

# Cass City Chronicle

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## WE WILL CELEBRATE THE COMING 4th OF JULY.

Our citizens met last Monday evening at the council rooms to perfect the arrangements for a fourth of July celebration.

The meeting was called to order by G. A. Stevenson and upon motion, W. J. Campbell was called to the chair, and C. W. Heller was appointed secretary. The following officers and committees were appointed:

President, J. D. Crosby.

Secretary, Theo. Ahr.

Treasurer, W. J. Campbell.

H. S. Wickware, C. W. Heller, Wm. Hebblewhite and A. A. Hitchcock with the above named officers were selected as the executive committee. D. M. Houghton was appointed as Marshall.

The following committees on arrangements were selected:

Committee on Speaker and Reader: I. B. Auten, H. L. Pinney, J. C. Laing.  
Committee on Printing: A. A. P. McDowell, and F. Klump.

Committee on Music: O. K. Janes, Wm. Hebblewhite, C. Ale.

Committee on Decoration: D. P. Deming, M. Dew and D. M. Houghton.

Committee on Parade: H. S. Wickware, C. W. Heller, J. S. McArthur.

Committee on Fire-works: G. A. Stevenson, W. Bentley, J. W. Macomber, D. McGillvray, N. Morrison.

Committee on Games: W. I. Frost, R. Miller, A. A. Muck.

Committee on Horse Races: W. D. Schooley, A. E. McGeorge, J. D. Brooker.

Committee on Bicycle Races: A. A. Hitchcock, C. McKenzie, C. Schenck.

Committee on Calistumpians: Chas. Striffler, Wm. Bentley, F. Kile.

The committees are hard at work and the outlook for an old fashioned 4th of July celebration is very encouraging.

## WILL IT BENEFIT US?

The CHRONICLE report of last week in regard to the transfer of the fran-

chise of the Bay City, Tuscola and Huron Railway company to Captain Boutell, of Bay City, is authenticated. There is no doubt but what the P. O. & N. people are interested in the deal. We have our information from private sources which at this time cannot be made known to our readers.

There is one question for our people to consider. Will an outlet to Bay City benefit us? If so, what can we do to promote the project?

The CHRONICLE has taken the liberty of interviewing some of our citizens on the subject. Dr. Edwards thinks the Bay City road would be a blessing to our town.

## Hurrah for the Nation's Birth Day!

Cass City will celebrate the Nation's day. Not only in remembrance of 1776, but also in honor of 1898.

A most elaborate program is being prepared. We invite all our neighbors—the Carolites, Vassarites, and all the tribes from Gagetown, Bad Axe, Willnot Pigeon, Elkton, Deford, Kingston, Shabbona, Greenleaf, Argyle and Wickware to come over and enjoy a feast of fat things with us.

O. K. Janes said: "The road would be a good thing for us if it stops here. If it should go on east of us it might do us harm."

"No doubt it would open up a market to the north and west," said E. H. Pinney, "which would be a benefit to us. It would give us better rates to Chicago, and people who live 10 or 12 miles out would naturally be drawn here, providing our market would throw out sufficient inducements."

J. D. Crosby is decidedly opposed to the project. He said, "It will kill us. We will lose trade. Let well enough

alone. Other towns like Pontiac and Mt. Clemens have been injured by electric roads."

J. D. Brooker is not a pessimist. He holds that an outlet to the north would help the town in every way. "It would place us in touch with the beet sugar factories of the Saginaw valley and also open a market for wood and produce and secure cheaper rates to the west."

A. A. McKenzie would awfully hate to see the road go by us. "We want it. It will help us in every way," was the tenor of his remarks.

J. S. McArthur said, "I don't know about it. These are things that come. You can't stop them. The best way is to open your arms and welcome them. I believe it would help us. Pontiac has been greatly benefited by the electric road that runs into Detroit."

"If the road keeps far enough to the north and comes direct from Sebewaing here it will be an excellent thing for us. We need another outlet but it must traverse the right territory." This is the view which I. B. Auten takes of the situation.

Mr. McGeorge sees danger ahead if another road should come through here. "Why," he said, "Cass City is now the best market place in the Thumb. We pay better prices for wheat, wool and other produce than most other towns in a radius of twenty miles. Let well enough alone."

Mr. Hebblewhite, of the firm of Frost & Hebblewhite is of the opinion that only in case the road would give us an outlet to the east and west would it be a benefit to us. He would not have it stop here under any consideration.

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Prof. E. Tibbals gives lessons on the violin. Enquire at the Orr building next to Town Hall. 6-16-1

Horse wanted. Enquire at this office. 6-2-

## CASS CITY CHRONICLE

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### CURRENT COMMENTS.

One private school commenced with thirty depositors and brought in \$3.50; another with thirty-one depositors, \$3.60; a third \$4.25; while in the public school nearly twenty dollars was deposited. The banking system will certainly be a great educator and habit builder. Children from the poorest families brought in their 'centavos,' their three cents and their ten, proudly marching up at the roll call to hand their money to the teacher."

This popular and distinctively economic department of the world's work is becoming more widely known and valued as an unequalled reform factor. The first school savings banks of Mexico were instituted in Parral, in November, through Mrs. Oberholtzer's correspondence, with Otis C. Olds of that city. The card, checks and forms are of course printed in Spanish. The Chihuahua Enterprise says in regard to the work. "The result of the first day of the school saving banks in Parral were greater than the originators of the movement dared expect.

The confederate reunion at Charleston showed that the gallant deeds of the men who fought on the Southern side in the civil war are cherished in grateful memory. In the south the veterans do not form a class, as in the north, distinct from their contemporaries of the war as well as from the younger generation. Every adult white male in the south, and probably the majority of the boys over fifteen, were in the military service. Therefore, the ranks of the confederate veterans virtually include all white male survivors of the generation which lived in the south at the time of the war. The reunion was distinguished by enthusiasm not confined to the veterans and their immediate friends. The people of the south are true to the men who fought their bat-

ties, and the fact that they have no national assistance in the generous work of relieving the aged and the helpless, makes them all the more devoted and earnest in their labor of love. No northern man will begrudge to the southern veteran any aid which he thus far receives in the struggle of life, which grows harder year by year for the heroes of the war. The bitterness of the past has gone, and Americans, north and south, are proud of the bravery displayed by both sides in the fearful conflict which preserved us as one nation forever,

When the Constitution was framed, over one hundred years ago, the combinations known as "trusts" had not been heard of, and probably not dreamed of. No one imagined that great business organizations would rise up, controlled by a few men, with vast capital at command, and capable of defying and overriding the law and the rights of others by the use of practically unlimited wealth. Had the founders of the Union been able to look into the future, they might have made some provision against evils which seem, at present, too strong for attack. As it is the Constitution is being strained to reconcile "trusts" with our republican institutions, and to preserve a semblance of constitutional liberty while its essential principles are discarded and repudiated. Even a man as conservative as Governor Roosevelt, of New York, on all subjects relating to the millionaire class to which he belongs, warned his fellow-plutocrats, in a recent speech, that, if bloodshed were to be avoided, a generation or two hence, they must be prepared to fulfill the civic obligations they now so largely avoid. How far the constitution can be strained before the breaking-point is reached, is a problem to be solved by experience. The American people are not hasty, but they are thorough. Should the time ever come when a choice must be made between liberty and order, they will prefer liberty. The order that a Russian general once reported as reigning in Warsaw is not the kind that men of Norman, Anglo-Saxon, Celtic, or Teutonic blood want, or will tolerate. The "trusts" will find that the path of safety is in the line with a just and fair recognition of the rights of all men, and that, if they sow dragon's teeth, they will reap a corresponding harvest.

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## WILL IT BENEFIT US?

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"I have changed my mind on that subject," said G. A. Stevenson. "Formerly, I could not see any good coming from such a movement, but I have reasons to believe it would help us in many ways. Would rather not have it go east of us at present. I have no fear of losing trade. The advantages derived from an outlet to Bay City would more than make up the loss we might sustain in the event of people going outside to trade."

Judging from the above opinions, a new road would be acceptable to the majority of our citizens. It may be somewhat difficult at this juncture to form an accurate opinion as to how such an outlet would effect us. However, this much is apparent, that sooner or later we will be directly connected with the Saginaw valley. Everything points that way. There is no power in Cass City to prevent it either. These things come about in the course of time in a right or wrong way. The only way to do is to direct such a project in a proper channel from its very incipency. These things need watching and careful handling, and no one is in a better position to do this than a live Business Men's Association. It is high time for our business men to get a "move" on and do something for their town. Remember Cass City will be just what we make it.

### ELKTON.

Our street commissioner is making good improvements on the streets.

Wm. Motz's little boy fell from a log the other day and broke one of his arms.

The Evangelical people are making extensive preparations for the camp-meeting which continues over Sunday.

M. Gillard, the county agent of the Coldwater school was in town to day and took Lizzie Brice, who was placed at J. Linge's, to a family near Port Austin. For some reason Lizzie was not appreciated.

The excursion train from Bad Axe to Saginaw on its return trip Sunday evening, nearly had a serious accident about six miles this side of Bad Axe. A bridge had burned, and the railroad company had to send busses out after the passengers.

We are closing out some

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## G. A. STEVENSON.

**FROM KATZVILLE,**

Mr. Editor:

There is nothing that takes such a firm hold upon the human heart as pride. When it has once taken possession of a person there is no use for him to try to look humble than for an Ethiopian to change his skin. His pride will stick out on the least provocation.

He may get down on his moral knees and make a prayer that reaches around the world eight times, he may get clear down into the mire of humiliation, but he will find after he has dusted his breeches that he is yet as proud as Lucifer's grandson.

You cannot indulge in pride without getting hurt, anymore than you can play foot-ball without hurting your shins. A proud person will do more injury in a company of good-natured people than a runaway team in a crockery store. They cannot be petted into good humor like an unruly cow but they will kick at everything that seems to be in their way.

It has never been discovered on which side to approach a haughty person without giving offence. I would rather fool around a can of nitro-glycerine than around a proud woman.

But it is not an easy thing to be humble at all times. To be so requires more exertion than to climb up one of the gorgeous rainbow. It is an easy matter to sit in your hammock and talk of meekness and such like virtues but it requires some moral courage to tell the Christians in a class meeting that you have been acting the hypocrite and that you haven't paid the preacher and salary for six months.

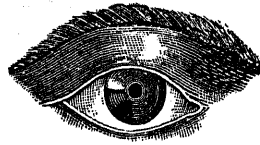
And yet, pride has its uses. He who has no pride at all can get along about as well as a bird can navigate the air without wings or tail. There is false pride too. Some people have it to such an extent that they would rather steal the money from a contribution box than to be seen driving a spavined horse. Especially guard against this kind of pride if you want to go down the avenues of time, a happy man. It is a soft spot in a man's character. Tread lightly over at that you may not sink down and damage yourself forever.

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.....Handkerchiefs 1c each.....

And many other Bargains we have not space to quote.

**W. A. Fairweather,**

**CASS  
CITY.**

Butter and Eggs wanted.

## CHRONICLINGS.

Roy Klein is on the sick list.

Homer Frost is home again.

Ed. Fitch is about town again.

Jessie Crosby has left for a ten days visit at Ypsilanti.

A few of our young people spent Sunday at Sebawaing.

Have you subscribed for the CHRONICLE? Only 50 cents.

Fred Lee and wife made a business trip to Shabbona Monday.

Mrs. John Profit, sr., is very ill with a complication of disease.

Jessie Clark wheeled to her parental home at Sheridan Sunday.

J. H. Striffler is building a large shed for machinery purposes.

Pearl Schenck is back from Ann Arbor for his summer vacation.

Solomon Vogel, of Owosso, visited friends in town on Thursday.

Herman Conuer of Caro will again be on duty at the marble works.

Messrs. Champion and Truscott were in Caro Friday on business.

Socrates Adiss purchased the south east corner lot on Pinney's addition.

Mrs. Ivant of North Gagetown committed suicide by taking opium, on last Friday.

Master Meredith Auten is a proud boy these days. He has a new bike, you see, and its a dandy.

Harry Weydemeyer is home from college. Harry has now a state record as an all around athlete.

The work on the new addition of the Gordon hotel is progressing nicely and will soon be ready for use.

Herbert Lenzner, foreman in the CHRONICLE office, who has been ill for the past few days, is somewhat better.

The laying of the foundation for the new Sheridan House has been begun, and judging from the quantity of material on the ground no pains will be spared to make the foundation sufficiently strong to support the magnificent superstruction which is to be built thereon.

D. J. Giles returned home Wednesday from a week's visit with his parents at Lapeer. His mother has been dangerously ill, but is now somewhat improved. In the absence of Mr. Giles, John Wilder had the entire responsibility of managing the store, which he did to the entire satisfaction of his employer. John is the kind of young men that are a credit to themselves, and an honor to the community in which they live.

Rev. Baxter is supplying pulpits here and there now-a-days. Last Sunday he filled the pulpit of the Trinity Church at Caro.

Messrs. LaFond, of Bad Axe, and Dodd, of Deckerville, are employed at the CHRONICLE office. Mr. Dodd was formerly employed in the Enterprise office.

The children of the Presbyterian Sunday school will render an excellent program next Sunday morning. Its Children's Day. Don't forget the collection.

Miss Anna Gillis, of Flint, who is the principal singer at the commencement exercises next Thursday evening is a vocalist of rare ability. Our music lovers should not fail to hear her.

A gentleman from Binghampton, N. Y. is looking for a suitable location for a boot and shoe factory. Cass City can have the factory providing someone will take \$35,000 worth of stock. Maybe a smaller amount would answer the purpose.

Father Brooke, of the Catholic church at Argyle, has been seriously ill at St. Mary's Hospital in Detroit, but is now convalescent.

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## 2 MACKS 2



### CHRONICLINGS.

The CHRONICLE is somewhat smaller this week on account of sickness in the Chronicle family.

There will be a district 'Sunday School rally at Argyle, Thursday, June 22nd. Nine townships will be represented.

Landon, Eno & Keating are busy people at present. They are working on the following jobs:—Gordon House addition and Dr. Deming's house, a large residence at Kingston and one at Elmwood.

Chas. Hendrick, of Texas, in company with Jas. Hendrick, of Saginaw, are visiting at J. F. Hendrick's. Chas. Hendrick left home early in life and his whereabouts was a mystery for forty six years.

Prof. E. Tibbals, of Saginaw, has taken up his residence in the Orr building next to the Town Hall. Mr. Tibbals is an expert in music and anyone desiring to learn to play the violin will do well to call on him.

The bricklayers and other laborers, who are at present working on the beet sugar factory, which is being erected at Caro, had a blowout Wednesday. They organized a Bricklayer's Union and in the afternoon games of various kinds were indulged in.

Everything is in full blast at Wettlaufer & Ratz Mfg. Co.'s establishment. Seven men are now employed. More will be added in course of time. The orders for pea-harvesters are coming in satisfactorily and the CHRONICLE predicts that in course of a year the present factory will have to be enlarged.

Clements & Tindale are doing a rushing business. They are finishing a house for Christ. Schwaderer three miles west of town. They also have taken the contracts of building a house for Mrs. Mahoney, one half mile west of town, and a brick veneered house for the Hower Bros. on the county line.

We appreciate the following compliment very highly, which is given us "gratis" by the Lexington News:—The Cass City Chronicle, a new publication, is the prettiest little paper in the state. F. Klump & Co. are the publishers. Judging from its present excellence, we believe the Chronicle is destined to become one of the leading newspapers of Tuscola County at no distant day.

The special teacher's examination held at the High school building today is well attended. Sixty-three applicants for teacher's certificates are present. The northern and eastern part of the county is by far the best represented. The examination is directed by County Commissioner Davis, with the assistance of Prof. E. J. Darby, of Caro, and H. Z. Wilbur, of Millington.

### CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., June 16, 1899.

Wheat, No. 1 white.....	\$ 71
Wheat, No. 2 red.....	72
Rye, No. 2.....	55
White oats, No. 2.....	27
Hand picked beans.....	85
Screened beans.....	50 70
Barley, per 100 lb.....	80
Hay, No. 1 Timothy.....	6 50
Hay, No. 2.....	5 00
Clover seed, prime.....	3 00
Clover seed, No. 2.....	2 75
Wool.....	1 8
Eggs per doz.....	11
Butter.....	10
Live hogs, per cwt.....	3 00 3 40
Beef, live weight.....	3 4 1/2
Sheep, live weight, per lb.....	3 1/4 4
ROLLER MILLS.	
White Lily, per bbl.....	4 00
Heller's Best.....	4 40
Pillsbury Best.....	5 00
Graham flour.....	4 00
Rolled meal, per cwt.....	1 60
Feed.....	1 10
Meal.....	1 00
Bran.....	80
Middlings.....	90
Rye flour.....	2 00



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**CHURCH NEWS.**

Childrens Day will be observed next Sunday morning at the Presbyterian church.

Rev. S. L. Brooke very acceptably filled the Presbyterian pulpit last Sabbath.

A baptismal service will be conducted next Sunday 2p.m. by Rev. Fenn at the Cass river.

Pastor Rushbrook delivers the Baccalaureate Sermon next Sunday evening at the M. E.

Sunday, June 25th. the Rev. A. Toebet of Monroe Mich., will preach at the Presbyterian church.

The annual Evangelical camp-meeting is in progress at Elkton and will continue over Sunday. Rev. Dr. Kirn of Flint has charge of the Assembly.

Rev. Dr. Kirn held a very successful quarterly meeting at the Evangelical church last Sunday. Mr. Kirn is a scholarly gentleman and ranks high as a specialist of Psychology.

Rev. Kirn, P. E. of Flint District and Rev. C. T. Meckel, Corresponding Secretary of the Evangelical Church honored the CHRONICLE sanctum with their presence the past week.

The missionary meeting conducted by Corresponding Secretary Meckel of Erie, Pa., on last Monday evening at the Evangelical church, was a rouser.

About \$50 was contributed to missions.

The scholars of the Methodist Sunday School gave a very interesting Children's Day program at their church last Sunday evening. The following is the program which was given:

Song.....	Choir.
Prayer.....	Rev. Fenn.
Song.....	Choir.
Greetings.....	Lucille Schenck.
Recitation.....	Laura McKim.
Exercise.....	Primary class.
Recitation.....	Sadie Fisher.
Recitation.....	Fern Stevenson.
Recitation.....	Carola Fritz.
Class Exercise.....	
Song.....	School.
Recitation.....	Harold Ellis.
Recitation.....	Ray Hunt.
Essay.....	Lottie Usher.
Song.....	School.
Benediction.....	

**SCHOOL NOTES.**

The class colors consist of Cyrano and Green.

The class motto of '99 is "Carpe Diem" meaning "Seize the oppor-

tunity".

Teachers examination Thursday and Friday.

Senior examinations will be held the last of the week.

The Commencement week begins next Sunday. Rev. Rushbrook delivers the Baccalaureate address at the M. E. church on Sunday evening.

Next Thursday evening the commencement exercises take place at the Opera House, an elaborate program has been prepared. On Friday evening the Alumni Banquet at the Gordon House will wind up the festivities.

The graduating class is made up of the following Ladies and Gentlemen:

President, Alvin Sansburn, Secretary, R. May L. Macomber, Treasurer, George Le Roy Martin, Lucile Ann Hatton, Ellen Mabel Boulton, Katharine Zinnecker, Olive Claudine Mc. Clinton, Cecil Elvira Fritz, Bertha C. McKenzie.

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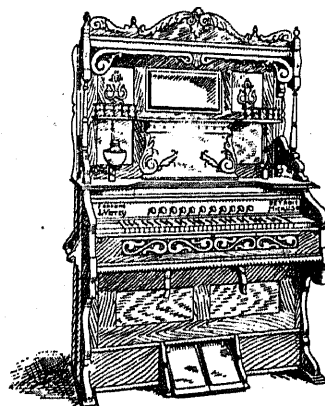
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### That Jail-Breaking Mystery.

In last week's issue the CHRONICLE gave the facts in regard to the attempt of liberating one Hawman, who is commonly called the "board-jumper." The CHRONICLE has no desire of being sensational or of doing anyone an injustice. However, the facts in the case must be revealed, and the guilty parties exposed and if possible brought to speedy justice. The CHRONICLE believes in exposing wickedness regardless of persons or consequences. This is the mission of a newspaper and we mean to be true to our calling.

Now what are the facts in the case?

1. On Tuesday evening, May 30th, one Hawman was incarcerated in the village bastille.
2. About nine o'clock Mr. Trevathan informed Marshal Ahr that something was going wrong in the jail.
3. The Marshall entered the place, found Mr. Greenizen in Mr. Trevathan's place reading a paper, and upon examination found the burrs on the bolts which hold the iron bar on the door, unscrewed.
4. When he returned with Sheriff Morris, the nuts had been entirely taken off and found upon the person of the prisoner.
5. The prisoner had a bottle of whiskey in his possession, which, according to the statement of Sheriff Morris must have been handed to him after he had locked him up.
6. The prisoner, when questioned, admitted that someone had taken off the burrs and provided him with the whiskey.
7. Mr. Greenizen, who feels grieved because we gave these facts in last week's CHRONICLE, now states in the presence of Marshal Ahr, that he is quite sure the whiskey was handed the prisoner by a man, who formerly worked for Mr. Freeman.

- The above are the facts in the case, which, if necessary can be substantiated by sworn testimony. In view of these facts the CHRONICLE is more convinced than ever, that all parties concerned, should be given an opportunity to testify as to what they know about the matter. It is our opinion, that Mr. Greenizen, who says he had nothing to do in the matter, would be very glad to enlighten the proper authorities as to what he knows about the case.

If the jail is village property then it is very plain that the village council ought to bring about an investigation of the case.



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### CHRONICLINGS.

Gertrude Schooley left for London, Canada, Thursday.

Blanch Hansler is visiting friends in Woodstock, Canada.

Fred Smithson and Meyer Ablowitz spent Sunday at Bay City.

Chas. Fairweather and Neuman Frost wheeled to Caro Sunday.

Mrs. A. L. Johnson of Soo St. Marie visited at H. S. Wickware's last week.

Berkley Paterson, Ashton Tindale, Herman Conner wheeled to Akron Sunday.

Miss Anna Mc Kenzie and Mr. Ole-son of Sanilac Center, spent Sunday at A.A. McKenzies.

Rev. Philip Pobley and wife, of Caro, passed through our town yesterday on their way to the Elkton camp-meeting.

Miss Katherine Gillies, daughter of Alexander Gillies, and A. Boomhaur, were married Thursday. Rev. B. J. Baxter officiated.

Last Monday a horse belonging to Jas. Walters, four miles west of here, was stolen from his premises. No clue to the thief has been found up to date.

The CHRONICLER is pleased to inform its readers that Messrs. Pinney and Perkins have started a lumber yard which is located on the Anyon lots on Seegar street.

Edward F. Dulmage, of Canboro, is the first to build on Pinney's addition to Cass City, corner of 3rd street and Woodland Ave. Wm. McKenzie has the contract to build him a house at once.

The directors of the Fair Association held a meeting last Saturday. Henry Dodge was elected President in place of John Marshall, and Theo. Burden was chosen as one of the directors.

#### Fractional School District No. 6.

William McCallum is quite sick.

Mending our ways is the order of the day.

Bert Strickland drives a Deckerville trotter.

Mr. Isaac Maxwell and wife visited at E. R. Hunts Sunday.

Mrs. Sadie Yakes and daughter have returned from Gaylord.

Mrs. Maggie Hunt takes her departure for Flint Monday night to attend a family reunion.

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# COMMENCEMENT Program.

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|----|---|---------------------------|
| 1  | Opening.....  | Rev. J. W. Penn.          |
| 2  | Invocation.....   | Miss Anna Gillis          |
| 3  | Music.....  | Alvin Sansburn.           |
| 4  | Salutatory, England and Russia in the Far East.....     | Bertha C. McKenzie.       |
| 5  | The Basis of True Greatness.....                        | Lottie Annie Weaver.      |
| 6  | Third Meditation, "Jaell".....                          | R. May L. Macomber.       |
| 7  | Class Poem.....   | Ellen Mabelle Boulton.    |
| 8  | Joan of Arc.....  | Miss Anna Gillis          |
| 9  | Music.....  | Cecil Elvira Fritz.       |
| 10 | Class Oration, "Remember the Maine".....                | George Le Roy Martin.     |
| 11 | Jefferson the Champion of True Democracy.....           | Miss Anna Gillis.         |
| 12 | Music.....  | Lucile Anna Hatton.       |
| 13 | Class History.....                                      | Olive Claudine McClinton. |
| 14 | The Dawning of the Twentieth Century.....               | Lottie Annie Weaver.      |
| 15 | Concert Waltz, "Undener".....                           | Lottie Annie Weaver.      |
| 16 | Valedictory, "Carpe Diem" "Seize the Opportunity,"..... | Katherine Zinnecker.      |
| 17 | Address to Class.....                                   | Rev. Baxter.              |
| 18 | Presentation of Diplomas.....                           | Miss Anna Gillis          |
| 19 | Music.....  | Miss Anna Gillis          |
| 20 | Benediction.....  | Miss Anna Gillis          |

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Miss Anna Gillis

Pianists,  
Ella Koons,  
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The booklet will contain half tones and etchings of the graduates, faculty, trustees, class presidents and of school buildings that have been in use; also the present High school building.

The subject matter will be made up of a brief history of the school from its beginning, the class history and valedictory in full, and an outline of all orations and essays given by the graduates.

This is something new, and judging from the numerous orders already received it will prove to be a decided success. The price is 25 cents a copy. As there will be only a limited number issued it will be necessary for all who desire a copy to place their order at once. This can be done at the CHRONICLE office.

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| 1 Handkerchief for only.....                                    | 1c     |
| 1 of those short sleeved Summer Vest for.....                   | 5c     |
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