

Service Honor Roll Dedication on Memorial Day

Rev. Fr. Bozek to Speak at Dedication and Rev. S. P. Kirm at Cemetery.

The Service Honor Roll board built by the Gavel club under the supervision of James Gross, will be dedicated on Memorial Day at 1:30 p. m., preceding the ceremonies at Elkland cemetery that afternoon.

Rev. Fr. John Bozek will be the presiding clergyman at the dedication. Dr. E. H. Starmann will present the Honor Roll Service board to Walter Mann, village president. Girl Scouts will then unveil the board.

The Girl and Boy Scout troops and the senior high school band will lead the parade down town and out to Elkland cemetery after dedication of the service board.

Frederick H. Pinney will be the chairman of the program at Elkland cemetery at 2:30. The band will play "Military Escort" as the opening number, and Rev. S. P. Kirm will be the speaker. The subject of his address will be "When the Bells Toll."

The band will close the program by playing "America."

A great number of boys from this area are in the Service, and some names may have been unintentionally omitted. In the event this has occurred, their families are asked to contact Glenn McCullough at the Mac & Scotty drug store and he will see the boys' names are placed on the board.

Novesta Farmer's Club Met at Caro

The Novesta Farmer's club met Friday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelley in Caro, with 44 present. Miss Mildred Omler of the county agricultural agent's office spoke on the preservation of food for home consumption. Preceding the talk, Miss Omler gave a true or false test on the subject of gardening and garden seed. Other features of the program were a reading by the club president, Mrs. Wm. D'Arcy, of Kingston, vocal solos by Mrs. Arleon Retherford of Deford and Marilyn Green of Caro, and a musical number by Harold and Leta Little and Clarence Schneberger.

The next meeting of the club will be with Mr. and Mrs. Albert Quick in June.

Five from Tuscola To Enter Army

Five Tuscola county men will leave May 31 for Fort Sheridan, Ill., to enter the army. They are: Glenn Ackerman, Vassar; Stanley Conner, Caro, (volunteer); Vern Reynolds, Gilford; Burton McCon, Caro.

Robt. Wells, Kingston, (transferred in from Oakland county).

A meeting will be held at the Caro high school Thursday evening, June 1, at 8:00 p. m., EWT, for men who receive their notices of pre-induction. This will be in the form of a panel discussion which permits men about to enter the Service to ask questions regarding their future activities.

Eunice DeLong Weds Pfc. Albert Englehart

Relatives here have been told of the marriage of Miss Eunice M. DeLong, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Maynard DeLong, of Port Huron, former residents here, to Pfc. Albert Englehart of Camp Breckenridge, Ky., son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Englehart, of Deford.

The wedding took place May 4, at 4:30 p. m., in Henderson, Ky. The ceremony was read by Rev. Mr. Miller, a Baptist minister, of Henderson. The minister's wife and Pfc. Ralph Englehart, brother of the groom, also stationed at Camp Breckenridge, were the attendants.

The bride wore for her wedding a tan suit with luggage accessories.

She lived in the guest house near the camp and the groom had a four-day furlough. Mrs. Englehart returned to the home of her parents in Port Huron and will rejoin her husband in June.

Summer Slacks.

Summer slacks, wools and rayons, at \$3.98 to \$10.98, at Prieskorn's Store, Cass City.—Advertisement.

Graduated as Army Air Force Lieutenant



Lt. Gerald Kercher.

A-C Gerald Kercher, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kercher, was graduated from the Army Air Forces Eastern Flying Training Command at Moody Field, Valdosta, Georgia, on Tuesday, May 23. He is now Lieutenant Kercher of the Air Corps of the Army of the United States. His parents are expecting him home this week for a furlough, his first since his enlistment about 16 months ago.

Tyos Barbered in Cass City for 63 Years

Clem Tyo Has Started 38th Year in Tonsorial Work in His Home Town.

Clem Tyo has just started his 38th year of barbering in Cass City.

His father, David Tyo, Sr., came to Cass City in 1881 and opened up a barber shop. He barbered for 50 years but had to give up his work because of poor health. This was only after he had lived to see three generations of the Tyo family working in the shop.

In 1907, David Tyo started his son, Clem Tyo, in the barbering business, and in 1929, Clem's son, Alex, decided to follow the same profession and went to work with his father and grandfather. He remained until about a year ago when, due to war conditions, he went to work in a defense factory in Bay City, but finds time to help his father on Saturday afternoons and evenings in the barber shop here. As soon as the war is over, Alex hopes to return to his full time job and help keep the Tyo name on the barber shop window.

Altogether, there has been a Tyo barber in Cass City for 63 years.

Soldier Tells Club of His Experiences

Pfc. "Al" Bernethy of Saginaw told Cass City Rotarians at their luncheon Tuesday of his experiences in the Army since his enlistment in the summer of 1941. He had been in Hawaii about four and a half months before the Pearl Harbor attack on Dec. 7. While the attack lasted but an hour, it seemed much longer, he said, because so much took place in that period of time. He saw the bombs dropped from the Jap planes and never witnessed such a state of confusion.

On Dec. 6, 1942, he embarked for Guadalcanal where jungles are the worst ever. He described the Jap as a fanatical fighter and a master of camouflage. Sharpshooters concealed in trees are hard to locate. Wounded, Bernethy was in a foxhole about two weeks before he could be moved to receive hospital care. Men more seriously injured were given attention first. He described New Zealand as a beautiful and wonderful country with very hospitable people.

Dean Gordon, supervisor of the Tuscola Soil Conservation district, in a brief talk, explained the program of erosion control in land use.

A. B. Champion was program chairman, Dr. H. T. Donahue was song leader, and H. G. Hillis of Mayville a luncheon guest.

ARBELA FARMER FATALLY INJURED IN ACCIDENT

Thomas Mangold, Arbela township farmer, was fatally injured Monday when a tractor he was operating tipped over and fell on him. He died three miles from Flint, in an ambulance which was taking him to a hospital in that city.

Tuscola Boy Scouts in Camporee Here June 10 and 11

Ass't Scoutmaster Baker and Senior Patrol Leader Foy to Lead Local Troop.

Boy Scout Troop 94 of Cass City is to be host to all the scouts of Tuscola county at a camporee at the athletic field here Saturday and Sunday, June 10 and 11. It is hoped that 15 or more patrols from other villages in the county will camp here overnight with the five local patrols. Programs have been prepared and invitations sent out by the county committee headed by Hugh C. Munro of Cass City, with the assistance of Ben E. Atkin of Caro, field executive of the Valley Trails council.

The five local patrols will participate under their own patrol leaders, supervised by Assistant Scoutmaster Edward Baker and Senior Patrol Leader Robert Foy. Each patrol is responsible for its own shelter and care of the grounds and planning and cooking its own meals.

The program includes many contests in judging, nature study, fire-building, scouts' pace, and other outdoor sports. The patrols will enter as groups, and will be rated on efficiency and teamwork. There will be special events, such as a Commando cross-country race. Jas. Champion of Cass City has been appointed to conduct practice and races in swimming.

Saturday evening, there will be a campfire and court of honor for the award of scout badges, in charge of Gordon Evans of Vassar, district advancement chairman, and Carle W. Handel of Saginaw, executive of the Valley Trails council. The public is especially invited to attend this event.

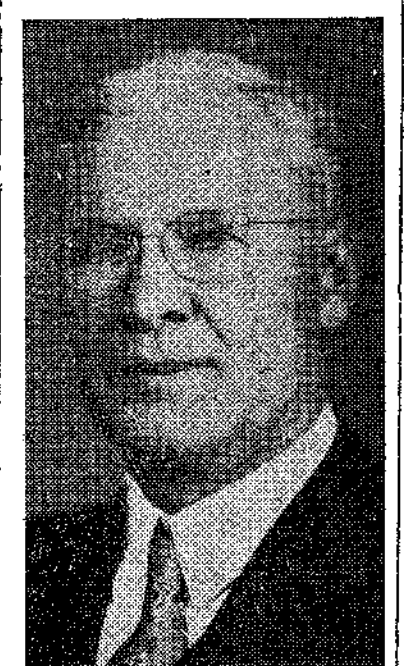
Sunday morning, Protestant scouts will attend a chapel service on the grounds, conducted by the

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Speaker Before Two Groups Here

W. G. Armstrong of Niles, master of the Michigan Grange and treasurer of the National Grange, will give an address before members of the Cass City Grange this (Friday) evening at the Bird schoolhouse. Several other Grange societies have been invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Benkelman



W. G. Armstrong.

and Mr. and Mrs. Morton Orr will be hosts and hostesses and a potluck lunch will be served in the Grange dining room at the close of the meeting.

Tomorrow (Saturday), Mr. Armstrong is the speaker of the evening at a meeting of the rural letter carriers of the seventh district when they convene at the Cass City Methodist church. Mr. Armstrong is a past president of the national organization of rural letter carriers.

Mary Louise Stirton Judged Perfect Baby

Mary Louise Stirton, nine months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stirton and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grant Howell and Mr. and Mrs. Archie Stirton, was selected as the most perfect baby when Baby day was observed Friday, May 12, at a Bad Axe hospital. About 100 babies were entered. The prize awarded Mary Louise was a \$25.00 War bond. Mrs. Gordon Stirton, mother of the baby, was the former Margaret Howell.

Junior High Pupils Had Banquet Friday

Students of the junior high school, comprising the seventh and eighth grades here, enjoyed a banquet and evening of entertainment at school Friday. At 7:30 p. m., a fine cooperative chicken dinner was served in the library room. Following the repast, a program of instrumental and vocal music and tap dancing, with James Wallace as toastmaster, was given. Roller skating was then enjoyed in the gymnasium. Guests other than the students were Mr. and Mrs. Willis Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Holmberg, Mrs. Mary Holcomb, Harold Oatley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Weatherhead, and Vernon Wait. Miss Betty Hower was pianist.

\$192,425 to Be Spent on Trunklines in Tuscola County

An Increase of \$108,975 This Year on Maintenance on State Roads.

The State Highway department will spend \$192,425.00 during the present fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, on maintenance of state trunkline highways in Tuscola county, an increase of \$108,975.00 over the \$83,450.00 spent for the same purpose during the 1942-43 fiscal year, Highway Commissioner Charles M. Ziegler reports.

The increased expenditure of state funds in Tuscola county this year for state trunkline maintenance is in line with Commissioner Ziegler's policy of an intensive program designed to bring the trunkline system up to satisfactory standards. Trunkline maintenance had been allowed to lag in recent years and many miles of trunklines were in poor condition a year ago. This condition and the necessity for keeping roads in good condition to protect the people's heavy investment in these roads, to reduce tire wear and to speed wartime traffic prompted the commissioner to adopt a maintenance program calling for an increase of 40 per cent in expenditures over the entire state as compared to any previous year.

Gravel placed on state trunklines in the last year doubles that of any previous, recent year. A similar program is necessary for this year to build up these highways. Good progress is being made in this work which is resulting in a general improvement in the state highway system, Commissioner Ziegler said.

Farm Lands to Be Platted into Village Lots Here

Frederick H. Pinney and Audley H. Kinnaird have purchased the land south of the public school playground, from Oak street east to the old fair grounds, from Dr. H. T. Donahue. The plot will provide for 18 village lots, a street and an alley. Seed street will be extended east from Oak street to the fair grounds and nine lots will be platted on each side of this street extension. An alley will be located at the north, next to the playground. The street will be four rods wide and the alley two rods. Lots will have a frontage of six rods, 50 per cent more than the average village lot. The lots will be eight rods long, the same as the regulation village lot. Lot purchases will be subject to building restrictions.

O. W. Nique has sold several lots from the strip of land he owns on the south side of East Main street, between his brick residence occupied by the George Dillman family and the eastern village limits. The first two lots he has reserved for himself, the next lot and a half was sold to Earl Harris several months ago and a foundation to which he will move his farm residence. The next lot and a half has been purchased by Arnold Copeland, the next one by Andrew Hamilton and the one which borders the eastern village corporation line by E. W. Kercher. A four-rod street extends north and south between the Harris and Copeland building sites. Provision has been made for a two rod alley at the rear of these seven lots and for the extension of Pine street from Woodland avenue to the eastern corporation line. Another stretch of lots will be platted on the north side of this extension of Pine street.

Want Ads Get Results—Sell It.

Brothers Meet in Central Pacific Area



Lawrence and Clarence Zapfe.

From letters coming to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle E. Zapfe for the past 10 days, from their sons, F 2-C Clarence L. Zapfe and S 2-C Lawrence A. Zapfe, the parents believe the boys were at present at the same naval base in the Central Pacific. The fact was confirmed Tuesday when a letter arrived telling them of the reunion on May 7 and containing two pictures of the boys taken together.

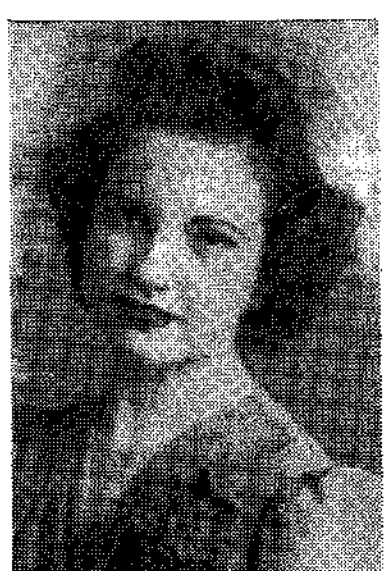
Events leading to the reunion began when Lawrence wrote that he had discovered the ship to which Clarence is assigned in the harbor. He immediately wrote to his brother, Clarence, informing him that he was at the same location.

The first attempt at reunion was a failure when each brother went to the ship of the other and they failed to meet. However, plans more carefully made and on May 7 the brothers spent the day together.

The last time they were together was in June of last year when Clarence was home on boot-leave from Great Lakes. Clarence entered the Navy in April of 1943 and is assigned to an auxiliary ship. Lawrence left home for entrance into the Navy in September of 1943 and is assigned to an L. S. T. Both boys left the States for duty in the Pacific last December.

Cass City Girl Bride of Caro Soldier

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Karr of Cass City was the scene of a lovely wedding Friday evening, May 19, when their only daughter, Wanda Joyce, became the bride of Pvt. Harold E. Huffman, son of Mrs. Ella Huffman, of Caro. The Rev. Dudley C. Mosure, pastor of the Cass City Methodist church, performed the ceremony, using a military service. An arrangement of ferns and calla lilies



Mrs. Harold E. Huffman.

formed the background for the bridal party.

The bride was gown in a golden beige wool suit with accessories

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Birthday Party for The O'Dell Twins

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bell entertained a number of relatives and friends at a birthday party on Saturday evening, May 20, in honor of the latter's twin brothers, Carlton and Carson O'Dell. Carlton was present and Carson, who is a sergeant in the Marine Corps, stationed at Oceanside, California, telephoned and talked to Carlton at 10:30. He said the sun was shining in California at that time.

Up until last year, the boys always celebrated their birthdays together, when they exchanged congratulations by telephone from Quantico, Va.

Pvt. Bernard O'Dell, the boys' brother, stationed at Sioux Falls, South Dakota, also telephoned congratulations shortly after midnight. As a gift the boys received some money which was equally divided. Ice cream and cake were served as refreshments.

Masonic and O. E. S. Memorial Service

"Character Marches On" will be the subject of Rev. S. P. Kirm's sermon at the Evangelical church here Sunday morning when members of the Masonic and Eastern Star lodges of Saginaw and Cass City will attend. The occasion is a memorial service of the societies.

Air Raid Warning System to Signal D-Day Observation

State-wide One-minute Period of Prayer and Meditation in Michigan.

Michigan's air raid warning system will be used to signal a simultaneous state-wide one-minute period of prayer and meditation on the day when it is confirmed that the invasion of Europe has begun.

Following his recent proclamation asking that on D-Day the people of the state "kneel in prayer in their homes or assemble in their churches to petition Providence for success in battle and the safety of our sons taking part in it," Governor Harry F. Kelly called on Capt. Donald S. Leonard, state director of Civilian Defense, to prepare a plan which would not only announce the day officially recognized as D-Day, but also provide for a simultaneous one-minute solemn observance throughout the state.

Immediately when it is certain that the invasion has begun, the governor will proclaim Michigan D-Day. The message will then be flashed from the state air raid warning control center in Lansing to district and sub-district warning centers and from there to local warning centers.

At a time to be designated in the message air raid sirens, factory whistles, church bells and other audible signals are to be sounded for a period of 90 seconds. This is to be followed by a cessation of all activities for a period of one minute, which is to be given over to silent prayer and reflection upon the solemn significance of the occasion. Traffic is to come to a halt, and activities are to cease in stores, factories, schools and elsewhere.

Because of the danger of misinterpretation of military feints or maneuvers as the actual start of the invasion and the fact that radios and newspapers will likely carry information that the invasion is under way before the state observance is announced, it is requested that all observances be held in abeyance until the official signal is given. A sufficient interval is to be allowed between the sending out of the state message and the sounding of the signal so that the signal and observance

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Leta Little Has Perfect School Attendance Record

About 75 pupils and parents, with the teacher, Miss Alice Anthes, enjoyed a potluck dinner for the closing day at the Brown school Friday. Rain spoiled any chances of a ball game, but a program in the school building provided entertainment.

Three pupils, Harold and Leta Little and Melva McConnell, were neither tardy nor absent from school during the past year. Leta, who has just completed the fifth grade, has a perfect attendance record to date.

Miss Anthes will return as teacher in the fall, which will be her fourth year in that school.

GRADUATING EXERCISES FOR EIGHTH GRADERS

Rev. Frank Hartley, pastor of the Vassar Methodist church, will deliver the address at the county eighth grade graduation exercises which will be held at the Caro high school on Friday, June 2, at 10:30 a. m., EWT.

MRS. FRANK HALL

HEADS EXTENSION CLUB

Mrs. Frank Hall was elected chairman of the Cass City Extension Club No. 1 when that group met in the annex of the Methodist church Wednesday evening. Other officers chosen were: Vice chairman, Mrs. E. W. Kercher; secretary, Mrs. John West; leaders, Miss Lura DeWitt and Mrs. Doris Benkelman.

A luncheon, served by Mrs. Keith McConkey, Mrs. Berkley Patterson, Mrs. Roy Stafford, Mrs. R. D. Keating and Mrs. Mason Wilson, preceded the business meeting.

The lesson, "The Wonders of a Coat of Paint," was given by Mrs. G. W. Landon and Mrs. West. In an attendance contest, captained by Mrs. Landon and Mrs. Herb Ludlow, the latter was the winner.

Church News

Nazarene Church—Geo. D. Bugbee, Pastor. Sunday, May 28: 10:30 a. m., Sunday school featured by Flint Colored quintet—one service only. Everyone welcome. Come and enjoy them with us.

11:30, preaching, "A Personal God." The quintet will also sing in this service only. Everyone welcome. Come and enjoy them with us.

Prayer meeting and missionary meeting Thursday evening at the parsonage.

Evening service at the high school auditorium on Sunday at 8:15.

Our Sunday school average was the highest for the month of May of any previous month this year.

Presbyterian Church—Melvin R. Vender, Minister. Sunday, May 28: 10:30 a. m., service of worship. Anthem by the choir. Sermon by Professor Arthur P. Holmberg. 10:30 a. m., nursery and beginners. 11:00 a. m., primary department. 11:45 a. m., junior, junior high, senior and adult classes.

Calendar—Mid-week service, Wednesday, at 7:45 p. m., in charge of attendants.

Choir rehearsal, Thursday at 7:30 p. m.

Women's Missionary society, Thursday, June 1, at 2:30 p. m. Hostess, Mrs. John Cole.

The pastor will preach again on Sunday, June 4. He has special engagements scheduled for the evenings of June 11 and June 24. Consult the elders for counsel during the pastor's absence.

Salem Evangelical Church—S. P. Kirm, Minister. Sunday, May 28: Sunday school meets at 10 a. m. We welcome you.

Morning worship at 11. Members of the Masonic and Eastern Star orders will be our guests of honor. Memorial sermon, "Character Marches On."

There will be no evening services because of the high school baccalaureate service at 8:15.

Methodist Church, Cass City—The Rev. Dudley Masure, Minister.

Morning worship and sermon at 10:00. Sunday school, 11:30.

Methodist Youth Fellowship, 8:00 p. m.

Choir practice, Thursday evening.

St. Pancratius 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.

St. Michaels 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.

The Uby-Fraser Presbyterian Churches—Robt. L. Morton, Minister. Sunday, May 28:

Uby—9:30 a. m., Bible school under the direction of Fred Lenton.

10:10 a. m., worship service. At this service, we will dedicate our Service Honor Roll. Sermon theme, "How Can We Educate for Peace?" Music by the choir.

Fraser—10:45 a. m., Bible school.

11:30 a. m., Frank Wilson of Uby will assist in this service by conveying a Scriptural lesson by chalk picture. Special music.

Assembly of God Pentecostal Church—Rev. C. N. Van Dalen, Pastor.

Sunday school at 10:00 at the town hall at Cass City.

Preaching service at 11, CWT. Revival meeting still continue every night at eight o'clock except Monday, with the Cook Sisters as evangelists and singers. Musical numbers and special solos and duets. The public is invited to attend these services.

Baptist Church—Sunday, May 28:

Rev. L. B. Hull of Caro will be our minister for the morning service. No evening service because of baccalaureate.

10:00 a. m., Bible school. 11:00 a. m., worship.

Monday, May 29, 8:00 p. m., young people meet with Mrs. Stanley McArthur.

Wednesday, May 31, 8:00 p. m., prayer service and business meeting.

Aids Soft Metals

In general, antimony does for the soft metals, lead and tin, much the same service that tungsten, vanadium, and the other toughening elements do for steel.

Petroleum Producer

Venezuela is biggest producer of petroleum for the United Nations, aside from the United States.

GAGETOWN NEWS

Commencement exercises for the 12 graduates of the Gagetown high school were held in the high school auditorium Wednesday evening, May 17. The seniors attired in maroon caps and gowns marched to their seats on the stage as the procession was played by Miss Catherine Seurynck, one of the graduates. The following was the program: Salutatory, Christina Leiteman; vocal solos, Miss Winifred Elwood of Bad Axe, accompanied by Miss Thelma Allen of Bad Axe; valedictory by Richard Patnaude; address by Ralph Kindig, president of Bay City Business college, on "The Challenge of Change"; presentation of diplomas by W. C. Downing, president of board of education; violin solo, Mrs. Kenneth Curran of Detroit, accompanied by Mrs. Ethel McCoy of Cass City. Rev. Earl Geer gave the benediction. Streamers of blue and white crepe paper, the class colors, were strung across the auditorium and the class motto, "Onward to Victory," in blue and white adorned the stage.

Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Purdy were Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Purdy and daughter, Miss Florence Purdy. Miss Margaret Burleigh spent the week end with relatives in Marlette.

Mrs. George Hinkle of Flint called on friends here Sunday.

Rev. Chester Miller, a former pastor here and now an army chaplain, is home on furlough and will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Arnet of Reese were callers Sunday at the home of Rev. and Mrs. Earl Geer.

The parochial and public schools closed Friday with a picnic held at St. Agatha's school grounds. The pupils, teachers and parents enjoyed a potluck dinner. The rain prevented the games that were scheduled for the afternoon.

Eighth grade graduation for St. Agatha school was held Friday evening during the May devotion services. Rev. Fr. McCullough delivered the address.

1st Lt. Robert Cartwright of Camp Hale, Colorado, is spending a 15-day furlough with Mrs. Cartwright and son, Larry.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Bartholomy and daughter, Ann, left Sunday on a two weeks' vacation trip to Des Moines, Iowa, where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. David Durst and Miss Susan Phelan.

Donald Schwartz, Alfred LaPak, Vincent Shinska and Fred Matt left Monday for a three-day trip North.

Mrs. M. P. Freeman and Mrs. Alphonso Rocheleau attended the Huron County Federation of Women's Clubs at Owendale Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Crawford of Bay City were Saturday callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. McGinn.

Mrs. John Rogers of Montrose and Mrs. L. L. McGinn visited on Thursday and Friday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hahn, Sr., in Detroit, who received word of the death of their son, Lawrence Hahn, Jr., killed in action somewhere in Italy. Another son, Jean, in the air corps, through the efforts of the Red Cross, is being sent home to visit his parents.

Mrs. F. D. Hemerick was pleasantly surprised when the members of her bridge club invaded her home Wednesday for a six o'clock potluck dinner. The occasion was Mrs. Hemerick's birthday. The group presented her with a gift.

Mrs. Hemerick, who has been ill for several months, is slowly improving.

Scout Notes

The president of the Cass City Rotary club, Keith McConkey, was present at the troop meeting of May 17 to receive the charter from the National Council, signed by President Roosevelt and other national officers of Scouting, authorizing the Rotary club to sponsor the local troop for the year ending April 30, 1945. He presented the charter to Frederick H. Pinney, chairman of the committee controlling the activities of the troop.

Mr. Pinney then granted commissions to Harold Outley and Edward Baker to serve as leaders during the coming year.

Senior Patrol Leader Robert Foy presented membership certificates to the 38 boys now registered in Troop 94.

Dean Leitch, who resigned from the troop April 30, was present to receive a certificate of service, listing the requirements he completed and the offices he held during his membership, and granting him the position of alumnus of the troop. This certificate is granted only to boys who remain members two or more years, who hold at least first class rank, and are 16 years or more old at resignation, with a clear record of service up to that time.

Junior Leader warrants were issued to Scouts Donald Partridge and Robert Howell to serve as patrol leaders and assistant in the Beaver patrol; to Hugh Bogart and Koert Lessman for the White Creek patrol; and to Jack Ryland to be patrol leader of the Fox patrol. Gerald Fritz was appointed bugler of the troop.

Harold Willard, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Willard, of Cass City, was invested with his Tenderfoot badge as a member of the Wolf patrol. He was conducted by Patrol Leader James Wallace, and his badge was presented by Mr. Pinney.

Alden Asher and Albert MacPhail were captains for a softball game at the beginning of the meeting. MacPhail's team won a lively game.

Saturday night Frederick H. Pinney, Ernest Schwaderer, the Rev. Stanley P. Kirm, and Eagle Scout Robert Foy met as a board of review to receive the Scoutmaster's application for the award of Eagle rank to Scout James Mark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A.

Mr. and Mrs. Muriel Shagena entertained Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Van Allen and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Shuart spent the week end at the home of Mrs. Shuart's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McKennon, at Pontiac.

Mrs. David Sweeney and Mrs. Clifford Jackson spent Tuesday at Owendale.

Mrs. Wm. Simkins is on the sick list.

Mrs. Elgin Wills received word that her sister, Mrs. George Roth, of Detroit is ill in an osteopathic hospital in that city.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Robinson spent Sunday in Cass City.

RESCUE

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Maharg and son, Larry, were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ross at Uby.

A number of relatives and friends met at the Andrew Kozan home in Cass City Tuesday evening and at the Wm. Ashmore, Sr., home Thursday evening in honor of Andrew Kozan, who left for the army on Friday from Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley B. Mellendorf and children were callers Sunday at the Edward Hartwick and Levi Helwig homes near Cass City.

Mrs. DeEtte J. Mellendorf and son were business callers in Gagetown and Cass City Friday afternoon.

A number of relatives from around here were in Bad Axe Friday morning to see Laurence A. Summers, Thos. Quinn, Jr., and Andrew Kozan leave on the bus for Fort Sheridan, Ill., where they were inducted into the army.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Dodge and daughter, Phyllis, of Cass City were Sunday visitors at the home of Mrs. Dodge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Maharg.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Loos and children of Port Huron spent Saturday and Sunday at the home of Mrs. Loos' mother, Mrs. DeEtte Mellendorf. The children remained at the grandmother's to spend a few weeks.

Preparations are being made for a Children's Day program at the Grant church in June. The following committees were chosen: Literary, Mrs. Donald MacTaggart and Mrs. Howard Martin; music, Mrs. Frank MacCallum and Veta MacCallum; decorating, Neil MacTaggart, Stanley Moore, Cecil Martin, Jack Milligan and the Misses Elva Marie Blair, Isabel Martin, and Mary Milligan.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ashmore and son, David, of Cass City were Sunday dinner guests at the William Ashmore, Sr., home.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Helwig and children of Cass City were callers in this vicinity Saturday afternoon.

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Each rat not only eats \$2 worth of food each year, but he carries disease and other organisms which are a menace to human health.

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The average output per miner is approximately five tons of bituminous coal a day, 1,200 tons a year.

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YOUR HOME LIGHTING Dust steals light—robbing you of as much as one-fourth the light you pay for. This is pure waste. Keep lamps and fixtures clean. Wipe bulbs and reflector bowls frequently. Dust shades inside and out. Use the right-size bulbs in your lamps and fixtures, and select shades with a white lining.

ELECTRIC COOKING Use the thrift cooker of your electric range often. Plan complete meals that can be cooked in the oven at one time. Finish surface cooking on "low" or stored heat whenever possible. Use flat-bottomed utensils just big enough to cover heating unit. Cook with little water, and cover utensils with a tight lid.

SMALL APPLIANCES Don't jerk cord from socket when finished using. Disconnect by grasping plug. Don't clean wires of heating element (toaster, grill, etc.) with fork or sharp tool. Never dip appliances in water. Let appliances cool before storing away. Always clean grids on waffle iron after using. Don't let electric iron overheat.

YOUR REFRIGERATOR Don't overcrowd your refrigerator. Unless the motor is hermetically sealed, have it oiled and inspected regularly. Be sure there is adequate air circulation all around the refrigerator. Defrost regularly. (Never use a knife or sharp tool for defrosting.) Clean inside of refrigerator with lukewarm water and mild soap.

YOUR ELECTRIC WASHER Drain washer and rinse tub thoroughly after each washing. Remove agitator or suction cups and rinse. Wipe dry with a soft cloth. Don't force thick, bulky objects through your wringer—or hard objects like belt buckles, etc. Release pressure on rolls when not in use, and dry wringer thoroughly. Don't overload your washer.

THE DETROIT EDISON COMPANY

DEFORD DIARY

Store Changes Ownership—

The large brick building, known formerly as the Patterson store, and more recently operated by Mr. and Mrs. Louis Locke, has been purchased by Mr. and Mrs. Newell Hubbard, who have already taken possession. Mrs. Locke is assisting them for a short time to get started in their new venture. Mr. Locke has been employed in Detroit since winter, and the family will move there in the near future. Under the new management the store will continue to carry a full line of groceries, many other useful family articles, soft drinks, meats and ice cream.

The postmaster, Mrs. Caroline Lewis, is again at the office after spending a very enjoyable week at the home of her sister and family at Cedarville in the Upper Peninsula. Mrs. Effie Warner attended to the office work during Mrs. Lewis' absence.

Mrs. Douglas Elder and children of Mancelona came on Saturday to spend about a week visiting her father, Warren Churchill, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Stewart of Midland spent two days at the Alice Retherford home. Mrs. Retherford returned with them to Midland and spent several days there. Mr. and Mrs. John Retherford brought her home on Sunday.

There are many who will remember the splendid pastorate here of Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Stubbs. Mr. Stubbs has been dead for several years. Mrs. Stubbs passed away in Detroit and burial was made on Tuesday in the Ruby cemetery. Three of the children who survive are Methodist preachers.

Miss Williams of Pontiac was a week-end guest at the A. L. Bruce home.

Miss Sophia Kruzel has been failing in health for several months. On Monday, she was taken to Ann Arbor where she expects to undergo an operation.

Mrs. Lloyd Hicks, teacher at the Crawford school, concluded the school year with an outdoor party for the children and served ice cream to pupils and guests. Mrs. Hicks has contracted to teach at the school again next year.

The Deford school will finish the year today (Friday).

George Spencer is building a new picket fence for enclosing the lawn and yard at the R. E. Johnson residence.

Hazen Warner and daughter, Helen, spent Sunday and Monday in Detroit. The former's sister, Mrs. Mabel Burgam, came home with them to spend awhile here.

Wilmer Warner of Saginaw is at home this week to doctor a case of blood poisoning in his hand.

Mrs. Ethel Fuya and daughter, Mary, of Milan were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Newell Hubbard.

John Clark is loading a railway car with white ash logs for shipment to Indiana for a handle factory.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark Day of Rochester and sister, Marian, of Keego Harbor were callers in Deford on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bruce of Oxford were visitors on Tuesday of Mrs. Samuel Sherk.

Sam Walk of Caro was a caller on Sunday at the home of Mrs. John Walk.

Mr. and Mrs. George Spencer entertained on Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Roy Colwell.

CARO LIVESTOCK AUCTION YARDS

Market report for Tuesday, May 23, 1944—

Best veal	17.00-18.00
Fair to good	16.00-16.90
Common kind	15.00-15.90
Lights	13.00-14.50
Deacons	2.00-12.50
Fair butcher steers	14.00-14.50
Common butcher steers	12.70-13.80
Best butcher heifers	14.20-14.70
Common butcher heifers	13.30-13.60
Best butcher cows	11.00-11.60
Common butcher cows	10.30-10.90
Cutters	8.75- 9.50
Canners	7.00- 8.00
Best butcher bulls	10.85-12.00
Common butcher bulls	9.50-10.50
Light butcher bulls	8.50- 9.60
Stock bulls	20.00-72.00
Feeders	14.00-76.00
Best hogs	12.80-13.70
Light hogs	11.60-12.50
Roughs	8.10-11.10

We will have a sale Decoration Day, May 30.

Eldon Bruce drove to Detroit on Sunday to get Harold Ferguson, who had been called from a station in North Carolina, to see his aunt, Mrs. Nathan Bridges, who was very ill. Mrs. Bridges died at Pleasant Home hospital Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelley, at their home in Caro, entertained the Farmers' club on Friday evening, where all who attended report an interesting evening.

Mrs. Wm. B. Hicks was able to take her breakfast and dinner with the rest of the people at the table.

Thursday, June 1, the W. C. T. U. will meet at the Towsley home at two o'clock. The leader is Mrs. George Roblin. Devotionals will be in charge of Mrs. Lida Ives.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Riley entertained on Sunday Mrs. Carrie Buford and Miss Evelyn Buford of Dearborn, Miss Gladys Muer of Cumberland, Maryland, and Mrs. John Calder of Detroit.

Oak Bluff Breezes

Another season at Oak Bluff is about to begin—50 years since the pioneer Cass City business men and their families organized this resort association. This organization has been successfully operating all these years and while all the original founders have either disposed of their holdings or have passed on, yet the association continues to operate on the original by-laws and constitution as filed with the state Aug. 28, 1894. We wonder if this does not constitute some sort of a record for this type of non-profit company and it is the opinion of a number of the members that some sort of suitable celebration or observance should be planned for the 50th anniversary which occurs in August of this year.

The original founders' names comprise a cross section of Cass City's Main street in the "gay nineties" as follows: the Crosbys, Jones, Brookers, Schooleys, McDougalls, Wickwares, Pinneys, Fritzes, McLeans, Weydemeyers, Landons, McPhails, Campbells, Hints, Bernays, Smalleys, Farrars, Hellers, Frosts and McKenzies. Several of the descendants of this group are now members of the association and the stock is still about 50 per cent held by Cass City or former Cass City residents.

Traveling to and from Caseville was considerably different in those days and their mode of living also different. However, several of the original cottages still stand, having in many cases been changed or remodeled. Time may come and time may go, but we hope Oak Bluff will go on forever.

Dr. and Mrs. J. E. Wurm have recently sold their home in Pigeon and are busy remodeling their cottage here into a permanent home. All the old equipment will make way for new and they hope to be located by June 1.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Wilson of Lansing were at their cottage over Sunday and also contemplate some remodeling and rebuilding in the near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Vader, who purchased the Higgins cottage last season, are adding plumbing and other conveniences to the house and were here over Sunday making arrangements to begin this work soon.

Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock has disposed of her cottage to Mr. Heater of Detroit, who was here over the week end. The Heaters also are doing extensive remodeling and are enthusiastic residents.

Mr. and Mrs. Willets of Detroit were up for the week end. Bill seems to enjoy his new boat and spent most of the time out on the bay.

We expect most of the cottages will be open over next week end and during the Decoration Day holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. James K. Brook-er of Bay City were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Burke cottage.

We deeply regret to report the recent death of Mrs. C. F. Sturm of Pigeon, one of the members of the association. The Sturms have been very congenial members for the past five or more years.

Marlette Livestock Sales Company

Market May 22, 1944—

Top veals	17.50-18.20
Fair to good	16.00-17.50
Commons	12.50-15.50
Deacons	1.00-15.00
Best butcher cattle	18.50-14.40
Medium	11.50-13.00
Feeder cattle	18.50-75.00
Best butcher bulls	11.00-11.70
Ligh bulls	9.00-10.50
Stock bulls	32.50-92.00
Best beef cows	11.00-11.70
Fair to good	10.00-11.00
Cutters	8.50- 9.50
Canners	5.50- 7.50
Dairy cows	65.00-154.00
Best hogs	13.00-13.75
Light hogs	9.50-11.00
Roughs	8.50-10.50

Sale every Monday at 1:00 P. M.

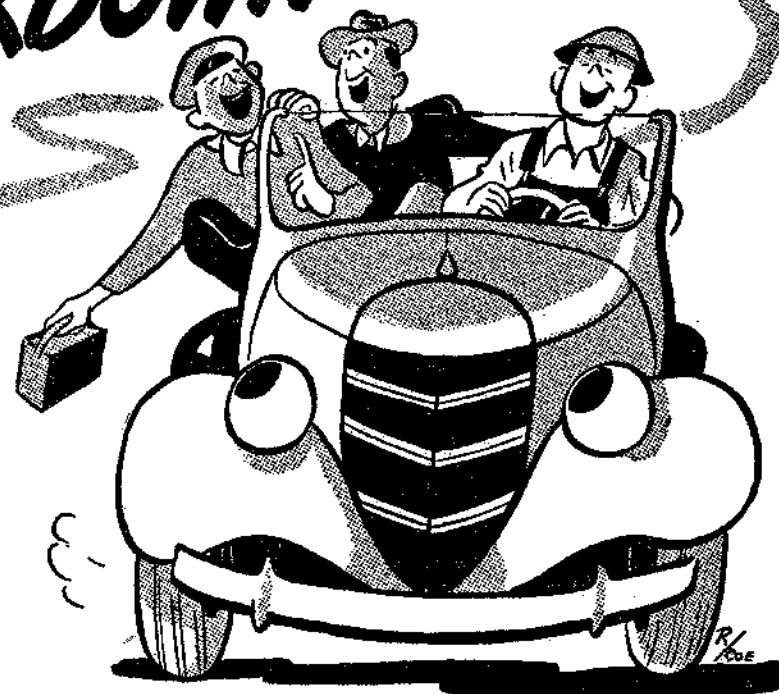
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MADE WITH FRESH EGGS	
ANGEL FOOD BAR, each	36c
JANE PARKER COOKIES	2 lb. pkg. 30c
MICHIGAN NAVY BEANS	5 lb. pkg. 40c
BAKING POWDER CALUMET	16 oz. can 17c
PILLSBURY FLOUR OR GOLD MEDAL	25 lb. bag \$1.25
SUNNYFIELD PANCAKE FLOUR	5 lb. pkg. 25c
CRISCO SHORTENING or SPRY	3 lb. jar 67c
8 O'CLOCK COFFEE	3 lb. bag 59c
ANN PAGE BOSTON STYLE BEANS	18 oz. can 9c
OUR OWN TEA	16 oz. pkg. 60c
SULTANA SALAD DRESSING	33 oz. jar 33c
WHITE HOUSE EVAPORATED MILK	3 tall cans 27c
ROXANA CREAM STYLE CORN	20 oz. can 10c
POPULAR BRAND CIGARETTES	carton \$1.26
WALDORF TOILET TISSUE	6 rolls 25c

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A Small Drop of Ink in the Want Ads Makes Thousands Think!

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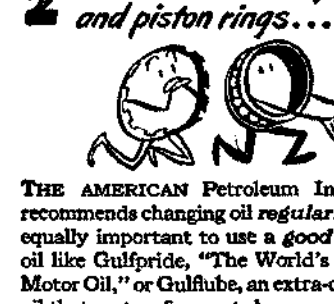
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2 Saves those bearings and piston rings...



THE AMERICAN Petroleum Institute recommends changing oil regularly. It's equally important to use a good motor oil like Gulfprime, "The World's Finest Motor Oil," or Gulfube, an extra-quality oil that costs a few cents less.

3 Stretches your gas coupons...



AIR-FILTER and spark-plug cleaning, radiator flushing help give better mileage. A clean filter makes gas burn more economically; clean plugs add power; a clean radiator prevents over-heating.



...for better car care today... to avoid breakdowns tomorrow

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To help your Gulf Dealer do a thorough job on your car, make an appointment. Phone or speak to him at the station. Then you should encounter no delay when you get Gulf's Protective Maintenance Plan... 15 services in all!

LOCALS

Miss Marion Read of Detroit is spending some time with Mrs. Angus MacPhail.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Turner of Caro were visitors last Thursday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Reinstra and son, Melbourne, left Saturday to spend two weeks with relatives in Minnesota.

Mr. and Mrs. Garrison Moore and daughter of Detroit will be week-end guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. C. Fritz.

James Woodard has been made manager of the A&P store at Harbor Beach and has assumed his duties as such.

The Adult Bible class of the Methodist Sunday school will meet with Mrs. Arthur Steward on Thursday, June 1.

Rev. George D. Bugbee filled the pulpit in the Ellington Church of the Nazarene for Rev. Mr. Kimball Sunday evening.

Mrs. Dudley C. Masure accompanied her mother, Mrs. Leon Sammons, to her home in Onondaga Monday, where she will spend 10 days with her mother.

Samuel Burgess of Deckerville is spending two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess and with Mr. and Mrs. Elton Willis on the Burgess farm in Elmwood.

Angus McDonald, who is employed at the Howell T. B. sanatorium, is enjoying a two weeks' vacation and is visiting his sister, Miss Sarah McDonald, here.

Week-end visitors of Rev. and Mrs. George D. Bugbee were Mrs. Ruth Rickert and son, Robert, who is being inducted into the Service soon. They are from Detroit.

Mrs. Samuel Striffler of Battle Creek was a week-end guest of her sister, Mrs. G. E. Krapf. She also visited her brother, W. R. Kaiser, who is ill at his home in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Milligan entertained at dinner Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Stafford of Owendale and Mrs. Nile Stafford and little daughter and Mrs. Levi Bardwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Holcomb and son, Bobby, returned Sunday from Detroit where they had spent a week. While there, Mr. Holcomb underwent an operation on his nose.

A quiet wedding in Pontiac on May 7 united in marriage Miss Frances Burgess, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess, and Frank Guilds, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Guilds.

Mr. and Mrs. Mason Wilson entertained over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Wilson of Royal Oak. Sunday guests were Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stafford and little daughters of Ubyly.

Mrs. Chester L. Graham, president of the East Central District of Women's clubs, and Mrs. Fred Maier attended the annual meeting of the Huron County Federation at Owendale Saturday.

The Women's Missionary society of the Presbyterian church will meet with Mrs. John Cole on Thursday, June 1, at 2:30 p. m. Assistant hostesses are Mrs. M. C. McLellan and Mrs. Frank Reid.

Hubert Spangler of Tampa, Fla., is expected this week to visit Cass City and take his father, John Spangler, with him to Tampa to make his home. Mrs. Frank Striffler of Detroit has been with Mr. Spangler, since the death of her mother, Mrs. Spangler.

Miss Marion O'Connor, a student nurse at Mt. Carmel hospital, Detroit, spent the week end at her home here. Miss O'Connor was one of three students at Mercy college chosen to take part in an operetta recently presented in Detroit. June 2, Miss O'Connor expects to come home for a three weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Andrew Carnegie and children, Billie and Nancy, and Mr. Carnegie's father, Wm. Carnegie, all of Detroit, spent the week end as guests of Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp. Saturday evening, Mrs. Hitchcock entertained the guests, Pfc. Clark Knapp, and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp at dinner.

Mrs. Joseph Frutcher entertained 18 relatives and friends at a dinner in the Home restaurant here Friday, honoring Cpl. and Mrs. Stuart Atwell, who spent a week here with Cpl. Atwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Atwell. John Spangler, who is leaving here soon to make his home in Tampa, Fla., was also an honor guest at the dinner. Cpl. Atwell was home on furlough from Fort Benning, Ga.

Coast Guardsman Harold Crane left last Thursday for Maryland after spending a furlough here. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Burgess entertained at dinner in his honor Tuesday evening of last week when guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crane, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seelings, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Guilds, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gremel and daughter of Detroit. Wednesday evening, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Seelings entertained the same group and in addition, Mr. and Mrs. James Crane, and Mrs. Evans Rose and Mrs. Delano Rose of Caro.

A Constant Benediction



The Art club will meet with Mrs. Sam Vyse on Wednesday, May 31. Mrs. Fred Buehly, who has been very ill, is improving slowly.

The Bethel Extension club will meet with Mrs. Elwood Eastman Monday afternoon, May 29.

Visitors Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. A. Martin were the Misses Ada and Anna Youngs and Mrs. Walter Hubbard of Kingston.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Taylor were in Grand Ledge Sunday. Mrs. Taylor's father, David DePue, of Grand Ledge returned home with them to spend two weeks here.

Joe Benkelman is on crutches. While working on the M. C. McLellan farm west of town Monday afternoon, he sprained his ankle accidentally with the result that he is taking a painful and undesired vacation.

Seventy-five from Unionville, Akron, Caro, Fairgrove and Cass City attended the roller skating party sponsored by the Tuscola County Christian Endeavor in the school gymnasium here Tuesday evening.

Sunday dinner guests of Walter and Miss Alice Anthes were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Anthes and John Wright of Greenleaf township. Visitors in the afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Theron Bush and little daughter of Unionville.

Mrs. Maynard DeLong and daughters, Mrs. Albert Engelhart and the Misses Madeline and Doris DeLong, of Port Huron spent the week end with relatives here. Miss Madeline DeLong remained to spend some time with Mrs. Jack Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Charlton accompanied their daughter, Mrs. Norman Gillies, home to Crosswell Wednesday. Mrs. Gillies has spent two weeks with her parents here, while her mother, Mrs. Charlton, has been a patient in Pleasant Home hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. Don Miller have purchased the Ricker residence on South Seeger street and will be given possession in October. Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ricker have purchased a house in Bradenton, Fla., where they will make their home, owing to Mrs. Ricker's ill health.

Those from Cass City who attended the Tuscola-Huron County Woman's Christian Temperance Union convention at Bad Axe on Wednesday were Mrs. A. J. Knapp, Mrs. G. A. Martin, Mrs. John McGrath, Mrs. Arthur Steward, Mrs. Walter Schell and Mrs. J. S. McCrea.

On Tuesday, May 16, Miss Ruth White closed her first year of school in the Abke district, located between Colwood and Colling. A potluck dinner with ice cream was enjoyed and a ball game was played in observance of the last day of school. Miss White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank White, and uncle, Verne Gable, attended the party. Miss White has been engaged to teach in the same school next year.

Cpl. Keith Roberts left Cass City Monday afternoon for Imlay City, from where he went by bus to Buffalo, N. Y. There he expected to meet his brother, who has just returned from overseas. Cpl. Roberts has been enjoying a week's furlough with his wife, Evangelist Joyce Cook Roberts, who with her sister, Miss June Cook, is conducting meetings in the town hall in Cass City. Cpl. Roberts is stationed at Camp Forrest, Tenn. The Cook sisters are staying in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey Tallman while in this community.

Mrs. Don Keane was in Detroit from Thursday until Saturday.

Martin McKenzie is ill and has been confined to his bed for nearly three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee N. Page and daughter of Detroit were visitors in Cass City Sunday.

Mrs. George Bohnsack of Bay City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bohnsack.

Mrs. Lawrence Copland of Detroit is spending the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sim Bardwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ryan of Cass City and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Van Vliet of Decker visited in Port Huron Sunday.

Mrs. J. H. Bohnsack entertained the Happy Dozen in her home on Tuesday evening. Guests were Mrs. Nile Stafford and little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McLarty of Clarkston and Mrs. Catherine Willerton of Argyle were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arlan Hartwick.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilburn Parsons will have as week-end guests the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward, and Mrs. Wm. St. Laurents of Detroit.

Mrs. Walter Bryant and son, Pfc. Albert Bernethy, of Saginaw spent Monday and Tuesday with the former's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Champion.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ryan were in Pontiac on Monday to visit their daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clayton Ryan, who has been a patient in an Ann Arbor hospital. She is again at her home and still seriously ill. Edward Golding, worshipful master of Tyler Lodge, F. & A. M., and Frank Hall were in Detroit Tuesday and Wednesday to attend the 94th convention of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Michigan.

Junior high and high school students elected a president for the coming year. Candidates were Leonard Parks, Morris Montague, Charles Auten and Jeanne Bigelow. The contest developed between Jeanne and Charles, and Jeanne was elected by a margin of about 40 votes.

Mr. and Mrs. U. G. Parker received word Wednesday that their daughter, Mrs. Freda Maxwell, and little daughter will arrive in Pontiac Friday, and after a visit there will come to Cass City. They have been making their home in Brownwood, Texas, where they were with Mrs. Maxwell's husband while he was in training before being sent overseas.

George Dillman, acting toastmaster at the Gavel club Tuesday evening introduced Harold Outley, Hugh Munro and Dr. Miller, who gave worthwhile talks on some phase of the present war effort. The talks led to interesting discussions. Glenn McCullough was elected as chairman of a board for the maintenance of the new Service board and he will solicit help from club members at his own discretion. There will be no meeting of the club May 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Champion entertained a group of relatives at dinner Wednesday evening, May 17, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McCaskey of Farragut, Idaho. Mr. McCaskey is serving in the Navy and Mrs. McCaskey is the former Miss Audrey Champion of St. Louis, Mich. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Champion of St. Louis, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Champion and son, James, Mrs. Edith Bardwell, Mrs. Don Keane, Mrs. Kilburn Parsons and daughter, Ione.

Mrs. George Holshoe continues seriously ill in the Morris hospital.

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. Morris left Monday afternoon for Camp Gruber, Oklahoma, to visit their son, Pvt. Frank L. Morris, Jr.

Bruce Brown and Mrs. A. E. Goodall returned Wednesday night from a three-day visit with the latter's son, Ernest Goodall, and family at Herron.

Seniors observed "skip day" on Monday and all but six spent the day at Caseville where they enjoyed cooking privileges at the Hunt cottage.

M. E. Kenney was taken very ill Tuesday evening while playing ball with his son, Clare, in the alley in the rear of the Kenney store. He is confined to his bed and is being cared for by Mrs. Lewis Travis.

A luncheon at 1:30 Tuesday afternoon in the home economics rooms of the high school building marked the close of the current year of the Woman's Study club. The meal was a planned potluck and was supervised by the reception committee. An account of the recent county convention was presented by Mrs. Raymond McCullough and annual reports were submitted by the president, Mrs. Grant Patterson; the recording secretary, Mrs. S. P. Kim; the corresponding secretary, Mrs. Fred Maier; and the treasurer, Mrs. Ernest Schwaderer. The first meeting in the fall will be with Mrs. Edward Baker.

A Real Sinner
To him that knoweth to do good, and doeth it not, to him it is sin.—James 4:17.

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John Knight Died at Home of Daughter

John Henry Knight, Grant township farmer, passed away at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Robert Hickok, at West Lafayette, Indiana, on May 20. Funeral services were held at the Douglas funeral home here on Wednesday, May 23, and interment was made in Elkland cemetery.

John Henry Knight was born in a log cabin in Grant township, Huron county, Apr. 13, 1873; the son of pioneer parents, Henry L. and Elmoretta Killins Knight. His youth was spent at his birthplace, and during the lumbering era he worked in several camps in the Thumb district, and later engaged in farming in Southern Michigan. On March 31, 1910, he was united in marriage with Miss Adelaide Chamberlain at Howell, Mich. One child, Helen, was born to this union.

After his marriage, he returned to the home farm where he lived until the past winter when, because of failing health, he went to the home of his daughter, Mrs. Hickok, at West Lafayette, Ind., where on May 20 he passed away.

He is survived by his widow, three brothers, George of Cass City, Fred of Romulus, Mich., and Richard of Saskatchewan, the daughter, and two grandsons, Roger and Alan Hickok.

Local Baseballers Win Game No. 6

Cass City's baseball team defeated Mayville 6-0 Friday afternoon which was called after four innings because of rain.

Pitcher Ahern of Mayville allowed four hits and gave as many walks on which the Redhaws gained five earned runs. Cass City's big inning was the fifth when Hoag and Hubbard received walks, then after a double steal, Hillaker hit a long double between the outfielders to score both runners. McConnell then hit a single to score Hillaker. Kettlewell and Ryland reached base through errors, after which another double steal was completed. DeLong then hit a sharp single over second base to score both men. The inning ended when DeLong was caught attempting to steal second.

McConnell, the local ace pitcher, threw hitless ball for the entire four innings. This credits Lee with two no hit performances so far this season. He issued three walks and struck out nine of the 14 batters to face him.

The Redhaws play at Harbor Beach on Friday, May 26, and on Decoration Day meet Caro in a double header on th local diamond.

R H E
Mayville 0 0 0 0—0 0—3
Cass City 0 1 5 *—6 4 1
Batteries—McConnell and Ryland, Cass City; Ahern and Jaynes, Mayville.

Fiber Producer
Haiti, next to Mexico, is the hemisphere's chief producer of fibers for naval and merchant marine needs.

Old Resident of Novesta Died Monday

Mrs. Nathaniel Bridges, 84, a long time resident of Novesta township, passed away Monday afternoon in Pleasant Home hospital. She had been in failing health for some time and was brought to the hospital Wednesday evening of last week from the Robert Brown home in Caro.

Margaret Ferguson, daughter of the late Alexander and Catherine McIntyre Ferguson, was born June

12, 1859, in New Glasgow, Ont., and came with her parents to Michigan before the fire of 1881. Mrs. Bridges was a member of the Novesta Church of Christ.

Surviving is a sister, Mrs. D. A. Preston, of Snover.

The remains were in the Munro funeral home until Thursday at 1:00 p. m. and then taken to the Church of Christ where it lay in state until 3:00 p. m., when funeral services were conducted. All B. Jarman of Manton, a former pastor here, officiated. Burial was made in the Novesta cemetery.

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COSTLY WOOLENS Against **MOTHS**

It is both wise and patriotic to protect your clothing, furs, rugs, carpets and upholstered furniture against damage by moths. Remember, many of these articles cannot be replaced until victory is won. You can't afford to take chances with moths. **BERLOU GUARANTEED MOTHSPRAY** prevents moth damage.

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If moth damage occurs within 5 years, BERLOU pays the bill! **BERLOU MOTHSPRAY** is colorless, odorless, stainless. Will not injure fine fabrics or furs. Easy to apply at home. There is no "moth season." These pests work all year around. Get BERLOU and use it NOW—don't wait.

Wood's *Renall* Drug Store

Chicken and Steak Dinners

Served on Sunday

Home Restaurant

Floyd O'Rourke, Prop. W. Main Street

Memorial Day Flowers

FLOWERS . . . language of the living and those beyond . . . in remembrance . . . of a loved one . . . or a supreme sacrifice. Krug's Flower Shop feel it a privilege to serve you with fresh flowers on a day of such sacred import.

Whether you select CUT FLOWERS OR PLANTS, you are assured of their being strictly fresh. While we have an extensive array of flowers, we advise that you place your order early.

CEMETERY URNS, POTS, WREATHS, HANGING BASKETS, SPRAYS

Put a tribute of remembrance on a loved one's grave, and you express true feelings appropriately.

CEMETERY PIECES

Phone us today to take charge of your cemetery urns and baskets.

Krug's Flower Shop

REACH HIGH SCHOOL GRADS, WHO WANT JOBS, THROUGH A HELP AD

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

EATING and seed potatoes for sale. John Copeland, 4 miles east of Cass City. 5-26-1p

LOST—Navy Air Corps service pin. Reward. Finder please return to Mrs. Ethel McCoy or Chronicle office. 5-26-1

FOR SALE—'37 Ford Tudor, good tires and motor overhauled. Harvey Kritzman, 1 1/2 miles south, 1/2 west of Cass City. 5-26-2p

FOR SALE—Eating potatoes. Frank Sinclair, 2 miles south, 1/2 east of Gagetown, south side of road. 5-26-1p

FOR SALE—'35 International Stake pickup, good condition, good rubber. Bernard Clark, 4 miles east, 1 south of Cass City. Phone 112F5. 5-26-1

LOST—Two ration books Nos. 3 and 4. Owners, Erma and Emaline Bullis. Finder please leave at Chronicle office. 5-26-1p

New Grade I Tires at Gamble's

Loosening up of restrictions may make you eligible for new Grade I tires. All sizes available—our low prices are easy on your pocketbook. Come in soon for new tire facts.

Gamble's

PICKLE CONTRACTS—Get your pickle contracts at Newell Hubbard's and Gage's Blacksmith Shop at Deford; at John Hicks' Store at Hemans; at Peter Magy's at Kingston. Patzer Food Products Co., Otter Lake, Mich. 4-7-12

POULTRY Wanted—Drop postal card to Stephen Dodge, Cass City. Will call for any amount at any time. Phone 82. 5-7-1f

FARMERS

WE ALWAYS BUY

Poultry

Phone 291.

Central Poultry Co.
Formerly Schweigert's Poultry
CARO, MICH. 11-19-1f

CUCUMBER contracts for 1944 may be secured at the Bigelow Hardware at Cass City and at Joe Leishman's Store at Elmwood, or from our representative, Leonard Striffler. The H. W. Madison Co. 4-11-1f

TWO SCREEN doors for sale. Thos. Colwell, 1 block west and 1/2 block south of Evangelical church. Phone 45R3. 5-26-1p

POTATOES for sale—Cobblers, \$1.30; Scabproof Russets, \$1.40 bu.; milking strain Shorthorn bulls and heifers, 1 mo. to 22 mos., \$50 to \$140, eligible to register, Bangs tested; also colts 4 to 5 yrs. Corbett Puterbaugh, Snover. Five miles south, 8 1/2 east of Cass City. 5-26-2p

FOR SALE—Two heifers, one fresh two weeks, other will freshen June 5. Julius Czeszewski, 4 miles east, 2 1/2 miles south of Cass City. 5-26-1p

HAY TO LET on shares. Twenty-five acres of hay to let on shares. Will give one half. Clarence Quick. Phone 150F12. 5-26-1p

Replace Worn Tires with Grade I Tires

AT GAMBLE'S

All sizes at new low prices. We will tell you if you are eligible under new rulings.

Gamble's

LAWN MOWER Grinding—Have your lawn mower put in first class condition on an ideal grinder. Mason F. Wilson, 6438 Garfield. 4-28-1f

Arnold Copeland Auctioneer

FARM AND STOCK SALES

HANDLED ANYWHERE.

CASS CITY

Telephone 145F12.

WANTED—Man to shingle barn. Ed Krohn, 5 miles north, 1 west, 1/2 north of Cass City. 5-19-2p

FOR SALE—'37 Ford pickup in good running order. August Schenk, 9 miles east, 1/2 north of Owendale. 5-24-2p

FOR SALE—Two sows with pigs, five due soon. Black cow, milking, \$75.00 Edward Hahn, 3 1/2 north, 1/2 east of Cass City. 5-26-1p

FOR SALE—1937 half ton panel truck, Ford '85', fair tires, new motor, motor run about 1200 miles. This would make a good all around truck for a farmer. Apply first house south of Ford Garage. 5-26-2p

FOR SALE—Separator, oil stove and cook stove, sideboard, studio couch, piano, miscellaneous, some farm tools. Will be at John Knight's farm, 5 miles north and 1/2 east of Cass City Friday afternoon and Saturday forenoon. 5-26-1p

FOR SALE—New Zealand White rabbits, all sizes, both for eating and breeding. Glenn Wooster, 3 miles north of Cass City. 5-26-1p

FOR SALE—10-20 McCormick-Deering tractor, on rubber, in good shape. Ralph Clara, 1/2 mile east of Gagetown. 5-19-2p

WANTED—To buy an old building, barn or house to tear down. Write or see John Copeland, Cass City Rd., first house east of M-53. 5-12-4p

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Gamble's

DAIRYMEN—For service to high index proved Holstein, Jersey and Guernsey sires thru artificial insemination. Phone 257R2. Write, or contact Harold R. Perry, 4331 South Seeger St., Cass City. 5-26-6p

WANTED—150 old horses for fox feed. Must be alive. Otto Montel, Fairgrove. Caro phone 954-R-5. 11-8-1f

FARMERS
WE BUY ALL KINDS OF
POULTRY
AT ALL TIMES
PHONE 145
CARO POULTRY PLANT
RALPH E. SHULOW
CARO, MICH. 1-23-1f

WE NOW HAVE a stock of all sizes of horse collars for \$3.95 up. Barn halters, bridles, colt halters, team lines, martingales, breast straps, hame straps, and others. All kinds of harness hardware. Diaz Shoe Hospital. J. V. Riley, Prop. 2-11-1f

CASH PAID for cream at Kennedy's, Cass City.

New Grade I Tires at Gamble's

Loosening up of restrictions may make you eligible for new Grade I tires. All sizes available—our low prices are easy on your pocketbook. Come in soon for new tire facts.

Gamble's

SEED CORN for sale—Hybrids (grown in Thumb) and Yellow Dent, local grown. Phone 15. Elkland Roller Mills. 5-12-3

GET SKILLED Cleaning! We've built our reputation by giving a skilled and careful cleaning and pressing service. We sincerely believe you'll find it pays in many ways to place your cleaning "problems" in our hands. We pick up and deliver in Cass City every Monday and Thursday. Eicher's Cleaners, Pigeon. 3-3-1f

STRAYED to my pasture, yearling Holstein heifer. Lloyd Severance, 4 east, 4 south, 1 1/3 mile east of Cass City. 5-26-1p

FOR SALE—Land roller in good repair. Enquire at E. Paul & Son Implement Store, Cass City. 5-26-1

DAVENPORT and chair for sale. Mrs. Ernest Croft, Cass City. 5-26-1p

FOR SALE—Six room house, garage, stoker, large lot with shrubbery. Corner Houghton and West. Frank Striffler, 4240 Audubon St., Detroit 24. 5-19-2p

TRY your family on the magic combination of golden flakes of wheat and bran plus choice California seedless raisins. It's Post's Raisin Bran. It's new! 5-26-1

FOR SALE—House and 4 lots in Deford, with running water and electricity, raspberries and strawberries. Inquire at E. L. Patterson Store, Deford. 5-26-2

FOR SALE—Chippewa, Russett and Idaho Baker potatoes, both for eating and seed. Also Oliver 2-bottom 14 in. tractor plow on rubber. Frank Lubaczewski, 4 miles west, 2 north, 1/2 west of Cass City. 5-26-2p

JERSEY BULL for sale, or let out for season. Old enough for service. Russell Langworthy, 5 south, 3 west of Cass City. 5-26-1p

BLACK ANGUS cow, milking now, for sale. Stanley Wojtowicz, 4 south, 2 west of Cass City, or 1 west, 2 north of Deford. 5-26-1p

NICE EATING potatoes for sale. James Tracy, 2 south, 2 1/2 west of Cass City. 5-26-1p

EATING and Seed potatoes for sale. Max Agar, 3 1/2 east of Cass City. 5-26-1

SEVERAL VARIETIES Hybrid seed corn (grown in Thumb); also local grown Yellow Dent corn. Phone 15. Elkland Roller Mills. 5-12-3

FOR SALE—10-room cement block house; also a 30 by 40 ft. hip roof barn, 16 ft. posts, to be wrecked. Wm. McCool, 2 north, 1 1/2 east of Kingston. 5-19-2p

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

Tires and Tubes

Most complete stock of grade III tires in Northeastern Michigan. All sizes in used truck tires. All sizes in new pre-war truck tubes, all sizes in grade one passenger tires, some pre-war. All sizes in passenger pre-war new inner tubes.

Coller Texaco Service
Where M-15 crosses M-21
Davison, Mich. Phone 164. 2-25-1f

FOR SALE—Milk box, 66 can bottom, single deck. R. C. Courless, 5 blocks south of Ford Garage, corner of West and Garfield. 5-19-2p

STRAYED to our farm, a male English setter bird dog, chocolate brown and white. May have same by proving property and paying for this adv. Fowler Hutchinson, Phone 139F5. 5-26-1

WANTED—A baby stroller or cab. Mrs. Donald Miljune, 6 1/2 miles north of Cass City. P. O., Gagetown. 5-26-1p

NOTICE

To You Young Folks

To you, young boys and girls, who live on farms. Get your folks to plant a half acre or one acre of cucumbers during your summer vacation. The price is \$5 per 100 pounds, or \$100 a ton for No. 1 and nice money to earn during your vacation. Cucumbers are an essential crop. Help the war effort.

A Fenster Corporation

CARO, MICH. 5-26-1f

BOARD OF REVIEW—Notice is hereby given that the board of review of the Township of Elmwood will meet at the town hall, within said township, on Tuesday, June 6, at 8:00 a. m. and will remain in session until 5:00 p. m., Central War Time, and will meet again on Monday and Tuesday, June 12 and 13, from 8:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m. to review the assessment roll for 1944. All persons deeming themselves aggrieved by said assessment may be heard at this meeting. Roy LaFave, Supervisor. 5-26-2

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PERMANENT Wave, 59c. Do your own Permanent with Charm-Kurl Kit. Complete equipment, including 40 curlers and shampoo. Easy to do, absolutely harmless. Praise by thousands including Fay McKenzie, glamorous movie star. Money refunded if not satisfied. L. I. Wood & Co., 4-21-10p

WANTED—A hundred veal calves every Monday morning. We paid not less than 16 cents net this week for good calves. No commission. No shrinking. Also buy and ship all other stock every Monday morning. Harry Munger, Caro, Phone 449. 10-1-1f

SHERIFF-GOSLIN Roofing Co.—Roofing and siding contractors since 1906. Guaranteed roofs and siding. Estimates furnished free. C. D. Butler, Fairgrove. 4-28-5p

CHICKS past brooding stage and younger. Last hatch June 12. Our stock of supplies is complete. Andrus Hatchery, Reese. 5-19-2

FOR SALE—Two fresh cows, Holsteins. Bernard Clark, 4 miles east, 1 mile south of Cass City. 5-26-1p

WANT TO BUY young horses. Mail cards with information to Box RS, c/o Chronicle, Cass City. 5-26-2p

LOST—A 25c Defense Stamp book containing about \$10 in stamps. Finder please notify Judith Ann Dickinson, Cass City. Phone 91R2. 5-26-1p

IN LOVING Memory of our mother, Mrs. Isaac Cragg, who passed away May 22, 1930. Her daughters. 5-26-1

FOR SALE—'31 Chevrolet, 5 colie pups, team of bay mares, well matched. Clarence Decker, 6 miles east of Cass City. 5-26-1p

FOR SALE—Purebred Jersey cow, due to freshen this week. Harold Crawford, 3 1/2 miles west of Gagetown. 5-26-1p

FOR SALE—Registered Chester White boar, 1 year old; sorghum seed; buckwheat; Evergreen sweet corn and potatoes. Walter Schell. 5-26-2p

SUMMER SLACKS, wools and rayons, at \$3.98 to \$10.98, at Prieskorn's Store, Cass City. 5-26-1

FOR SALE—Fresh cow and calf; also eating and seed potatoes. Roy Wagg, 1 1/2 miles west and 1 mile north of Cass City. 5-26-1p

PENINSULAR all white range and Round Oak heating stove for sale. Both like new. Clarence Smith, 8 miles south, 1 1/2 east of Cass City. 5-26-3p

FARMERS, NOTICE!

Talk about your slam bang prices. Here it is. For No. 1 cucumbers, \$5 a 100 pounds, or \$100 a ton. A crop that compares with any of them, as far as price is concerned. Get your contract now before it is too late. Planting begins May 28 and ends June 20. You can see and write your contract at the following places: The A. Medcalf store at Ellington, Mr. W. Zemke of Deford, and Mr. Johnson of the Johnson Hardware store at Deford, Alva Hagget or Hagget's gasoline station at Wisner, Robt. Warner of the Associated Gas at Cass City, or at our main plant at 428 Montague Ave., Caro, Mich. 5-26-1

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FOR SALE—Early Michigan Yellow Dent seed corn, germination 96%. Allen Warner, 3 miles west and 2 south of Cass City. 5-26-1p

FOR SALE—Hampshire pigs, 7 weeks old; also Yellow Dent seed corn. Want to buy 12-gauge shot gun in good condition. Glenn Tuckey. Phone 135R3. 5-26-1

FOR SALE—One-half lot in No-vesta cemetery, nice location, all fixed up. Write or call on Mrs. Howard Retherford in Deford. 5-26-1f

BOARD OF REVIEW—Notice is hereby given that the board of review of the Township of No-vesta will meet at the residence of the undersigned, within said township, on Tuesday, June 6, at 8:00 a. m. and will remain in session until 5:00 p. m., Central War Time, and will meet again on Monday and Tuesday, June 12 and 13, from 8:00 a. m. until 5:00 p. m. to review the assessment roll for 1944. All persons deeming themselves aggrieved by said assessment may be heard at this meeting. Chas. Kilgore, Supervisor. 5-26-2

WANT TO BUY, unbroke colt or a pair of colts, 3 or 4 years old. Robert Neiman, 2 1/2 miles west of Cass City. 5-26-1p

ANYONE wishing a black dog, call at the farm home of Archie McRae, New Greenleaf. 5-26-1p

WANTED—A '36 Ford; need not be in running order; also deacon calf. Roy Anthes, R 1, Cass City. 5-26-1p

JOHN WISZINSKI, now working in Detroit, offers black and roan team for sale at his home 1 1/2 miles south of Deford. Good workers, aged 12-18. 5-26-1p

DOUBLE HARNESS for sale. Vern Bogart, 5 south, 1 east of Cass City. 5-26-1

WANTED—Woman for cleaning at Pleasant Home hospital. 5-26-1p

SOW and 5 little pigs for sale. Lawrence Bartle, 2 1/2 miles east of Cass City. 5-26-1

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

FOR SALE—About 200 fence posts and a lot of used barbed wire. Alex Perlaki, 3 miles west of Cass City. 5-26-2p

NOTICE, FARMERS!

Yup, we are moving again, to 4582 North Leach St., or the second house north of The Associated Gas Station. Phone 250.

Dr. Don Miller

5-26-2p

JAMESWAY electric hovers, chick feeders, and a few stanchions for sale. Elkland Roller Mills. Phone 15. 5-12-3

WILL HAUL sand and gravel; also load out trucks from Sheridan pit, 1 mile north, 1/2 mile west of Sheridan church, on M-53. Lester Auten, Phone 256. Claude Hutchinson, Phone 159, Cass City. 5-12-12

WE HAVE sold our general merchandise business in Deford and take this opportunity to express our sincere appreciation to folks in that community who have been patrons of our store during the years. Mr. and Mrs. Louis Locke. 5-26-1

I WISH to thank Dr. Donahue and the nurses for efficient care, the linemen, oilers, firemen and office force of the Dunham Township Co. of Chicago, and friends, relatives and neighbors for flowers and other kindnesses. Mrs. Gladys Silver and Shirley. 5-26-1p

TO DR. DONAHUE, Mrs. Freeman and her staff of nurses, Mr. Munro, senior class, school office force, members of my home room, and every one who remembered me during my illness, I wish to express my gratitude. Wilma Terbusch. 5-26-1p

I WISH TO THANK my friends and relatives for flowers and cards, Hugh Munro for his kindness; also Dr. Donahue and nurses for excellent care during my stay at Pleasant Home hospital. Mrs. Freda Schwaderer. 5-26-1p

Cass City Market

May 25, 1944.

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

Grain.	
Wheat No. 2, mixed, bu.	1.59 1.61
Oats, bu.	.89 .90
Barley, cwt.	2.72 2.75
Rye, bushel	1.17 1.19
Buckwheat	2.57 2.60
Shelled corn, bushel	1.12 1.14

Beans.	
Michigan Navy beans, 1942 or older	5.80
Michigan Navy beans, 1943 crop	5.97 6.00
Light cranberries, cwt.	5.40
Light kidney beans, 1942 or older	5.80
Light kidney beans, 1943 crop	6.75
Dark kidney beans, 1942 or older	5.80
Dark kidney beans, 1943 crop	6.75

Produce.	
Butterfat, pound	.54
Butter, lb.	.45
Eggs, dozen	.26

Livestock.	
Cows, pound	.07 .10
Cattle, pound	.10 .13
Calves, pound	.16
Hogs, pound	.12%

Poultry.	
Leghorn hens	.20
Rock hens	.26

HELP yourself to rare new breakfast treat, Post's Raisin Bran, a sumptuous blend of wheat and bran flakes plus raisins, is delicious. It's nourishing. It's new. Adv. 8.

MARRIAGES IN TUSCOLA

Erwin H. Reinert, 23, Millington; Erna Petzold, 19, Millington; married at Millington on Apr. 30 by Rev. H. Ferber.

Jas. J. Guinee, 33, Philadelphia, Pa.; Ella Eileen Lobdell, 26, Mayville; married at Mayville on May 9 by Rev. J. G. McMin.

Robt. L. Vansteenhout, 19, Unionville; Martha Ruppel, 19, Akron; married at Unionville May 6 by Daniel W. Ryan.

Raymond Oberley, 18, Clio; Phyllis Prast, 18, Millington; married by Rev. S. T. Bottrell on May 6 at Millington.

Stanley W. Wenta, 22, Wilmet; Clara Rusnaczyk, 19, Caro; married by Rev. Elmer J. Betzing on May 6 at Caro.

Burnell S. Kramer, 39, Unionville; Melvina B. Gebauer, 36, Unionville; married at Saginaw on Apr. 29 by Rev. H. Stressman.

Henry Edward Lich, 24, Vassar; Esther Marie Laux, 20, Vassar; married at Richville on Apr. 29 by Rev. W. Schoenow.

Clayton Dietz, 19, Mayville; Ruth Dorothy Haas, 19, Mayville; married May 5 by Rev. Jas. W. Deeg at Mayville.

TUSCOLA BOY SCOUTS' CAMPOREE HERE ON JUNE 10-11

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Rev. Stanley P. Kim, chaplain of Troop, while Catholic boys hear Mass said by Father John J. Bozek at St. Pancratius church.
Ray W. Fleener will be in charge of local arrangements, assisted by committeemen of Troop 94 and members of Cass City service clubs.

The general staff of the camporee is headed by District Commissioner Paul Kreeger of Caro, who will be honorary director. Harold Oatley of Cass City will serve as director. The assistant director will be Edgar Grim, who is superintendent of the Vassar public schools. Alex Libera of Unionville will be program director. The clerk will be Austin Severance of Caro, assisted by Albert MacPhail of Cass City. Alden Asher of Troop 94 will be aide to the staff.

CASS CITY GIRL IS BRIDE OF CARO SOLDIER

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of English violet. She wore a corsage of rosebuds and sweet peas. As bridesmaid, Miss Marilyn Huffman, sister of the groom, wore a powder blue suit with soldier blue accessories, and a corsage of rosebuds and sweet peas. Edwin Karr, cousin of the bride, assisted as best man. For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Karr wore a dress of Spanish rose crepe and the groom's mother was dressed in Copenhagen blue. Both wore corsages of sweet peas.
In the course of the evening, a four-tier wedding cake and ice cream were served to the relatives who attended. Guests came from Caro, Sebawaing, Flint and Detroit.

The bride is a graduate of Cass City high school and the Tuscola county normal

NO BEANS ?



Uncle Sam Needs at Least 6,000,000 Bags of Michigan Navy Beans This Year--- America Is Depending on You!

There's a shortage of Michigan Navy Beans. Grocery stores are almost barren of both cooked and uncooked Michigan Navy Beans. Stocks on farms and in government and commercial storage places will soon be depleted.

YOU WILL SHOW YOUR PATRIOTISM

Yet our soldiers, sailors, war-workers and other home folks—as well as the half-starved men, women and children in newly liberated areas need this year a total of nearly 28 million bags of all kinds of beans. This means that every farmer in this bean-producing area in Michigan has an opportunity to show his patriotism by planting more Navy Beans this spring.

The total acreage must be increased by at least 40 per cent. To make up the threatening shortage Uncle Sam wants you to plant nearly 1½ acres of Navy Beans for every acre you planted last year.

NAVY BEANS ARE PROFITABLE

As you well know, Navy Beans are an easy crop to plant and grow. They provide a good return without too much attention. Good prices this fall are certain.

NAVY BEANS—A PERFECT WAR FOOD

Navy Beans have no substitute. They are among nature's most nutritious foods. They give quick energy, provide a complete meal if necessary. They're easily cooked, easily packed, easily shipped. As now packed for overseas shipment, Navy Beans may be unloaded in rain, snow or sleet without damage. Navy Beans have played a prominent part in America's war effort so far—let's all of us see that the supply continues.

It is up to us—to you—here in this country to plan now to plant a greatly increased acreage of Navy Beans this spring.

For facts about seeds, planting or harvesting get in touch with any of the following:

State of Michigan Department of Agriculture

Michigan State A. A. A.
Tuscola County A. A. A.
Michigan Bean Shippers Association

Frutchey Bean Company
The Farm Produce Company
Wallace & Morley Company

Michigan Bean Company
Hart Brothers
Charles Wolohan, Inc.

Reese Farmers' Co-operative Company
Richville Elevator Company
Fairgrove Elevator Company
Caro Farmers' Co-operative Elevator Co.



What will happen after the war when Uncle Sam is no longer Michigan's most important single customer?

Here is a question being asked by many Michigan growers today. Remember, when the United States government comes to Michigan and buys our food products, it requires careful grading of these products so that the quality is defined and the price paid is in proportion constantly to the value received. Because Michigan food products were inspected and graded, Uncle Sam purchased in 1943 some 8,200 carloads of Michigan

fruits and vegetables; 1,169 carloads of Michigan shell eggs; 5,000,000 bags (10 pounds) of Michigan dry edible beans; and also dairy products by the millions of pounds. Cherry orders totaled 71,596,180 pounds; grapes 26,595,596 pounds; and tomatoes 74,233,510 pounds.

Michigan growers have received millions of dollars from sale of food to the federal government only because these products were properly graded and inspected to meet the government's rigid requirements.

Miles Nelson, director of the state bureau of foods and standards, an agency of the department of agriculture, points out that grading and inspection were first adopted seven years ago when progressive growers became convinced that they could sell food at higher prices if they met the wishes of the American consumer. "Many of the products of our 187,000 farms are highly perishable, such as fruits and vegetables, and should be moved expeditiously and efficiently from producer to consumer," said Nelson. "This can best be accomplished by grading, packaging and labeling in accordance with known standards of quality—grade standards that are uniform from market to market and region to region. For this reason Michigan has adopted federal standards for most of their farm products and several years ago entered into cooperative agreements with the United States Department of Agriculture for the Federal-State inspection of fruits and vegetables, dry edible beans, and poultry and dairy products.

"The grading and inspection of food products has produced definite beneficial results, by reducing economic waste, and by eliminating inefficient practices that increased costs to consumers and decreased prices paid to farmers. Consumers, retail and wholesale buyers have been quick to recognize the value of the grading of food products.

"However, the wants of the consumer should be one of the first considerations and should not be overlooked. After all is said and done, the consumer is the judge. Too often, the growers' efforts have been governed by the condi-

tions and problems which have confronted them at the point of production, but growers should disregard their own preferences, and consider only the consumers' wants and desires.

"If some growers were forced to buy and eat some of the products they place on the market, they would soon realize the necessity of a sound grading and marketing program. The consumers' market basket has no room for producer excuses. If consumers' demands are not satisfactorily filled with graded Michigan food products, they immediately become customers for satisfactory products from some other state.

"For several years, money has been appropriated by the legislature for advertising Michigan farm products, but such expenditures would be just a waste of time and money if the products are not carefully graded to known standards of quality.

"A sound marketing program is not complete without sufficient funds to advertise the farm products this state has to offer, but first the products should be graded to known standards that are acceptable to the buyers and consumers. If U. S. No. 1, Michigan Grade 1, Grade A, or any other grade declaration appears on the container, or is advertised, the food products so described must meet the grade declared.

"Any relaxation in maintaining the quality and grade standards, or in the enforcement of the food laws and regulations, causes buyers and consumers to lose confidence and the markets for our products are lost to more alert and progressive competitors.

"It would be a serious mistake to let the difficulties encountered in war time production and distribution deter us from maintaining a sound, practical and efficient grading and marketing program for Michigan food products.

"We should not be wrongly influenced by the few producers and dealers, who, under the guise of acute food shortages, want to throw all grade standards overboard, and think we can stretch the available supply of a farm product by selling everything just as it comes from the field or orchard, including immature or damaged fruit or vegetables, vines, stones, dirt, worms and insects.

"Such a short-sighted policy, adopted even as a temporary expedient, can only end in disaster. It is detrimental to the producer as well as the dealer, disgraces the consumer and will soon wreck any good marketing program."

If Michigan growers expect to derive the greatest benefit from the advertising of Michigan food products, then they must keep their own house in order—especially in the postwar period which will bring an end to government purchase of foodstuffs.

"When we see hundreds, yes, even thousands of carloads of produce grown in other states shipped into Michigan each year and sold for more money than the same Michigan-grown products are

bringing, we can quickly realize the crying need for the strict grading of our food products, the necessity for rigid enforcement of suitable laws and regulations, and the desirability of some adequately financed and timely advertising," concluded Mr. Nelson.

"We should prepare for the time when Uncle Sam will cease to be the food producers' most important single customer. The transition from war-time to peace-time economy, as it will affect the marketing of Michigan's food products, will be much easier to accomplish without disastrous results, if we continue to market carefully-graded food products, maintain well-known quality products, backed up with a rigid inspection service."

Rationing at a Glance . . .

Boards open to the public 10 a. m. to 5 p. m., every weekday.

Processed Foods.

Blue stamps A8 through Q8 in Book 4 good indefinitely for 10 points each. (Five blue stamps valid first of each month.)

Meats, Cheese, Butter, Fats, Canned Fish, Canned Milk.

Red stamps A8 through T8 in Book 4 good indefinitely for 10 points each. (Three red stamps valid every fourth Sunday.)

Sugar.

Stamps Nos. 30 and 31 in Book 4 are good for five pounds each indefinitely. Stamp No. 40 in Book 4 is good for 5 pounds canning sugar through Feb. 28, 1945. Obtain application from local rationing board for additional canning sugar up to 20 pounds per person. In mailing application back, attach SPARE stamp No. 37.

Shoes.

Airplane stamps Nos. 1 and 2 in Book 3 good indefinitely.

Gasoline.

Stamp A-11 good for 3 gallons through June 21. B-2, B-3, C-2 and C-3 stamps are good for 5 gallons until used.

Make application for B and C renewal at least 10 days before rations are exhausted.

Fuel Oil.

Period 4 and 5 coupons are good through Sept. 30.

Return application for next season's rations as soon as received.

Tire Inspection.

Be sure to keep your tire inspection records because OPA will continue to use them in the rationing program. Before you can get a ration certificate to replace a tire from your local board you will have to have your tires checked by an authorized OPA tire inspection station.

Coal Products.

The many consumer products derived from United States coal include a wide range of plastics, from bottle tops to protective coatings; animal dips, insecticides, and coal tar medicinals like aspirin.

Geological Data Listed
Estimates of the earth's area place fertile regions at 33 million square miles, steppes at 19 million square miles and deserts at 5 million square miles.

CROSS EYES
Straightened usually in one office visit—safely, permanently. No cutting of muscles or cords.
Interviews 9 a. m. until 9 p. m.
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Complete with hood and casing. Pipes and registers 3/4 price; also BOILERS, STOKERS and PARTS.
Installations Reasonable. Lowest Prices in Michigan.
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TOWNSEND 8-6467
2065 S. Mile, Just East of Woodward. DETROIT.

GIRL SCOUT CORNER.



By Betty Townsend, Scribe.

Donna Turner had charge of the meeting last week. After the meeting was called to order and the promise given, the girls went down stairs to the Main street, where new Girl Scouts were initiated. Those girls were: M. Hutchinson, M. Agar, R. Guisbert, J. Bugbee, and E. Butler. Later the program ended and the scouts returned to their rooms where the business meeting was held. Marjorie Kettlewell read a letter received from a Port Huron Scout camp. Many scouts from here plan to camp there in June.

For several weeks, the girls have been selling greeting cards in a contest to see who could sell the most. The winners were P. Wanner and M. Hutchinson. It was a tie between them. The meeting was closed by singing taps.

Attention, Farmers!

We are now prepared to serve you with

Farm Bureau Products

and save you money. Don't let your Farm Bureau and Grange Organizations down. Since we are your local distributor we invite your patronage.

We guarantee you quick and efficient deliveries.

Government says, "We still have a tire shortage."

Let us keep your tires in repair.

Burgess Gas & Oil

West Main Street

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When Severe Winds Blow

It is a comfort to know you have Safe and Adequate Windstorm Insurance in this reliable mutual insurance company.

This is a purely mutual company built upon the principles of Freedom and Democracy.

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Due to ill health I will sell at Public Auction at the place 6 miles east, 2 1/2 miles north and 1 mile east of Bad Axe, or 11 miles west of Harbor Beach on Section Line Road on the Emil Iseler farm, on

THURSDAY, JUNE 1st

Commencing at 10 o'clock, slow time.

Lunch will be served at noon.

HORSES
Chestnut mare, 10 years old
Roan mare, 5 years old
Sorrel mare colt, 1 year old
Roan mare colt, 1 year old
CATTLE
Holstein cow, 5 years old, bred January 5
Holstein cow, 5 years old, bred Jan. 17
Holstein cow, 4 years old, bred January 4
Holstein cow, 7 years old, bred January 28
Holstein cow, 8 years old, bred March 10
Holstein cow, 8 years old, bred Jan. 26
Holstein cow, 6 years old, bred Dec. 25
Holstein cow, 6 years old, bred Jan. 3
Holstein cow, 6 years old, bred Jan. 8
Holstein cow, 7 years old, bred Dec. 3
Holstein cow, 4 years old, fresh
Holstein cow, 4 years old, fresh
Red Durham cow, 5 years old, bred Jan. 1
Blue Holstein cow, 6 yrs old, bred Apr. 16
Holstein cow, 4 years old, bred Feb. 27
Holstein cow, 4 yrs. old, registered, bred Jan. 4
Holstein cow, 4 yrs. old, registered, bred March 24
Holstein heifer, 20 mos. old, registered, bred Feb. 22
Holstein heifer, 20 mos. old, registered, bred April 23
Holstein bull, 2 years old, registered
Holstein bull, 1 year old, registered
Holstein cow, 4 years old, bred May 4
2 Holstein heifers, 1 year old, registered
2 Holstein heifers, 1 year old
Holstein heifer, 5 mos. old, registered
(All cattle T. B. and Bangs tested)
HOGS
3 pigs weight about 100 pounds each
POULTRY
130 White Leghorn hens, 1 year old
IMPLEMENTS AND TOOLS
Machinery nearly all new
McCormick, model H. Farmall tractor on rubber
John Deere Combine, 5 ft. cut, nearly new
McCormick F-12 tractor on steel with hook-up plow
Oliver Cultipacker, 10 ft.
New Idea Manure spreader
John Deere drill, 13 hoe, nearly new
John Deere side rake, nearly new
Rock Island side rake Dump rake
Hay loader Roderick Lean weeder
McCormick-Deering 2-row tractor cultivator
4-section John Deere harrow
14-inch two bottom plow, John Deere
4-section John Deere harrow
3-section harrow 2 hay racks
8-can insulated milk cooler
Oliver mower, 6 ft. cut
John Deere corn binder
John Deere wagon on rubber
John Deere Hammer-Mill, No. 10
2 walking cultivators
Rubber tire wheelbarrow Steel tank
Steel wheelbarrow Cement tank
McCormick-Deering milking machine,, double unit
Myers hay car for wood track
Side-draft hay car for wood track
Two-wheel trailer with stock rack
Quantity of steel and wood posts
Quantity of 2x4's and lumber
Stoneboat 600 lb. scale
Quantity of oats Quantity of fertilizer
Steel vice Brooder house, 8x14
5 steel gas barrels Parker bean lifter
Pump jack and electric motor
Shovel plow 2 hay ropes 6 slings
Bean picker Slush scraper
Electric brooder, 500 size
Milk strainer and 2 covered pails
Roll Page wire 2 rolls barb wire
40 ft extension ladder Cattle dog
Double set work harnesses and collars
Electric fence and battery
Cement mixer
Some grain bags 3 logging chains
75-ft. rubber belt, 6 inch
Some household furniture
Forks, shovels and other articles too numerous to mention

TERMS: \$10.00 or under, cash; over that amount 6 months' time will be given on good bankable notes, drawing 7 per cent interest.

WILBERT BENDER

HUBBARD STATE BANK, Clerk

THOMAS STAHLBAUM, Auctioneer

FARM WILL ALSO BE OFFERED FOR SALE AT DAY OF SALE

Men Wanted!

DAY OR NIGHT SHIFT

Elkton Export Boxing Co.

Elkton, Michigan

Cass

THEATRE CASS CITY
CREAM OF THE PICTURES

Fri.-Sat. May 26-27
Huge Double Feature

RUSSELL HAYDEN
IN
THE VIGILANTES RIDE
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3 Sea Wolves on leave
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SAILOR'S HOLIDAY

with RUTH LAKE - JANE LAWRENCE - BOB HAYM
Plus News, Color Cartoon and Novelty.

Sun.-Mon. May 28-29
Continuous Sunday from 3:00

SMILES and MILES of FUN!
THE ROOKIE

ANN MILLER
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HAL MCINTYRE and BAND
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JACK GILFORD
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LARRY PARKS

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HE'S GREAT!
AND THIS
IS HIS
GREATEST!

JOHNNY COME LATELY

with GRACE
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Plus World News, and Color
Cartoon.

Tue.-Wed.-Thu. May 30, 31 and
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Bill prefers comets
to caresses! But
Hedy's one heavenly
body who makes him
change his mind!

**Go Gay With
M-G-M!**

**William
POWELL**

Hedy LAMARR

THE HEAVENLY BODY

with
JAMES CRAIG

Fay Bainter

Plus News, Popeye Cartoon,
Novelty and Latest March
of Time.

AIR RAID WARNING SYSTEM TO SIGNAL D-DAY OBSERVANCE

Concluded from page 1.
will be simultaneous throughout
the state.
At the governor's direction, the
Civilian Defense organization also
has been instructed to offer its as-
sistance to churches which might
desire this cooperation in planning
special services and meetings for
D-Day.

"This observance is specifically
not a celebration, but a moment
for solemn reflection upon the
cause for which we fight and pray-
ers for our sons and friends who
are risking their lives in the bat-
tle," says Donald S. Leonard, di-
rector of Civilian Defense.

Fur Centers
Leipzig and London have been the
leading foreign fur markets, rank-
ing with New York city, and St.
Louis long has had world fame as a
fur-collecting center.

ALWAYS A HIT SHOW!!

Strand

CARO
Thumb's Wonder Theatre

Fri. and Sat. May 26-27
Filmed at Great Lakes Naval
Training Station

**70,000 men learning
to live and fight...**

THE NAVY WAY
with ROBERT JOSEPH
LOWERY-PARKER
HENRY KARNES

EXTRA! Three Stooges in
"BUSY BUDDIES"

Beginning Saturday Midnight
Sun.-Mon.-Tue. May 28-29-30
Continuous Sun. from 3:00.

**A STORY
EVERY AMERICAN
CAN BE PROUD OF!**

THE SULLIVANS

with
ANNE BAXTER
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Directed by
LLOYD BACON
Produced by
SAM JAFFE

Added Delights
"Bugs Bunny Nips the Nips"
Color Cartoon Smash! Popular
Science in color. Headline Hot
News.

Wed.-Thurs., May 31, June 1

**TOO DANGEROUS
TO LOVE!**

The most hair-raising
hour of entertain-
ment you've ever
lived through!

PARAMOUNTS
**THE HOUR BEFORE
THE DAWN**

with
VERONICA LAKE
FRANCHOT TONE

JOHN SUTTON - BINNIE BARNES

TEMPLE - CARO

Fri.-Sat.-Sun., May 26, 27, 28
ROY ROGERS - MARY LEE

in
**The Cowboy and
The Senorita**

PLUS
Vera Vague - Anne Gwynne

in
**MOON OVER
LAS VEGAS**

Harmon Tells Of Fierce Fight

**Former Football Star Shot
Down Two Zeros, Then
Lost Own Plane.**

WASHINGTON.—It took Tommy
Harmon, former football star, just
a few minutes to shoot down two
Zeros and then lose his plane and
half his pants, but 32 days to get
back to his base from the Chinese
lake into which he parachuted.

Telling about the experience at a
press conference, Harmon, now an
air force lieutenant and a P-38 fight-
er pilot, went into detail about the
air battle over the Kinkiang docks
and warehouses last October.

But about his escape, he wouldn't
say a word—not even to identify the
lake.

"It would just mean reprisals by
the Japanese, and maybe put a rope
around some other pilot's neck," he
declared.

"The mission began," said Harmon,
"with four P-38's, going out to dive
bomb the target, and four more fly-
ing top cover. Capt. Lowden Emslen
of Springfield, Mo., squadron com-
mander, led the attack.

"I was flying tail-end Charlie for
the top cover men," Harmon relat-
ed. "We were just about at the ren-
dezvous point with the dive bomb-
ers when (Captain) Bob Schultz (of
Sandusky, Ohio), leading the top
cover, suddenly called out: 'Six
Zeros at three o'clock!'

Looked All Around.
"Well, the moment anybody calls
out, you automatically look all
around. I started looking, and when
I cocked up my left wing, I saw
six more, so I called 'six Zeros at
nine o'clock.'

"The dive-bombers were just
starting their run when the Zeros
hit. It was one beautiful trap—they
had been tipped off before we came
in.

"Schultz and his wing man, and
my lead man, went into the six
Zeros ahead. I turned into the six
behind me. We estimated there
were something more than 20 Zeros
in the sky. The dive-bombers got
jumped, and they got four of us.

"When I turned back into those
Zeros, I busted right in between two
of their three-plane formations. The
three on my right turned off to their
left, and the first and second planes
of the other formation turned off to
their right, but their No. 3 man
turned left and came directly into
my sights. I cut loose with some
tracer, and tore off the cockpit. Then
I cut loose with the cannon, and the
whole thing exploded.

"I was in a dive, and didn't know
the dive-bombers had gone on their
run, so I turned back into the fight.
I saw a Zero up ahead, came up
beneath him, tore off a chunk of his
left wing near the fuselage, closed
in to about 50 yards, and let every-
thing go, and he went up like a
matchbox.

Heard Something Ring.
"Then I started looking around
again, and didn't see anything but
I heard something ring on my arm-
or plate. That was the first shell.
The second hit under my seat, and
the third between my legs. It started
a gasoline fire in the cockpit,
knocked my feet off the controls,
and blew my pants off above the
knees.

"I had turned the ship over, and
saw where this guy had been work-
ing me over from underneath. I
tried to smother the flames with my
hands, but it was no good, so I
loosened my safety belt and jetti-
soned the cockpit cover.

"I was going at such a speed that
it pulled me right out of the plane.
I didn't know the altitude, so I
opened my chute immediately. That
wasn't good. I was at about 5,000
feet, and two Zeros started circling
me. Why they never turned into me
and let go I'll never know, unless it
was because when I saw them cir-
cling, I folded over and played dead.

"After I landed in the lake, they
came over three or four times, and
each time they did, I'd duck under
my chute. Finally they went on
back to their airport."

Saddest of Messages Trailed by Good News

BOSTON.—The Hyde Park Thorn-
tons had a dramatic week-end with
a happy ending.

First the family received the sad-
dest of all messages: "We regret to
inform you." The information was
that Lieut. Daniel P. Thornton, 22,
was missing in action in the India-
China-Burma area where he was
serving with the air force.

Within an hour after receipt of the
message, his young wife, who was
uninformed of its contents, was
taken to Carney hospital and gave
birth to a son.

Then came another message from
the war department that Lieutenant
Thornton had landed in friendly ter-
ritory and was safe.

WPA 8-Year Spendings

Total Nearly 13 Billion

WASHINGTON.—The Work Pro-
jects administration spent \$10,136,
743,293 in WPA funds and \$2,837,713,
394 in sponsors' funds during its
eight-year existence—from June 30,
1935, to June 30, 1943—and supplied
employment to 8,500,000 persons, Ad-
ministrator Philip B. Fleming said
in a report transmitted to congress.
Designed to provide emergency em-
ployment, WPA has been liquidated
under direction of the President.



Service News

Pvt. Cecil Whittaker has been
transferred from Camp Wolters,
Texas, to Camp Livingston, La.

Norris Stafford left his home in
Reed City on May 17 for Detroit
and from there went into training
in the Navy.

Harold R. Crane returned Satur-
day to his station at Patuxent
River, Maryland, after spending a
10-day leave with his wife, parents,
relatives and friends here.

Pfc. Harold W. Babcock, Route
3, Cass City, has been promoted to
Technician 5th Grade at a station
hospital in the Central Pacific area
and has been assigned to duties as
a surgical technician.

Ensign Donald L. McComb, son
of County School Commissioner B.
H. McComb, underwent an opera-
tion at the Naval hospital at Be-
thesda, Md., on May 13. Latest re-
ports are encouraging.

Pfc. Clark Knapp enjoyed a
three-day pass and spent the week
end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
A. J. Knapp. He is now stationed
at Galesburg, Ill. Clark had been
just two years in the Service on
May 20.

Cpl. Stuart Atwell left here
Monday to return to Fort Benning,
Ga., after a week's visit with his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. At-
well. Cpl. Atwell expects to enter
an Officers' Candidate school at
Fort Benning in the near future.

Robert Dewey, formerly of Pon-
tiac, has completed his boot train-
ing in less than six weeks at Great
Lakes Naval station and with his
wife and two children is spending
a 12-day furlough with his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Dewey, here,
and at his home in Pontiac.

A-C Allan Spencer, who has
been given his basic training at
Shepard Field, Texas, writes
friends here that he has been sent
to Randolph Field, Texas, and is
among the first group of cadets
ever to be sent to Randolph Field
directly following basic training.
Allan has had his first turn at the
controls and is thrilled with flying.

Gordon J. Decaire, whose family
resides at Gagetown, is now an in-
tegral member of the Amphibious
Forces of the United States Navy.
At the completion of his prelimi-
nary LST training at the Amphib-
ious Training Base, Camp Brad-
ford, N. O. B., Norfolk, Va., De-
caire has been assigned to the crew
of an LST for active duty.

Word has been received from
Mrs. Hilton Warner that her
brother, John M. Brackenbury, has
been inducted into the army re-
cently. He is stationed at Fort
Knox, Kentucky. His home is in
San Francisco, California, and he
lived in Cass City for many years
before going West, Mrs. Warner's

nephew, Lynford D. Fritz, is tak-
ing "boot" training at the San
Diego Naval Training station. His
mother, Mrs. Vera Fritz, was a
former resident of Cass City.

Cpl. Thomas McDermid, in the
Service in India, wrote his folks
that he had been quite disappoint-
ed in not receiving any mail for
some time. The next letter his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McDer-
mid, of Gagetown, received, he told
them, a nurse, during his 12-day
stay in a hospital because of an
infection in his foot, brought him
65 letters one day and the next day
six more. Previous to going over-
seas to North Africa last January,
Cpl. McDermid had attended seven
different Service schools in the
States.

Clarence F. Wright, 22-year-old
resident of Cass City, has been
promoted from Private to Techni-
cian 5th Grade in the Army in
India where he has been serving
for the past nine months. The new
Technician 5th Grade (Corporal)
is a member of a medical unit of
the Services of Supply, United Ar-
my Forces in the China Burma In-
dia Theater of Operations. Wright
worked for the Nestle's Milk Pro-
ducts, Inc., in Cass City, before his
induction into the Army in De-
cember, 1942, at Detroit. He served
at Camp Robinson, Ark., and Camp
Wheeler, Ga., before leaving the
States for overseas duty in the
China Burma India Theater. Mr.
and Mrs. Fred Wright, the soldier's
parents, live in Cass City.

In a letter requesting a change
of address for his Chronicle to
Camp Haan, California, T-5 Cas-
imir A. Bartnick, writes: "I would
like to say that your paper gets to
me regardless where I go. It
gets to be postmarked quite a bit,
but I still get it. Some of the boys
in the outfit like to read it, too, as
they are from around the neighbor-
hood."

"I was discharged from the hos-
pital Apr. 22. I caught up with my
outfit May 5. I have been on trav-
eling orders from Apr. 22 till the
5th, of May and I have seen quite
a bit of country. The weather out
here in California is different from
that of Washington. It gets to be
quite cold here in the Mojave Des-
ert. We haven't the grass and
trees like we had in Washington.
The reason why I am glad to be
back in California is that it's my
old stamping ground. Keep up the
good work of mailing your paper
to the home town boys that are in
the Service."

NOVESTA

Pfc. Harold Ferguson is spend-
ing a seven-day furlough at the
home of his mother, Mrs. Phebe
Ferguson.

Thomas Gillies entertained his
brother, William, of Detroit a few
days last week. The brother left
on Monday morning for Duluth to
spend the summer with a nephew.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Henderson
visited Sunday at the home of Mr.
and Mrs. Arthur Henderson in
Kingston.

Read the Want Ads on page 5.

uled for the afternoon. Caro and
Cass City will be the contestants.

FOLKS have been very nice in
getting the want ads and news in
early in recent weeks. Otherwise
we couldn't handle them and get
the Chronicle printed on time. We
appreciate this cooperation.

LADIES in Cass City started
wearing their straws several
months ago, but the first man
wearing a "Sunday-go-to-meetin'"
straw hat this spring was sighted
on Main street within the past
week. Brave man!

PLEASANT HOME HOSPITAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clarence
Spencer of Deford, May 23, a
daughter; to Mr. and Mrs. Austin
Stoddard of Watrousville, May 23,
a daughter, weight 6 lbs., 11 oz.;
to Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Roach of
Cass City, May 22, an 8 lb. son;
to Mr. and Mrs. Everett Leishman
of Cass City, a son, weight 7 lbs.,
4 oz.; to Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lind-
sey (Naomi Gibson) of Decker, a
daughter (discharged); to Mr. and
Mrs. Tyrus Mzyk of Cass City, an
8 lb. son; to Mr. and Mrs. Harold
Odenbaugh of Cass City, on May
21, a son (discharged).

Patients recently discharged:
Neil Severn of Elkton, Steve Dillon
of Colwood, Mrs. Stanley Wentz
for tonsil operation, to Kingston,
Shirley Akers for tonsil operation
to North Branch, Mrs. Robert
Charlton on Wednesday to Cros-
well, Mrs. Clare Schwaderer, Cass
City.

Patients in the hospital Wednes-
day afternoon: Mary Jane Price,
Mrs. Norbert Miller and baby of
Cass City; Mrs. Leon Roblin, Mrs.
Chas. Calbery, Mrs. Carl Peterson,
and Albert Hall, all of Caro; Flo-
rence Butler, Gagetown, appendec-
tomy; Larry Norrington of Akron;
Stanley Shagena of Tyre; Mrs.
Walter Rogers of Decker; and Mrs.
Earl Hendrick of Pontiac.

Notice.

People are requested not to bring
flowers to patients in Pleasant
Home hospital without first get-
ting permission. Patients will be
limited to one bouquet at a time.
—Adv't.

WANTED: Husky policeman to
hold back crowds during debut of
Post's Raisin Bran. Golden wheat
and bran flakes plus choice Cali-
fornia raisins. It's new!—Adv. 10.

Village of Cass City Board of Review.

Notice is hereby given to all per-
sons liable to assessment for taxes
in the Village of Cass City, Coun-
ty of Tuscola, State of Michigan,
that the assessment roll of said
Village of Cass City as prepared
by the undersigned will be sub-
ject to inspection at the council
rooms in the Village of Cass City,
on Tuesday, June 6, from 8:00 a.
m. to 5:00 p. m., Central War
Time, at which place said Board
of Review will be in session, and
upon request of any person who is
assessed on said roll, or his agent,
and on sufficient cause being
shown, said Board of Review will
correct the assessment as to such
property in such manner as will in
their judgment make the valuation
thereon relatively just and equal.
Such assessment roll as reviewed
and approved by said Board of Re-
view shall be the assessment roll
of said Village for the year 1944.
Chester L. Graham, Village As-
sessor.

Dated May 24, 1944. 5-26-2

100 pounds of
wax paper
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