April 24, Caro, there.
April 28, Sandusky, here.
May 5, Pigeon, there.
May 8, Akron, here.
May 12, Fairgrove, there.
May 15, Vassar, here.
May 19, Mayville, here.
May 20, Harbor Beach, there.
June 2, Sebawaing, there.

This season's schedule provides for six games away and four at home. This is a rather unfortunate arrangement because of transportation difficulties. School buses cannot be used and the team must rely upon the generosity of local citizens to furnish automobiles for the team on their out-of-town engagements.

Two Men Marooned on Ice Floe Rescued by Coast Guards

James Kowitz of Millington and Morris Williams of Vassar had an experience in a fishing expedition on the ice near Bay Park Friday that they will not soon forget.

Carl Thomas sighted the men as they and their fish shanty were being driven out into Saginaw Bay on a stretch of ice that had broken away from the shore and reported the incident to Deputy Sheriff Julius Goslin. The officer at once got in touch with the Coast Guard at Harbor Beach. Seven men from the Coast Guard Station soon arrived at the shore near Thomas Park with a truck carrying two life-saving boats. The guards were soon on their way to the marooned men who were so far away that it required field glasses to spot them in their perilous position. It was about five hours before the Coast Guard were able to negotiate the trip from the shore to the ice floe.

THE VICTORY GARDEN

Compiled by the Horticulture Class
of Cass City High School.

The Victory Garden Campaign is on and a fitting motto would read—Grow it at home if you can. The average American family spends approximately \$83.72 or 12% of its food budget for vegetables and most of these can be grown in the average garden. For as little as \$3.00, the family can buy enough vegetable seeds and plants to supply a Victory Garden that will furnish fresh vegetables for a family of five people for 120 days and have some left for canning and winter storage.

At this time of year, the gardener is thinking about the varieties of tomatoes, peppers and plants that are planted indoors or in hotbeds, so as to be ready when all danger of frost is over. These plants require a longer growing season than the average vegetables and so we protect them until all danger of frost is past. To start a flat of these vegetables from the seed, fill a box with about three inches of good rich loamy soil. A convenient size for this box would be approximately 14 inches by 30 inches. Make your selection from one of the following listed varieties. Turn to page 5, please.

Seven Soil Testing Meetings Next Week

Seven soil testing meetings will be held in Tuscola County next week, conducted by Paul Rood, soils specialist of Michigan State College. He will give fertilizer recommendations.

Meetings will be held as follows: Farm Produce Company Elevator, Cass City, Monday, March 30, 10:00 a. m.
Caro Courthouse, Monday, March 30, 1:30 p. m.
Bradleyville Elevator, Monday, March 30, 7:00 p. m.
Richville Elevator, Tuesday, March 31, 8:30 a. m.
Fairgrove Elevator, Tuesday, March 31, 11:00 a. m.
Akron Elevator, Tuesday, March 31, 2:30 p. m.
Kingston High School, Tuesday, March 31, 7:30 p. m.



If the fall elections were to be held today, many Michigan officeholders would be buried in a landslide protest.

Fortunately for these public officials, in Washington as well as in Lansing, we're still going to have an election in November, not this spring.

Right or wrong, the man on the street is pretty mad today. He is mad about the way the war is going. He is mad about labor's insistence of double pay for Sunday work, while the government asks him to buy bonds cheerfully and to pay more taxes. He is mad about a 40-hour week, while his son serves in the army for \$21.00 a month.

He is mad about Congress. He is mad about the state defense officials.

He is just plain mad—frustrated, peeved, and sore.

The popular protest is a reaction to several war developments. We are losing a war, and we don't like it a bit. The idea of Americans being beaten isn't natural to us. Hence, we would like to kick someone in the pants, too sweet, and if a Nazi or Jap isn't handy, we'll take the next best thing at home.

We read headlines that the C. I. O. in Detroit automobile plants must be paid double time for work on Sunday, and that Michigan sons who get \$21 a month are killed in Java. That doesn't make sense. Nearly 400,000 Michigan men registered a few weeks ago for selective service. On March 18 many of us learned of our numbers after a lottery at Washington. We face Turn to page 4, please.

Farmers' Group End Way Up in Front

The Merchants' League closed its fourteen-week schedule Wednesday night with the Farmer's group way out in front by six whole games. This team, composed of Phil Retherford, Ed Schwieger, George Dillman, Robert Wallace and Frank Reid rolled consistently all winter and held first place since the second week of the schedule.

Several records were broken on the last night when the Cass City Oil team rolled 974 pins in their game. This was accomplished when Captain Larkin came through with 266 pins for the highest single game bowled during the schedule and also the highest individual game. Frank Reid topped the league as high average man with 183 and to choose four others to make up the best possible five bowlers in the league, one has to take London, 181; Larkin, 175; Auten, 175; and Mac McCullough, 174. Cecil Larkin turned in the nicest job of individual bowling Wednesday night when he put together games of 201, 194 and 266 for the league's best three-game count, totaling 661 pins. This extra large collection of pins on the last night jumped Larkin from sixth place in the standing to third position.

Final Standings.

Farm Produce Co.	30	12	714
S. T. & H. Oil Co.	24	18	571
Doerr's Restaurant	24	18	571
Gagetown Oil Co.	22	20	524
Cass City Oil and Gas	19	23	452
Sinclair Oil Co.	18	24	429
Bankers	18	24	429
Gross & Maier	18	29	310

Bridal All Wool Blankets.

We still have 100% virgin wool blankets at last fall's price. Moh resistant treated. 72x84, \$3.95. Pinney Dry Goods Company.—Advertisement.

Junior High Honor Athletes at Dinner Wednesday

Junior High Basketball
Team Close Their Sched-
ule Without a Defeat.

Not to lose a basketball game during the season is an enviable record and to celebrate such a performance members of the junior high team were honored Wednesday evening by other students of that department at a banquet. Among those present were the 126 junior high pupils and their instructors. With the instructors were the wives of several. In the faculty group were Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Niergarth, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Keen, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Ackerman, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell, and the Misses Coons, Wallingford, Gift and Schenck.

At the program following the dinner, Mrs. Holcomb introduced "Bob" Foy as toastmaster. Shirley Hudson extended greetings to the team and Albert McPhail responded. John and Joan Sommers, Shirley Gruber and Bill Benkelman presented a novelty dance and Nina Ertel gave a vocal solo. An instrumental quartet by Dorothy Tuckey, Monalee Goodall, Payllis Warner and Maryann Gallagher was followed by the presentation of letters to the basketball team by Coach Lester Ross.

Dog Quarantine Placed on Tuscola County This Week

A quarantine has been placed on all dogs in Tuscola County, according to a notice sent March 23 to Under Sheriff Vernon Everett by Leo V. Card, state commissioner of agriculture, and C. H. Clark, state veterinarian. The regulations provide that all dogs be securely chained or securely confined under the control of the owners or custodians of dogs to prevent them from attacking or biting any other animal or person. This order is to be in force from March 23 to June 23 inclusive.

It shall be the duty of the sheriff, his deputies, constables and other police officers, the notice states, to see to it that such quarantine is enforced. No dog shall be allowed to run at large within the quarantined area during the period of quarantine.

Several persons at Vassar and at other points of the county have been bitten by dogs that it is feared were afflicted with rabies and the quarantine is imposed with the idea of preventing a spread of the disease in the county. Wells and Dayton Townships have been under quarantine for about three weeks.

Public Are Asked to Save Empty Tooth Paste Tubes

The Mac & Scotty Drug Store and the L. I. Wood & Company drug store are participating in the campaign to salvage and reclaim tin for war use. Tooth paste and empty tubes may be placed in receptacles in these stores.

From coast to coast come reports that consumers, cooperating in the drive, are carrying their empty collapsible metal tubes to drug stores that have volunteered to serve as tin salvage stations. From the stores, the tubes are to be collected by wholesalers' men and forwarded through wholesale channels to the pharmaceutical industry's newly established Tin Salvage Institute and from there they go to a smelter plant where the reclaimed metal is to be made available to the War Production Board.

It is estimated that the total of tin tubes on the shelves of American medicine cabinets runs to 6,000 tons, of which some 20 tons are thrown away every day.

COLLEGE STUDENTS HOME FOR SPRING VACATION

Students home from Michigan State College, East Lansing, for spring vacation are Neville and Stuart Mann, Stuart Atwell, Janess Eastman and Christina Graham. Students from Central State College, Mt. Pleasant, are expected the last of the week and will have vacation the coming week. They are Glenn Asher, Mary Lee Doerr, Betty Striton, Kathleen Ross and Alexandra MacRae.

Coming Auctions

Having rented his farm, 2 miles north and 1/2 mile east of Decker, Edward Raduchel will sell livestock, machinery, feed and household goods at auction on Tuesday, March 31. William Turnbull is the auctioneer and the Pinney State Bank, clerk.

On Tuesday, March 31, James and Hattie Cross will have a farm sale, 1/2 mile south of Colwood, when cattle and implements will be sold by Auctioneer Worthy Taft. The State Savings Bank of Caro will clerk the sale.

John Osborn will sell 20 purebred Holstein cows and machinery, 2 1/2 miles south of the Bad Axe Swimming Pool, on Wednesday, April 1. Display advertisements of these three sales are printed on page seven.

Local Churches to Unite for Good Friday Service

Rev. Dudley Mosure Will
Give the Sermon at the
Church of the Nazarene.

Two local churches will cooperate in services in the early part of Holy Week and on Good Friday all the Protestant churches of the village will unite in a one-hour service that afternoon.

On Monday evening at the Methodist Church, the Rev. Dudley Mosure will speak; on Tuesday evening, the Rev. Dean Parker, pastor of the Holy Methodist Church will preach, and on Wednesday evening, the Rev. Stanley P. Kira, pastor of the Cass City Evangelical Church, is the speaker. All these three services in the Methodist Church will commence at eight o'clock. On Thursday night, Methodist people will attend Holy Week service at the Evangelical Church when Rev. Dudley Mosure will speak.

On Good Friday, the union service will be held at the Church of the Nazarene from 1:30 to 2:30 p. m. The sermon will be given by Rev. Dudley Mosure of the Methodist Church.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Cass City will hold a meeting following the Good Friday service.

Miss Neal and John Richter Married

From Kingston Correspondent.

Miss Naomi Neal, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Neal, and John Richter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Richter, of Kingston, were united in marriage at the home of the bride's parents in Kingston on Sunday afternoon, March 22. The service was read by Rev. Alfred Clough at two o'clock.

Harold Muxlow of Marlette and Miss Genevieve Legg of Kingston attended the couple. Preceding the ceremony, Mrs. Clough sang "Because." The marriage took place under a canopy of pink and white streamers which were centered by a large wedding bell suspended from the ceiling. Two baskets of snapdragons completed the setting. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Powder blue crepe was chosen by both bride and bridesmaid for their gowns.

A wedding dinner was served to members of the bridal party and the members of the immediate families. A three-tiered wedding cake featured the table decorations.

The bride was graduated from the Kingston High School in 1941 and the groom is a prosperous farmer. After a short wedding trip, they will reside on the groom's farm, a mile east of Kingston.

HOME NURSING CLASS IN GREENLEAF TOWNSHIP

Mrs. Donald Seeger has been appointed chairman of Red Cross Home Nursing for Greenleaf Township and she has made arrangements for a meeting to be held in the Greenleaf Community Hall next Wednesday, April 1, at 1:30 in the afternoon. All women interested in organizing a class in home nursing are urged to attend this meeting.

START EXCAVATING FOR CHURCH BASEMENT

The members of the local Church of the Nazarene began excavation for the basement of their new church on Monday. The basement is to be 42x70 feet.

Junior Play.

Plan to attend the junior play tonight (Friday)!—Advertisement.

30 Pass Tests, 28 Were Rejected in Tuscola County

Group of 62 Men Left
County on March 19 for
Physical Examinations.

Sixty-two Tuscola County men left the county seat on Thursday, March 19, for Detroit where they received their final examinations before their induction into military service. All those who passed the physical tests expected to be sent to army camps at once.

Out of the group of 62 men, 30 were successful in passing the examinations, 28 were rejected and four were transferred to other counties. In the group of rejections, some had not been accepted at their first physical examinations and then had been reclassified as 1-A and again rejected, while others have minor ailments which can be corrected and they will be recalled at a later date.

Accepted.
Steve Kovak, Gagetown.
Keith Colling, Unionville.
Maurice Dennings, Caro.
Clayton Haney, Cass City.
Charles Redick, Fairgrove.
Keith D. Rose, Caro.
Edward Stein, Fairgrove.
Gerald Russell, Caro.
Maurice Hickey, Caro.
Clarence Calkins, Silverwood.
Curtis Phillips, Fairgrove.
Francis Mileski, Kingston.
Ernest Smithson, Cass City.
Kenneth McLarity, Cass City.
Lester Steele, Mayville.
Kenneth Bowerman, Fostoria.
Leland Bass, Kingston.
Gurnith Faedie, Caro.
Norman McConnell, Fairgrove.
Claude Allen, Marlette.
Delbert Penn, Vassar.
Ross Howard, Vassar.
Joe Vandemare, Fairgrove.
Neil VanBuren, Caro.
Donald Bellamy, Mayville.
Harry Babcock, Caro.
Chester Szostak, Kingston.
Carl Black, Fairgrove (volunteer).
Floyd O'Rourke, Cass City (volunteer).

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Victory Garden and Nutrition Leaders to Meet at Caro April 2

Thursday, April 2, is the date set for a meeting of leaders in the Victory Garden projects and the 25 nutrition chairmen and 75 regular group leaders of Tuscola County Extension Clubs.

The garden lessons begin at 9:30 a. m. at the courthouse under the supervision of S. B. Apple, extension garden specialist of Michigan State College.

At 1:30 p. m., Miss Lilas Frost, home supervisor of the Farm Security Administration at Caro, will present lessons on nutrition and probably give a demonstration in home canning.

Leaders will relay the information received on April 2 to their home groups. Five hundred members of the extension groups in the county will be asked to each bring one other person to their local meetings, thus spreading the information to twice the total membership of the groups in the county. The meetings at Caro on April 2 are open meetings and anyone may attend.

Tuscola Township Treasurer Collects 99% of Tax Roll

Alex Henry, Elkland Township treasurer, had the best tax collection record of the first fourteen treasurers reporting to County Treasurer Arthur Willis, but the past week his record went down to third position when Robert Thompson, Tuscola Township collector, reported approximately 99% of the tax paid and Treasurer Walter Bierlein's record in Denmark Township was close to 98 1/2% collected. Mr. Henry's mark of over a 97% ingathering is "plenty good."

The last nine treasurers reported as follows:

	Total Roll	Uncollected
Denmark	\$18,086.17	\$ 280.85
Tuscola	10,876.22	112.26
Columbia	24,364.08	1,503.67
Fairgrove	28,014.73	1,115.44
Novesta	6,448.96	206.64
Akron	23,363.00	539.16
Indianfields	51,170.88	3,144.74
Gilford	12,570.81	518.85
Wisner	4,955.42	269.57

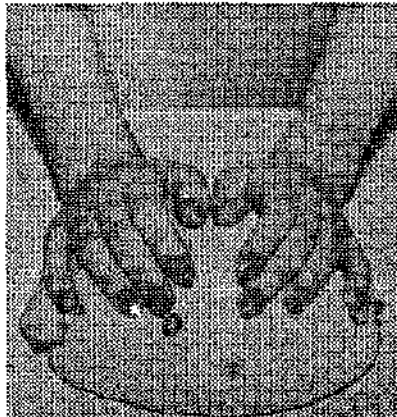
10 Pounds of Sugar for 70 Cents.
With a dollar's worth of trade, I will sell 10 pounds of sugar at 7 cents a pound. Kenney's Grocery.—Advertisement.

GOOD FRIDAY: Here's How to Make Those Hot Cross Buns!

Since medieval days the hot cross bun has been a symbol of Good Friday. Nowadays the thrifty housewife makes her own hot cross buns, as illustrated in these pictures taken at the studios of Eleanor Howe, noted Chicago food economist.



Put sugar, butter, salt in bowl. Add milk. Stir. Cool. When lukewarm add yeast and one egg. Beat. Sift together flour, cinnamon, nutmeg and add to liquid. Mix. Stir in currants.



Place in greased bowl, cover, and let rise until double in bulk. Turn dough onto lightly floured board, shape into ball and knead until smooth and elastic. This requires about five minutes.



Flour hands lightly, and shape dough into small balls, about the size of a walnut. Then place them on a greased baking sheet and let them rise in a warm place until they are about double in bulk.



Brush rolls with remaining egg well beaten. With sharp knife, cut cross in top of each bun. Then let buns rise until light. Bake in moderately hot oven (about 400 degrees) for 15 to 20 minutes.

The ingredients: $\frac{1}{4}$ cup sugar; 2 tablespoons butter; $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon salt; 1 cup scalded milk; 1 yeast cake softened in $\frac{1}{4}$ cup of lukewarm water; 2 eggs; 4 cups flour; $\frac{1}{2}$ teaspoon of cinnamon; $\frac{1}{4}$ teaspoon of nutmeg; $\frac{1}{2}$ cup of currants.

KINGSTON.

Mrs. Anita Ludwick visited her sister, Mrs. J. W. Meyer, and family, in Flint Monday.

The people of the Baptist Church omitted their Sunday evening service and four carloads attended the revival service at the Free Methodist Church Sunday night at Willmot.

The Christian Endeavor of the various groups of the county held a joint meeting at the Evangelical Church, Cass City, Tuesday night. Rev. Mr. Clough of Kingston delivered the message.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collins visited relatives at Novesta Monday evening.

Miss Sylvia Kaerlan of Lansing, William English of Newaygo, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wright and Judy were Saturday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Henderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Pelton of Deford were Kingston callers Monday.

The Townsend Club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross Warner Monday night.

Mrs. Arthur Henderson and Mrs. Ruth Sutphen were Cass City callers Monday.

The P. T. A. met Wednesday night. Miss Florine Brooks was speaker. Her subject was "The Mexican."

The Woman's Study Club met at the home of Mrs. Karn Tuesday evening, March 24, in a joint meeting with the Literary Club.

Eugene Sutphen and Arthur Henderson were business callers at Columbia Corners Monday evening.

Leland Whitney Bass and Frank Miles left Caro Thursday of last week for Detroit with other Tuscola County draftees for Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Holmes leave this week for their new home in Williamston.

On Friday, March 27, at three o'clock, the school speech contest will be held. Three students will be chosen to represent Kingston in the sub-district speech contest in oration, declamation and dramatic declamation.

Translated Testaments

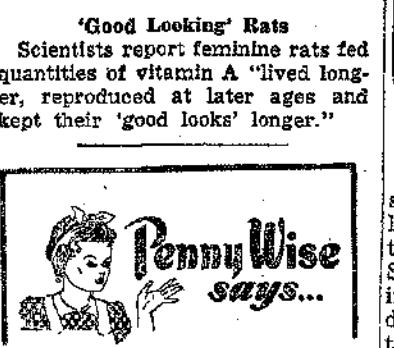
John Elliot, a missionary, translated the Old and New Testaments into an Algonquin Indian dialect and became known as "the Apostle to the Indians."

Large Eyes, Poor Vision

Goldfish with the largest eyes have the poorest vision. That is the finding of Gardiner Bennett of Green Island, a senior biology student at Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute.

'Good Looking' Rats

Scientists report feminine rats fed quantities of vitamin A "lived longer, reproduced at later ages and kept their 'good looks' longer."



"Sense provides Dollars for Defense!"

A LEAKY radiator is often blissfully ignored. To have it repaired costs little. But repair on the ceiling below, damaged by dripping water, comes high.



Spend pennies to repair the leak. Save the dollars to buy DEFENSE SAVINGS BONDS. Every household budget—every salary check—should go in part for Defense Savings to help defeat the enemies of freedom.

Local Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp returned Friday after a two weeks' visit with relatives in Detroit and Ypsilanti.

Mrs. Clinton Law and little son, Delbert Lewis, were taken to their home from Pleasant Home Hospital Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler are spending the week with their daughter, Mrs. Edward Gardiner, at Plymouth.

Alvin Hall of Detroit spent from Friday until Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. George J. Ranck and son, Tommy, of Berkley spent Sunday with Mrs. Ranck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Rusch of Bay City spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. John Haley, parents of Mrs. Rusch.

Mrs. Lily Wells of East Dayton and son-in-law, Theodore Hunt, of Lake Orion spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Harold J. Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Zinnecker and daughter, Lillian, of Detroit spent a few days last week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Zinnecker.

Mrs. Mary Gekeler has returned to her home here after spending several weeks in Detroit caring for her nephew, Tommy Rose, who has been quite sick with rheumatic fever.

Mrs. Harry L. Hunt had as guests over the week-end her daughters, Miss Thelma Hunt of Ypsilanti and Miss Catherine Hunt of Trenton, and her son, Russell Hunt, of New Baltimore. William Wyman of Trenton was also a week-end guest.

Mrs. Harriet Dodge was hostess, and was assisted by Mrs. H. M. Bule and Mrs. Jennie Martin, when the Woman's Society of Christian Service met in her home, on West Main Street, Thursday afternoon. Mrs. George Rohrback led devotions and Mrs. A. A. Schmidt gave the lesson, "The Health of India."

The Woman's Study Club will meet Tuesday afternoon, March 31, in the home of Mrs. Alice Nettleton. The program committee are Mrs. Grant Patterson, Mrs. Charles Keen and Miss Laura Maier. The guest speaker will be State Representative Audley Rawson.

The Misses Hazel and Shirley Corkins, who have been attending Cleary Business College at Ypsilanti, are now employed at the Huron County Tribune office in Bad Axe. Clara J. Hewens, brother-in-law of the young ladies, is owner of the Tribune. Miss Hazel and Miss Shirley were week-end guests at their home here.

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Rudy Miller of Bay Port is visiting his sister, Mrs. William Flint.

Lester Patterson of Detroit spent Sunday with his brother, Melvin Patterson, here.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McComb spent Sunday and Monday with relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Wells were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Melitzer at Gagetown.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Goodall and son were entertained at Sunday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arlington Gray.

The Girl Scouts have been very busy the last month working on first aid. They are being assisted by Mrs. Edwin C. Fritz, R. N.

Joe Lapear has returned to his home here after spending some time in a Bay City hospital where he underwent a serious operation.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Krug, Mrs. J. A. Sandham, Mrs. C. L. Graham and Mrs. Raymond McCullough spent Wednesday of last week in Detroit.

Mrs. Edward Baker suffered a broken right leg, just above the ankle, Sunday when she fell while working about her home on Main Street. She is at her home.

Miss Barbara Jean Bardwell entertained a number of friends in her home on Third Street Tuesday evening. Games were enjoyed and sandwiches, ice cream, cake and Coca-Cola were served.

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Mann's Lead Is Threatened

By Dr. B. H. Starmann, Secretary of the Bowling League.

The race for the league team championship has settled down to a very tight finish. Mann's Five lost all three of their games to Tio, while McCullough was taking three from Wallace. This leaves Mac's team only one game behind with two weeks to go. So, boys, it looks like an exciting finish.

Other three-game winners were Auten from Finney and Schwegler from Parsch.

There were no 600 scores this week and only eleven 500 marks. The club is as follows: Landon, 575; Reid, 571; Auten, 543; Atwell, 540; Novak, 529; Kinnaird, 524; Dr. Schenck, 515; R. McCullough, 508; Schwegler, 507; Knapp, 505; Kirtan, 500.

Team Standings.			
	W	L	Pct.
Mann	22	11	.667
McCullough	21	12	.636
Larkin	20	13	.606
Landon	19	14	.576
Tio	19	14	.576
Schwegler	18	15	.545
Wallace	17	16	.515
Deering	17	16	.515
Reid	15	18	.455
Finney	15	18	.455
Auten	12	21	.364
Gross	12	21	.364
Dr. Starmann	12	21	.364
Parsch	12	21	.364

Ten High Individual Averages.

1 Auten	182.07
2 Reid	179.89
3 Landon	178.68
4 Larkin	178.33
5 Finney	171.53
6 R. McCullough	171.32
7 Schwegler	170.63
8 G. Wallace	168.21
9 Dr. Starmann	166.63
10 Parsch	166.03

A Record in Reverse.

Your correspondent had twelve splits this week for a massive 401 total.

HOLBROOK.

Mrs. Mary Walker, who has spent the winter in Detroit, has returned to her home here.

Mrs. Gordon Jackson, Loretta Jackson and Willis Brown called Sunday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Ballentine in Cass City.

Mrs. Mary McHugh, who has spent the winter in Ohio, returned to her home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Campbell and family of Wayne have moved to the James Hewitt farm where they will make their home.

Mrs. Loren Trathen spent Sunday and Monday in Cass City to help care for her little grandson, Melbourne Rienstra, who has been very ill. He is some better now.

Mrs. Elta Dobson is in Cass City caring for her daughter, Mrs. Leonard Ballentine, and little daughter.

Mrs. Ira Robinson, who has been sick in Bad Axe General Hospital, returned to her home here Saturday.

Mrs. Nelin Richardson of Uby spent Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Jackson.

Motor Fuel for Cars

It is estimated that every 24 hours one-third of all U. S. motor vehicles—10,000,000, drive into the nation's 400,000 retail gasoline outlets and obtain 60,000,000 gallons of motor fuel.

Vaccine-Producing Plant

A \$15,000 vaccine-producing plant sent to China by the American Bureau for Medical Aid to China has enabled that country to produce its own vaccines to keep down cholera.

'Love Apple'

The tomato was, originally, a native of South America, and there was a time when nobody could be induced to taste it, because its original name was "Love Apple" and it was labeled "poisonous."

Airplane Wings

The minimum resistance to the forward motion of the wings of an airplane is obtained with a thin wing, which has a low lifting capacity.

GAGETOWN

Teachers Offered Contracts—

At a meeting of the board of education Thursday, March 19, it was voted to offer all teachers of the Gagetown Public School contracts for the year 1942-43 at a small increase in salaries. Those offered contracts include: D. A. Crawford, superintendent; A. L. Laundra, principal; Frank Weatherhead, grades; Miss Dorothy Burt kindergarten. Miss Frances Sullivan, English teacher, who is filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Margaret Remington, was offered a contract for the year 1942-43 at that time.

Fire Destroys House—

Monday morning, fire of unknown origin, burned the house on the Dr. Campbell farm, southwest of town, which was occupied by the Haskell Huntley family. The building was a frame structure and was quickly enveloped in flames. No clothing or household goods were saved. The local Red Cross Chapter and friends are supplying needed clothes, bedding and household goods.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Wood spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Delos Wood of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hunter spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Laughlin, of Cassville.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy LaPave and son, James, spent from Friday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sherwood Rice of Dearborn.

Mrs. M. P. Freeman and Mrs. Alphonso Rocheleau were callers in Saginaw Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Fournier have moved into the Anthes house on West State Street, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. James Winchester.

Mrs. Jess Howe and daughter, Shirley, of Ann Arbor came Sunday to visit Mrs. Howe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Fournier. Mrs. Fournier entered Pleasant Home Hospital Sunday and underwent an operation Monday morning.

James McGinn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd McGinn, has been transferred from Sheppard Field, Texas, to the Air Corps Replacement Center at Santa Ana, California, for training that will eventually lead to a second lieutenantcy in the Air Corps.

Local Happenings

Miss Dorothy Holcomb of Detroit was a Cass City caller Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kettlewell were business callers in Detroit on Wednesday.

John Tewksbury is spending a few weeks with relatives in Royal Oak and Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Crandell have moved to Ithaca where Mr. Crandell has employment.

Miss Fern Schwieger of Flint visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Schwieger, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mudge of Detroit spent Friday and Saturday as guests of Mrs. Dan McClorey.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Fulcher entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Fulcher and family of Shabbona.

Miss Norma Libka of Bad Axe spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Libka.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred F. (Buddy) White have moved to a farm near Fairgrove where Mr. White will be employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Karr of Caro visited at the home of their niece, Mrs. Ruth Walker, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Celnor of Rochester visited Mrs. Celnor's mother, Mrs. Glen McClorey, Saturday and Sunday.

Dennis O'Connor, who has been quite ill at his home on Third Street, is gaining nicely and able to be up about the house.

Week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Douglas were Mrs. William Foss and daughter, Mrs. Harold Bennett, both of Grosse Pointe.

Miss Florence Johnson of Detroit spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mark and with other friends here.

Leslie Townsend is a patient in Morris Hospital where he underwent an appendicitis operation on Thursday. He is getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reed and children were callers in Ann Arbor Sunday. Mrs. Reed remained to receive treatment at University Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stone of Lapeer spent Sunday and Monday as guests of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wright. Mrs. Stone is a sister of Mrs. Wright.

The second son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Alger L. Bush of Caro on Saturday noon, March 14. He has been named Allen Carson and weighed 7 1/2 pounds.

Mrs. Alfred Fort was hostess on Monday evening when the Happy Dozen met in her home and enjoyed a potluck supper and social time. Among those present were Mrs. Clara Folkert of Bay City and Mrs. Roy Stafford of Fowlerville.

The duties of the Tuscola County Rationing Board has added heavy duties to the program of County Clerk George F. Childs and he breathed a sigh of relief when D. M. Graham of Caro accepted the position of under clerk of the board the first of the week. Mr. Graham is now engaged in the work of keeping the records of automobile tire rationing in the county.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Orr entertained at a dinner Sunday in their home at Pigeon in honor of the 76th birthday of Mrs. Orr's father, William D. Striffler, of this place. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Striffler of Cass City, Mrs. Ione Sturm of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. George Southworth and family of Elkton, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gardiner of Plymouth. The table was very pretty, having for its centerpiece a birthday cake. Mr. Striffler received many gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Robinson and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Robinson and son, Philip, all of Greenleaf, spent Saturday afternoon as guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Dickinson.

George Pettinger of Cumber is a patient in Morris Hospital, where he is receiving treatment. George Hartsell, from north of town, is still very ill in the same hospital.

Mrs. E. W. Douglas has been informed by her sister, Mrs. Chas. Casper, of Mason that Mr. Casper has enlisted in the navy and expects to be called in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cook of Bay City spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred White. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Gast of Flint were also Sunday guests at the White home.

Mrs. Howard Wooley spent from Wednesday until Saturday in Detroit where she attended the Michigan Federation of Women's Clubs.

Mrs. Wooley was the delegate from the Cass City Woman's Study Club.

Mrs. Grant VanWinkle and daughter, Miss Sharlie, spent from Saturday until Monday night with Lieutenant and Mrs. Carlton Palmer at Evanston, Illinois. Mrs. Palmer is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. VanWinkle.

Mrs. John Marsh and three daughters, Miss Reva Marsh, Mrs. Elsie DeBeck and Mrs. Mabel Nicholas, visited Private Harry Marsh, who is stationed at Fort Robinson, Arkansas. The group spent five days there.

The Elmwood Home Extension Group will meet at the home of Mrs. Elmer Bearss on Tuesday, March 31, for an all-day meeting. The dinner at noon is to be prepared by a committee of five women and the expense will be shared by all.

A farm home, two miles south and 2 1/2 miles west of Gagetown, occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Hundley and six children, was destroyed by fire at four o'clock Monday morning. The fire was discovered by one of the children. Mr. and Mrs. Hundley and children escaped but were unable to save any of their belongings.

There will be a joint meeting of the Cass City Extension Groups Nos. 1 and 2 on Wednesday evening, April 1, at eight o'clock, in the school building. This is a Victory Garden meeting. Willis Campbell will speak and show exhibits. Each member is requested to bring a guest who is interested in planting a garden this spring.

A seven o'clock planned potluck supper was enjoyed Thursday evening when Family Night was observed in the dining room of the Methodist Church. Fifty-two were present at the dinner and many more saw the religious picture of the life of Christ entitled "The King of Kings" in the auditorium of the church at eight o'clock. The picture is a Cecil B. DeMille production.

Steve Tesho, who purchased 60 acres of land, one and a quarter miles west of the Bethel Church from Mrs. Ruth Walker a few weeks ago, has sold that property to Lloyd Karr. Mr. Karr's farm and his recently acquired tract of land join and he now has a 120-acre ranch. His father owned the same farm and Lloyd went there with his parents when he was a year old.

The Little Band of Pigeon under the direction of William Ladd, music instructor of the Pigeon school, presented a musical program Friday evening when the Cass City Grange met at the Bird schoolhouse. Readings were given by Mrs. Samuel Blades and Joseph Benkelman and Dickie Joos sang a group of songs. The program ended with group singing and was followed with a potluck supper. Hosts and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Reid and Mr. and Mrs. Fowler Hutchinson.

Mrs. John Spangler's group of the Methodist Woman's Society of Christian Service held a house coat tea Wednesday evening in the home of Mrs. Fred Maier. Thirty-one guests were present, coming in house coats or house dresses. Mrs. Edward Baker and Mrs. Warren Wood tied for first prize in a quiz program. Guests were weighed and it was found that the combined weight was 4,500 pounds. Refreshments were served from a table beautiful with a lace cloth and bouquet of spring flowers. Mrs. Baker and Mrs. Charles Keen, dressed in pretty blue satin house coats, poured.

A complete surprise to the honor guest was the party held Thursday evening when the nurses and attendants at Pleasant Home Hospital surprised Miss Mary McWebb, R. N., in her home in celebration of her birthday. A number of the guests came dressed in queer costumes and caused a great deal of laughter. Refreshments were served, a beautiful birthday cake having an important place on the table. Miss McWebb received many gifts. Guests were Mrs. Henderson Graham, R. N., of Caro, Mrs. Ethel Pettinger, R. N., Mrs. Lawrence Freeman, R. N., Miss Helen Kelley, R. N., Mrs. Harold J. Wells, R. N., Mrs. John O'Dell, R. N., Miss Evelyn Whitaker and Mrs. Henry Tate.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Feldbush and two children moved this week to the Arthur Little farm.

The Cass City Extension Group No. 2 will meet Wednesday, April 8, with Mrs. Grant Patterson.

Miss Anna Fletcher has returned to Caro after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Fletcher.

Mrs. Mary Gekeler has arrived home from Detroit where she spent the last five months caring for her nephew. He is still quite ill.

Miss Mary McWebb was honor guest at a birthday dinner given by nurses and attendants at the Morris Hospital on Wednesday evening.

Lafayette Sample, Mrs. Ella Edgar and Lafayette Edgar, all of Atlanta, and Mrs. Arthur Beuregard of Cummins spent the week-end visiting at the homes of Joe Lapeer and Elmer Spencer and with other relatives here.

Fred Striffler telephoned his sister, Mrs. Angus McPhail, from Caro on Tuesday morning saying "This is Grandpa Striffler."

A son was born that day to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sealey (Charlotte Striffler) at Ann Arbor.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Sommers had as guests over the week-end the latter's sister, Mrs. Pauline Ackers, a nurse in Dowagiac Hospital, and Mrs. Russell McKenzie of Marcellus. On Saturday they helped Mr. Sommers celebrate his birthday.

Monday evening, at the Boy Scout meeting, Curtis Hunt exhibited pictures of Mexico and gave descriptions of his recent trip through that country. A number of new boys are joining the local troop. Boys of 12 years of age and over are eligible for membership.

Several members of the Woman's Bible Class of the Methodist Sunday School and a few friends surprised Mrs. H. M. Willis in her home Tuesday afternoon. The occasion was the birthday of Mrs. Willis. A short time was spent in visiting and ice cream and birthday cake served.

The new year of the Woman's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church will be begun with a potluck luncheon at the church next Thursday, April 2, at one o'clock. A feature of the program will be the reading of letters from foreign missionaries. All members and friends are urged to attend.

An open meeting was held on Wednesday afternoon when the Woman's Missionary Society of the Baptist Church met in the church auditorium. Guests were members of missionary societies of the other churches. Rev. Edward Haugh, representing the Evangelical Union of South America, was the guest speaker.

Sixteen high school bands participated in the District 3 Band Festival at Marlette where Keith Stein, woodwind instructor at Michigan State College, was adjudicator. The Cass City band received a third division rating. A first and second rating is necessary for state participation at Ann Arbor April 24 and 25.

Sheriff Homer Hilleker's family have had more than their share of serious illness. The sheriff has been very ill for the past seven weeks and was taken to the Caro Community Hospital on Saturday noon. Monday, his son, Clifton, suffered an attack of appendicitis and underwent an operation for that disease that night.

Twenty-eight were present Tuesday evening when Mrs. J. A. Sandham's group of the W. S. C. S. met in the home of Mrs. J. Ivan Niergarth for a surprise tea. As the guests arrived they were given cards with which they found partners and all were taken for a walk, going to the schoolhouse, where a moving picture "The Doctor's Daughter," was shown and refreshments were served by home economics girls under the direction of Miss Virginia Gift.

Every member of the Art Club and two visitors were present Thursday afternoon when the society met with Mrs. Sam Vyse, in her home north of town. The visitors were Mrs. John Dickinson and Mrs. McGilvray, both of Bad Axe. Following the business meeting, the afternoon was spent in games, visiting and sewing and a delicious chop suey supper was served. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. E. A. Livingston.

Wednesday evening of last week, soon after Rev. George D. Bugbee returned home from prayer service at the Nazarene Church, he chanced to look from one of the windows and saw car after car drive up and stop beside the house. Mr. Bugbee had but a short time to wonder what was happening when about fifty of the church people entered his home to spend a short social time. A pie and coffee supper was served. The affair was a complete surprise to Mr. Bugbee.

The Fellowship Club of the Presbyterian Church met Tuesday evening in the church parlors. A ladies' double trio sang three numbers and Ernest Shelley, a member of the faculty of Arthur Hill High School in Saginaw, gave an address on a bicycle trip through Europe he and Mrs. Shelley had taken during the summer of 1939. They took advantage of youth hostels for overnight lodging during their journey. Mr. Shelley described the Hitler Youth Movement during his discourse.

The Neighborhood Bible Class will meet tonight (Friday) in the home of Mrs. John Walmesley on West Street.

Arthur Stewart is taking an enforced "vacation." A broken rib will keep him from his work for about a week.

Mrs. William Martus, Sr., is spending a few weeks with her nephew, Walter, Elsie, and other relatives in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. McNamee and Mr. and Mrs. William Donnelly spent Tuesday in Durand where they attended the funeral of Delbert Trumbull.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Gruber had as guests over the week-end their sons, Jerome and Ronald Gruber, of Detroit and Mrs. Gruber's sister, Mrs. Guy McGarry, also of Detroit.

Mrs. Burt Clara, Mrs. Ralph Clara, Mrs. Chris Roth, Mrs. Archie McLachlan and Mrs. Joseph Crawford attended Friend's Night at Midland Chapter, O. E. S., on March 18. Mrs. A. McLachlan and Mrs. J. Crawford assisted with the initiatory work.

Mr. and Mrs. F. McGregory and Mrs. Donald Withey were among those from Cass City who attended the Thumb Bible conference at Caro Friday afternoon and heard Rev. E. W. Palmer of Detroit speak on "Personal Evangelism."

Mr. Palmer was their pastor for eight years while they lived at Farmington.

Mrs. Andrew N. Bigelow entertained a number of friends at a dessert bridge party in her home on West Main Street Saturday evening. Bridge was played at six tables, a prize being given at each table. Prize winners were Mrs. Daniel Kroll, Mrs. C. L. Graham, Mrs. D. A. Krug, Mrs. Lester Ross, Mrs. J. Ivan Niergarth and Mrs. Delbert Proff.

Those listening to the Lapeer station on their radios from 4:15 to 5:00 Tuesday afternoon heard the program presented by the Cass City Church of the Nazarene. A program of music was given by Mrs. George D. Bugbee and the Misses Lena May Cross and Viola Bemis. Rev. Mr. Bugbee gave the history of the song, "What a Friend We Have in Jesus," and Mrs. Bugbee sang the song. Miss Doris Cross gave a reading and Mr. Bugbee a short inspiring talk on 1st Kings 18:22.

Front Page or Nowhere

It is a Japanese law that nothing must appear over a picture of the emperor. Hence when an American newspaper was to print the emperor's picture, the Japanese ambassador requested that the picture appear on the front page, "because it is a Japanese law that nothing must appear over the Supreme Portrait of the Son of Heaven." When this request was denied, the ambassador suggested that over the picture a printed admonition be made to the American public not to set down any objects such as drinking glasses, pots, and pans, etc., on the picture. Needless to mention, this request could not be complied with either.

Sply Elm Caterpillar

A spiny elm caterpillar, about 1 1/4 inches long when full-grown, was found feeding on elm trees. The body is black, dotted with white spots, each body segment having a large orange spot on the top and several conspicuous thorn-like projections. It was identified as the Spiny elm caterpillar, Aglais antiopa, but it feeds upon the leaves of willow, poplar, elm and dogwood. Any stomach poison such as lead arsenate or calcium arsenate is effective. Small infestations may be hand-picked. The adult is the Mourning Cloak butterfly. It is comparatively large with black velvet wings bordered with yellow.

Motor Reduces Blowouts

Charles H. Roberts of Burbank, Calif., has invented a hydraulic motor to be installed within the wheels of heavier airplanes to set the wheels spinning before they touch the ground, thereby reducing impact and danger of blowouts.

Marlette Livestock Sales Company

"THE THUMB MARKET"

Market March 23, 1942—

Top veals.....16.50-17.20

Fair to good.....15.50-16.50

Seconds.....13.50-14.50

Commons.....11.50-13.00

Deacons.....1.50-10.00

Best butcher cattle.....10.50-11.75

Fair to good.....9.50-10.00

Commons.....8.00-9.00

Feeder cattle.....18.50-60.00

Best bulls.....9.50-10.15

Light bulls.....8.25-9.00

Stock bulls.....35.00-65.00

Best beef cows.....8.50-8.90

Fair to good.....7.75-8.25

Cutters.....6.00-7.00

Canners.....4.80-5.60

Dairy cows.....60.00-112.00

Best hogs.....13.50-13.85

Light hogs.....12.50-13.25

Roughs.....11.50-12.00

Sale every Monday at 1:00 p. m.

MICHIGAN MIRROR

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possible military sacrifice, and that brings the war home closer than ever.

Our income taxes are higher, too. That is all right, but it makes us think a bit more.

Governor Frank Murphy, friendly to labor during the sit-down strike, was caught in a protest wave at the following November election.

Politicians will tell you that the late Frank Fitzgerald wasn't elected by an uprising of citizens who went to the polls to vote for Fitzgerald. He won because a lot of folks were mad. They expressed their anger at sit-downs by voting against Murphy, and in so doing they had to vote for his opponent.

We are not saying Governor Murray D. VanWagoner faces the same fate. The situation is not parallel.

But a lot of people are restless today. And voters usually do irrational things when they are in a mood to kick someone in the pants—whether the fault lies at Washington or at home. By November they may feel differently about it.

That Harry F. Kelly is going to toss his hat into the ring is conceded at Lansing.

The question is: What ring? Will he run for governor or for United States senator?

The secretary of state would like to go to Washington. His inclinations are reported to be more in the direction of national service chiefly because of the war. And yet Harry is a good soldier, and he will abide by the party's decision.

An announcement is expected in the very near future.

Another factor in today's unrest is the grim realization that Michigan's part in World War (with its army of less than four million men) will be greatly eclipsed by today's military demands for war manpower.

Washington is talking today in terms of 8,000,000 to 10,000,000-man army, while another 1,000,000 will be needed for our navy.

To get that many men the government is lifting selective service restrictions. Col. E. M. Rosecrans, director for Michigan, announces

that Uncle Sam will furnish eye glasses and even teeth.

An army of eight or ten millions will take many men with family dependents. (Sixty-four per cent of all registered men have been deferred to date because of their dependents.)

More taxes and more bonds are inevitable, too. War spending is now around \$2,300,000,000 a month and is due to reach \$4,500,000,000 by the end of 1942. By next year this outpour of dollars will reach \$7,500,000,000—a month! Inflation is already here; standards of living are going down; regimentation is certain.

United Automobile Workers (C. I. O.) demand from General Motors Corporation \$1 day pay increase, 30-minute paid lunch period, double time Sunday and holidays, 10% premium for work between

8:30 p. m. and midnight; 15% premium for work between midnight and 8:00 a. m.; 60 days' pay if a worker enters the military service instead of two weeks; \$100 bond in lieu of two weeks' vacation.

Right or wrong, justly or unjustly, the public is going to hold labor to blame for acts of everyone attached to the labor movements. If war production is stopped by strikes, labor will be responsible—in the public's mind. The public also favors limitation of profits by management as well as by labor. Post-war pensions for war veterans are now being conceived.

Such is the unrest which is evident everywhere in Michigan today. We are losing a war, and we don't like it.

"Cure" for Toothache

Smoking benzene seeds was an old country "cure" for toothache.

ATTENTION Housewives and Auto Owners "SPEE-DEE"

Utility Cleaner is now available at HARDWARE STORES.

SPEE-DEE cleans rugs, carpets right on the floors; makes living room suites and other upholstery, also auto seats, look like new. One teaspoonful makes one pint of window spray unequalled in value.

Get a trial bottle. It's guaranteed. Notice the many other uses. Not expensive. One 12-ounce bottle makes over FIVE GALLONS of cleaner for only 50 cents.

Made by the manufacturers of the famous SPEE-DEE FABRIC CEMENT

New Notes in... Easter Suits

In the fashion centers of the nation, suits are the leaders. Trim, practical, efficient and good looking, suits fit right into the busy tempo of our lives.

Murray's is ready for you with a wide variety of well tailored Redfern, Josseli, and Shallmor suits, made of choice fabrics with authentic styling and excellent detailing.

\$10.95 up

Redfern Coats

The pick of the new Spring Coats. Figure flattering, two button reefer, boxy boys' coats, wrap coats, new swaggers! Irresistible in ice cream pastel plaids, solids, stripes, fleecy woollens... all wonderfully low priced.

\$10.95 up

Spring Dresses

Perfect for now and Easter... "pretty" dresses... vivid prints... lingerie sheers... polka dots. See their dancing pleated skirts, lovely necklines, smooth long torso waists... expensive looking, yet low priced.

\$4.95 up

ACCESSORIES...

Exciting accessories to complete your Easter outfit. Bright bags and matching gloves... costume jewelry to add that extra bright touch... fashion bright hats to top it all.

Skirts... Sweaters... Blouses

SAVE YOUR CARS AND TIRES BY AVOIDING LONG TRIPS TO CITIES!

Murray's Bad Axe

LIBERTY LIMERICKS



There was a machinist named Harry Who worked in a steel mill at Gary, And always on pay day, Instead of a play day— He bought all the BONDS he could carry!

You can help forge the strongest army in the world! Whether a 10¢ Defense Stamp or an \$10.75 Bond—buy regularly!

If Business Is Business, You Surely Ought to Read This Business News

RATES—Liner of 25 words or less, 25 cents each insertion. Over 25 words, one cent a word for each insertion.

BEST HALTER for the money at Bigelow's. 3-27-1

FOR SALE—1940 Ford pickup, like new. Inquire at 211 East Frank Street, Caro. 3-27-1

FOR SALE—Rubber tired wagon, 6-foot mowing machine, corn cultivator and walking plow. William Moore. Inquire at Doerr's Restaurant. 3-27-1

DECORATION materials with the best brands of wall paper paste, paint cleaners, sponges, etc., at Bigelow's. 3-27-1

BABY CHICKS—Order those chicks now and get delivery on the date you want them. Thirty varieties to choose from. Phone 16. Elkland Roller Mills. 3-13-8

DEAD CALVES ARE A DEAD LOSS—When your calves have the scours, get a package of Robinson's Livestock Astringent Mixture. (Money refunded if not satisfied). For sale at Mac & Scotty, Drugs. 3-6-12p

START CHICKS RIGHT—Feed Purina Chick Starters, America's fastest selling chick starter. Takes only two pounds per chick—and is tops for livability and growth. Buy Purina Embryo Fed Chicks, Starters and Sanitation Products from Bay View Hatchery, Sebawaing, Michigan. We deliver. 3-13-8

FOR SALE—Dodge truck, 1939, long wheelbase, 1 1/2 tons, two speed axle, very good 7-inch tires. Reconditioned and refinished. Ewald Bros., 1 north, 1/2 east of Elkton. 3-27-1p

GRADE JERSEY bull calf, 5 weeks old, for sale. Cow tests, 5.5. Floyd Wiles, 5 miles west, 2 1/2 south of Cass City. 3-27-1p

HOLSTEIN cow 7 years old for sale. Due soon. Frank Nemeth, 2 east and 1 south of Deford. 3-27-1p

HAY FOR SALE—Alfalfa, June clover and mixed hay. Can deliver. Ewald Bros., 1 north, 1/2 east of Elkton. 3-6-12p

WANTED—150 old horses for fox feed. Must be alive. Otto Montel, Fairgrove. Caro Phone 954-R-5. 11-8-4f

FOR SALE—McQueen 200-acre dairy farm, 4 west, 1/2 south, 1/2 west of Deford. Two sets fine buildings. Electricity everywhere. Terms. Frank R. Reed, Carsonville. 1-30-10p

FOUR CHOICE purebred Short-horn bulls for sale. A. Dembourke, Sebawaing. 3-20-2p

MR. FARMER—We are in the market to buy all kinds of livestock. Call us before you sell. Robert and Jim Milligan. Phone No. 98F41. 5-28-

Arnold Copeland Auctioneer

FARM AND STOCK SALES
HANDLED ANYWHERE.

CASS CITY

Telephone 145F12

FOR SALE—Team of horses, ages 3 and 4 years old, priced right. Fred Ewald, 1 north, 1/2 east of Elkton. 3-27-2p

FOR SALE—1940 International pickup, dual wheels, good tires, stock rack. Roy Schweigert, Caro. 3-27-1

FARMERS NOTICE—Will buy eggs and poultry Wednesdays and Saturdays at the building formerly occupied by Fox's Garage, next to the Associated Gas and Oil Corp. Farmers—See or call us before you sell your poultry. Joseph Molnar. 2-13-1f

CUCUMBER contracts for 1942 may be secured at the Bigelow Hardware at Cass City and at Joe Leishman's Store at Elmwood, or from our representative, Leonard Striffler. The H. W. Madison Company. 2-6-1f

FOR SALE—Three good teams of horses. Also large size Massey-Harris tractor, on rubber, Farm-all type; and Massey-Harris combine, 6-foot, like new. Henry Cooklin, Deford. 3-20-2

SO WE'LL MAKE OUR wartime sugar grow on trees—if the rationing of sweets becomes too sour, there's a remedy! An article in The American Weekly with this Sunday's (March 29) issue of the Detroit Sunday Times, tells how scientists promise to replace all the sugar crop we lost in the Philippines by processing only 10,000 acres of woodland. Be sure to get The Detroit Sunday Times this week and every week. 3-27-1

NOTICE—The Cass City Local of the United Dairy Farmers will have a special meeting Saturday, March 28, at 2:00 p. m. at Doerr's Hall, Cass City, Mich. 3-27-1p

FOR SALE—A few young Guernsey cows, fresh. Guaranteed negative blood test. Dr. D. J. Monroe, Elkton, Michigan. 3-27-1p

FOR SALE—Purebred Angus bull calf, 8 months old, and two tons of cull beans. Harold McGrath. 3-20-2p

A GOOD assortment of drapery samples, suitable for sofa pillows or chair coverings. Cass City Furniture Store. 3-27-1

"ECONOMY" feeds are good feeds. From chick to laying house, quicker and cheaper with Economy Starting and Growing Mash. "Economy" 16% Dairy Feed is a good buy. Try them. Phone 16. Elkland Roller Mills. 3-13-8

SWEDISH seed oats for sale. Lewis Law, 1 east, 2 north of Cass City. 3-20-2p

TRY KENNEY'S for some of your groceries, good staple goods and priced right. Kenney's Grocery and Creamery. 10-7-1f

FOR SALE—Two head feeder cattle and double harness, in real good condition. Elmer Fuester, 5 east, 1 south, 1 east of Cass City. 3-27-1p

LARGE LINE of crocks from one-quarter to 80 gallons at Bigelow's. 3-27-1

WANTED—A No. 1 upholsterer man. Call at the Caro Cabinet Shop, 239 South State Street, Caro, Michigan. 3-20-2p

FARMERS—NOTICE!

Why Not Get Your Cucumber Contracts Now?

The price we pay plus the new equipment we have makes it a convenience for you to raise cucumbers for us. Let us give you full details and write your contract at Robert Warner's of the Associated Gas and Oil Corporation at Leach and Church Streets, Cass City.

A. FENSTER CORP.
CARO, MICH. 3-6-1f

DINNER SERVED at noon at Deford Church on election day, April 6. Price, 25 cents. 3-27-1

CHAIRS squeak? Loose joints tightened and all necessary repairs made, all types of furniture. Elmer Porter, 239 South State Street, Caro. 3-20-2p

40 TONS of straw for sale. R. Ferworm, 4 south, 1 1/2 east of Deford. 3-27-1p

WANTED—Day-old calves. Lowell Sickler, 3 south, 1/2 east of Cass City. 3-27-1p

WHEN YOU have livestock for sale, call Reed & Patterson. Telephone 52, 32 or 223. 3-15-1f

FARMERS, Attention! Why not have your repairing done now before the spring rush and avoid delay later. West's Welding and Machine Shop. 1-30-1f

BUY HY-GRADES—200-335 Egg ROP Pedigree sized chicks, Pulorum tested, Leghorn, Rocks, New Hampshire, Wyandottes, R. Reds at very reasonable prices. Hy-Grade Hatchery, Sebawaing. Willard Heiman, Mgr. 3-6-6p

Bought at Auction!

Mister, if you will refer to last Sunday's Free Press auction column you will see where H. J. Gillies sold out a large men's store in Kalamazoo at Wholesale Auction.

This storekeeper was forced to sell out his high grade stock of merchandise account of sickness.

The stock consisted of well known brands of shoes, rubbers, pants, sweaters, shirts, underwear, hosiery, gloves, hats, caps and all other articles usually found in a men's store of this type.

Our buyers bought large lots at this sale and now this merchandise is on sale at

The Mill End Store
BAY CITY

Hudson Bay Bed Blankets now being sold on lay-away plan.

FOR SALE—Team of mares, 6 and 7 years old. Donald Withey, 1 mile east, 2 1/2 north of Cass City. 3-27-2p

FOR SALE—Chippewa potatoes, two bushels Early Ohio, grown from certified seed last year. John Dillman. Telephone 98F21. 3-27-1p

FURNISHED rooms for rent. Enquire at Severn Grocery, North Seeger Street. 3-20-1f

FOR SALE—30 acres of unimproved land—W 1/2 of SE 1/4, Section 1, Wells Township. Agreeable terms. E. J. Kremer, State Savings Bank Building, Caro. 3-6-1f

SEBEWAING Memorial Works, marble and granite monuments and markers. Order now for spring. 101 East Main Street, Sebawaing, Michigan. 3-6-8

FOR SALE—One pair of roan mares, 4 years old; also 10 other young horses and colts. Victor Hyatt, 3 miles east of Shabbona; 1 1/2 north, 3 west, 1/2 south of Argyle. 3-18-8

FOR SALE—Alfalfa and mixed alfalfa and June seed; also table carrots. Walter Schell. 3-27-2p

POULTRY wanted—Drop postal card to Stephen Dodge, Cass City. Will call for any amount at any time. 1-15-1f

WE ALWAYS BUY
POULTRY

Phone day or night. Phone 145.

Caro Poultry Plant

Ralph E. Shurlow
Caro, Mich.

Sandusky Poultry Plant

Phone day or night. Phone 267.

Sandusky, Mich. 10-17-1f

CHESTNUT mare, 4 years old, weight between 1,500 and 1,600, sound, for sale. W. G. Brown, 3 east, 1/2 north, 1/2 west of Cass City. 3-20-2p

FOR SALE—Team of sorrel Belgian colts, coming 3 years old. Both mares and partly broke. Weight about 1,400 each. Audley Rawson, 5 north of Cass City. 3-27-1p

BABY BED for sale. Inquire at Peter Kloc farm, 3 miles south of Cass City. 3-20-2p

FOR SALE—About 15 bushels of No. 1 Chippewa eating potatoes. John Bekak, 1 mile north and 1/2 west of Gagetown. 3-27-1p

WANTED—Housework by the day. Enquire 6 1/2 miles west of Cass City. 3-27-1p

THE DEFORD Beauty Shoppe will be closed for the next two weeks. The barber shop will be open every day and night from now on. 3-27-1

SILK DRESSES—A lot of lovely new dresses, priced \$2.98, sizes 12 to 20. Ella Vance's Variety Store. 3-27-1p

WITH A Dollar's worth of trade, I will sell 10 pounds of Sugar at 7 cents per pound. Kenney's Grocery. 3-27-1

100 ACRES of pasture land, 3 east, 1 1/2 south of Cass City, for sale. Well and running water. Known as the Gilbert McKee property. Enquire of Charles W. Ewing, Cass City. 3-27-1

LOST—Last Thursday morning on West Street, a parcel containing a blue wash dress. Finder please return to Mrs. Esther Willy. 3-27-1*

WE WISH to thank the many friends and neighbors who so generously helped us in moving to our new home, also the farewell party given in our honor and the purse of money given us. Many pleasant and happy memories will remain with us throughout the many years to come. Mr. and Mrs. Lester Tedford and Family. 3-27-1p

"JAMESWAY" Electric Hovers, oil burning brooder stoves, feeders, waterers, etc., for sale. The best is the cheapest in the long run. Buy "Jamesway" poultry and dairy equipment. Telephone 15. Elkland Roller Mills. 3-18-8

FOR SALE—Cedar fence posts, present price delivered—4 inch tops, 35¢; 5 to 6 inch tops, 40¢; all standard lengths. Milton Thayer, Deckerville, Michigan. Phone 39R3. 2-20-15p

CARD OF THANKS—I wish very much to thank Dr. Morris, my Sunday School class and teacher, the sixth grade and Mr. Ackerman, and all my friends and relatives for their gifts, cards and fruit during my recent illness. Mildred Loomis. 3-27-1

DEFORD

Bishop Wade to Preach Here—

Bishop Raymond J. Wade of Detroit will deliver the Palm Sunday sermon at the Deford Methodist Church Sunday morning, March 29, at ten o'clock.

Bishop Wade, who has been resident bishop of the Detroit area of the Methodist Church since July 1, 1940, was for the previous 12 years in charge of the Northern European Area of the Methodist Church with headquarters in Stockholm, Sweden. He supervised the churches in Sweden, Norway, Denmark, Germany and Russia. Before that time, he had charge of the Methodist churches in the Mediterranean Area which included both European and African territory.

Bishop Wade will also preach at the Kingston Methodist Church at 11:30.

With the Ill—Mrs. Lowell Sickler is at home again and considerably improved.

Mrs. Neil Martin is gaining slowly.

Mrs. Norman Martin is numbered with this list.

Mrs. Herbert Phillips, who was confined to the bed for a time, is again around the house.

Mrs. L. M. Sherwood is under medical treatment.

Mrs. Henry Cooklin is numbered with the ill.

Alfred Black is still confined to his bed, but gaining some. A sister, Mrs. Skully, of Detroit came during the week and is caring for him.

Farmers' Club—The club met on Friday for dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hegler. Vice president of the club, F. S. Riley, had charge for the day. The program included: Prayer by Rev. Mr. Elford; flag allegiance pledge in unison; vocal selections in unison; vocal solo and encore, Mrs. Arleen Retherford; a fine selection, composed and recited by J. D. Powell of Wilmot. A vocal solo by Frank Hegler elicited considerable merriment. The club donated \$4.25 to the Red Cross war relief and \$1.00 to the Crippled Children's Fund.

Extension Club—The club will hold their March meeting next Tuesday, March 31, at 10:00 a. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arleen Retherford. Potluck dinner will be served at noon. Members are requested to bring their dishes, silverware and sugar.

At the business session, officers for the ensuing year will be chosen. The last lesson in furniture placing will be given. The guest meeting will follow later.

W. C. T. U.—The union will meet at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Cuen on April 9 at 2:00 p. m. Devotions by Mrs. Howard Retherford; topic, "Alcohol Education"; leader, Miss Nora Moshier; roll call, response with a Scripture verse.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Tallman spent the week-end in Royal Oak with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Tallman. Sunday morning, they visited the Berkeley Road Temple service and saw Mrs. Bertha McIntyre, formerly of Deford. In the evening they were at the Wilhite Tabernacle in Detroit.

The program committee of the Farmers' Club met at the Howard Retherford home on Tuesday evening to prepare the programs for the coming year. Norris Wilber, county agent of Caro, assisted in the preparation.

Arthur Hartwick and Frank Novak are visiting the John McArthur residence this week.

The ladies of the W. C. S. S. will serve dinner on election day at the church dining room. See Chronicle liners.

The Lester Tedford family are moving this week to their new home lately purchased near Watrousville.

Mrs. George Spencer is nursing a broken leg.

Harley Tedford spent the week-end with the VanAllen boys.

George Spencer and Buster Tedford called at the William Tedford home near Sandusky Saturday.

Clinton Sadler of Lansing is spending a few days with his mother, Mrs. Edna Sadler.

Mrs. Horace Murry spent a few days in Detroit as a guest of her sister, Mrs. Carmon Ingles.

Warren Keiley spent Wednesday in Lansing accompanying Charles Rawson of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rock of Flint were Sunday guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rock.

Mrs. John Collins spent from Sunday to Tuesday with her sister, Mrs. J. D. Funk, at the Roy Courlis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Rock had as guests on Sunday, Mrs. Rock's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cash Pearson, of Kingston.

Guests of Mrs. Ruth Sherman were Mrs. Charles Sherman and sons, Harold and Robert, of Pinconning for the week-end and Mr. and Mrs. Cline of Bay City on Monday.

Mrs. Jed Dodge entertained over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dodge of Detroit. Miss Dora Dodge is employed for a time in Marlette.

Donald Hicks of Detroit visited Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Hicks. Mrs. Hicks returned to the city with Donald for a week's visit and intends to take in the flower show while there.

On Wednesday evening, about 50 friends and neighbors gathered at the home of the newly-weds, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Perry, for a reception. A bountiful lunch was served and they were presented with some nice gifts. All wished them a happy wedded life.

Six ladies met with Mrs. A. Bunker on March 17 to help her celebrate her birthday. The afternoon was spent in playing games and visiting, after which lunch was served. The birthday cake was made by her daughter, Mrs. Barney Seeley.

Billy Patch, Jr., has been sick with the flu but is better at this writing.

Gustaf Thom, who is stationed at Camp Grant, Illinois, ate supper at the William Patch home Friday evening.

John and Miss Nora Moshier are nursing severe colds.

Mr. and Mrs. Leigh Biddle and daughter, Janet, spent Sunday at the Bradshaw home in Cass City.

CANCELLED STAMPS, NOT DYES, IS OBJECT OF COLLECTION

Concluded from first page. It has been contradicted widely and we hope it has been stopped. Stamps can only be used for philatelic purposes. The U. S. post office investigated thoroughly the work and is satisfied that the stamps are going to a charity and gave permission to say so.

The hospital wants stamps like enclosed sample, seals, stamped envelopes and loose stamps off the paper cannot be used and must be destroyed, so it is useless expense to send them. Thank you for your interest and I hope help.

Yours truly,
Helen V. C. Gillet.
(Mrs. L. A.)

Maple Trees
There are at least 13 kinds of maple trees in the United States.

Cass City Market
Thursday, March 26.

Buying price—First column, price at farm; second column, price delivered at elevator. Grain.

Wheat, No. 2, mixed, bu. 1.09 1.11
Oats, bushel .53 .54
Barley, cwt. 1.82 1.85
Rye, bushel .70 .72
Buckwheat, cwt. 1.77 1.80
Shelled Corn, bushel .73 .80

Beans.
Michigan Navy Beans, cwt. 4.10
Light Cranberries, cwt. 5.00
Dark Cranberries, cwt. 4.50
Light Red Kidney Beans, cwt. 4.00
Dark Red Kidney Beans, cwt. 5.00
Soybeans, bushel 1.63 1.65

Produce.
Butterfat, pound .36
Butter, pound .35
Eggs, dozen .28

Livestock.
Cows, pound .04 .07
Common cattle, pound .06 .08
Dry fed cattle, pound .09 .10
Calves, pound .15
Hogs, pound .12

Poultry.
Leghorn hens, pound .18
Rock hens, pound .20 .23
Rock stags, pound .18
Leghorn roosters, pound .10

BRING IN YOUR SWAN COUPONS
WE GLADLY REDEEM THEM

SPRY COUPONS
WE WILL GLADLY REDEEM THEM

RINSO LIFEBOUOY SOAP
COUPONS
WE WILL GLADLY REDEEM THEM

Please bring in your Coupons!!

I. G. A. Store
CASS CITY

Wednesday's Market at Sandusky Yards
Market March 25, 1942—

Best steers and heifers 12.00-12.60
Med. to good 10.00-12.00
Common 9.00-10.00
Best beef cows 8.25-9.00
Med. to good 7.50-8.25
Canners and cutters 6.00-7.50
Best bologna 9.75-10.70
Med. to good bologna 8.75-9.75
Stock bulls 40.00-90.00
Dairy cows 120.00
Feeder cattle 35.00-71.00
Deacon calves 3.00-12.00
Best veal calves 15.75-16.30
Med. to good 14.75-15.50
Culls and commons 10.00-14.00
Good hogs, 180 to 200 lbs. 18.00-13.70
Good hogs, 200 to 230 lbs. 18.10
Good hogs, 230 to 260 lbs. 12.90
Good hogs, 260 to 300 lbs. 12.70
Heavies 12.50
Light hogs 12.00
Roughs 12.30
Good lambs 12.40
Med. to good 11.50-12.00
Sheep 6.50

Sale every Wednesday, 2:00 p. m.

Sandusky Livestock Sales Company
W. H. Turnbull Worthy Tait
Auctioneers

The Victory Garden.
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of tomatoes and peppers. Tomatoes.

Marglobe—73 days to maturity. A housewife's favorite. Uniform sized fruit, good slicer. Will bear late in the fall in this locality. Good canner.

Break of Day—74 days to maturity. Fruits are large, smooth, globular, flesh firm and good quality. Good canner.

John Baer—73 days to maturity. Excellent general purpose tomato, and very valuable as a canning sort.

Bonny Best—73 days to maturity. Very similar to John Baer. Fruits uniform, evenly colored and smooth.

Earliana—64 days to maturity. Most productive early tomato. Will not yield late in the fall in this section.

Victor—76 days to maturity. One of the newer varieties very highly recommended by M. S. C. as a canning and home use tomato.

Peppers. California Wonder—72 days to maturity. The thickness of flesh makes this a top favorite sweet variety with the average housewife. Excellent for salads.

Bullnose—75 days to maturity. Another excellent sweet variety, very prolific.

Whether you are forcing a flat of tomatoes or buying them as plants, you should try and get standard accepted varieties for this locality. It requires about 60 days to get tomatoes ready to transplant outside and about 80 days for peppers. Decoration Day is usually a safe time to plant although some gardeners plant much earlier and take a chance on the frost.

Next week—"Hot Beds and Cold Frames."

WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS By Edward C. Wayne

Jap Dreams of Easy Conquest Fade As U. S. Aid to Australia Grows; President's 'Victory Plan' Depends On Successful Offensive in Pacific

(EDITOR'S NOTE—When opinions are expressed in these columns, they are those of the news analyst and not necessarily of this newspaper.) (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

VICTORY: For Navy Forces

Almost coincident with the arrival of General MacArthur in Australia the first great word of an offensive against the Japanese had been received, and the U. S. had hailed a great naval victory in New Guinea. First reports had been of the sinking of 23 Japanese vessels, a dozen of them vessels of war, and though few details were announced, it was obvious that it had been a battle of the air rather than of the sea.

Important in the first dispatches had been the word that they were "Island based" forces of the United States and Australia, and this had been comforting in the extreme, for until this point America had not known that there were any island bases left to us in the Pacific theater with the exception of Hawaii.

It had been learned, of course, that the Japanese, after taking Wake Island, had later abandoned it, but few believed that our own navy had moved back in there.

Aside from speculation about where the base was, a fact the Japs would like dearly to know, the victory itself was important. In the battle of Java sea we had lost one heavy cruiser ourselves, and our allies had lost four.

In this battle the Japs had lost two heavy cruisers, one light cruiser and other ships of war of lesser importance. The rest of the ships sent to the bottom or put out of action were freighters, some of them being used as troop transports.

OFFENSIVE: Aussies' Viewpoint

Almost coincident with the arrival of General MacArthur, his chief of staff, Maj. Gen. Sutherland, and the rest of his party, official Australia began to talk and think in terms of an offensive against the Japs on a scale hitherto not dreamed of.

As to the Japanese themselves, after having previously reported, weeks ago, MacArthur's flight from the battlefield to Corregidor and other untrue stories about the commander, they were considerably taken aback by the news that the commander was in Australia.

They did just what President Roosevelt had predicted, and de-



PRIME MINISTER JOHN CURTIN
"American aid is doubly welcome."

clared that General MacArthur had "run away" from the Philippines, and then went on to say that "American resistance in Australia would be short-lived."

The resistance in Bataan had stood as a monument to Japanese falsehoods and false hopes of easy conquest, and some believed that MacArthur's assignment to Australia might give the Japanese pause in going through with the invasion. At any rate, Prime Minister Curtin had said:

"It is most gratifying that the American troops are now here in force. Their numbers are most substantial."

"We are the base from which to strike at the enemy."

"American aid is doubly welcome because Britain could not carry the burden of the Pacific while engaged in a life and death struggle with Germany and Italy."

"Our nation must demonstrate to history that it has the moral and physical stature to stand up and trade punches with the enemy not for six weeks or months but year after year if necessary, giving odds, but fighting the enemy to a standstill."

"If we fail ourselves, nothing will save us. We have to show ourselves worthy of aid."

His sentiments were echoed all over Australia, and in the halls of congress at Washington, senate and house leaders joined in Chairman Snyder of military affairs said, after the applause had died down:

"I hope from now on many of our 'swivel chair generals' will remember that on this day many things are under way which will be just as pleasing to them, when they find out about them, as is the change in General MacArthur's status."

MAC ARTHUR: And His Job

The sending of MacArthur from Bataan, where the man in the street had regarded him as a sort of "dead hero"—certainly a hero, but condemned, apparently to either death or a Japanese prison—to Australia, where he could start with a clean page in the defense of that continent had been greeted with wild enthusiasm from one side of the nation to the other.

Paeans of praise had resounded not only in the press but upon the streets, and the general view was that the whole move had been made cleverly because while General MacArthur had given his Bataan job into the hands of General Wainwright, he was still technically in command, as the Philippines were placed under his jurisdiction.

No less was the delight felt by the Australians, who had demanded MacArthur to lead them. The American public regarded it as significant that the move had been ordered in late February, but had not been carried out until mid-March, thus showing that MacArthur was not rushing after personal honors or safety, and that he would

not leave his command until he had been given time to arrange things to suit him. MacArthur was accompanied by his chief of staff, Maj. Gen. Richard K. Sutherland, and by Brig. Gen. Harold H. George of the air corps.

Considerable editorial praise had been heaped on Mrs. MacArthur when it was learned that she and her son had not chosen the comparative safety of Manila and internment, but had chosen to go to the battlefield with the general, and then to take the long and perilous plane journey to Australia with him.

As to the general's job in Australia, it was the toughest of the whole war. That was conceded on all sides. For he was taking on his shoulders the command in an area where all had been defeat thus far.

The Japs were figured to attempt the Australia blitz, despite the fact that they had learned that American troops "in force" were on the continent and that more were on the way.

The Australian occupation was so vital to the Japanese, however, that they were apparently ready to risk the showdown battle that would surely ensue.

There was little question but that Australia was poorly prepared, for Prime Minister John Curtin had been stressing that since the beginning. But with considerable American aid it was hoped that the defense could be carried out successfully.

Strategically, however, MacArthur's job was even bigger than defending Australia, for if President Roosevelt's victory plan were to be carried out, it was up to him not only to defend Australia successfully, but to be "in at the death" of the Japanese hopes in the Pacific, and to carry on from Australia as a hop-off spot, the successful offensive that would, at least as America hoped, knock the Nipponese out of the war.

MacArthur, on his arrival, had found more than just American troops on the ground, he had found an air force which was carrying out his own ideas on Bataan—striking often and fiercely at the enemy before he arrived on the scene.

There were few who believed MacArthur, even by a miracle of strategy, could prevent Japanese landings on Australia, even as he was unable to prevent them on the Philippines. But many hoped that he could and would find some method of striking such forces such terrific blows as to drive them into the sea and prevent their organization into any sort of a successful land army.



Gen. Douglas MacArthur Maj. Gen. Sutherland

PRODUCTION:

A demand by congress that WPB Director Nelson report formally on production had followed some apparent dissatisfaction with the national output which, in turn, had come to light after a vital resignation within Nelson's group.

Nelson himself had come out with a fighting statement, threatening coolly to "knock down" any individuals or groups that showed any tendency to interfere with the smoothness of national war production.

Navy Brain Truster



Head of the brain trust of the U. S. navy is Rear Admiral Frederick J. Horne. Right-hand man to Admiral Ernest J. King, commander-in-chief, Horne is in charge of the naval operations staff in the new navy set-up.

RUSSIANS: Clamp Down

The Russians, having carried out their continued offensive during the coldest of the winter, had clamped down on several important points, including Kharkov and Yanzha, and claimed that 200,000 German troops were trapped in the latter area.

The Germans also, the Reds had asserted, were steadily giving ground in the Kharkov region, dubbed the Pittsburgh of Russia.

There also had been considerable favorable military activity in the district of Smolensk, which for a time, rumor had it, had been Hitler's personal headquarters.

In the meantime the Russians had taken over the suburbs of Kharkov and had started what they described as the fiercest sort of house to house fighting.

In each of these encounters the Russians had been able to mass well-trained troops in superior numbers over the Germans, and in the Staraya Russia sector they had asserted that the Germans were refusing to yield, and were gradually being exterminated.

Even in the southwest, where Hitler was supposed to have ordered a counter-offensive, the Russian machine was still moving ahead, Moscow had reported.

SUICIDE: Confirmed

A roundabout method of confirming the suicide of General Homma in the Philippines by the harakiri method was discovered by Carlos Barry, a Chilean newspaper man stationed in Tokyo.

He sent a dispatch to the newspaper El Chileno in which he said the suicide of "General Masaharu Homma for failure to destroy the American and Filipino defense forces had been confirmed."

He did not say that Tokyo confirmed it, but added:

"The confirmation came through the fact that his successor General Tomoyuki Yamashita was announced officially."

This, under the rules of the Samurai, can have only one meaning. Homma would not have been permitted to live through this disgrace. He must, according to the code, retire to his room and retire himself with a sword.

LOTTERY: Number Three

Washington's selective service heads, aided and abetted by draft boards from coast to coast swung into the task of classifying and calling up 9,000,000 men, drawn in the third draft lottery.

The word had gone out that not all would be drawn for military service, but that many might be drafted into defense industry.

In the nine millions of men between the 20-44 age limits were many of the older men, more settled—heads of businesses and owners of property, and their reaction to the draft had been just as enthusiastic as had that of the younger men in the previous groups.

In this lottery, as in those previous, there had been some small errors, two numbers having turned up missing, 8,343 and 2,069, and one being duplicated, 2,885.

MISCELLANY:

Washington: In order to improve the war spirit of the people generally, President Roosevelt had said that he would like to see more military parades. "It is time to wave the flag," the President said.

Moscow: The Russian press dismissed with one paragraph the news that General MacArthur had been made supreme commander in Australia.

Montevideo: Street rioting followed the announcement that an Axis submarine had sunk a ship of Uruguayan registry.

Boulder City, Nev.: Forest rangers were searching for two "swardy men" who had fired on a soldier-scoutmaster and his troop of Boy Scouts, out for a hike.

San Francisco: All machinery was in progress for the moving of 90,000 Japanese from the Coast to interior points. Bargain hunters were having field days in Chinatown, as the Jap stores, having to move, were selling out at terrific reductions.

Yesterday's Gags, Today's Gadgets For April Foolery

All Fools' Day on April 1 still finds the younger generation having fun with the tricks their parents used 25 years ago. Still popular is the brick under the hat; also, the empty purse tied to a string which is hidden in the crack of a sidewalk. Here are a few more gags, new and old:



This gadget looks for all the world like an upset bottle of ink on friend wife's best Oriental rug. It's an ink bottle, true enough, but the ink is all in one place—a shallow, shiny black object that won't hurt anything.



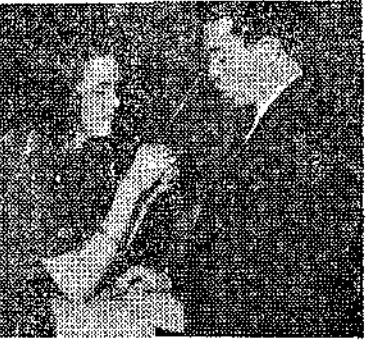
They'll never wear out this trick—and it hurts just as much this year as last.



It's not the least bit polite to point out a run in the young lady's stocking, but it makes a good April Fool gag.



This fellow was just about to enjoy some jam on his breakfast toast, but look what came out of the jam bottle!



This suffering young lady invited her boy friend to examine the neat bandage on her wounded finger. It was a neat bandage, sure enough! From a tiny syringe concealed in her hand she squirrels water into his "eye."

Blue Racer, Blacksnake Same

Blue racer is another name for the blacksnake, a common colubrine snake prevalent over eastern North America from Canada to Florida. Specimens from the West and Southwest represent a distinct color variety, exhibiting a more or less bright olive green with the whole under surface greenish white to bright yellow. This accounts for the names blue racer, yellow bellied and green racers.

Oat Blast

It has been shown experimentally, say T. Johnson and A. M. Brown, in Scientific Agriculture, that the amount of oat blast is readily influenced by the nutritional conditions of the oat plant from the time the spikelets are initiated until just prior to the emergence of the panicle. Any adverse influence on the normal nutritional conditions of the plant during this period tends to increase the amount of blast. At this stage of growth, the amount of blast has been experimentally increased by (1) reducing the water supply; (2) withholding mineral nutrients; (3) artificially injuring the leaves; (4) leaf injury caused by rust; and (5) growing oat plants under progressively diminishing day-length.

Protecting Milk

Dairy products are easily contaminated. To protect the family's health, milk should be kept constantly covered in spotless containers and at a maintained temperature of no more than 50 degrees. If contained in paper cartons, wipe the smut with a clean cloth before each pouring. If stored in bottles, wash the outside of the bottle, being especially careful to cleanse the mouth and cap.

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Annual Township Election.
To the Qualified Electors of the Township of Elkhart, County of Tuscola, State of Michigan.

Notice is hereby given, that the Annual Township Election will be held at the Town Hall, within said township, on Monday, April 6, 1942.

for the purpose of voting for the election of the following officers, viz:

Township—A Supervisor; a Township Clerk; a Township Treasurer; a Justice of the Peace, full term; a Commissioner of Highways; four Constables; a member of Board of Review, full term.

Relative to Opening and Closing of the Polls.

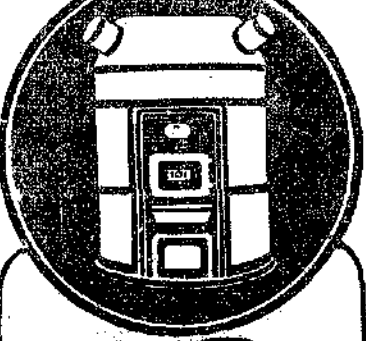
Section 1. On the day of any election the polls shall be opened at seven o'clock in the forenoon, and shall be continued open until six o'clock in the afternoon and no longer. Provided, That in townships the board of inspectors of election may, in its discretion, adjourn the polls at twelve o'clock noon, for one hour, and that the township board in townships and the legislative body in cities and villages may, by resolution, provide that the polls shall be opened at six o'clock in the forenoon and may also provide that the polls shall be kept open not later than eight o'clock in the evening of the same day. Every qualified elector present and in line at the polls at the hour prescribed for the closing thereof shall be allowed to vote.

Section 2. Unless otherwise specified, the hours for the opening and closing of the polls and for the conducting of elections, shall be governed by EASTERN Standard War Time.

The polls of said election will be open at seven o'clock a. m. and will remain open until six o'clock p. m. of said day of election.

Dated March 13, 1942.

C. E. PATTERSON, Township Clerk.



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Grease on marble can be removed by spreading over the spots a paste made of fuller's earth and water, letting it stand for a few days and then removing it and washing off the polish.

Thyme, Garden Herb

Thyme is a garden herb used in stews, soups and stuffings for poultry. Often used with other herbs. Good in clam and fish chowders.

Time Differences

Time on the stars differs radically from time on the earth. In the one minute now passing, 3 1/2 minutes are going by on certain stars.

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Like everyone else we are "MAKING THINGS DO" to conserve materials for the war effort!

HOG BRISTLES for paint brushes (largely imported from China) . . . tungsten (most of our supply comes over the Burma Road) . . . rope (Manila hemp) and burlap: These are just a few of the hard-to-get items that are now on the restricted list of materials needed for the war effort. Few people realize how long that list now is. It includes—in addition to such well-known things as rubber and copper and aluminum—many steel alloys (containing manganese, chromium, molybdenum, nickel, cobalt), chlorine, tin, antimony, magnesium, cadmium, mercury, zinc. There are dozens of other critical materials.

Here in the Edison Company, we are pursuing a policy of "making things do" . . . and of using substitutes wherever possible. We formerly built our farm lines of aluminum. When the shortage in aluminum developed over a year ago, we switched to copper. Now that copper is scarce, line extensions can be made only on government priority orders. So it goes all along the list.

We are using malleable iron castings instead of bronze, steel rods instead of brass on circuit breaker repair work. In our meter boxes, the "sleeving" on test leads is made of varnished cambric instead of rubber. Even in major plant additions, we are making numerous design changes necessitated by shortage of critical materials. These are a few of the ways we are cooperating with the nation's war effort.

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Famous Violin Makers
Famous violin makers in the Sixteenth and Seventeenth centuries were the Amati family of Cremona, Italy.

Cane Sugar
Approximately 4,000,000 tons of cane sugar are processed in the U. S. annually.

Alaskan Potentialities
It has been estimated that about 65,000 square miles of Alaskan territory could be developed for farming.

Office Work Increases
Only 2,100 of every 1,000,000 people worked in offices in 1870, before the invention of the typewriter; the proportion today is 33,000 per 1,000,000.

ELKLAND.

The Bethel W. S. C. S. met on Thursday with Mrs. Jennie Martin for potluck dinner and quilting.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Helwig and Mrs. John Crawford made a business trip to Pontiac recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Muntz entertained Saturday and Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Allan Crawford and family of Detroit. Mrs. Hugh Crawford and Miss Vera Crawford of Brookfield.

Mrs. Stanley Muntz and Mrs. Homer Muntz, leaders of the Bethel group, attended the extension class in Caro Tuesday. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Arthur Loomis on April 1. This will be an all-day session.

Friends of Eward Rawson are very sorry to learn that he is in very poor health. He has many friends in this community who join in wishing him a speedy recovery.

Our community was saddened Wednesday, March 18, by the sudden passing of Frank McCauley. Although Mr. McCauley had been ill for some time, his family and friends felt that he was on the way to recovery. He was unexcelled as a neighbor and friend among those who knew him best, and will be deeply missed by his associates. Mrs. McCauley has the sympathy of the entire community.

Gauges Wind Speed
An anemometer is used for measuring the speed of the wind.

Moisture Peril to Fifth of Beans

Nearly one-fifth of Michigan's record 1941 bean crop remains in farm storage and holds such a high moisture content that warm weather will bring a high rate of spoilage.

That is the four million dollar warning issued by H. C. Rathner, head of the farm crops' department at Michigan State College. He estimates a million bags of beans remain on farms and that many of them still contain from 19 to 28 per cent moisture.

Wet weather last fall prevailed during the harvest of white navy beans. High humidity was common through the recent winter months. Beans carrying more than 18 per cent moisture will not keep with the beginning of warm weather in late April or early May.

Growers are advised to get the beans out of farm storage and have the beans dried at elevators equipped with drying machinery. Prices dropped recently when canning companies were told that tin would not be released for canning beans. Growers have been reluctant to haul beans to elevators.

"Drying facilities in the state are insufficient to handle all the wet beans before the danger period arrives for spoilage in warm weather. Yet at present the driers are not being used to capacity," says Rathner. Elevators are equipped to run moisture tests on samples drawn by farmers from the centers of their bins or the center of bags.

"There seems to be little reason for holding back the 1941 crop. The present price to the grower of \$4.10 a hundred pounds for choice hand picked pea beans is essentially down to the government-supported price."

Remote chances for price increases appear to depend upon making tin available for canning, finding some other material for can containers or the chance for a poor crop in 1942. Farmers willing to wait on the chance of a price increase are encouraged to have their stored beans dried and then pay storage, rather than run the risk of losing all wet beans by spoilage.

Farm Auction Sale

Having rented my farm, I will sell my personal property listed below at the premises, 2 miles north and 1/2 mile east of Decker, or 3 miles south and 1/2 mile east of Shabbona, on

Tuesday, March 31

commencing at 1:00 o'clock sharp

LIVESTOCK

Bay gelding, 15 years old
Brown mare, 12 years old
Strawberry Durham cow, 5 years old, bred January 17
Holstein cow, 5 years old, bred January 14
Red Durham cow, 7 years old, bred Feb. 21
Light Holstein cow, 9 years old, fresh
Black cow, aged, due April 15
Durham heifer, 2 years old, calf by side
Red spotted heifer, 1 year old
Red heifer calf, 5 months old

FARM MACHINERY

Deering grain binder
Ontario grain drill
Deering corn binder
Two-horse cultivator
Land roller
Spring tooth harrows
Spike tooth harrows
Parker walking plow
Deering hay loader

Work harness

Bean puller

Dump rake
Steel wheel wagon and rack
Corn sheller
Set of bob sleighs
Anker-Holth cream separator
500-chick size Hudson oil brooder stove

FEED AND SEED

Quantity of hay
Quantity of June clover seed
Red kidney beans
Quantity of potatoes

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

Clothes wringer
Large butter bowl
Feather mattress
Three dining room chairs
Ironing board
Iron bedstead
Wood bedstead
Two tires, U. S. Royal, 17-inch
Numerous articles

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 7 months' time on good, approved endorsed notes at 7% interest.

Edward Raduchel, Prop.

William Turnbull, Auctioneer

Pinney State Bank, Clerk

AUCTION SALE

Wednesday, April 1

I will offer for sale at my farm, 2 1/2 miles south of the swimming pool, Bad Axe, and one mile east, all the livestock, including

20 Purebred Holstein Cows

and all machinery and equipment to operate a 640-acre farm. No cattle registered.

SALE STARTS AT 10:00 A. M. SHARP

JOHN OSBORN

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Fill Out the Following Blank and Send It to The Chronicle

Auction Sale

Having

(Here state the reason for having the sale—whether you have sold or rented your farm or decided to quit farming, etc.)

I will sell at public auction at the farm

(Here give the exact location of place where the sale will be held)

On

(Give the Day of the Week and Date of Month)

Commencing at.....o'clock, the following described property

HORSES

FARM IMPLEMENTS

CATTLE

FEED

HOUSEHOLD GOODS

SWINE AND SHEEP

POULTRY

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....., Owner

....., Auctioneer

....., Clerk



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Farm Auction Sale

Having decided to quit farming, I will sell the following personal property by auction at the farm, 9 miles west and 1/2 mile north of Cass City, or 1/2 mile south of Colwood, on

Tuesday, March 31

commencing at one o'clock

CATTLE

Registered Jersey cow, 5 yrs. old, not bred
Registered Jersey cow, 4 yrs. old, not bred
Registered Jersey cow, 4 years old, due October 25
Registered Jersey cow, 4 years old, due June 7
Registered Jersey cow, 2 years old, due June 22
Registered Jersey heifer, 1 year old, pasture bred
Registered heifer, 1 year old, open
Registered Jersey heifer, 8 months old
Registered Jersey heifer, 6 months old
Registered Jersey heifer, 5 months old
Registered Jersey heifer, 3 months old
Registered Jersey bull, 8 months old

IMPLEMENTS

Deering grain binder, 6-foot cut
McCormick corn binder
McCormick mower, 6-foot cut
McCormick-Deering grain drill, 11-7
P. & O. beet and bean cultivator, two-row
Buckeye corn cultivator
Land roller
Cultipacker, 8-foot
Miller bean puller
Oliver 17-tooth spring drag
Spike tooth drag
Oliver riding plow
Two walking cultivators
Farm wagon and rack
Oliver 99 walking plow
Bay City beet lifter
Set of heavy work harness
One-half set of work harness
Garden drill
Portable hog house
Anker-Holth cream separator
Three ten-gallon milk cans
Other small articles too numerous to mention

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 8 months' time given on approved bankable notes with interest at 7% per annum

JAS. and HATTIE CROSS, Props.

Worthy Tait, Auctioneer

State Savings Bank of Caro, Clerk

Wage Rates for Early Season Sugar Beet Work

Minimum rates to be paid laborers for the early season work on the 1942 sugar beet crop by producers who apply for conditional payments under the AAA Sugar Act of 1937 have been established, according to John M. Reagh, chairman of the Tuscola County Agricultural Conservation Association.

The rates average approximately 22 per cent above the 1941 rates, chiefly because of higher sugar prices, higher Government payments, increases in general agricultural wages, and because of the rise in the cost of living.

Harvesting rates will be announced soon.

Specific rates are as follows:

1. Blocking and thinning, and hoeing—\$13.50 per acre or 45 cents per hour for blocking and thinning and 40 cents per hour for hoeing.
2. If the above operations are performed by different persons on a piece rate basis, the rate for each operation shall be:

(a). Blocking and thinning—\$9.75 per acre.

(b). First hoeing—\$2.50 per acre.

(c). Second or subsequent hoeing—\$1.25 per acre.

3. \$13.50 is the minimum to be paid to laborers for blocking, thinning and hoeing, regardless of whether one or two hoeings are necessary. If more than two hoeings should be required by a producer, a minimum of \$1.25 per acre must be paid for each extra hoeing.

4. If the use of special machine methods of planting, cultivation, or harvesting reduce the amount of labor required as compared with the common method in use, the minimum wage rate is to be that agreed upon between the producer and the laborer, provided such rate is approved by the State AAA Committee as being equivalent to the piece rate specified for such work.

5. As in past years, the producer is required to furnish to the laborer, without charge, the accessories customarily supplied by him, such as house, garden plots, and similar incidentals.

Reports indicate that, as a result of unusual effort on the part of interested beet sugar companies, employment agencies of growers, and employment services of the Federal Government, the supply of labor will be adequate to handle a larger crop than was produced last year.

The minimum 1942 wage rates listed above were agreed upon at a public hearing held in Detroit during January.

30 PASS TESTS, 28 MEN REJECTED FROM TUSCOLA COUNTY

Continued from page one.
Earl George Faegan, Caro (volunteer).

Rejected.
Lloyd Hickie, Deford.
James Summerfield, Vassar.
Elmer Lewis, Millington.
Emerson Luther, Unionville.
Robert Hickie, Deford.
Ray Menderson, Unionville.
Norman Mitchell, Fairgrove.
John Duhogieski, Deford.
Frank Reid, Millington.
Gordon Sweet, Vassar.
George P. Bower, Clifford.
Clare Crawford, Deford.
Kenneth Abke, Caro.
Claude Wright, Caro.
Joe Mozak, Caro.
Harvey Freeman, Caro.
Francis Gleason, Millington.
George Martin, Deford.
Wellman Nichols, Vassar.
Clarence Middleton, Fostoria.
Joe Wagner, Reese.
Fred Schultz, Akron.
Ivan Berry, Millington.
Frank Martin, Fairgrove.
Arno Reif, Vassar.
Frank Fox, Mayville.
Harold Emery, Caro.
George Evans, Caro.

Transfers.
Lloyd Richardson of Reese was transferred to Wayne County, Jolly Allbes of Vassar to Gratiot County, Ed Karpowski of Deford to Phoenix, Arizona, and James Blaker of Millington to Eaton County.

Maurice Hickey of Caro was appointed leader of the group who went to Detroit March 19, by the draft board. Ernest Smithson of Cass City and Joe Vandemark of Fairgrove were named assistant leaders.

What North America Includes
North America includes the United States and her outlying possessions; the British possessions including Canada, Newfoundland, British Honduras, and West Indian islands; Greenland, Danish; Mexico, Costa Rica, Guatemala, Honduras, Nicaragua, Salvador, Panama, Cuba, Haiti, and the Dominican Republic.



BEATING HIM TO IT

Two school boys were discussing athletics.

"How high can you jump?" asked one.

"Just over four feet," explained the other. "What can you do?"

"Five feet," his friend replied.

"How about the long jump?"

"Just about ten feet," said the first. "What can you do?"

"Eleven, easily," was the reply.

"What's your time for the half-mile?"

By now the other was a little suspicious.

"Five seconds better than yours," he said.

Just Waiting

The cavalry recruit was instructed to bridle and saddle a horse. Ten minutes later the sergeant-major came along for his mount and found the recruit holding the bit close to the horse's head.

"What are you waiting for?" he roared.

"Until he yawns," answered the recruit.

Identified

"Do you know Mrs. Smith's house?" said the stranger to the butcher's boy.

"Let me see," said the lad.

"Tain't pork and fat—that's No. 3—and it ain't two pounds of steak and juicy—that's No. 7; I know—it's topside and tender, and don't pay, No. 6, that's it, ma'am."

RIGHT!

"Jimmy, what can you say of the Diet of Worms?"

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Rayon Fabric Patterns Show New Emphasis on Originality

By CHERIE NICHOLAS



NO LONGER are fine fabrics the exclusive property of the few people who can disregard cost. There's luxury for everybody these days, because of the advancement of rayon as a textile fiber during the last few years. Rayon has made possible the reproduction of all the magnificence of tradition quality cloths at prices well within the reach of modest budgets.

To the evening wear field, where luxury has always been the keynote, are contributed gorgeous fabrics worked with all the lavishness and richness the feminine heart could ask. Exquisite, for evening, is crisp rayon taffeta in enchanting colors and new effects. Such novel taffeta finishes as gleaming satin stripes, metal stripes and striking plaid effects with metal stripes and unusual color designs are seen in stunning bouffant gowns like the model pictured in the foreground of our illustration.

Beautifully adapted to the fluid molded lines of the current evening gown, sleek rayon jersey brings its lovely draping quality to

sophisticated dinner and evening inspirations. Jewel-toned rayon jersey falls in sleek gleaming folds for the skirt and wide bishop sleeves of the glamorous dinner gown centered in this group.

The vogue for street-length informal dinner gowns has inspired the long-torso style which combines a rich black rayon crepe skirt with a smartly contrasting shaded rayon and metal striped bodice, as shown to the right. The long sleeves and low V-neck of the bodice are excellent fashion points, as is the graceful all-round pleated skirt.

Indispensable in the dinner and evening wardrobe are the rayon crepe frocks. Lovely versatile types, such as matelasse patterns, tree-bark effects and mossy finishes give pleasing variety. The exquisite grace of line expressed in the slender tiered frock to the left in the group interprets the beautiful draping qualities of mossy rayon crepe. In this instance the crepe is in a dusty rose, with the refined brilliance of cut steel at the draped neckline. (Released by Western Newspaper Union.)

LETTERS

Romney Horner Writes.

"We moved out to Burbank, California," writes Pvt. Romney Horner to his folks here. "I'm here in my tent now writing by candlelight. We haven't electricity here so have had to go back to candles. Not such a good light, but far from bad. Can easily get by with them. We really have a nice set-up here otherwise. We have wooden floors in our tents and have our stoves so are real comfortable that way."

"Mom, that box of eats has really been nice. I received it one day last week and we surely have enjoyed it. With Ted's, Charlotte's and your boxes recently we've really been living high. Burns, our sergeant, in our tent, has received a box or two from home lately too, so we're doing O. K. "I haven't much to talk about here tonight. Bill McCallum was in here for a couple of hours since we closed station tonight and he, Mike and I just sat and talked."

A. A. A. Payments.

A pledge card, saying that signers will not accept AAA payments, and that they will produce the utmost of essential foods for the duration of the war, with a space for 50 names, has been put in the Gagetown Elevator.

In case anyone wishes to sign his name as a patriotic farmer, he will be helping himself and helping our boys in the army to win the war.

Believing that the taxpayers of the nation are about to shoulder the greatest tax burdens in our history and also that economy should be practiced in our government, those who are willing to sign the pledge card will be consistent and will be contributing in every possible manner to the cause of victory.

Gentlemen, abandon the soil conservation system for the duration of the war, and save that money for our armed forces.

Listen public, hold your breath and don't laugh. In 1940, I was refused permission to raise sugar beets. Now, in 1942, there is no sugar. Such systems lead to starvation. Away with it!

JOE JANKECH,
Elmwood Twp. Farmer,
Tuscola County, Michigan.

LADIES' BOWLING LEAGUE.

Team	Standings.	W	L
Larkin	23	13	10
Benkelman	21	15	16
Stafford	19	17	17
Schwaderer	18	18	18
McCullough	14	22	22
Bigelow	13	23	23

Team, high three games, Stafford, 1,526; team, high single game, Stafford, 545; individual, high three games, Schwaderer, 486; individual, high single game, Schwaderer, 174.

Teams' Total Pins.	
Benkelman	18,054
Larkin	17,994
Schwaderer	17,507
Stafford	17,238
McCullough	17,101
Bigelow	17,023

Ten High Individual Averages.	
1 Schwaderer	150
2 Stafford	137
3 Benkelman	136
4 Larkin	136
5 Bigelow	135
6 Foy	133
7 McCullough	131
8 Wallace	129
9 Schenck	126
10 Farsch	124

MARRIAGES IN TUSCOLA.

Charles A. Walker, 35, Detroit; Marie C. Lucas, 34, Caro; married at East Lansing March 14 by Rev. N. A. McCune.

John Jacques, 20, Caro; Bernadine Mae Daniels, 17, Caro; married at Caro on March 14 by Justice E. J. Kremer.

Floyd L. Crittenden, 24, Caro; Stella May Biszic, 22, Caro; married at Caro by Rev. O. Neuchterlein on March 14.

Maurice W. William, 34, Vassar; Leora McMinn, 33, Mayville; married at Mayville on March 14 by Rev. J. B. McMinn.

Carl J. Koshaba, 32, Millington; Rosalie L. Parker, 22, Flint; married March 14 by Rev. Elisha E. Adams at Flint.

Theron Howard Bush, 32, Unionville; Lucile Anthes, 29, Cass City; married at Cass City by Rev. Stanley P. Kim on March 18.

Theodore Stilson, Jr., 18, Flint; Edith Arnold, 17, Millington; married by Rev. Charles W. Harvey on March 20 at Millington.

John Fred Richter, 26, Kingston; Naomi Neal, 19, Kingston; married on March 22 by Rev. Alfred J. Clough at Kingston.

NECROLOGY

Infant Thane.

Wesley Norman, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Melzer Thane, who live near Bach, died Saturday, March 21, in Samaritan Hospital, Bay City, where he was born four days earlier. The remains were brought to the Douglas Funeral Home here. Burial services were in Elkland Cemetery Monday morning. He is survived by his parents and two sisters.

Mrs. Thane was the former Miss Vera Rohrbach.

Francis J. McCauley.

Francis J. McCauley, 55, lifelong resident of this vicinity, passed away Thursday, March 19, in his farm home after an illness of 15 months.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Saturday in the Earl W. Douglas Funeral Home here. The Rev. E. Morrison, former pastor of the Gagetown M. P. Church, officiated. Burial was in Elkland Cemetery.

Francis J. McCauley was born in Elkland Township, Tuscola County, December 22, 1886, and when a boy of eight moved with his parents to Huron County.

On December 22, 1910, he was united in marriage with Miss Catherine Thompson of Grant.

Besides his widow, he is survived by two sisters, Mrs. Stewart S. Patterson, of Flint and Mrs. Robert T. Knight, of Marlette. A sister, Mrs. J. Delbert Schenck, of Royal Oak died March 8 of this year.

Those from a distance attending the funeral were Mrs. R. T. Knight and Mr. and Mrs. K. Knight of Marlette; Mrs. Stewart Patterson and son and Mr. and Mrs. John Gilchrist of Flint; J. Delbert Schenck, Mr. and Mrs. W. Lee and Mrs. George Spears of Royal Oak; Mrs. Lillian Edgerton and Ervin Mosher of Avoca; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edgerton of Bad Axe; Mr. and Mrs. Manley McCarter and family and Mrs. William Ackerman of Pontiac; Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Mauder and daughter of Port Huron.

William S. Smith.

Funeral services were held at 2:00 p. m. Tuesday in the Colwood United Brethren Church for William S. Smith, who passed away Friday, March 20, in his home, nine and a half miles west and one-quarter mile north of Cass City. Rev. L. H. Cook of North Star, Michigan, officiated. Burial was in Almer Cemetery.

William Smith was born in Elmwood Township December 21, 1882, and has always been a resident of Tuscola County. He has been in failing health for about a year.

On January 9, 1907, Mr. Smith was married to Miss Susanna Detweiler.

He is survived by his widow and thirteen children—Roy and Mabel of Reese; Alvin, Elden, John, Mary, Rosella, Ruth, William, Pearl, Fred, Richard and Donald, living at and near home. He also leaves his mother, Mrs. Mary A. Smith, 86, of Colwood; two sisters, Mrs. K. Kirkpatrick, of Caro and Mrs. K. M. Miller, of Colwood; and a brother, Thomas Smith, also of Colwood, and 11 grandchildren.

Mr. Smith is a cousin of Ivan Vader and Mrs. Milton Huffman of Cass City.



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Market Report for Tuesday, March 24, 1942—

Best veal	16.50-17.20
Fair to good	15.00-16.00
Common kind	14.00-15.00
Lights	13.50 down
Fair butcher	
cattle	9.30-9.90
Butcher bulls	8.75
Stock bulls	47.50
Best butcher	
cows	8.40-8.70
Common kind	7.25-8.25
Canners	6.00-7.00
Feeder cattle	24.00-47.00
Hogs—	
200 to 220 lbs.	13.35
180 to 200 lbs.	13.30
220 to 240 lbs.	13.20
Roughs	12.50
Lams	11.25

Sale every Tuesday at 2:00 p. m.

Herb Haist, Auctioneer

PLEASANT HOME HOSPITAL.

Miss Evelyn Whittaker is on the sick list.

Mrs. Margaret Kirkpatrick, R. N., has resumed her duties after a week's illness.

Patients admitted and still in the hospital are Mrs. Catherine Biebel, Detroit; Mrs. John Fournier, Gagetown; Jeannette Parker, Unionville; George Robinson, Tyre; Charles Srod, Cass City.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Archie McAlpine, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Patterson, Snoover, a son; to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Severance, Decker, a son.

Patients home during the week include Mrs. Allen Hiser and Mrs. Clinton Law and son, Cass City; Mrs. L. Sherwood, Deford; Mrs. Benson Collins, Caro; Mrs. Harry

Sanford and Mrs. Bernice Wolfe, Spover; Darleen King, Kingston.

Quicksand Not Quick

Contrary to popular belief, quicksand does not suck you down. If you keep still and allow yourself to sink feet first, with your arms outstretched, you will come to rest about chest deep and be buoyed up as you would in water.

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