

Ration Books to Be Distributed Here October 25, 26, 27

Present Plans Are to Serve People in Nine School Districts Here.

Teachers of the Cass City school will have charge of the distribution of Ration Book No. 4 on Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, Oct. 25, 26, and 27. Applicants for the new ration books are asked to come to the school auditorium on one of these three dates from four to six o'clock in the afternoon and from seven to nine o'clock in the evening.

In order to receive new ration books for a family, one adult member of that family will be expected to (1) apply at the school, (2) fill out a simplified application form similar to that used for Book No. 3, and (3) present the application for the entire family to the teacher in charge along with Book No. 3 for each member of the family. The teacher will write the name and address of the intended book holder on the front of Book No. 4 and make a notation on Book No. 3 showing that No. 4 has been issued.

A single application must be filed for all members of a group of persons who are related by blood, marriage, or adoption, and who regularly live in the same household. Family members temporarily away from home, such as students, travelers, or hospital patients, who are away not more than 60 days, should be included. Persons living in the same household who are not related by blood, marriage or adoption must file separate applications.

OPA has worked out a plan to make War Ration Book No. 4 last a minimum of 96 weeks. Up to the present time, it has been necessary to issue new ration books about every four or five months. OPA officials state that, according to present plans, it should be unnecessary to have any renewal program on ration books for two years, with the exception of gasoline and fuel oil.

Although he had received no official word on the matter by Wednesday, Superintendent of Schools Willis Campbell expects that people living in the following school districts will apply for their new ration books at the Cass City school: Elkland No. 5, Bird, Quick, McConnell, Paul, Winton, McHugh, Heron and Dickout. Courtesy Scouts will be on hand to direct applicants and give information. Local school officials ask persons coming to the school for their ration books to use the south drive for parking cars and to enter the building by the south door.

Nice Crop of Beans on Novesta Farm

Having had very favorable weather during the past month, Rinerd and Fred Knoblet harvested their 1943 crop of 1275 bushels of beans from approximately 60 acres in almost perfect condition. After saving out 40 bushels for seed, the remainder was sold at a local elevator for \$4,317.70. Most of them picked only one pound and were of the Michaelite variety. These beans are all threshed from the windrow with their little McCormick combine with pickup attachment.

Gavel Club Is Winner of First Match

Members of the Gavel Club's three bowling teams were the winners of the first series of games played with Rotary Club bowlers Friday night. The Gavel Club won five of the nine contests.

Other series by the two clubs are planned for dates to be set for this autumn season.

WANTED—OIL LEASES

In Northeastern Michigan by one of Michigan's most active oil drilling companies now participating in drilling operations on several Wildcat tests.

We pay good lease rentals but are primarily interested in deep drilling operations for new crude oil production.

Please give complete legal description of your farm, acreage, section number, town and range information.

Send this advertisement together with your resident address to Oil Drilling Company, Box CAO, c/o Chronicle, Cass City, Michigan.—Advertisement-tf.

Look over the want ads—page 5.

Miss Betty Mark Marries Corporal

The Methodist parsonage in Watertown, New York, was the scene of a wedding Thursday evening, Oct. 7, at eight o'clock when Miss Betty R. Mark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Mark, became the bride of Cpl. Donald McLeod of Pine Camp, Watertown, New York, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McLeod of Sandusky. Rev. Albert Abbott, pastor of the church, officiated. Mrs. Albert Abbott and a soldier friend of the groom were the attendants.

The bride chose for her wedding a suit of navy blue with which she wore a hat of soldier blue and a gardenia corsage.

The groom was on leave from Thursday until Sunday, Oct. 10. Mrs. McLeod is on leave from her position in the office of the Frutchey Bean Co. here and left Tuesday, Oct. 5, for Watertown. She expects to return here the last of the month.

Alex Henry, Twp. Treas., Died Here Saturday Evening

Retired Merchant Suffered Stroke in Shop of Ideal Plumbing Co.

Alex Henry, 68, well known Elkland Township treasurer and retired merchant, passed away in Pleasant Home Hospital Saturday evening. He suffered a stroke two hours before in the Ideal Plumbing & Heating Co.'s shop and was found there unconscious by Leonard Urquhart, the manager. Mr. Henry was employed in the office of that company.

Mr. Henry, son of the late Wm. and Margaret Henry, was born Sept. 27, 1875, in Ontario. He has been a resident in Cass City 28 years. He was married to Miss Bertina Dav's March 13, 1908.

He was a member of the local Methodist Church, a past master of Tyler Lodge, F. & A. M., and for the past 14 years secretary of that society.

Mr. Henry is survived by his widow; a son, Sgt. Delbert Henry, of Camp Gordon, Ga.; a daughter, Mrs. Frances DuFord, and a granddaughter, Carole Jane DuFord, of Detroit; a sister, Mrs. John Scott of Russelldale, Ont.; and a brother, Wm. Henry, of Clinton, Ont.

The remains were in the Douglas Funeral Home until noon Wednesday when the body was taken to the Methodist Church where it lay in state until the hour of the funeral service at 2:00 p. m. Rev. Dudley Moore officiated and burial services were under the auspices of Tyler Lodge, F. & A. M., and conducted by Mr. Lambie of Midland, lecturer of the Grand Lodge of Michigan. Interment was in Elkland cemetery.

Business houses were closed during the funeral hour.

Army Cavalcade to Collect Scrap in Tuscola Nov. 9

The Army will participate in the Michigan fall scrap drive with a cavalcade which is scheduled to visit 23 counties to aid the volunteer salvage committees.

Starting October 19, a cavalcade of 26 vehicles, including 20 trucks and 72 soldiers, will tour southern Michigan counties. A day will be spent in each county, with the army trucks acting as a nucleus for a fleet of volunteer trucks in gathering scrap. An effort is being made by county salvage committees to close all stores, schools and places of business on the collection date, and in a holiday spirit citizens will go into the surrounding farm country and clean out all available scrap.

Army officials, recognizing the seriousness of the scrap situation, have been working with war production board salvage division officials and the state salvage committee of the Michigan OGD in developing details. Meetings have been held in every county of the state with salvage committees to acquaint them with the fall drive. Plans are being laid to pick up scrap from farms and carry it to processing yards or to place it in Victory Scrap Bank piles—insurance piles which will be evidence of a community's participation in creating a scrap reserve to make certain no steel mills will close down this winter.

The cavalcade will visit Tuscola County on Tuesday, Nov. 9.

Read the want ads—page 5.

Airplane Warning Post to Operate Here Wednesdays

Church Groups to Be on Duty During the Afternoons from 1:00 to 5:00.

Mrs. C. M. Wallace, chief observer of the Cass City aircraft warning group, has received official notice from Colonel Norman N. Nelsen at Fort Brady, Michigan, that all primary observation posts of the aircraft warning drive will discontinue 24-hour operation and change to an alert status. In order to maintain a trained organization, the Cass City post resumed active operation from 1:00 to 5:00 p. m., Central War Time, on Wednesday, Oct. 13, and will continue each Wednesday thereafter. All aircraft sighted will be reported with the usual "Army Flash" message.

"This change does not constitute any lessening of the importance or responsibilities of the ground observation corps," said Col. Nelsen. "The army will continue to depend upon the services of the observation corps during any period of alert."

Mrs. Wallace has arranged for local church groups to continue as observers. They will be in charge of the observation post here each Wednesday from 1:00 p. m. to 5:00 p. m. The schedule for the next six weeks follows:

Evangelical, October 13.
Presbyterian, October 20.
Methodist, October 27.
Catholic, November 3.
Baptist, November 10.
Nazarene, November 17.

Manure Spreader Accident Claims Life of Lad of 4

Rudolph Capatosta Died in Hospital Five Days After Injuries in Novesta

An accident at a Novesta Township farm on Thursday, Oct. 7, resulted in the death on Tuesday of four-year-old Rudolph Capatosta, who resided at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Donnelly, four miles south of Cass City. He had suffered serious head injuries and severe lacerations about his right arm when he was drawn up into a manure spreader.

According to Alfred Elley, driver of the spreader, he was unaware that the boy had followed him into the field and was hanging onto the rear of the machine. When he threw the spreader into gear, the boy was drawn up into the moving machinery. He was rushed to Pleasant Home Hospital by a neighbor, Wm. O'Dell.

The body was taken to Detroit for funeral services and burial.

Another accident last Thursday brought Ila Mae Mann, 12, to the same hospital for treatment. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mann, who live on a farm near Snover. Ila Mae suffered head lacerations and a fractured skull when she fell from a wagon to the gravel road near her home. She was in a critical condition for several days and regained consciousness on Tuesday.

The girl was riding on a wagon which was driven by her brother, Dale, 18, and another brother when the accident happened.

Auction Sales

Having sold his farm, 4 1/2 miles south of Cass City, Chas. Tedford will sell cattle, feed, and household goods at auction on Tuesday, Oct. 19. Arnold Copeland is the auctioneer and the Cass City State Bank, clerk.

On Wednesday, Oct. 20, Mrs. Vern Nichols will sell household goods at auction 2 miles north and 1 mile east of Shabbons, with Arnold Copeland as auctioneer and the Pinney State Bank, clerk.

Miles Gerou, having sold his farm 7 miles west of Cass City, will sell cattle, horses, pigs, implements and feed at auction on Saturday, Oct. 23. W. H. Turnbull is the auctioneer and the Pinney State Bank, clerk.

Full particulars regarding these three sales are printed on page 7. Mr. and Mrs. Chris Oswald will have a farm sale tomorrow (Saturday) 4 miles south, 1 mile east and 1/2 mile south of Cass City. Their auction ad appeared in the Chronicle last week.

Delinquent Taxes Collected in Tuscola

Delinquent taxes were collected in the third quarter ending Sept. 30, by County Treasurer Arthur Willis as follows:

Townships.
Akron, \$240.45; Almer, \$59.98; Arbel, \$128.00; Columbia, \$158.32; Dayton, \$84.13; Denmark, \$81.10; Elkland, \$147.74; Ellington, \$276.46; Elmwood, \$353.00; Fairgrove, \$235.88; Fremont, \$299.79; Gilford, \$83.25; Indianfields, \$1132.75; Juniata, \$168.24; Kingston, \$39.13; Koylton, \$193.32; Millington, \$248.82; Novesta, \$24.86; Tuscola, \$101.01; Vassar, \$211.50; Watertown, \$355.28; Wells, \$194.08; Wisner, \$22.47.

Villages.
Akron, 60 cents; Caro, \$640.29; Cass City, \$62.77; Fairgrove, \$21.30; Mayville, \$27.37; Millington, \$54.58; Reese, \$37.47; Unionville, \$9.76; Vassar, \$225.98.

Cass City Displayed Overwhelming Power Over Caro

Local Gridiron Men Won a 19-0 Victory in Game Here Thursday.

The Cass City football team displayed overwhelming power in defeating Caro in last Thursday's contest here by the score of 19-0.

John Bugbee, a newly converted back, scored all of Cass City touchdowns after lengthy team marches. The first touchdown was scored on a 25 yard end run by Bugbee. Touchdown No. 2 was set up after Lee McConnell intercepted a Caro pass on his goal line and returned to the 10 yard strip. From this point, the Cass City team drove 90 yards for the tally. The final touchdown came after another drive of 70 yards.

Kettlewell's passing combined with the running of Root, McConnell and Bugbee proved too much for Caro. Bird, Shagena and Molnar were outstanding linemen for Cass City.

Cass City won the Tuscola County championship through this victory as they are the only undefeated team of the four in the county.

Yesterday (Thursday) the Cass City squad traveled to Sebawaing. The next home game will be with Pigeon on Thursday, Oct. 21.

Caro	0	0	0	0
Cass City	19	6	0	13-19

Touchdowns—Bugbee, 3. Points after touchdowns, Kettlewell. Both schools were represented by their bands at the game here Thursday and lent a "college air" to the occasion as they marched and counter-marched on the field between halves and played selections during the afternoon.

BAND LEARNING NEW FORMATIONS

The forty-piece Cass City High School Band will create a picturesque scene Thursday afternoon, Oct. 21, as it marches down the main street of the village to the football game to be held at the city park at 3:30 between Pigeon and Cass City.

For the past few weeks the band, under the careful leadership of Vernon R. Wait, music instructor, has been preparing new formations to be exhibited on the football field that afternoon. They will form symbols for each team and while in the formation of a triangle will sing and play "Stepping Hi."

WAC RECRUITING CAMPAIGN STARTED

Governor Kelly has written to each mayor in the state, asking for help in the recruiting of WACs. The Defense Council with the Neighborhood War Clubs were asked to offer their services in this campaign, as well as the campaign for the U. S. Cadet Nurse Corps.

The new WAC recruiting campaign was started by the Army to recruit 70,000 WACs between Sept. 27 and Dec. 7. They are needed at once to release 70,000 soldiers for front-line duty as replacement for 70,000 casualties we have suffered thus far in this war. The Michigan quota is 2,793 WACs.

TEACHERS' REGIONAL MEET AT SAGINAW OCT. 22

Teachers of Tuscola County will attend the annual meeting of Region 2 of the Michigan Educational Association which will be held in Saginaw Friday, Oct. 22. Edgar Grimm of Vassar is regional executive secretary.

Delinquency of Youth Shows a Steady Growth

FBI Speaker Says Neglect of Parental Supervision Is a Chief Cause.

Juvenile delinquency is growing steadily, according to Robt. T. Ross, a representative of the Detroit office of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, and is not only a grave condition now, but its general tendency promises to make it a very serious post-war problem. In his address to members of the Cass City Community Club Tuesday evening, he said that drunkenness in girls under the age of 21 years shows an increase of 40%. Prostitution of girls of that age is up 65%, other sex crimes 105% and disorderly conduct 70%. Lack of home life, the neglect of parental supervision over children and the undermanning of police departments were given by Mr. Ross as chief reasons for the delinquency of youth.

Loyalty plays a big part in the success of the FBI, Mr. Ross stated. He briefly reviewed the growth of that federal agency from 1933 when it had 300 agents to the present time when its agents number 4,900. He commended the cooperation of the police departments and said the concurrence of the general public with the bureau was responsible in great part for the lack of sabotage in these war days. The bureau investigates every complaint of alleged sabotage, checks selective service violation charges, keeps tab on alien enemy registrants, and investigates the impersonation of government officials. Bank robberies have decreased 92% in late years and kidnapping cases are rare.

At the close of his address, Mr. Ross answered several inquiries from his audience regarding the work of the FBI.

The evening's program opened with the singing of the national hymn with George Dillman as piano accompanist. This was followed by the invocation by Rev. S. P. Kirn. Dinner was prepared by the Evangelical Ladies' Aid and served by a group of club members. Tables were decorated in autumnal colors.

Club President Orion Cardew announced that the November dinner speaker would be Prof. R. K. Landis of the University of Michigan whose subject will be "The Part of Oils and Minerals in This Global War."

Vernon Wait, music teacher in the local school, led club members in group singing, George Dillman playing the piano accompaniment. As special musical numbers, Mr. Wait played "American Boy" and "Achilles" as trumpet solos with Mrs. Gordon Thomas as his piano accompanist.

The club discussed the raising of \$1,460.00 in Elkland Township, the amount assigned as the township's quota in the United War Fund of Tuscola County, and asked the club board of directors to devise means of accomplishing that achievement. Following the evening's program, the governing body had a session at which time they decided to appropriate \$800.00 from the Elkland War Chest fund and have solicitors canvas the citizens of the township for the remaining \$660.00.

Beans from 26 Acres Worth \$2,500

Roy Wagg threshed 735 bushels of beans from 26 acres on his Elkland Township farm, and had he sold the whole crop, he would have realized about \$2,500. However, he retained about 60 bushels, so his check from the elevator company was approximately \$2,250.

STATE AUDITORS ON TUSCOLA COUNTY BOOKS

Norman McGillivray and Edward Nolan, state auditors, have completed an audit of Tuscola County officers' books covering the first nine months of 1943.

TWO MEN LEAVE TUSCOLA TO ENTER SERVICE

Fred Manley of Reese and Joseph Mayer of Caro will leave the county today (Friday) to enter the service at Camp Grant, Ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack London accompanied Mrs. London's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Miller, of Flint to Ann Arbor Saturday to see the Michigan-Notre Dame football game. They returned to spend the week end with the Millers in Flint.

Students' League Is Here on October 20

Twelve students of the Practical Bible Training School of Bible School Park, N. Y., accompanied by Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Patterson, will present a service at the Cass City Baptist Church on Wednesday, Oct. 20, at 8:00 p. m.

The group are known as the "Students' League of Many Nations." The members dress in national costumes and speak or sing in native languages with translations. There is no admission charge. A freewill offering will be taken.

The party travels by bus and will arrive in Cass City about 2:30 p. m. They will go directly to the church where they will have their classes, as they carry their studies while traveling. The public meeting is at 8:00 p. m.

Patrons on Rural Route 3 Honor Burt A. Elliott

Farmers and Families Give Party Friday at Novesta Church of Christ.

A surprise was planned by patrons on Rural Route No. 3, Cass City, to honor Burt A. Elliott, who has been retired as rural letter carrier after 30 years of service. The party was held at the Church of Christ in Novesta Township on Friday evening, just eight days after Mr. Elliott made his last official delivery of mail on Route 3.

At an impromptu program held in the church auditorium, Lowell Sicker, Sr., presided as chairman. Jason Kitchin and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelley, representing Mr. Elliott's "mail customers," expressed their appreciation for the retiring carrier's service over a long period of years. Albert Quick presented Mr. Elliott with a testimonial document signed by patrons of the route which read:

"We, the patrons of Rural Route No. 3 of the Cass City Post Office, Concluded on page 8.

Letters from Men in the Service

"After reading the column, 'Letters from Men in the Service,' I have decided to add my bit," writes First Sergeant Russell L. Quick from Fort Benning, Ga. "I thought that my friends in Cass City would be interested in my army career."

"Here is a brief sketch of my period in the service since I was inducted at Detroit on June 13, 1941. From Detroit I was sent to Fort Custer and from there to Camp Polk, Louisiana.

"At Camp Polk I received my basic training with the Third Armored Division. I spent some time at Camp Shelby, Mississippi, returning to Camp Polk.

"When the Seventh Armored Division was activated at Camp Polk, I was sent on cadre from the Third Armored to the new Seventh Armored. I have been with the Seventh since. The fall of '42 we maneuvered in Louisiana, returning to the newly built North Camp Polk.

"In March the division moved to Desert Training Center, California. We went through about five months of rugged desert maneuvers. Our base camp was Camp Coxcomb California, located in the middle of the desert about sixty miles from Indio, California.

"During the month of August, the division moved from Desert Training Center, California, to Fort Benning, Georgia, where we are continuing our training program.

"I want to extend my best wishes to the Cass City football team and congratulate them on the good start this season. I will follow with interest the team's plays through the pages of the Chronicle.

"In the Chronicle which I received today, I noted among the Cass City boys in the service Lt. Kercher's promotion to captain and Lt. Spencer's visit home. Also I read with interest Sgt. Kerbyson's letter from the Middle East and S/Sgt. Pinney's arrival in England. Sgt. Anthes' letter from Texas has highlights familiar to men in the service. I spent some time in Texas on maneuvers and it is a great place.

"I also send my congratulations to the people of Cass City on the showing made in the Third War Loan Bond Drive. It makes us in the service feel good to know the service concluded on page 4.

Township Quotas Assigned to Raise \$24,147 in County

Supervisors of 23 Townships Are Named War Fund Vice Chairmen.

Tuscola County's War Fund Drive is to be launched before the end of October and completed by the end of the first week in November, it was decided Friday night by representatives of townships at a meeting at Hotel Montague in Caro. A dinner preceded the meeting which was in charge of Clarence R. Myers, chairman of the Tuscola County War Fund.

The contract calling for \$24,147.59 to be given by Tuscola County residents for the National War Fund, Inc., was read, and on motion of William Barriger, Columbia, Chairman Myers was authorized to accept the contract. The amount is part of Michigan's quota of \$5,749,425. The total to be raised in the United States is \$125,000,000.

Quotas were adopted at the meeting on the basis of 67 cents per capita of population, except Indianfields which voluntarily accepted \$4,840 as its quota, or about one-fifth of the total. Indianfields has about one-seventh of the population. On the population basis, quotas for the 23 townships are as follows:

Akron \$1,215, Almer \$800, Arbel \$785, Columbia \$1,065, Dayton \$685, Denmark \$1,300, Elkland \$1,460, Ellington \$525, Elmwood \$875, Fairgrove \$1,100, Fremont \$1,100, Gilford \$770, Indianfields \$4,840, Juniata \$580, Kingston \$785, Koylton \$520, Millington \$1,175, Novesta \$700, Tuscola \$750, Vassar \$2,000, Watertown \$740, Wells \$560, Wisner \$460. The total of the quotas is \$24,690, a little in excess of the amount asked.

Agencies working on war relief will share in the money to be raised, of which the United Service Organization (USO) receives about 70 per cent. The USO is made up of the Salvation Army, Jewish Relief, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., National Catholic Community Service and Travelers' Aid Society. Other agencies to the number of 15 will receive funds for the relief of war prisoners and succor to people left destitute in the wake of the war in unfortunate countries.

Tuscola Supervisors Adjourned Monday to Harvest Beans

Members of the board of supervisors of Tuscola County, most of them farmers, met Monday, transacted a day's business, and charmed by the unusually fine weather, adjourned the session so that they might complete the harvesting of the bean crop. They will reconvene next Monday.

The finance committee recommended the investment of \$1,500 of the cemetery fund in long term government bonds. The sinking fund committee reported the investment of \$15,000 of the county jail fund in short term government bonds.

A report of the resolutions committee was adopted. It provided that the chairman of the board of supervisors appoint delegates to attend the state meeting of supervisors, that \$250 be appropriated to the Eastern Michigan Tourist Association, that a supervisor be appointed to serve on the board of directors of the tourist association, and that the county probation officer be authorized to attend the state meeting on Oct. 28 and 29.

County officers were ordered to file reports at this session of their affairs for the last three months of 1942 and be prepared to file reports for all of 1943 with the board at the January, 1944, session. This action was taken to conform with a new legislative act making the fiscal year for county officers uniform with the calendar year.

Two Are Given State Prison Sentences

Policarpo Heriena, who pleaded guilty recently to a breaking and entering charge, was sentenced in the Tuscola Circuit Court Wednesday morning to serve from one to two years in the State Prison of Southern Michigan.

Joan Hernandez pleaded guilty to an automobile theft and was sentenced from three to five years in the same prison with the recommendation of the lesser period. Hernandez was placed on probation for a similar crime in Bay County within the past year.



1944 Campaign—Lansing political gossip is that Governor Kelly, as the Republican nominee for re-election, will be opposed by either former Governor Murray D. Van Wagoner or former State Treasurer Phil Fry as the Democratic nominee. Dr. Eugene B. Keyes is expected to be Kelly's running mate, unless some unforeseen upset occurs in the primary. The governor's advisers are concerned about 1944, feeling that Republicans must be strongly united to overcome any presidential election tide against "switching horses in mid-stream."

No Special Session — Auditor General Vernon J. Brown, by some judicious thinking, came to the rescue of the state administration and extricated it from the dilemma of summoning the state legislature now into special session. Several state departments were incurring deficits due to wage increases granted by the state civil service commission. Attorney General Rushton had ruled that the "Little Legislature" lacked statutory powers to make appropriations from its funds for deficit purposes. Brown's solution: The law required him to notify department heads when deficits were impending. In turn, the department head is to request civil service to abolish certain positions or reduce wages. Final responsibility rests with the department head and the governor. It is Brown's belief that adherence to these mandates will reduce the deficiency to around \$100,000 by January 1.

Economics—Governor Kelly is determined to balance the state's budget. Accordingly, he appointed a special committee consisting of Senator Don VanderWerp, chairman of the senate finance committee; Rep. John P. Espie, chairman, house ways and means committee; Robt. S. Ford of the governor's office; Budget Director Fred Striffler, and Thos. J. Wilson, the civil service director. The committee has two duties: "To find out for me what action is going to be taken by the various appointing authorities to live within their appropriations" and "to make whatever recommendations they think might be helpful in this situation." First sessions were held last Thursday and Friday.

Mackinac Bridge—A statement by Highway Commissioner Chas. M. Ziegler, clarifying his views on the proposed Mackinac Bridge, is to be read this Friday (Oct. 15) at the Blaney Park post-war planning conference sponsored by the Upper Peninsula Development Bureau. In brief, the Ziegler position is said to be somewhat as follows: When funds are available to build the bridge, the highway department will assume any responsibility for the bridge which is given to it by the state or federal government. Changes may be required at that time for the causeway which, according to two ferry captains, cannot be used during stormy weather for docking of state boats. In the meanwhile, the state department should give priority to post-war highways which would help to alleviate post-war unemployment.

Liquor Woes—Governor Kelly's quest for a \$15,000-year business executive to fill the \$7,500 post of chairman of the state liquor control commission has been consuming his attention almost daily. The appointment is due soon, and perhaps has already been announced by now. Illustrating the governor's dilemma, a Detroit labor newspaper charged recently that the average tavern had hardly "more than one-third" of the legal liquor supply necessary to conduct its business. The editor arrived by mental gymnastics at the conclusion that Kelly was either in cahoots with bootleggers or was catering to the Anti-Saloon League!

Confusion—Schuyler L. Marshall, newspaper editor at St. Johns, reports that farmers in Clinton County are greatly confused by federal regulatory actions coming out of Washington. AAA subsidies, offered first for growing

There's No Fuel Shortage Here



Next winter, when the demand for coal and oil will be heavier and transportation will be overcrowded, a wood pile like this will come in mighty handy. Wood-burning stoves and fireplaces are fuel savers. Now is a good time to stock up for winter.

less food and offered now for growing more food, have been followed by drastic government controls on beans and peppermint oil. "For quite a spell an owner of a farm was told that he could not eat meat raised on that farm, unless he actually lived on it and worked on it." Just as the people are confused by Washington's economic regimentation, so are they confused about the various schemes to prevent World War III through "winning the peace" and to prevent inflation despite an ever-soaring national debt. Marshall's conclusion: "In short, we do not know what to think—we just hope . . . and pray." He is the father of two sons in the army.

Farmers—Both State Treasurer

D. Hale Brake and Auditor General Brown own and operate farms. Brake's livestock farm is near Stanton, while Brown has acquired his ancestral homestead near Mason.

Soldiers' Morale—Cheery letters from home plus a copy of the hometown newspaper make an effective combination, so the OWI states, for good morale of soldiers and sailors. As recognition of the value of sending hometown newspapers to boys overseas, the post office department recently ruled that Christmas gift subscriptions may be made without a specific request being obtained from the soldier. The deadline is this Friday (Oct. 15).

AT THE Churches

St. Paul's Catholic Church—Rev. John J. Bozek, Pastor. Mass is held the first two Sundays of each month at 9:00 a. m. and the last two or three Sundays at 11:00 a. m. The Holy Sacrifice of the Mass is offered up every morning during the week at 7:50. During October, the month of the Rosary, evening services are held each Wednesday at 8:00, followed by catechetical instruction in preparation for the sacrament of confirmation of children and adults, which is to be administered on Oct. 26, at 7:30 p. m., by the Most Rev. Wm. Murphy, D. D. Bishop of Saginaw.

St. Michael's Catholic Church—Wilmot, Rev. John J. Bozek, Pastor. Mass is held the first two Sundays of the month at 11:00 a. m. and the last two or three Sundays of the month at 9:00 a. m.

First Presbyterian Church—Sunday, Oct. 17: Regular preaching service Sunday, Oct. 17, at 10:30 a. m., conducted by Dr. A. M. Boyd of Flint. Sunday School at the usual hour. Classes and teachers for all ages. Congregational meeting Tuesday, Oct. 19, for the purpose of electing committee on pastor.

Salem Evangelical Church—S. P. Kirm, minister. Sunday, Oct. 17: Sunday School meets at 10 a. m. We welcome you. Morning worship at 11. Sermon, "The World in Your Hand." Mission Band for the children meets at 11 a. m. Junior League at 7:00 p. m. The evening service will be a worship service planned by the C. E. M. C. A gift given recently for the youth chapel will be dedicated. This will be an interesting and worshipful service. We invite your presence.

Woman's Missionary Society will meet today (Friday) at the home of Mrs. L. Buehly. The Golden Rule class meeting will be held at the home of Miss Elsie Buehly Friday evening, Oct. 22.

Church of the Nazarene—Geo. D. Bugbee, pastor. Sunday, Oct. 17: 10:30, Sunday School. A fine class for every age. You are welcome. 11:30, preaching, "Revive Us Again," topic. 7:00 p. m., N. Y. P. S., a good young people's meeting. Everyone invited. 8:00 p. m., evangelistic service. "Go and Sin No More," topic. Duets, solos, instrumentals in every service. A warm welcome awaits all. Sunday School rally Oct. 24. Revival starts with Marvin S. Cooper and the Stansbury Sisters of Neb. Oct. 26.

Mennonite Brethren in Christ—R. W. Herber, pastor. Sunday, Oct. 17: Mizpah Church: Sunday School,

10:30 a. m.; morning worship, 11:30; young people's meeting, 8:00 p. m. Prayer meeting Tuesday at 8:00 p. m.

Riverside Church: Morning worship at 10:00; Sunday School at 11:00; evangelistic service at 8:00 p. m. Cottage prayer meeting on Thursday night, 8:00 p. m.

First Baptist Church—Frank B. Smith, pastor. Sunday, Oct. 17: 10:00 a. m., Sunday Church School. 11:00 a. m., morning worship. "Big Game Hunting." 8:00 p. m., Gospel hour. "Tried and True." Wednesday—8:00 p. m., midweek service. Chart study, "God's Plan for the Ages."

The Methodist Church—The Rev. Dudley Masure, minister. Morning worship and sermon, 10 o'clock. Sunday School, 11:30 a. m. Epworth League, 8 o'clock. Choir practice Thursday evening.

Bethel Methodist Church—The Rev. Dudley Masure, minister. Sunday School, 10:30. Morning worship, 11:30. Epworth League, 7:30.

Uby and Fraser Presbyterian Churches—Robt. L. Morton, minister. Uby: 9:30 a. m., Bible School under the direction of Fred Leuton. 10:10 a. m., worship service; music by the choir; theme, "Fellowship." This is the second in the series on "The Christian Life." Welcome to our services. Fraser: 10:45 a. m., Bible School; 11:30 a. m., worship service. This is Rally Day and the pupils of the Bible School will present a program of readings and music. Welcome to our services.

RESCUE.

Rev. Cletus A. Parker and daughter, Phyllis, of Pontiac spent from Monday until Thursday at the home of Mr. Parker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses G. Parker. Mr. and Mrs. William Ashmore, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Stevens were business callers in Sebewaing Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Noble Benson and son of Detroit are visiting for a few weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alex Jamieson. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dennis of Drayton Plains visited relatives here a few days and also attended the auction sale of U. G. and Clara Parker Tuesday. They were overnight guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Taylor on Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. James Gill of Saginaw were dinner guests on Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ulysses G. Parker. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Parrish and children of Bad Axe were callers in this vicinity Saturday afternoon.

Jack O'Rourke had his hen house and barn wired for electricity the past few days. Basil Hartsell did the wiring.

Jay Andrews was busy threshing beans in this vicinity Saturday. A son, John Douglas, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Alexander on Thursday, Oct. 7.

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Thursday, Oct. 14, at the home of Mrs. Twilton Heron.

Nelson Fay leaves Tuesday for Detroit for his final examination for induction in Uncle Sam's service.

Mrs. Floyd Dodge and daughter, Phyllis, of Cass City spent Monday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maharg.

Mr. and Mrs. Ezra Kreh and son, Harold, of Wakefield, accompanied Mrs. Ervin Kreh and daughter, Lois, to Flint Friday to visit relatives and to see their son and brother, Pvt. Kreh, who was there on a few days' furlough.

Mrs. Walter Sternberg and son, Jimmie, returned home Saturday after spending the past two weeks in Detroit with relatives.

Mrs. Agnes Roberts is employed at the Noah Geiger home in Pigeon.

Mrs. Arthur Moore, Mrs. Howard Martin, Mrs. Charles Fournier, Mrs. Twilton Heron, Mrs. Frank MacCallum and Mrs. Claud Martin attended the W. S. C. S. convention at Marlette last Wednesday.

William McKinley of Cass City is the new bread man on the Aikman bread route in this vicinity. Pvt. Reinhold Bannick of Georgia, who was on a furlough visiting at the home of his parents at Elkton, was a visitor at the Alex Jamieson home last Tuesday. He also spent some time at the U. G. Parker auction sale last Tuesday.

Same the World Over Sarge (in Egypt)—They say it took hundreds of years to build those pyramids. Private—They must have had WPA works in those days, too.

Bigger Shovel, Too Boss—How come that although you and Mike started together, he has a bigger pile of dirt than you? Pat—Sure, Mike's digging a bigger hole than I am.

Crocodiles an' Crocuses Billy—The river was alive with gladiators. Betty—Alligators is what you mean. Gladiators are flowers.

Rolling Pin Queen Smith—Why do you wish your wife was like Venus? Jones—So she wouldn't have any arms to throw things at me.

Over There U. S. Officer—I just made the stupidest mistake. I tipped his lordship instead of you, James. English Butler—Very stupid, sir, I'll never get it now!

At the Bar Smith—What's Bill's social standing? Jones—Not so good. He begins to wobble on the fourth beer.

Long Line of Cars? Mrs. Jones—Well, I see you're the happy mother of another little Carr. Mrs. Carr—Yes, but I hope it's the caboose!

Next Question Please Wife—I can't decide whether to go to a palmist or a mind reader. Hubby—Go to a palmist, you've got a hand.

CHANGE OF ADDRESSES OF CHRONICLE SUBSCRIBERS

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3 THINGS TO REMEMBER ABOUT OUR SERVICE

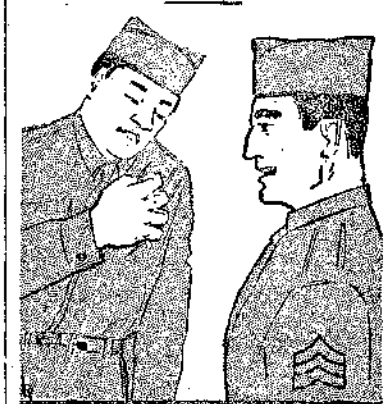
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HARD ON THE TEETH

Mrs. Fiery was born with a temper like gunpowder. "Tell me, dear," said her husband, after one of her outbursts, "how it was I never discovered this unhappy weakness of yours during our courtship days? However did you restrain yourself?" "Well," replied his wife, "I used to go up stairs and bite pieces out of the top of the oak dressing table."

ARMY UNDERWEAR



Sarge—Why is it you are always scratching? Private—Nobody else knows where it itches.

Gosh Darn Book Larnin' Zeke—You got ten sons of voting age, ain't yeh? I bet they's all good Democrats. Lem—All but one. All Democrats but Luke. He 'ot to readin'.

Great Historical Battle One of the great battles of history was fought in Apulia, Italy, in 216 B. C., during the Second Punic war. At Cannae, near the modern seaport of Barletta, the Carthaginians defeated the far superior forces of Rome by the cleverness of their leader, Hannibal. Hannibal's tactics of outflanking and encircling the enemy on that occasion have been called the forerunner of the present-day, large-scale pincer movement.

Heat and Volume Cows will not graze enough during hot days to provide a good flow of milk, so some dairymen feed them all the hay they will consume at the morning milking.

Normal Decline If hens have been properly fed and have been producing during the spring months at the rate of 16 to 20 eggs per hen each month, it is normal for egg production to decline in July and August to 12 to 14 eggs per hen.

Avoid Wet Plants Don't work among your plants when they're wet with dew. You may spread minute disease organisms.

Scapa Flow Surrender Record The greatest naval surrender of all time took place in 1918, when the German fleet surrendered at Scapa Flow.

Hear Rev. Bugbee Speak

Sunday evening at 8 o'clock

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Fine special music you will like . . . duets, solos and instrumentals.

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, OCT. 20

Eight O'clock

Members will dress in national costumes, speak or sing in native language with translations. They give personal experiences that will hold you spellbound! Every one a personal Christian!

Victory Scrap Metal

Drive Oct. 1 to Nov. 15

Folks in this community are requested to comb again all farms, homes and stores for steel and iron scrap. During the coming weeks, each community needs to build a Victory Scrap Bank as an insurance against any mill's having to shut down for lack of material.

Michigan's rural scrap quota for the last six months of the year is based on an average of 200 pounds to the farm.

Let's All Cooperate in This Drive

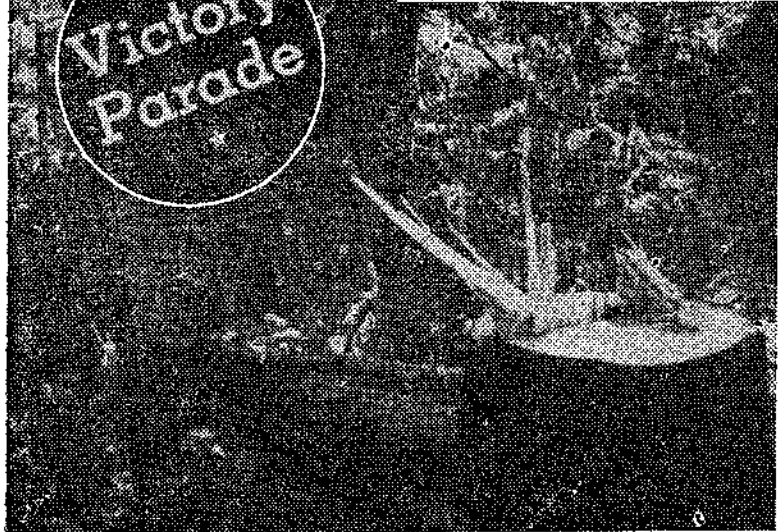
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The Axes Against the Axis; Here's Toughest Home Front Job

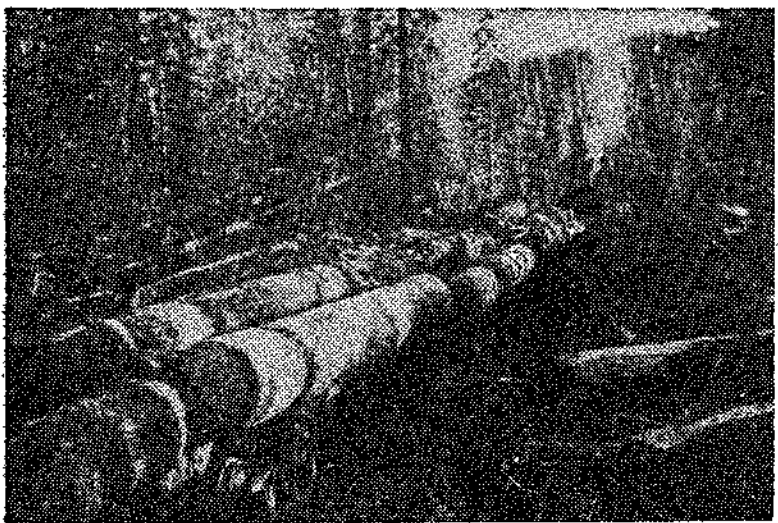
To meet a goal of 200,000,000 feet of airplane spruce this year for bombers, Canadian lumberjacks are rushing an all-out effort. More than a thousand years old, eight-foot thick, and towering 250 feet straight up, the 100-ton spruce colossi crash to earth under the hammering blows of the lumbermen's axes. So arduous is the lumberjack's work that they "burn out" in three months, are sent home to recuperate.



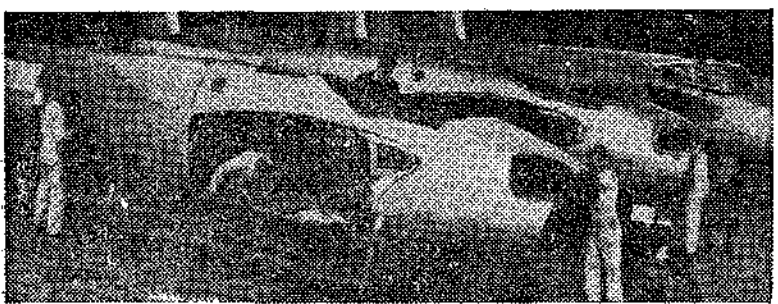
Above: Jack Crosse (left) and Ollie Brackees are a two-man team that's been battering down these giant spruce for ten years. They're notching a tree with their razor-sharp axes. Right: Tony Varga, 242-pound Hungarian, is typical of the woodsmen engaged in the spruce logging project. Ex-wrestlers, boxers, seamen, and longshoremen are enlisted in this giant lumbering program.



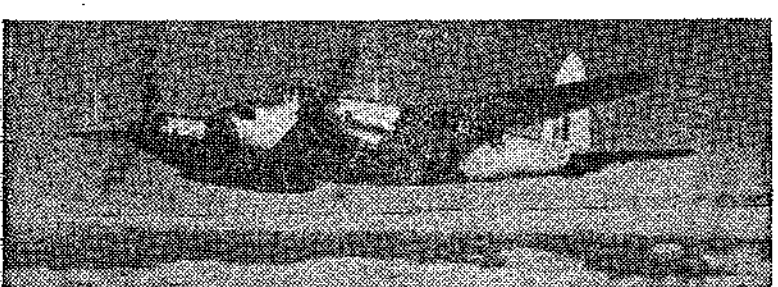
A huge 12-foot wide spruce is felled—crashing to earth with the force of its 100 tons of weight. Pound for pound, these spruce are stronger than steel and getting them down is considered the most grueling job on the home front.



A spruce log train rolls toward the river where the logs will be floated to a mill. Soon this wood will be part of a Canadian-built mosquito bomber. Once again the spruce will proudly rise high into the air. This time to help bomb the Axis.



These fuselages are nearly ready for the final assembly line—where the final transformation of great spruces to speedy mosquito bombers will take place.



The finished product. A mosquito bomber soars over the clouds. The result of the labors of the hard-working lumberjacks.

'Olive Oil' Is Now Made From Peanuts

Synthetic Products Relieve Wartime Shortage.

NEW ORLEANS.—Cocoa butter from cottonseed, and olive oil from peanuts have been produced successfully at the regional research laboratory of the department of agriculture here.

The cocoa butter is made for food and confections, the olive oil for industry. Both are wartime substitutes, but probably will carry over into peace for uses where they are either superior or cheaper.

Both synthetics differ from the natural products in that special qualities can be given to them in manufacture, to fit special needs that natural cocoa butter and olive oil might not meet.

They were produced under direction of A. E. Bailey and K. S. Markley. Natural cocoa butter is made from cocoa beans, and is hard until heated almost to body temperature; then it melts quickly. It is never sticky or greasy. These qualities are useful in candy and other food coatings.

The cottonseed cocoa butter has all these natural cocoa qualities, and a couple of advantages to boot. It is synthesized so that it will remain hard to a higher temperature than cocoa butter, yet will melt just as readily at body temperature.

The cottonseed butter is at least equally as healthy as cocoa butter. It is an altered form of the cottonseed oil which human beings have used for years.

The peanut olive oil is produced by processes similar to the cocoa butter. Peanut fats are used but, instead of converting them into a solid, they are made into an oil by giving them a lower melting point.

Uncle Sam's Fliers Are Modern Knights in Armor

WASHINGTON.—Modern knights in armor are manning Uncle Sam's planes plying over Axis territory. The war department reported that the eighth air force in England has clad some of its member crews in thin steel plates, covering breast and back, to protect them from flak from anti-aircraft guns.

Such missiles, which cause a majority of wounds, can be stopped by the plates, which weigh about 20 pounds and are slipped into pockets of a new sleeveless jacket to form a cuirass from neck to hips.

The garment, suspended from the shoulders, can be removed instantly by pulling a release cord. It has been found particularly effective for waist and turret gunners, who expose the upper part of their bodies. The war department said one gunner wearing the armor was struck by a piece of flak the size of a marble which knocked him across the plane. The armor stopped the missile, although the steel plating was bent.

'Coronation Scot' Train To House Army Officers

WASHINGTON.—The "Coronation Scot," de luxe British passenger train which was exhibited at the New York World's fair, was presented to the United States to provide temporary living quarters for army officers.

A deed transferring the train to the government was executed by R. B. White, president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad, acting as agent for the London, Midland and Scottish Railway company.

The deed stipulated that the train be turned over to Maj. Gen. Edmund B. Gregory, quartermaster general of the army. It will be stationed at Jeffersonville, Ind., for use of officers of the quartermaster depot there.

The "Scot" consists of eight cars, two coaches, a coach lounge, a first-class diner, a third-class diner, a kitchen, a sleeper with 12 berths and a club car.

Mother, Son and Father, Last a Flier, Doing Well

ALLIED HEADQUARTERS IN NORTH AFRICA.—Mother and son are doing well, but the father, First Lieut. Willis Neesen of Visalia, Calif., is doing even better.

Lieutenant Neesen, co-pilot of a Flying Fortress, had just returned from bombing the Foglia Airfield in Italy into a shambles when a fellow-pilot rushed up to his plane, brandishing a letter. It told Lieutenant Neesen that his wife had given birth to a nine-pound boy.

"My Gawd," bellowed the new father, "nine pounds!"

"Hiya, Pop," hollered his crew. Lieutenant Neesen told the world, "I'd like to go on missions every day. The more I go on, the sooner I can go home and see just what he looks like. Nine pounds! Can you beat that?"

Wager Paid, Returns As Wedding Present

MENTOR, OHIO.—Last year when Roger Haker left to enter the army, he bet \$10 with Police Chief Wayne Lingfelter that he would remain single for 10 years. Lingfelter recently received \$10 in a letter from Haker which explained that the soldier had married. The police chief sent back the \$10 as a wedding present.



YOU'LL SIMPLY HAVE TO FIND ANOTHER PLAYHOUSE, CHILDREN. WE ARE GOING TO GET THE COAL BIN FILLED TOMORROW

DEFORD DIARY

Activities—

On the evening of Oct. 20, the W. S. C. S. will feature a community family night and program in the church annex. Supper will be served potluck. No charge to be asked, but a voluntary offering can be made. Everyone is invited to come and enjoy the evening together. Bring dishes, silverware and sugar.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kilbourn will entertain the Farmers' Club in their home on the evening of Oct. 15. Eldon Bruce will be program chairman and introduce some speaker.

Mrs. Bob Slingsend, who has been in California with her husband of the Service, came Tuesday to visit the Alfred Slingsend family.

Sgt. and Mrs. J. Amberboy, home on 21-day furlough from Salt Lake City, Utah, are visiting in Detroit and Deford.

Nick Amberboy, M M 1-C, home on 10 day leave from Camp Peary, Va., spent part of the time with wife and son in Detroit, part with his mother in Deford, bringing his wife and son with him. He left for camp on Wednesday.

Frank Riley's birthday anniversary occurred on Tuesday, and his friend, Mr. Gue's, of Kingston was on Wednesday. In remembrance of the occasions, Mr. and Mrs. Riley were guests on Thursday at a brotherly party at the Gue home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark moved on Saturday the residence in Deford bought recently of Mrs. Benedict. On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Clark entertained Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Godden of Imlay City, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Clark and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Spencer and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Spencer were entertained on Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Burkell in Reese.

Miss Sophia Kruzel left on Friday to spend some time in Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bruce of near Oxford were Monday callers at the home of Mrs. Sam Shirk. Mr. and Mrs. Willard Spencer of near Harbor Beach were Sunday guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer.

Mrs. Howard Retherford entertained the W. C. T. U. on Thursday at what was termed an especially interesting meeting. Mrs. Hazen Warner was the leader and brought the program.

Mrs. Clarence Cox drove to Lapeer on Wednesday of last week and met Clarence, who is on leave from the Navy until Thursday of this week. Mr. and Mrs. Cox visited for a few days in Pontiac and elsewhere before coming here.

Mrs. Neva Case of Detroit and Mrs. Pauline Ross of Ypsilanti called this week at the Clarence Chadwick and Mrs. Sam Shirk homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelley and Mr. and Mrs. Harley Kelley were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Kelley near Mayville. Visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Spencer on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Botkin and daughter of Fairgrove.

Mrs. Arleon Retherford, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. McQuarry of Marlette, spent Wednesday to Sunday visiting in Detroit. Arleon drove to Detroit on Sunday and all returned home that evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Silverthorn disposed of their property here some time ago and moved to Caro last week where they bought a home. Mr. and Mrs. Silverthorn will leave again soon for Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. John Clark have bought the Bob Wright farm ¾ miles west.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hicks entertained during the week Mrs.

Nettie Priest of Detroit, Mrs. Jesse Kelley and Mrs. Burton Morrison of Caro and Mr. and Mrs. William Waxel of Spokane, Wash. William is home on furlough.

Mrs. Ruth Sherman and daughter, Mabel, are entertaining for a portion of the week Mrs. Walter Hoenicke and daughter, Ruth Jean, of Forestville.

A very nice improvement is being made to the residence of Mrs. Frank Spencer by a new coat of paint and a new roof.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Rayl of Caro, Mr. and Mrs. R. Rayl and Norma of Fairgrove, Mrs. Hattie Laur and Mrs. Della Lassiter of Huntington, Indiana, ate supper at the Earl Rayl home Wednesday. In the evening Mr. and Mrs. R. Rayl of Akron and Mrs. Ethel Bender of near Caro came. All enjoyed ice cream and cake at a late hour.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley Lassiter of Caro visited Sunday afternoon at the Rayl home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Elley were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Dunn of Hamtramck and attended the wedding of Miss Bertha Adamaitis and Mr. Edward Trybrowski at nine o'clock Saturday morning at St. Ladislav's Church in Hamtramck.

Registered Aliens

Less than 8 per cent of all aliens registered in this country are nationals of Axis nations.

Marlette Livestock Sales Company

Market Oct. 11, 1943—

Top veals	15.80-16.50
Fair to good	14.50-15.00
Deacons	1.00-10.00
Best grass cattle	12.00-13.00
Fair to good	10.50-11.50
Commons	8.00-9.50
Feeder cattle	18.50-69.00
Best butcher bulls	12.00-12.70
Light bulls	9.50-11.00
Stock bulls	25.00-70.00
Best beef cows	10.50-11.40
Fair to good	9.50-10.00
Cutters	8.00-9.00
Canners	6.00-7.50
Dairy cows	55.00-127.00
Best hogs	14.60
Light hogs	13.50-14.50
Roughs	13.50-14.60
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Commons	10.50-11.50
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More Eggs Mean More Profits This Fall

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HOLBROOK.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Sweeney visited Sunday in Detroit.

Mrs. Peter Rienstra and son, Melbourne, and Mrs. Ray Reineits and daughter, Sharon, of Cass City spent Monday at the Loren Trathen home.

Mrs. Ernest Willis is serving on the federal grand jury at Bay City this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Steve Decker, Mrs. Willis Brown and son, Wayne, and Mrs. Edgar Jackson were entertained at the Clifford Jackson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Moore visited Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hill and Mr. and Mrs. Loren Trathen.

Pauline Hill of Cass City is spending the week at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jackson were

dinner guests at the home of Mrs. Jackson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. Sternberg, at Bad Axe Sunday.

Mrs. Elgin Willis spent Tuesday in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Howarth and children, Barbara and Carol June, were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anthes Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hubbel and family and Mr. Hubbel's father, Frank Hubbel, all of Pontiac, were callers in the afternoon.

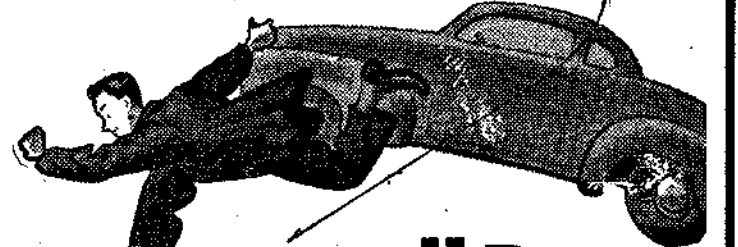
High Quality Hay

To get the most high quality hay and to do the least injury to the plants, oldest alfalfa stands should be cut first and new seedlings last.

Prevent Leakage

Shut-off valves on sprayers should always be closed tight to prevent leakage. Good quality shut-offs usually pay for their extra cost by saving spray materials.

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SUNNYFIELD ROLLED OATS 5-POUND PACKAGE 27¢

A&P FOOD STORES

Local Happenings

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grimes of Lapeer called on the latter's sister, Mrs. Raymond Kerbyson, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Kilbourn will entertain the South Novesta Farmers' Club in their home this (Friday) evening.

Mrs. Carl S. Fulmer and daughter, Donna, of Detroit spent from Thursday until Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John West.

"Got this far o. k.," wrote A. A. Ricker from Tampa, Fla., when he requested the Chronicle sent to the Trailer Park at Bradenton, Fla.

Mrs. Walter Walker returned Friday from a week spent in Ypsilanti with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Walker and son.

A son, John Thomas, was born to Mr. and Mrs. George Smith (Dolores Stine) of Drayton Plains on Oct. 9 at Pleasant Home Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Caverly and Miss Alta Strickland, all of Pontiac, visited their mother, Mrs. Mary Strickland, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Plamondon of Flint spent Sunday and Monday with Dr. and Mrs. Donald Miller. Mrs. Plamondon and Mrs. Miller are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Darling and daughter of Harbor Beach were recent visitors at the home of Mrs. Darling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Connell.

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Doane and son, Richard, of Detroit, and Mrs. Clyde Wilber of Royal Oak were guests at the E. A. Livingston home for the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Woodward of Sananton, Texas, were recent visitors at the John Connell home. It has been seven years since Mr. Woodward left Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith McConkey attended a dinner Thursday evening of this week at the Bancroft Hotel in Saginaw, the guests of the American States Insurance Co.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet Friday, Oct. 22, at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Arthur Steward. Newly elected officers will be installed.

Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Doerr, accompanied by their son, James Doerr, of Sandusky, left Monday afternoon to spend the winter months in Sulphur Springs, Fla.

Milo Vance of Bay City spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. Ella Vance, and sister, Miss Amy Vance. Miss Amy and Milo spent a few days the first of the week in Lansing.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fort, Y 2-6 Frank Fort of Brooklyn, N. Y., and Mrs. Phillip Retherford of Deford visited Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Vern Wright at Fairgrove.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dickinson of Bad Axe spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Reagh. Mrs. Reagh accompanied them home and visited with them until Sunday.

The wheelbarrow load of pumpkins, three in number, which were displayed in front of the Chronicle building Saturday, were grown on the Elkland Township farm of William Joss.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wright had as guests at dinner Sunday Mrs. Wright's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Spaulding, of Plymouth and her father, Herb Spaulding, of Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Woodward and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Soli and daughter, and Miss Marcella Darling, all of Detroit, spent Oct. 8 at the John Connell home, the occasion being Mrs. Connell's birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bergen of Pontiac and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Leach of Royal Oak, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Finkbeiner and son, William, of Gagetown and Mrs. Wm. Little were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. G. Jackson Sunday.

The Cass City Grange will meet Friday evening, Oct. 15, at the Bird schoolhouse. Mr. and Mrs. Audley Rawson and Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Eastman will be hosts and hostesses and Mrs. John Marshall, program chairman.

Announcement is made of the approaching marriage of Miss Marjorie Tyo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joy Tyo, of Detroit and Wm. Bliss, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Bliss, of Gagetown. The wedding will take place Oct. 30.

Geo. Huffman of Roscommon and Mrs. John Wright of Caro visited Mrs. Jessie Kirkpatrick and other relatives here from Friday until Sunday. Mr. Huffman is a brother-in-law of Mrs. Kirkpatrick and Mrs. Wright is Mr. Huffman's sister.

Fifty-one attended the meeting of the Townsend Club at the home of Mrs. Alice Moore Monday evening. Cash Asher of Davenport, Iowa, spoke on the "Four Freedoms" and Rev. Mr. Hubbard of Kingston on "Divine Provisions for Mankind."

Mrs. Jennie Bentley left Monday for Detroit where she is employed.

Andrew T. Barnes spent Thursday and Friday making a business trip to St. Ignace.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Joos were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Smith at Bad Axe.

Miss Glenn Asher, who teaches school in Pinconning, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Asher.

Mrs. A. B. Champion and Millard Knuckles were guest speakers on the program of the Elkton Community Club Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ashmore have moved to the Rusch house on East Third Street, recently vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Seeley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Mark and daughter of Hubbard Lake came Monday to spend a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Mark.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wanner and daughter, Phyllis, in company with Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Shultz and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Meredith of Caro, attended a Gideon rally Saturday afternoon and Sunday in Pontiac.

Mrs. Hilton Warner returned Monday from a week spent with relatives in Ypsilanti, Ann Arbor and Plymouth. Her three children spent the week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Warner.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Hendrick of Tyre and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Finkbeiner and daughter, Evelyn, of Gagetown visited Mrs. Orson Hendrick and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hendrick in the former's home Sunday.

Mrs. Sherman Kilpatrick of Detroit visited Mrs. W. I. Moore on Monday afternoon. She returned to her home Wednesday after ten days spent with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Muntz, and other relatives here.

Mrs. D. A. Krug left Sunday, in company with Mrs. Ralph Clara of Gagetown, to attend the 77th annual session of Grand Chapter, O. E. S., of Michigan which is held this week at Grand Rapids. Mrs. Krug is a delegate from Echo Chapter, O. E. S., here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Turner and grandson, Dickie Noble, were in Howell Wednesday to visit Dickie's mother, Mrs. Wm. Noble, Mrs. Mack Little and baby accompanied them to Flint and visited Mrs. Carlton Brown for the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell were in Alpena over the week end. Mr. Campbell attended the Traverse City-Alpena football game and had the pleasure of hearing the Alpena High School students sing the school loyalty song written by his brother.

Lt. H. I. Knapp, 80, prominent jeweler and optometrist of Traverse City, passed away at his home in that city last week. He is a brother of A. J. Knapp and has lived in Traverse City for 42 years. Lt. Knapp was a Spanish-American War veteran.

Pfc. Clark Knapp left Tuesday to return to Camp Ellis, Ill. He was accompanied as far as Kalamazoo by his aunt, Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock, and Mrs. Chas. Wilsey. Mrs. Wilsey remained to visit in the home of her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Wilsey, in Kalamazoo.

Mrs. Russell Leeson and son, Freddie, accompanied her sister, Mrs. Wm. Marcus, Jr., to Detroit Sunday and will spend a few days with another sister, Mrs. F. L. Wurtsmith, of Grosse Pte. Woods. Mrs. Marcus, Jr., spent a few days with Mrs. Wm. Marcus, Sr., who is ill in a hospital in Detroit.

The Ellington Grange No. 1650 meets Friday evening, Oct. 15, with Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes and will feature a pumpkin pie supper.

Mrs. Stanley Warner of Pontiac spent from Sunday until Wednesday with Mrs. Levi Bardwell and other friends here. Mrs. Bardwell was hostess to the Happy Dozen Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Fleenor and son, Ronald, and Mrs. Russell Cook spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Gast in Flint. Cpl. Frank F. White left Flint Wednesday to return to California after a furlough here. Mrs. Fred White, who had spent a few days in Flint, returned home with Mr. and Mrs. Fleenor.

Those from a distance who attended the funeral of Charles Evens Friday in the Methodist Church were: Mrs. Wm. McGee and family, Mrs. Vern Kirby, Mrs. Sylvester Curtis and Mrs. Melvin Patterson, all of Wayne; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Agar, Miss Meadie Karr of Ann Arbor; Miss Iva Karr of Willow Run; Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Karr and family of Bay City; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Maxfield of Elkton; Mrs. Mary Martin and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wilson of Port Huron; and relatives from Deford.

Harry Bay of Detroit and Carl Eisenhower of Toledo came Thursday to be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doerr and to enjoy pheasant hunting.

Mrs. Paul Koeltzow of Deford visited Mrs. Thos. Colwell on Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Striffler spent Sunday at their cottage at Sunshine Beach.

The Misses Anna Kastraba and Ersel Gaspie spent last Thursday with friends in Caro.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Moore visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lorn Trathen and at the Albert Hill home at Holbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hendrick and son, Kenneth, of Lansing spent two days last week with Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hendrick.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Taylor and Mrs. Celia Edgerton were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Edgerton at Sandusky.

Frank Reid was in Port Huron Tuesday attending a meeting of the board of directors of the Michigan Elevator Exchange.

Mrs. George Darling of Allenton came last week to visit her mother, Mrs. Archie McAlpine, and is ill in her mother's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. LaGere of Detroit visited the latter's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Colwell, from Sunday until Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Aldrich and children of Detroit will come Thursday to their home here to enjoy pheasant hunting a few days.

The W. S. C. S. of the Methodist Church will meet with Mrs. I. A. Fritz on Thursday, Oct. 21. Mrs. L. I. Wood is the program leader.

Mr. and Mrs. Terry Schwaderer and daughter, Janet, of Henpeck visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Sim Moore, calling on old friends meanwhile.

Cash Asher of Davenport, Iowa, spent from Saturday until Tuesday with his mother, Mrs. Geo. Hartwell, and other relatives here and visited relatives in Caro.

Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wells Tuesday evening were Mr. and Mrs. Orel Smalley of Lake Orion and Mr. Wells' mother, Mrs. Lillie Wells, of Mayville.

Mr. and Mrs. Leitch Mark and daughter, Jane, of Willow Run came Tuesday night to spend the remainder of the week at Mr. Mark's parental home here.

Mrs. G. A. Martin was a guest of Mrs. L. A. Maynard and Mrs. Walter Hubbard at Kingston Friday and spoke at a W. C. T. U. meeting in the Hubbard home Friday afternoon.

The Presbyterian Guild will meet Monday, Oct. 18, at the home of Mrs. D. A. Krug. Mrs. Raymond McCullough, Mrs. Curtis Hunt and Mrs. Jack Donahue will be assistant hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Kettlewell had as guests Wednesday Mrs. Kettlewell's father, Robt. Kettlewell, of Crosswell and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Nelson, of Port Huron.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess and daughter, Frances, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Burgess at Deckerville. Mrs. Frank Burgess spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Seekings, near Gagetown.

The Adult Bible Class of the Methodist Church met Thursday, Oct. 7, with Mrs. John McGrath. Mrs. Thos. Colwell read from the Upper Room book and conducted devotionals and Mrs. Walter Schell directed a Bible game. The hostesses and Mrs. Schell served refreshments.

Mrs. A. J. Knapp and Mrs. G. A. Tindale were guests at dinner of the Presbyterian Guild in Fairgrove Tuesday. The meeting was in the home of Mrs. McCreedy. Mrs. Knapp was present 10 years ago when the Guild was organized in Fairgrove and was invited to speak at the meeting Tuesday evening.

At a regular meeting of Echo Chapter, O. E. S., Wednesday evening, a dedication service for a new American flag and a new Eastern Star flag was held. Following the business meeting, refreshments were served by Mrs. Herb Ludlow and Mrs. Berkeley Patterson, assisted by Mrs. Chas. Newbery and Mrs. Harold Murphy. A special meeting for the purpose of initiation ceremonies will be held on Wednesday evening, Oct. 27.

MARRIAGES IN TUSCOLA.

Geo. J. Markovich, 18, Millington; Joyce G. Hanson, 18, Millington; married at Davison on Oct. 4 by Justice Alex McAra.

Clyde Frazer, 49, Millington; Mrs. Bernice Arline McCormick, 32, Detroit; married at Millington by Rev. Milton L. Bunker on Oct. 1.

John C. Surprenant, 20, Vassar; Elizabeth Sziber, 20, Vassar; married at Reese on Sept 25 by Rev. Fr. R. E. Fitzpatrick.

Robt. E. Reid, 22, Caro; Veda M. Lobdell, 18, Caro; married at Caro by Dr. E. Ray Willson on Oct. 6.

Harvey Louis Gohsman, 36, Vassar; Rose Marie Seene, 20, Vassar; married by Rev. Frank Hartley on Oct. 9 at Vassar.

Cucumbers Put in Kegs
A few cucumber plants can be set in a keg of rich soil and the keg then placed on a fence post or other stout pole. Watering must be frequent if the vines are to trail down luxuriantly and produce plenty of fruits.

Martinique Has France's Gold

\$285,000,000 in Coin Still Held Despite Orders To Sink It in Sea.

PORT-DE-FRANCE, MARTINIQUE.—Despite repeated orders from the Vichy government to sink some \$285,000,000 in gold coin stored in Fort Desaix's casemates, France's greatest single cache of wealth is safe in Allied hands.

Officials recently found messages from Vichy in government house, ordering Admiral Robert to resist with force any foreign intervention or internal uprising and to sink the gold and scuttle the French warships and merchantmen in Fort-de-France's harbor. The orders were sent on the average of once every three days.

Plans for sinking the gold in the event of foreign attack had been completed. The 3,766 boxes of metal were to be loaded aboard one of the ships and taken to sea at a point known for its great depth. Here, where the sea is too deep for successful diving and retrieval, the gold was to be dumped overboard and the ship itself scuttled.

Colonel Leads the Way
With Col. Pierre de Chevigne, member of the French delegation from Washington and interim chief of the island's police and military establishments, leading the way, a guard of honor greeted an inspection party at the fort's gateway. The colonel led the way toward the gold-studded casemates holding the coin from the Banque de France.

The containers, each holding about \$32,000 in coins of various nations, resemble so many boxes in a shoe-store. Most of the coins are French Louis d'Or, or 20-franc pieces of the days when the franc was more valuable, but one third of the total is in U. S. \$5 and \$10 gold coins.

The "shoeboxes" are piled to shoulder height within three casemates about 50 feet underground and further protected by an additional 40-foot rampart built above the ground at the fort's inner wall. The boxes are sealed with heavy steel bands which require some time to break.

Found It All There
About two months ago the U. S. naval observer, Capt. A. S. Hickey, and Marcel Malige, the consul, inspected the vaults to ascertain the presence of the gold. Accompanied by the local manager of the Banque de France, M. de Katof, who alone holds the key to the armored doorway, Hickey and Malige found that French officials had obligingly placed one of the heavy boxes on the floor, ready for opening.

A large sack containing several smaller sacks was found inside. Opening one of these the inspectors found glittering coins of the Latin Monetary Union. Hickey plunged his hand in the sack, drew out a handful of coins and let them fall through his fingers.

The American officials were thus satisfied the gold was still there, and so they reported to Washington. When France fell, the gold was loaded on the fast cruiser Emil Bertin and taken to Halifax under the command of Admiral Batten, who then went to Martinique despite reported efforts of British ships to halt his mission. Batten left Martinique, joined the Giraudists and made an attempt to swing Admiral Robert to Giraud's side.

Rosie Gets Automatic Feeder for Rivet Gun

BALTIMORE.—Once upon a time Rosie, and all the other riveters at the Glenn L. Martin airplane plant, picked up and placed rivets by hand, but that was before Inspector Charles J. Mellodge began his meditations.

Now it's done with an automatic feeder attached to the rivet gun—a flat metal or plastic cylinder easily attached, with a slotted track from the cylinder to a point near the nose of the gun. Result:

Martin officials said riveting time on planes for the army and the navy—including the B-26 Martin Marauder—should be cut 30 per cent.

Water Runs Uphill for Army Air Corps Men

WENDOVER FIELD, UTAH.—Engineers are going to make water run uphill for the benefit of U. S. army air corps men at Wendover field on the edge of western Utah's salt desert.

Early this summer they expect to complete a 12-inch pipeline 32 miles long connecting supply springs with a million-gallon storage reservoir at the base.

To do this, the water must be pumped from the springs and raised 228 feet to clear a ridge, after which it will be pumped through the line at 1,000 gallons per minute.

Really Too Bad Donor Didn't Send Her Blood

RICHMOND, VA.—A well-dressed woman paused before the registration desk for Red Cross blood donors:

"I'd like to send several pints of blood to the Nazis and Japs."

"We don't do that," said the startled attendant. Then, indignantly, "Why would you send blood to the Japs when American soldiers need it?"

"I have undulant fever."

At the Railroad Station—Be Careful!



Loose talk—idle bits of conversation—a chance remark about a soldier's plans, a sailor's visit—these bits and pieces tell the enemy how to sink our ships—loose talk at the station may cost many lives. Be Careful. RPS-OWI

LETTERS FROM MEN IN THE SERVICE

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folks at home are behind us.

"All letters from friends in the service and Cass City are appreciated."

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess have received the following letter from Lt. Vern Turner, son of Byron Turner, of Detroit, a former Cass City resident:

"Weil, I am somewhere in North Africa and, much as I wanted to come over here, I don't like it even a little bit. The city is just about like Southern California. It gets terribly hot in the daytime and very cool at night. Water is very scarce here and we have quite a problem getting our laundry done. We let some of the natives do it and they don't always bring it back.

"Quite a few of the fellows went to church today and they do have some very beautiful cathedrals in this city. The people are French, Spanish and Arabian. They are very friendly but awfully hard to talk to because they speak very little English. Their living conditions are terribly poor and it sure is disgusting. They keep their donkeys, chickens, goats and what have you right in the house with them.

"Our trip across was very uneventful and the water was very smooth. Nevertheless, I still was sick the first couple of days. Got my hair cut real short because the salt water makes it stand up straight. They surely have wonderful swimming beaches here and the water is of ideal temperature. The flies like to eat one up here. I have to censor mail for the men so I don't have too much time to write myself."

Pfc. Gaylord Wright wrote the letter printed below to Mrs. Ella Vance recently.

"I received your welcome letter and was sure glad to hear from you. Thanks a million for the Chronicle clippings of Norman and Joan. I get the Chronicle about once every two weeks but still I received your letter and clippings before I got my Chronicle.

"Well, how is the Townsend plan making out? I'll bet you have twice as many members now as you had before.

"I heard from Mr. and Mrs. Ray Kerbyson. They sent me three pictures and I am sure going to hang on to them. They really are swell people. They certainly try to keep my morale up. If everybody would write, my morale would never drop and that's what a soldier needs.

"Norman Gray and I were on the same boat when we landed on Attu. I landed first on Massacre Bay and there was lots of heavy firing and also fog. Then my company went up for one day's resting period. So I checked up on Norman and found him guarding Massacre pass. I talked to him about three or four hours. Then I left him and took off for my company. In the meantime my company went back in action. I saw him once after we took the pass. After it was over I checked on him again and found out that he was wounded. I didn't know what to think then. I hope Norman is feeling good now and I hope he doesn't leave the states. I would like to see him again but I know I won't until this war is over. What Norman said was the truth, and some people don't know there's a war on.

"Well, Mrs. Vance, I'd better sign off for now. Please write soon."

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wright received a telegram Monday, Oct. 4, from their son, Pvt. Clarence Wright, telling them that all was well with him, and Saturday, Oct. 9, they received a letter from him written from India. The letter just previous to the one of Oct. 9 was written in the states July 25 and, needless to say, his parents were glad to know of his safe arrival. His V-mail letter follows.

"It is about time that I got a

chance to write to you. It sure has been a long time since I wrote the last letter. How is everyone at home? I am feeling great. The only thing wrong is that it is too hot. I am wearing short pants and a real thin shirt.

"I am somewhere in India. I have always wanted to see the ocean but I have seen enough to last me a lifetime since I left the states. I have seen all I want of India and I am ready to come home.

"I surely wish that I was home for hunting season. You tell Harry that he better take good care of my guns and shoot a pheasant for me.

"If you write V-mail, it will get here sooner—the sooner the better."

Specialists Tour Soil Conservation District Monday

Seven specialists, each in his own field of agriculture, from the Michigan State College, were present Monday at a soils and rotation organization study. The Tuscola County Farm was studied as a typical example of farms lying in one of the principal soil areas of the newly organized Tuscola Soil Conservation District. The tour of the farm began at 1:00 p. m. and was in charge of County Agent Norris W. Wilber.

Leaving the county farm, the tour of the district continued northeast to Gagetown, thence to Cass City, then south and west through Ellington and Almer Townships to Caro.

In the evening, the group met at the court house for a discussion of the observations made and to summarize recommendations at hand for the use of the district directors in formulating a suitable work plan. Some of the recommendations made by these agricultural specialists were as follows:

1. For the good, fertile clay loam soils in Elkland, Elmwood, Ellington, Almer, Indianfields and Junata Townships a farming program should be carried on which includes an abundance of hay, meadow, and forage crops supported by the production of small grains and enough corn to supply grain and silage for relatively heavy loads of livestock (in most cases, good dairy cattle). An occasional cash crop of beans or sugar beets on the

Speed Germination
To speed germination of late-planted garden seeds, in dry weather some gardeners lay a board over the row. As soon as the seedlings begin to break through the soil, they remove the boards.

Sharp
For pungent black pepper, the berries are gathered before they ripen. The milder white pepper differs only in being prepared from the ripe fruit.

Water Tomatoes
Staked tomatoes can use water more efficiently if a shallow ring is opened in the soil about each plant. Put the water above the feeding roots, out a good ten inches from the stem, but don't wash them bare. Refill several times with water and allow this to soak away before covering the ring with soil again.

more level and fertile fields may well be included.
2. An increase in the use of commercial fertilizers, lime and barnyard manure in establishing and maintaining better alfalfa and alfalfa-brome grass seedings.
3. An increase in the use of legume silage as a means of cutting down the need for as many acres of row crops in the rotation.
4. A few special precautions on the more rolling farms to prevent severe sheet and gully erosion, i. e., establishing sod waterways, growing cover crops after corn and beans for winter protection of soils, planting of occasional wind-breaks to help hold loose top-soil when bare, and, in some instances, drilling and planting of crops in rows across the slopes rather than up and down will prevent losses of soil.
The program of the soil conservation district will be carried out under the direction of the board of directors who will be assisted by any or all of the agricultural agencies of the state in the work. Special assistance of a full-time district conservationist is expected to be provided by the Soil Conservation Service, U. S. D. A., within the next month. Farmers or groups of farmers within the district may then make applications to the board of directors for any assistance they may need in working out individual farm plans or community soil conservation projects.
Members of the board of directors are Bruce Brown, Walter Goodall, R. L. Hill, Dorr Perry and Erwin Zenke. Their next regular meeting will be held in the court house on Nov. 10.

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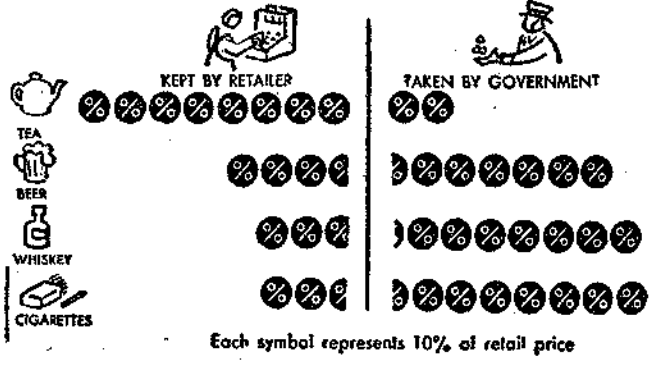
WEEKLY NEWS ANALYSIS

Steady Allied Drives in All Sectors Continue to Keep Axis on Defensive; Congress Studies Higher Tax Levies; AFL Sets Postwar Goals for Unions

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TELEFACT

BRITAIN'S HIDDEN TAXES



British taxes on some items are interesting in the light of Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau's request for 10 1/2 billion dollars of new revenue, part of which would be raised by taxation of goods.

FORTRESS EUROPE: Allies at Walls

With the big battle yet to come, Allied forces sparred with the Nazis all along the outer wall of Fortress Europe.

In Italy, the Americans and British moved slowly northward toward Rome through stubborn Nazi rear-guard action. Entrained in the rugged terrain, the Germans held back Allied troops with mortar and machine-gun fire, only giving up their ground to move to new positions when Clark and Montgomery brought up superior concentrations of artillery and men.

In an attempt to draw out the German fleet for a fight, British and American naval units raided the Nazis' shipping center of Bodo in northern Norway. But the German fleet refused to be lured into the trap.

In the Aegean sea, the Nazis recaptured the islands of Kos and Leros, which serve as bases from which an invasion fleet moving into Greece can be shelled and bombed.

SOUTHWEST PACIFIC: Madang Next

Holding the initiative, Allied forces moved swiftly up the northeastern coast of New Guinea, to clean out remaining Jap air and sea bases in this area of Australasia.

Latest Allied goal was Madang, another of the strong points which the Japanese established to harass any force attempting to move northward by sea or land. Driving forward through tropical country, the Allies neared the first ring of Madang's defenses, apparently manned by a medium-sized garrison, of the type being sacrificed by the enemy command in brief holding engagements.

Pressed in by superior Allied forces in the central Solomons, the Japs were evacuating the island of Kolombangara and moving their troops to the north by barge. Although the Japs moved the barges by night, concentrations were discovered along the shores by day, and these were peppered by Allied fires.

LABOR: AFL Meets

Labor's goal after the war will be the establishment of free, democratic trade unions in all countries, AFL President William Green declared in opening the 63rd annual convention of the American Federation of Labor in Boston.

Survival of the free enterprise system in the U. S. will depend upon American business' ability to provide employment after the war, Green said. Unless production is stimulated, the people will lose confidence in business leadership, he declared, and turn to government.

The need for 15 million homes after the war will afford one means of providing employment for seven million workers for many years, Green said.

Chief interest of the convention was the AFL's action on John L. Lewis' application for re-entrance of the United Mine Workers into the organization. Although bitterly opposed by some factions, there were indications the path might be cleared for accepting Lewis through further negotiations.

TAXES: Ask for More

To add to present collections of \$3 billion dollars, Secretary of the Treasury Henry Morgenthau asked congress to raise an additional 10 1/2 billion dollars in new taxes.

Morgenthau proposed raising 6 1/2 billion dollars by increasing personal income taxes and cutting exemptions for dependents. To bring in another 1 billion, 100 million dollars, corporation taxes would be boosted.

The remainder of the money would be raised by sharply increasing taxes on tobacco, liquor, amusements and luxuries. New taxes would be placed on candy, chewing gum, soft drinks and greeting cards. Morgenthau also recommended broadening of the social security program to include practically all workers and provide temporary disability and hospitalization benefits.

On hearing Morgenthau's proposals, Rep. Robert Doughton said: "I do not see at this time how we can make the full increases requested."

DRAFT: Senate Acts

With Sen. Burton Wheeler's bill to defer the drafting of fathers until January 1 dooming, the senate acted on a substitute measure of Sen. Josiah Bailey, designed to tighten grounds for deferment of government employees, and providing for the appointment of a commission to re-examine physical standards so as to permit use of many present 4F's.

Senator Bailey's bill also included a proposal of Sen. Robert Taft, under which no deferment could be granted unless the appeals board of the district where the employer makes the request gives its approval.

Although the majority of the draft boards held off the induction of fathers until congress acted on the issue, dads were being called in some instances. All told, 448,000 were supposed to be drafted by January 1 under the services' announced plans. However, the senate debate revealed that many more may be drafted because of navy demands.

To aid in relieving the eastern feed shortage, CCC revealed it was seeking to import wheat from South America, with the amount to be brought in determined by the shipping available. No corn could be imported, CCC said, because drought has crippled the crop.

To encourage the accumulation of a larger country corn inventory by butyl alcohol and butyl acetate producers, OPA redesigned a bushel of corn as of 56 pounds weight and 15.5 per cent moisture. Since the price of the chemicals had been tied to a base cost of a bushel of corn, high moisture content failed to reflect true margins.

Sees City's End

Because the automobile, airplane and helicopter will reduce travel time, more and more people will abandon congested cities and move to outlying districts, says Frank Lloyd Wright, one of the foremost leaders in the development of modern architecture.

The home of the future will contain much glass to permit sunshine and light, Wright says, and each one will have a little farm. Smoke will be eliminated through the development of modern heating systems, Wright predicts, and the entire country will be electrified.

HOGS: Reach Ceiling

On the first day price ceilings on live hogs went into effect in the Chicago stockyards, virtually all classes of pigs brought producers the \$14.75 a hundred pounds top.

Buyers paid \$14.75 for good 170 to 500 pounders and good sows from 300 to 450 pounds. Good 140 to 160 pounders and 475 to 700 pound sows brought from \$14.50 to \$14.75.

In all, 20 major markets received 87,000 hogs on the first day of the price ceiling, 51,000 below the preceding week. In Chicago, the lighter receipts were reflected in a general price rise, resulting in almost the same return for all grades.

RUSSIA: 'Hold Line'—Hitler

Flying to the Nazis' Dnieper river defense line, Adolf Hitler addressed his generals in these words: "Here I am, and here I shall stand."

As Hitler spoke, the last of the German rear-guard lines were falling back to the new lines, and the Russians encountered stiff resistance as they approached the Nazis' main positions. Driving rain further impeded the Reds' march.

Finland, Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania were included in the Nazis' new defense line. Except for a stretch in the north and one in the south, the new line was anchored on the west bank of the Dnieper river.

Broad along most of its course, with steep western banks, the Dnieper offers strong means of resistance. The Germans have massed artillery on these western banks to shell Russians concentrating for attack.

BRITISH NAVY: New Chief

To tough, 50-year-old Admiral Andrew Browne Cunningham went Great Britain's most responsible fighting assignment, first sea lord and chief of naval staff.

Cunningham's appointment followed the Italian fleet's surrender to the Allies after it had been driven to cover by superior British forces under his command. An old navy man, Cunningham served in the Mediterranean during the First World War, and in the South Atlantic waters during the Boer war.

To Cunningham will fall the responsibility for operating the great naval armada upon which Britain depends for keeping its supply lines open, in war and peace.

Cunningham succeeds Adm. Dudley Pound, often called the "father" of the British navy's modern aggressive tactics.

BOMB EUROPE: Hit Nazi Industry

Continuing to hammer the German industrial machine, American Flying Fortresses struck Frankfurt in a daylight raid, using high level precision methods to pick out and destroy production areas. Twelve hours later, a huge British force followed the attack, dropping 500 tons of bombs, and leaving many sections of the big city burning. Motors, chemicals and tires are manufactured there.

Other targets in western and northern Germany were also assaulted by Fortresses and Liberators, one force disrupting installations at the Nazi-held air base at St. Dizier, France. All flights were escorted by P-47 Thunderbolts, and all reported meeting violent opposition.

Because the Germans have massed anti-aircraft guns around industrial installations and concentrated on fighter plane production, bombings of Europe have become more difficult, it has been revealed.

OIL: More From Others

Nations with surplus stocks of petroleum should be encouraged to increase production and thereby forestall the depletion of the United States' reserves, a group of western senators and representatives whose states are facing reductions in gasoline rations declared. Mexico and Venezuela in particular were mentioned as countries that could increase their outputs of crude oil substantially.



TURKEYS AND THE ARMY

The army is beginning to wonder if it hasn't over-extended itself on the business of turkeys. It has ruled that civilians may not buy turkeys for their Thanksgiving or Christmas dinners—or for next Sunday's dinner, for that matter—until the army has acquired 12 million pounds for the armed forces overseas.

That sounded all right, until somebody in the quartermaster corps began figuring out what you could do with 12 million pounds of turkeys. For generous portions, you can figure that 100 pounds of undressed turkey will feed 100 men.

The number of men in the armed forces overseas, including army, navy, and marines, is around two million. Allow each man a pound of turkey for Thanksgiving and another for Christmas, and you reach the total of four million pounds.

But the amount reserved for this purpose is three times four million, or 12 million pounds.

When certain food experts in the quartermaster corps realized this, they started to do some fast telephoning. When last heard from, they still didn't know what two million men would do with 12 million pounds of turkey—except eat 'em.

NAZI PSYCHOLOGICAL WARFARE

Beware of false rumors about Germany. The Germans, masters of psychological warfare, are watching every opportunity to take advantage of American credulity. They know that Americans are optimistic by nature and that we are prone to believe any story about miraculous victories or fortunate events.

Apparently it was this method of psychological warfare which prompted the reports that Hitler had been deposed in favor of military authorities.

It has now been definitely established that no such event took place. State department officials now say flatly that the whole thing was a false report, from beginning to end. It was so generally reported, however, that they believe it must have been prompted by Germany. The motive in such a case would have been to make Americans rush to the conclusion that Germany was tottering and the war was not far from finished. This would have the effect of weakening our bond drives and similar efforts.

Note: The Nazi news report of Hitler's ousting came via Spain.

ARMY'S FAVORITE FOODS

Since the Truman committee's investigation of food waste in the army, the quartermaster corps has been as frugal as a Dutch housewife. Elaborate studies have been made of what the soldiers eat and what they leave on the plate, with the idea of cutting down the percentage of garbage.

After watching the eating habits of 16,000 soldiers at Chanute Field, Ill., the quartermaster corps gave each dish a rating, according to its popularity. Roast chicken and apple pie rated 100. So did roast duck and roast ham. But creamed ham rated only 55. (QMC dietitian Mary I. Barber explains: "Not many men like mashed up food." Artemus Ward said: "When I eat hash, I like to know what I'm eating.")

No matter what you may do to butter up spinach, it remains spinach and the soldiers gave it a rating of 41. It was just about the lowest of all.

NO TIRES FOR RUBBER CZAR

Col. Bradley Dewey, who succeeded Big Bill Jeffers as rubber director, says he wishes he could get his hands on a set of synthetic tires. He is now in charge of the program which promises to produce 30 million synthetic tires by the end of next year, but he is not able to try synthetic tires on his own car. "I wish," says Colonel Dewey, "that OPA would let me have a set of the new tires. I'd like to try them out. I understand they skid less than natural rubber. Not that I drive at skidding speeds, mind you, but I'd like to see what they would do."

"Some of the taxi drivers out in Akron have new synthetic tires, and they swear by them. But I'd like to see what they would do for me."

Reason for Dewey's inability to get tires is that though he is in charge of the entire program, he is obliged to apply for tires through OPA, like any other citizen. And since his present tires are reasonably good, he can't get any new synthetic tires.

MERRY GO ROUND

A high, air-minded war department official says the length of the war depends on the weather this winter. If the weather is favorable for flying, the war in Europe might be over before next summer.

Brig. Gen. Glen C. Jamison, of the Thirtieth air force, South Pacific, pays high tribute to Negro engineers who built roads, airfields, and living quarters in the Solomons and New Hebrides, using native construction materials and thus saving shipping from U. S.

NOVESTA.

Sgt. Robert Spiers arrived on Oct. 4 from the Army Air Base at Salt Lake City, Utah, for a 10-day furlough with his parents and friends. Bob is an aerial gunner and has been in training about eight months.

Mrs. Dan Waxell of Wilmot and Sgt. and Mrs. Wm. Waxell called on friends in Novesta on Friday. Sgt. Waxell, who is stationed in Washington, is spending a 10-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Waxell, of Wilmot.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Henderson

Order for Publication—Account. State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office, in the Village of Caro, in said County, on the 30th day of September, A. D. 1943. Present, Hon. Almon C. Pierce, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Orlando A. Strickland, M. I.

Frederick H. Pinney, having filed in said Court his 1st annual account as guardian of said estate, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof.

It is ordered, that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1943, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, central war time, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account; and it is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ALMON C. PIERCE, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Rose Nagy, Register of Probate. 10-3-3

Order for Publication—Final Administration Account.—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro, in said County, on the 1st day of October, A. D. 1943. Present, Hon. Almon C. Pierce, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Vern H. Heller, Deceased. William A. Ball, having filed in said Court his final administration account, and his petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 25th day of October, A. D. 1943, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, central war time, at said Probate Office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

ALMON C. PIERCE, Judge of Probate. A true copy. Rose Nagy, Register of Probate. 10-3-3

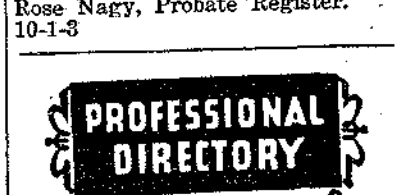
Notice of Hearing Claims Before Court—State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

In the matter of the Estate of Anthony Weller, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that 2 months from the 1st day of October, A. D. 1943, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the village of Caro, in said county, on or before the 1st day of December, A. D. 1943, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Friday, the 3rd day of December, A. D. 1943, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, central war time.

Dated September 24, A. D. 1943. ALMON C. PIERCE, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Rose Nagy, Probate Register. 10-1-3



K. I. MacRAE, D. O. Osteopathic Physician and Surgeon. Half block east of Chronicle Office. Phone 226.

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MORRIS HOSPITAL F. I. MORRIS, M. D. Office hours, 1-4 and 7-9 p. m. Phone 62R2.

H. Theron Donahue, M. D. Physician and Surgeon. X-Ray Eyes Examined. Phones: Office, 96; Residence, 69.

B. H. STARMANN, M. D. Physician and Surgeon. Hours—Daily, 9 to 5. Wednesday and Saturday evenings, 7-9:30. Other times by appointment. Phones—Office 189R2; Home 189R3.

were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. Geo. McArthur. Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson were Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Henderson and son, Don, and Miss Velma Pratt of Pontiac, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Henderson and family of Kingston and A. J. Pratt of Bay City.

Seasoning Bed Planted. A small seasoning bed, not far from the outdoor grill, should have onions, chives, parsley and mint for the convenient flavoring of garden party meals.

Preserves Minerals. All of the minerals in fruits and vegetables are preserved in dehydration, but vitamin content is reduced, the nutrition specialists say.

Banana Tree. When is a tree not a tree? When it's a banana "tree." What looks to you like a tree is really a large plant with no woody stem above the ground, no woody roots, no taproot. The thick "trunk" of the banana plant is actually a compact mass of large overlapping leaves.

Tastes. Consumer tastes are reflected in the demand for types of animals. New England buys heavier hogs (220 pounds and up) than those preferred in New York city.

Garbage Pail Washed. To preserve the garbage pail for the duration, treat it to a thorough washing with soapsuds once a week, followed by a hot water rinse. Never use dry heat on enamelware.

"Eat it up, Wear it out, Make it do, Do without." A REPORT TO OUR CUSTOMERS

The wartime philosophy of "making things do" has even taken the wave out of the checkered flags on Detroit Edison repair trucks! These are the flags you see posted in the middle of a street to warn traffic, where men are engaged in construction or repair work. Formerly they were made of bunting, but bunting is a war casualty. Now the flags are stiff canvas—but still doing a job.

Do you know that— 550,000 pounds of scrap copper 190,000 pounds of lead 53,000 pounds of scrap brass were recovered in 12 months (to August, 1943) and put back into use by the Salvage Division of The Detroit Edison Company? In addition, 98,000 feet of cable and 560,000 pounds of weatherproof wire were reclaimed by splicing, and over 10,000 pounds of scrap rubber were recovered from old air and water-hose. More than 96,000 appliance cords were reconditioned "as good as new," and nearly 5,000 old wood poles were reclaimed by shaving off the decayed exterior and treating the pole with a fungus-destroying chemical.

CONSERVE ELECTRICITY. Even a 3 per cent saving in the monthly use of electricity by Detroit Edison customers will save 7,000 TONS OF COAL PER MONTH (117 CARLOADS). VITAL TRANSPORTATION 8,500 MANHOURS.

THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY. Professional Directory listing for K. I. MacRAE, D. O. and P. A. Schenck, D. D. S.

Salvage for Victory. It's your patriotic duty. Ours is a vitally, essential salvage organization. Salvage solves shortages. DARLING'S FARM ANIMAL SERVICE. WE PAY CASH. HORSES \$5.00. CATTLE \$4.00. Hogs, Calves and Sheep According to Size and Conditions. PHONE COLLECT TO CASS CITY 207. DARLING & COMPANY.

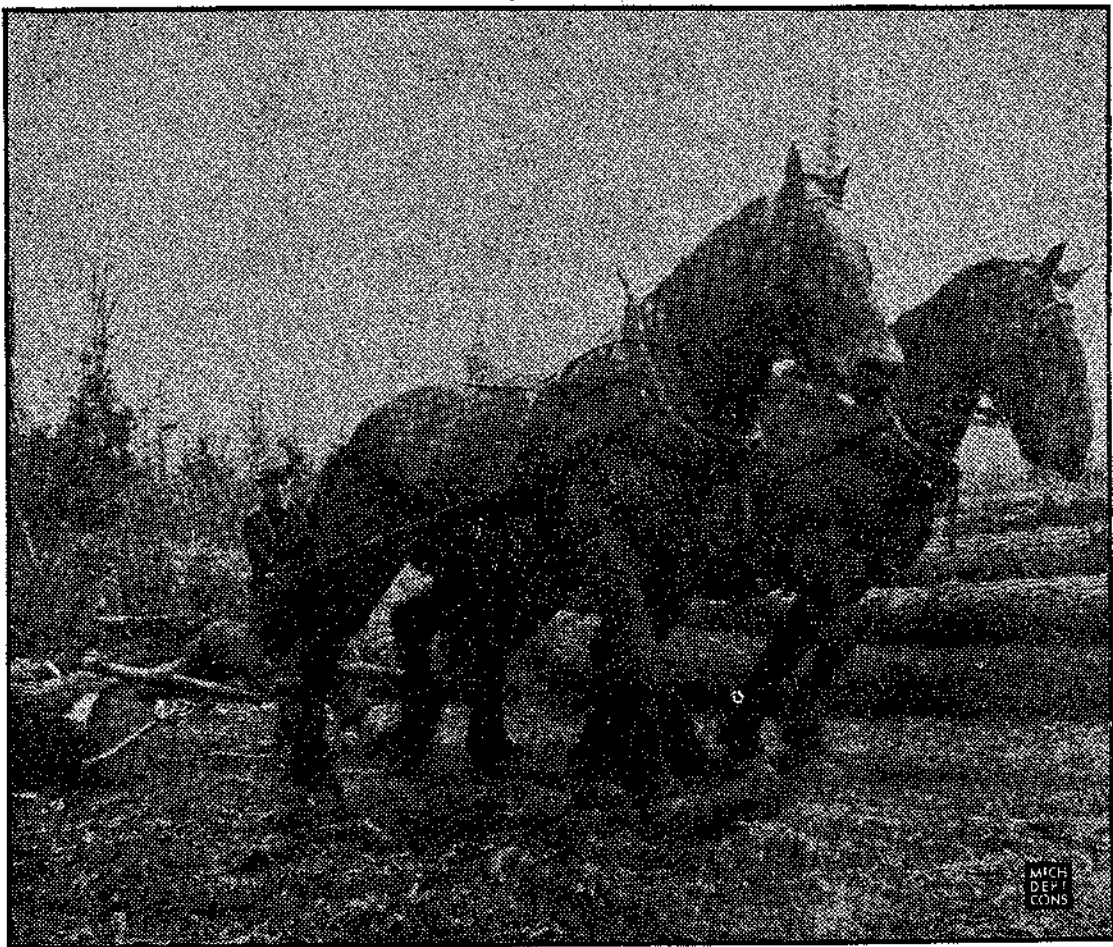
HIGHLIGHTS . . . in the week's news

SPENDING: Higher individual incomes resulting from the war boom have boosted sales of various luxuries, a survey by the Northwestern National Life Insurance company shows. The figures reveal that sales of "quality" women's dresses have risen 60 per cent above a year ago, furs 68 per cent, jewelry 35 per cent, playing cards, 56 per cent, and cigarettes 17 per cent.

AUTOS: Dealers in new automobiles will have to sell to customers holding certificates on a "first-come, first-served basis" hereafter, according to an Office of Price Administration ruling.

FAMINE: Great Britain will send part of its scanty grain supply to India to relieve a famine in the Bengal region, Lord Woolton, British minister of food, stated recently.

Don't Forget the Horse!



Even in this mechanized age of tractors and trucks, horses are still doing their part in the war effort, as shown in this picture. This sturdy, well-trained team is skidding hemlock logs out of the Gogebic county lumbering areas, from where they will be transported to the mills to be sawed up into lumber and the bark will be sent to tanneries.

Freiberger was formerly Genevieve Downing.

Pfc. James Downing, somewhere in England, writes his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Downing, that England is beautiful, that he has been in London seeing the sights, that he likes his new work and has gained 10 pounds since he is there.

EVERGREEN.

The Evergreen W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Willard Harris on Friday, Oct. 22, at 2:00 p. m. This meeting is one week later than usual for various reasons.

Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Gibson of Flint spent part of last week with their daughters here, returning home on Thursday, accompanied by their daughters, Mrs. Alex Lindsay, Jr., Mrs. Floyd Kennedy, and Mrs. Harmon Nichols.

Mrs. Wm. Coulter returned home the last of the week from Detroit where she has spent several weeks with relatives.

Harmon Nichols and Floyd Kennedy spent Sunday in Flint.

Rev. and Mrs. R. W. Herber attended the funeral of Mrs. George Wilks in Port Huron on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Severance entertained relatives from Flint last Thursday.

We are glad to hear that Wm. McRae is much improved at this writing. He had undergone a serious operation Tuesday, Oct. 5.

LADIES' BOWLING LEAGUE.

Team	W	L
Stafford	3	0
Wallace	2	1
Hunt	2	1
Benkelman	2	1
Rienstra	1	2
Parsch	1	2
McCullough	1	2
Schwaderer	0	3

Team, high three games—Wallace, 1401.

Team, high single game—Wallace, 486.

Individual, high three games—Rienstra, 447.

Individual, high single game—Schwaderer, 177.

Teams, total pins—Wallace, 1401; Rienstra, 1333; Stafford, 1295; Hunt, 1293; Parsch, 1250; Benkelman, 1233; McCullough, 1170; Schwaderer, 1170.

Pen high averages—Rienstra, 149; Schwaderer, 148; Parsch, 139; Hunt, 135; Riley, 133; Benkelman, 127; Walsley, 124; Wallace, 123; McCullough, 122; Reid, 121.

Dog Food

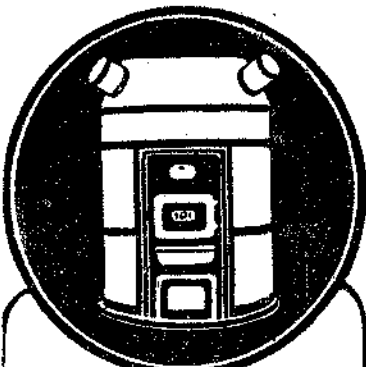
Crows can best be prepared for dogs by grinding, to eliminate small bones which might otherwise puncture the dogs' intestines, or by cooking the birds until the meat falls off the bones. The heart, liver and gizzard of the crow are rich in beneficial vitamins, it is claimed.

CARO LIVESTOCK AUCTION YARDS

Market report for Tuesday, Oct. 12, 1943—

Best veal	15.00-16.00
Fair to good	14.50-15.00
Common kind	14.00 down
Deacons	2.00- 9.50
Best butcher cattle	14.05-14.30
Good grass cattle	12.10-13.50
Good grass	
heifers	11.00-12.10
Common kind	9.50-10.50
Good butcher	
cows	9.10-10.00
Cutters	7.40- 8.80
Canners	6.20- 7.00
Light butcher	
bulls	8.70-10.00
Stock bulls	40.00-73.00
Feeder cattle	32.50-48.00
Best hogs	14.60
Heavy hogs	14.00-14.10
Light hogs	14.30-14.60
Roughs	14.00-14.45
Common lambs	11.40-12.45

Sale every Tuesday 2:00 P. M. Herb Haist, Auctioneer.



\$28 and up

Complete with hood and casing. Pipes and Registers 1/4 price; also BOILERS, STOKERS and PARTS. INSTALLATIONS REASONABLE. Lowest Prices in Michigan. **Cook Furnace Exch.** TOWNSEND 2-6479 3000 S. Main, Just East of Woodward

GAGETOWN NEWS

Pfc. Leo Thiel of Lincoln, Neb., spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Thiel.

Friends of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Purdy spent the week end with them at Otsego Lake. The Purdys returned to their home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeffry LeClair spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wood.

Mrs. Walter Barton and Miss Veronica Mullin attended the Michigan Bell Telephone Co.'s pioneer dinner at the Zehnder Hotel in Frankenmuth Saturday.

Mrs. Catherine Schalck, the former Mrs. Wills, is ill at her home at 2112 Addison Way, Los Angeles (41), California.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Beach entertained the October meeting of the Gageton Grange last week. The election of officers took place at this meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ginter

and sons of Elkton were Sunday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Don Wilson.

Mrs. Richard Burdon entertained her bridge club Thursday afternoon.

The Tuscola Sub-District Annual Preaching Mission was observed in the Methodist Church here with preaching Sunday evening by Rev. D. W. Ryan of Unionville; Monday evening, Rev. D. S. Kinde of Fairgrove; Tuesday evening, Dr. E. Ray Wilson of Caro. Sunday morning, the service was turned over to the Sunday School superintendent, Mrs. L. D. MacRae, and the pupils gave a very fine program of one hour in celebration of the annual Sunday School rally.

Tech-5 Harold Johnston of North Carolina and Mrs. Johnston of West Branch are visiting at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Johnston.

Carl Sieland of Detroit spent the week end at his home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rocheleau entertained Mr. and Mrs. Adrian Nutt and Chas. Hubble of Flint on Saturday for dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Alphonso Rocheleau visited Sunday in Bay City, the guests of Miss Catherine Lafave.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Grady and family and Miss Veronica Mullin were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hein of Port Hope. The occasion was Mrs. Hein's birthday.

Mrs. Jennie McKenzie of Carroll, Iowa, and Mrs. Rebecca Hurd were Thursday dinner guests of Mrs. Alphonso Rocheleau.

F. D. Hemerick and J. L. Purdy transacted business in Caro Friday. Joseph Trudeau of Tyre was visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity last week.

Felicitations are extended to Mr. and Mrs. Alger Freiberger of Ferndale on the birth of a 6 1/2 pound baby girl on Monday, Oct. 11, at Ardmore Hospital. Mrs.

Farm Auction Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell the following property at auction at the premises, 4 1/2 miles south of Cass City, on

Tuesday, October 19

commencing at one o'clock

CATTLE

Holstein cow 6 years old, freshens in Mar.
Durham cow 4 years old, freshens in Mar.
Red and white cow, 5 years old, not bred

GRAIN AND FEED

100 bushels of oats, 1942 crop
Quantity of wheat
120 shocks of corn
400 White Rock chickens

MISCELLANEOUS

Platform scales 12 cwt.
Grindstone

Range cook stove in ivory and green

Piano in good condition

New Perfection oil stove, 4 burners and built-in oven

Qualified Karr heating stove, brand new

One-horse cultivator

Day bed Oil barrel

2 half barrels Strainer

4 milk cans

Dining room table

Water tank

1940 Chevrolet, master deluxe, good tires

Opportunity will be given for others to bring livestock, implements, and other articles to sell at this auction.

Terms made known on day of sale

Charles Tedford, Prop.

Arnold Copeland, Auctioneer Cass City State Bank, Clerk

Auction Sale

of

Household Furniture

and cooking utensils will be held at the premises 5 miles west of Argyle, or 2 miles north and one mile east of Shabbona, on

Wednesday, Oct. 20

Commencing at one o'clock, slow time

Living room suite, new last fall	Dresser	Vanity	Wardrobe
Living room rug, 9x11, new last fall	Chest of drawers		Music cabinet
3 rocking chairs	Vacuum sweeper	Dining room linoleum, 12x15	
Dining room table and 8 chairs		Several other linoleum rugs	Curtains
Buffet	Curtain stretchers	White sewing machine	
Book case and writing desk		3-burner oil stove and oven	
Kitchen table and 4 chairs		Small heating stove	
All white kitchen range		2 electric lamps	Sideboard
Philco refrigerator, 9 cubic feet		100 bushels of oats	
Maytag washing machine		Cooking utensils	
Wash tubs and boiler	Churn	Stands and several other articles	
Two beds, springs and mattresses			

TERMS—All sums of \$10 and under, cash; over that amount, 12 months' time on approved, endorsed notes at 7 per cent interest.

Mrs. Vern Nichols, Owner

Arnold Copeland, Auctioneer

Pinney State Bank, Clerk

Farm Auction Sale

Having sold my farm, 7 miles west of Cass City, I will sell the following property at auction on

Saturday, October 23

AT ONE O'CLOCK

CATTLE

Durham cow, 5 years old, due Jan. 10
Jersey heifer, 18 months old, due Jan. 5
Jersey heifer, 16 months old, due Feb. 24
Durham and Brown Swiss bull, 7 months old
Purebred Jersey bull, 10 months old, eligible for registry
Purebred Jersey bull, 8 months old, eligible for registry
Jersey heifer, 2 years old, pasture bred
Durham and Ayrshire heifer, 2 years old, pasture bred
Holstein heifer, 2 years old, pasture bred
Guernsey and Durham cow, 7 years old, due Aug. 28
Black Jersey cow, 7 years old, due Apr. 5
Holstein cow, 12 years old, due Feb. 15
Durham cow, 7 years old, due Feb. 20
Brown Swiss cow, 4 years old, pasture bred
Holstein heifer, 2 years old, pasture bred
Holstein heifer, 2 years old, pasture bred
Jersey cow, 5 years old, due June 13

HORSES

Black team of geldings, 8 and 10 years old, weight 2700
Sorrel team, 5 and 7 years old, weight about 3200
2 sets of heavy double harness

SWINE

Sow with 6 pigs

FARM IMPLEMENTS

Deering grain binder, 6 ft. cut
McCormick-Deering 2-horse corn and bean cultivator
New Prema cream separator
Set of large twin pulley blocks
Several small tools
Numerous other articles

FEED

Quantity of oats and hay

TERMS—All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount, 12 months' time on approved, endorsed notes at 7 per cent interest.

MILES GEROU, Owner

W. H. Turnbull, Auctioneer

Pinney State Bank, Clerk

Paragraphs About Folks in the Service

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stine have received the news of the safe arrival of their son, Sgt. Harrison Stine, in England.

First Sgt. Mark Gruber, a member of a motion picture unit of Culver City, Calif., has spent the last six weeks on location in Texas.

Mrs. Harold Craig left Thursday to spend two weeks with her husband, Petty Officer Harold Craig of the U. S. Navy, now at Norfolk, Va.

Sgt. Garrison Stine of Dulzura, California, arrived Sunday to spend a 15-day furlough at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Stine.

Cpl. Andrew S. Woidan of Drew Field, Tampa, Florida, arrived Friday to spend a 16-day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Woidan.

Y 3-c Frank Fort came Friday to spend a 15-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Fort. Frank is in the Navy and is stationed at Brooklyn, New York.

Cpl. Lloyd H. Putnam, a former resident here, now of San Francisco, is spending a 15-day furlough with relatives in Flint and Lansing. He visited friends here last Thursday.

Alfred H. Hill of R. R. 3, Cass City, has been promoted to the rank of technician fifth grade at Fort Adams, R. I. He is among the enlisted men in the Harbor Defenses of Narragansett Bay.

James Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Smith of Cass City, has been promoted from pharmacist's mate third class to second class. He is located in the central supply department of the main hospital at Great Lakes, Ill.

Pfc. Leonard Guinther, recently of Camp Coxcomb, California, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Geo. Southworth, and other friends and relatives here this week. Upon the completion of his 16-day furlough he will go to New York City.

Sgt. Carl A. Jackson and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brock and grandson, all of Caro, were visitors at the Wm. Jackson home Oct. 4. Sgt. Jackson left for Fort Sam Houston, Texas, Tuesday evening after attending school for six weeks in Detroit and Cleveland.

Gunner's Mate 2-c Leonard Sparks, who is spending a 19-day furlough with friends in Ann Arbor, visited at the Wm. Jackson home in Elmwood Thursday and Friday. G-M Sparks has been on convoy duty to Africa and Panama the last few months and will return to Brooklyn, New York.

Clare Bergen has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant (j. g.). He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bergen of Pontiac, former residents here, and the grandson of Mrs. L. E. Dickinson and Mrs. Wm. Little. For some time he has been stationed in the Canal Zone. Upon his enlistment in the Navy, he was commissioned an ensign.

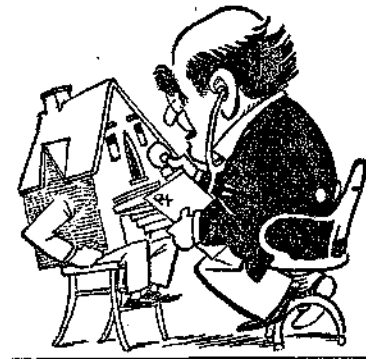
Kenneth Clement, who is in the military police at Camp Waterloo, near Jackson, Michigan, spent from Friday until Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Clement, Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Clement and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McArthur and son, Bobby, took him back to his location. Returning home, they visited Mrs. McArthur's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Squires, in Flint.

A new recruit at the U. S. Naval Training Station, Great Lakes, Ill., is Lawrence Arthur Zapfe, 18, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Elmer Zapfe of Cass City. Now undergoing "boot" training, he is being indoctrinated into Navy life and is being instructed in seamanship, military drill, and naval procedure. Soon he will be given a series of aptitude tests to determine whether he will be selected to attend one of the Navy's service schools or will be assigned to active duty at sea.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare Bullis received word last week that their nephew, Cpl. Elmer W. Hillaker, had received a letter of commendation from his commanding officer and the mayor of a North African city for bravery in fighting a fire to save supplies without fear of danger to himself until he was overcome with smoke and heat and was taken to a hospital. The fire was April 9 and the letter was dated April 9. It stated that the letter would be put on record for him. Cpl. E. W. Hillaker has been overseas a year last August, first going to North Ireland and in Dec., 1942, going to North Africa. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Hillaker and a grandson of Mrs. Hattie Walker of Cass City.

FOOD FACTS...

TO FEED OUR SOLDIERS IN THE SOUTHWEST PACIFIC, AUSTRALIAN AIRBORNE FORCES HAVE GONE WITHOUT MOST OF THEIR POTATOES, PORK, CANNED MEATS, VEGETABLES, AND CITRUS FRUITS. Australia & New Zealand HAVE SUPPLIED OUR ARMED FORCES WITH... BEEF & VEAL - 26 MILLION LBS. LAMB & MUTTON - 5 MILLION LBS. PORK, BACON & HAM - 12 MILLION LBS. POTATOES - 25 MILLION LBS. FRUIT & VEG. - 25 MILLION LBS. EGGS - 3 MILLION DOZEN BUTTER - 6 MILLION DOZEN MILK - 1 MILLION GALS. SUGAR - 3 MILLION LBS.



FIRST-AID to the AILING HOUSE

By ROGER B. WHITMAN. Roger B. Whitman—WNU Features.

ONE of my correspondents says that in the repairing of her porch last year an end wall with windows was added. She goes on to say that "because of dampness, the carpenter advised painting the new wood with a first coat of oil and turpentine. The entire porch was then given two coats of good paint, but a few months later, the paint on the new wood checked and peeled. The new wood was then repaired, but this summer the same trouble occurred. Apparently, the paint did not penetrate the wood. The first rule in painting is to have the wood thoroughly dry. That first coat of oil and turpentine may have sealed in the dampness, which eventually worked out and loosened the paint. Had the wood been thoroughly dry, the first coat of paint would have penetrated the wood, and in hardening in the pores would have made a good bond. For this, the first coat should have been thinned according to the manufacturer's directions. Many cases of the peeling of paint of which I hear are due to the failure of the painter to follow the instructions of the manufacturer for the thinning of the first coat. In the case in point, the remedy lies in the removal of all paint to the bare wood, and to its replacement at a time when the wood is thoroughly dry. It goes without saying that the first coat should be correctly thinned."

Marshall Hubbard, stationed at Great Lakes, Ill., was a breakfast guest at the home of Mrs. F. A. Bigelow Sunday. He spent the day with his parents at Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Jaynes of Vassar have received word that their son, Tech. Sgt. Allen D. Jaynes, is a prisoner of the Germans. Word came through Red Cross channels. Young Jaynes was sworn into the service July 27, 1942, just 25 years from the day his father was sworn into service for World War I.

Nick Amberboy, M M 1-c, son of Mrs. Anna Amberboy of Deford, spent part of his ten-day leave from Camp Peary, Virginia, with his mother. He saw his brother, Sgt. Joe Amberboy, who is home on a 21-day furlough from Salt Lake City, Utah.

Gideons Mark First Anniversary

The Cass River Camp of the Gideons International celebrated the first anniversary of the founding of their camp on Wednesday evening, Oct. 6, at the First Baptist Church of Vassar. After the potluck dinner at 7:30, the following program was presented: Welcome by the president, E. A. Warner of Cass City; song and praise service led by Gordon Glazier of Vassar; resume of first year's work by Vice President J. L. Kauffman of Caro and Peter Rookus of Bay City. Two short addresses were given by R. M. Severance of Saginaw and Arndt Forsteland, state field secretary, Grand Rapids.

Alvin Schultz, Caro, the camp secretary, gave a short recapitulation of the treasurer's report showing that sufficient funds had been received to provide more than 12,000 Testaments for the men and women of our armed forces. The invocation was given by the pastor of the host church, Rev. Jack W. Bowen, and the benediction by the camp chaplain, L. J. Young, of Vassar.

Members and guests in attendance were from Cass City, Colwood, Fairgrove, Caro, Mayville, Silverwood, Kingston, Gilford, Bay City, Saginaw, Birch Run, Grand Rapids and Vassar.

WARRANT ISSUED.

A warrant has been issued for a Flint man charging him with illegally representing the state police and the Huron County sheriff's office in the sale of tickets for a police and fireman's benefit ball at Bad Axe. The state police and sheriff's office are not sponsoring the ball, says Sgt. Fred Emiss of the Bad Axe State Police Post.

Boosts Alfalfa Yields. Farmers can pep up their alfalfa fields by applying a phosphate fertilizer or one of the phosphate-potash combinations now following the first cutting of hay. Treatments of phosphate or phosphate-potash will increase the yield by stepping up the growth of existing stand, will provide better quality of hay, higher feeding value in phosphorus content, and a better root growth. Though top-dressing produces good results, better results are obtained when phosphate fertilizer is thoroughly worked into the soil at the time a new seeding is made.

Employ Married Women. One in four of the married women of Britain is employed in wartime industry.

Rationing at a Glance...

Processed Foods. Blue stamps U, V and W good through Oct. 20; X, Y and Z good through Nov. 20.

Meats, Cheese, Butter, Fats, Canned Fish, Canned Milk. Brown stamps C, D, and E good through Oct. 30. Brown stamp F becomes good Oct. 17 and remains good through Oct. 30.

Sugar. Stamp 14 in Book 1 good for 5 pounds through Nov. 1. Stamps 15 and 16 good for 5 pounds of canned sugar each through Oct. 31.

Shoes. Stamp 18 in Book 1 good for one pair until further notice. No. 1 "airplane" stamp in Book 3 good for one pair Nov. 1 and until further notice.

Gasoline. Stamp A-8 good for 3 gallons through Nov. 21. B and C stamps good for 2 gallons until used.

Tires. Next inspections due: A book vehicles by March 81, 1944; B's by Oct. 31, 1943; C's by Nov. 30; commercial vehicles every 6 months or every 5,000 miles, whichever is first.

Fuel Oil. Period 1 coupon for new season good for 10 gallons in all zones through Jan. 3, 1944; subject to change.

Stoves. Certificates to purchase heating or cooking stoves that burn coal, wood, oil or gas must now be obtained from local board.

Ration Book No. 4. Ration Book No. 4 will be issued locally at the Cass City High School auditorium on Oct. 25, 26 and 27. This new book will have eight pages containing in all 384 stamps colored red, blue, green and black, and it is expected to last at least 96 weeks. Don't let the black stamps marked "coffee" worry you. They were printed before coffee was taken off the list of rationed foods.

SKIT GIVEN AT PRESBYTERIAN W. M. S.

Forty attended the meeting of Presbyterian Missionary Society on Thursday of last week when Mrs. J. D. Brooker was the hostess, assisted by Mrs. Martin McKenzie and Mrs. John McGillivray. Devotionals were in charge of Mrs. James McCrea. The program was unique in that it was a skit of reminiscences covering 36 years of the organization. The skit was arranged and given by Miss Lura DeWitt, Mrs. Edw. Finney, Mrs. Berkeley Patterson and Mrs. Ernest Schwaderer. Mrs. Finney read a list of the charter members, eight of whom are still living. Light refreshments were served. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Morton Orr on Nov. 4.

PLEASANT HOME HOSPITAL.

Patients in the hospital Wednesday were P. S. McGregory, Miss Luverne Battel, Elmore Caister and Wm. McRae, all of Cass City; Ross Haven and Mrs. Nicholas Gloria of Decker; Clifton Pike, Mrs. Lena Tonk and Ha Mae Mann of Snover; Mrs. Anna Digiugoski and Mrs. Thelma Lambert of Caro; Mrs. Geo. Smith and son of Drayton Plains; Mrs. Howard Kadwell and Mrs. Velda Simmons and daughter, all of Pontiac; Wm. Weatherhead and Mrs. Vern Gettel and son of Gageton; Eugene Foote of Argyle and David Faupel of Bad Axe.

UBLY STOCK YARD

Market report for Monday, Oct. 11, 1943—

Table with market prices for various types of livestock including Best veal, Common kind, Fair to good, etc.

PATRONS ON RURAL ROUTE 3 HONOR BURT A. ELLIOTT

Concluded from page 1. take this means of expressing our appreciation for the faithful and efficient services of Burt A. Elliott, rural letter carrier, for a long period of years. We have always found him congenial and courteous and the last word in rendering accommodations to patrons. We wish him every happiness and prosperity which he so richly deserves.

Mr. Elliott expressed his appreciation for the many kindnesses extended to him by patrons during his 23 years as carrier on the route. Previous to serving on the Cass City route, he was for seven years rural letter carrier out of the Kingston office. Musical numbers on the program were a vocal duet by Harley Kelley and Mr. Elliott, with Mrs. Walter Kelley as piano accompanist, and a duet by Harold and Leta Little. Their brother, Keith Little, served as their accompanist.

Following the program, ice cream and cake were served to the group in the church dining room. Mr. Elliott was presented with a purse of money by patrons of the route.

Mexicans Had Sk. scrapers. Mexican Indians built adobe structures of six or seven stories in ancient times.

MORRIS HOSPITAL NOTES.

Joyce Little, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Little, underwent an operation for removal of tonsils and adenoids Monday. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Copeland Monday, Oct. 11, a daughter. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Walter Finkbeiner on Oct. 11, a son, Lawrence Alvin. Other patients in the hospital on Wednesday were Jesse Timmons of Cass City and Miss Ilene Sommerville of Sandusky.

Read the want ads—page 5.

ALWAYS A HIT SHOW! Strand CARO Phone 8777 Thumb's Wonder Theatre. Fri.-Sat. Oct 15-16 G-MEN VS. GESTAPO! Geo. Raft—Sydney Greenstreet Brenda Marshall—Peter Lorre in "BACKGROUND TO DANGER" FRIDAY \$270 FREE PLUS \$10.00 DOOR PRIZE!

Beginning Saturday Midnight Sun.-Mon. Oct. 17-18 Continuous Sunday from 3:00

BEST OF THEM ALL!

Salute to the Marines in Technicolor. Wallace Beery with Fay Bainter Reginald Owen. RAY COLLINS • KEYE LUKE MARILYN MAXWELL WILLIAM LUNDIGAN

Tues.-Wed.-Thurs., Oct. 19-20-21

The Kind of Love Story you Dream About

ALL OF ITS ECSTASY! ALL OF ITS EXCITEMENT! ALL OF ITS ENCHANTMENT! CHARLES BOYER JOAN FONTANA ATLAS SMITH THE CONSTANT WIFE

TEMPLE-CARO

The Pick of Action Pictures Wm. Lundigan—Virginia Dale in "HEADIN' FOR GOD'S COUNTRY" —ALSO— Richard Arlen—Wendy Barrie in "SUBMARINE ALERT" \$280.00 FREE FRIDAY!

Cass THEATRE CASS CITY WEEK OF HITS

Fri.-Sat. Oct. 15-16 DELUXE DOUBLE FEATURE

Cowboy in Manhattan Robert PAIGE Frances LANGFORD Leon ERICK Walter CARLETT Jennifer HOAT George CLEVELAND Joe SAWYER

SOMEONE TALKED

THE NEXT OF KIN Plus News, Cartoon and Novelty

Sun.-Mon. Oct. 17-18

DESTROYER

WHO SAIL THE SEVEN SEAS? Edward G. ROBINSON with GLENN FORD MARGUERITE CHAPMAN • EDGAR BUCHANAN 2ND FEATURE

ROCHESTER

A Picture that's Buzzin' with Love and Laughs! ANN MILLER

Tues.-Wed.-Thurs., Oct. 19-20-21 Richard Quine, Noah Berry, Jr. and Anne Gwynne in "WE'VE NEVER BEEN LICKED" Plus News, Cartoon and Novelty