

# Christmas in a Shoe and Clothing Store

is usually a dull time—a few more Gloves, Collars and Neckties; a little less shoe and clothing trade. No reason for it. There's nothing so good for a Christmas gift as a nice suit, a pair of shoes, an overcoat, a raincoat, a fancy vest, a fur coat—there isn't a thing in our store which wouldn't make the nicest kind of an Xmas gift.

We want some Xmas trade as well as our neighbors. We have been getting ready for it—watching for a chance to get hold of some good clothing which would enable us to of-

# Extra Xmas Inducements

We've got it-half a car load of fine clothing from a couple of manufacturers whose trade ran short of their expectation. They had to dispose of it at any price they could get. We secured what we wanted

Our advantage is your advantage. We are giving you the benefit and just at the time that the extra Xmas expenditures make every

We have high grade fancy worsteds and fine all wool cheviots and cassimeres. This gathering shows light and dark grays, browns, blacks, blues and also mixed colors. All tailored by experts and from two of the best manufacturers in the

Christmas comes but once a year. A foolish present is remembered but a day; a solid, substantial, serviceable gift is remembered thankfully for a year. We have

House Slippers, Gloves, Neckwear, Shirts, Collars, Suspenders, Mufflers-Everything that is new and attractive for the outfit of well dressed men, boys or children.

#### GIFT CERTIFICATES EOR CHRISTMAS

The ideal way of presenting a pair of Shoes to a friend. You buy the certificate of us for any price pair of shoes and present it to your friend as a gift. The person receiving it may then come at his or her convenience, make the selection and be properly fitted. Worth remembering. Ready when you are.

Think it over, then come and see.

# J. D. CROSBY & SON

Cass City's Shoe and Clothing Men

# FURNITURE For Xmas Gifts



What is appreciated more than a nice piece of Furniture?

We have a large assortment bought especially for Christnas Presents.

We have also just received a large shipment of pictures.

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# McKenzie & Knapp

Funeral Directors and Furniture Dealers @ @

**Both Phones** 

Cass City

Just a Suggestion

# An Edison Phonograph

would make an ideal Xmas gift and would be something that every member of the family would enjoy. See our line of machines. Latest Edison Records for sale.

> Sheet Music and Magazines @

W. H. RUHL

#### **WOULD HURT STATE BANKS**

Present Postal Depository Bill.

mermann, in an interveiw declares that he is opposed to the postal depository bill as it is now framed. The section which he finds most objectionable is the one providing that all money collected by the postal depositories shall be deposited in the nearest national bank, to the exclusion of all

"There are 357 state banks in Michigan, and 95 nationial banks," said from La Junta, Colorado, to Hutof financial disturbances this would all well here. This part of Kansas on Thursday, January 14th. mean that the postal depositories would collect large sums from all banks now the land is being bought up for both state and national, but as soon farming purposes and the people are as collected, it would promptly be raising corn and wheat and I have no turned over to the national banks. Thus 95 banks would profit at the ex- have done farther east in Kansas pense of the other 357."

"If the measure is passed, it should postal depository funds."

Editor Chronicle:-The readers of the letter is as follows.

Jas. MacArthur.

Thank you very much for the gift of your volume of poems, which I am reading with much pleasure, admiring the skill with which you flit, as in your Bob-o-Link, in that pretty piece of poems, from one topic to another, treating all with an equally light grace, and pouring round your reader a cheering optimism by a lover of flowers and birds. I particularly enjoy your touches of Nature in their life in such poems as "Trailing Arbu-

tus" and "The White Robin's Re-

My dear sir:-

deal with human life are very forceful and instructive. Thanks for them all. Believe me yours very faithfully, James Bryce.

Special Sale of Feed.

Split peas, \$1.25 per 100 pounds; barey, \$1.35 per 100. Cheapest feed you can buy. Cass City Grain Co. 12-18-

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Commissioner Zimmerman Opposes

State Banking Commissioner Zim-

provide that state as well as national banks may become the recipents of

## A DIGNITARY'S COMPLIMENT.

your paper and the many friends I early traders had with the Indians in have in this vicinity who have shown those early days in making their way their appreciation of my book of from the Missouri river to Santa Fe, poems by their purchases, which has New Mexico. On Monday after been truly gratifying to me, will be Christmas we leave here for Los Aninterested in this letter which I have geles, Cal. My sister, Mrs. A. A. just received from Hon. James Bryce, the author of "The American Commonwealth," one of our standard trip fine. We are having fine weather school books, and who is at present here now. I will close wishing the British ambassador to this country;

Washington, Dec. 19, 1908.

I will be at my home on Fridays to receive the taxes of Novesta township. Will also be at the bome of Dougald McIntyre on Thursday, Jan. 7, until 4:00 p. m., at Deford on Saturday, Dec. 26, and Saturday, Jan. 2; and at the home of Wm. Little on Wednesday, Jan. 6 until 4:00 p. m.

Notice to Taxpayers.

12-18-2 W. B. Hicks, Treas.

All persons owing Mrs. M. J. McGillyray on account are requested turn." But many of the pieces which to oall and settle at once.

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> Good coal. Prices right. This is a good time to buy your coal of the Cass City Grain Co.

Popular magazines at Ruhl's.

#### A. J. MCLACHLAN WRITES TO FRIENDS The Baptist Sunday school will give

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM.

on Thursday evening, December 24:

"They Crowned Him King of Glory"

Class Song "Christmas Boys and Girls"

CHRISTMAS PROGRAM

Evening.

Invocation.

Recitation,

Recitation,

Recitation,

'Who Was It?"

"A Real Grandma"

"Christmas Box"

Recitation,

Song,

"A Letter to Santa Claus"

Song,

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Song,

Dialogue, "Christmas"

"Christ Is Born"

By Mrs. Travis' Class

"The Story of the Bells"

By Class of Young Ladies

Don Clough

Samuel Riker

Irene Jameson

Leone Herr

Zella Hall

Dexter Clough

"Christmas Day"

"Peace on Earth"

Two Little Girls

"The Angels' Chorus'

Motion Song

Rev. Knapp

Allison Spence

Ross Ostrander

Mrs. Knapp's Class

Dialogue

Howard McKenzie

"The Redemption"

Is Now Visiting His Brother at Opening Chorus, Ingalls, Kansas.

Had Novel Experience in Fording Arkansas River. October Flood Took Bridges.

Ingalls, Kan., Dec. 16, '08.

Cass City Chronicle, Friend Herb:-Having promised a number of my friends to write to "Christmas Blessing" them, I thought that the best and | Solo, easiest way of reaching them would "How He Does It" Zelma McKenzie be through the medium of your paper | Carol, so I take the privelege of sending it Recitation, in that way. We left Port Huron at Recitation, noon the 11th of November and got to Song, Kansas City at 11 a.m. the next day. There we left the main line of travel and took a side trip down into Missouri where I used to live, arriving there the same evening. We found Offertory, our Missouri friends all well and glad | Class Song, to see us. A great many changes have taken place there in the twentythree years that have come and gone since I lived there. For instance in the M. E. church of which I was a member, there were 160 members and Carol, out of that number there were only five left. They have a fine new church now and have a Michigan "Dollies' Rockaby" man for pastor, Elder Thomas, who "Little Star" served Epworth church, Saginaw, and Song, Lapeer. We were there over Sunday and on Sunday afternoon there was the funeral service of an old friend of At the Presbyterian Church Friday mine, a Captain Sheldon, a veteran of the Civil war. After the evening service, the surviving five members met us in one of the aisles of the church. It was really a family reunion and was very impressive to me is I never expect to meet them again antil we meet around the throne. I old shopmates of thirty years ago. On Monday morning, Nov. 16th, we left

On Friday evening, Dec. 25, the members of the Presbyterian Sunday school will give the following Christ-Song, "Joy to the World" found quite a number of other old Prayer, ime friends who were all glad to see Recitation, me and among them were three of my | Recitation, Recitation, Missouri for Bleeding, Kansas, and got to Reading, Kansas, that after-

with Kansas and Oklahoma which he

visited lately and met Elder Cridland,

who also served the Argyle church

several years ago. After our visit

with Brother Gordon we again pro-

ceeded toward sundown and we got to

Ingalls at 2 a. m., Nov. 20th. There

we found our brother, L. A., and his

daughter waiting for us. There we

had the novel experience of fording

flood had taken out all the bridges

here now. This is right on the line of

the old Santa Fe trail which crosses

the bloody encounters that those

Wheeler, who is with me, is much im-

proved in health and standing the

Chronicle and its many readers a merry Christmas and hapyy New

Respectfully,

A. J. McLachlan.

Year.

the Arkansas river as the October

Song, Leone Kile and Marie Brooker Exercise, Mrs. McGillvray's Class Vocal Duet, Irene Renshler and Helene Janes loon where we again stopped for a two days' visit with Rev. J. C. Gor-Recitation, Frederick Pinney don, a former Argyle pastor. He was Tableau, Five Little Girls at the station waiting for us. We Eight Young Ladies had a splendid visit with him and his Recitation, James Brooker

family. He is very much taken up Dialogue, Dorothy Janes and Mark Gemmill Recitation, Clara Foster Primary Class Norris Hartman Jessie Duncanson Recitation. Ruth Robinson Exercise, Herman Doerr, Leslie Weber and Justin McDermott

### DANCE AT GAGETOWN.

Superior Arbor, A. O. O. G., will Commissinor Zimmermann. "In case chinson, Kansas. We found the folks have a dance and supper at Gagetown

## Special Sale Drain Tile

Drain Tile, 3 and 4 inch. Will arrive doubt will make a success of it as they in the next few days. Parties wishing tile for neqt spring will do well to where the outlook for farming a few see us and get these tile off from cars years ago was no better than it is at reduced prices.

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the Arkansas river at this point. The Why go in storm and sleet after line of the trail is marked by granite nilk, when you can have it delivered markers placed at regular intervals to your door by O. Y. Schneider? and properly inscribed and many were

Money to loan. Enquire at this ffice. 7-10-

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Liberal Donations From Citizens of Elkland, Evergreen, Greenleaf and Novesta Townships.

The citizens of Cass City and the surrounding townships have been very liberal in their donations to the Helen McGregory fire sufferers of Michigan. The amount of money which has been subscribed, collected and turned over Irene Stock to the treasurer, E. H. Pinney, at this date, is \$560.

Of this amount, \$50 has been sent forward and the remainder will be Gladys Young forwarded as soon as the committee in charge thinks it advisable to do so. It is expected that the money will be Hazel Summers needed to buy grain for spring seed. Snow Flakes" "Signs of Christmas" Lillian Young state that the needs of the sufferers Auten Blackmore are well supplied for the present time. The amounts subscribed by the citi-"The Art of Being Good" Ray Yakes

Hugh McColl given. zens of the several townships are here

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F Topping..... Clarence Quick..... John M Field..... Percy Reid..... William Bailey ..... Neil McLarty..... M G Flynn E P Smith..... Richard Bayley. ..... We have five cars Jackson vitrified | Charlie Levagood..... Dugald McLarty..... Will Paul..... Henry Paul..... John Paul..... Mrs Mickle..... Geo F Scupholm.... C A Wells ..... Levi DeLong.... John DeLong..... Andrew McKim ..... Dugald McIntyre..... Mrs Sarah Houghton..... Edward Beebehyser..... Mrs John McLean..... Michael Race.....

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## Dr. A. N. Treadgold

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Salve, and in four weeks was entirely cured. He says:

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CHAPTER XXIII.



REAT was the disappointment of Major March and his men when they found that neither Aguinaldo nor Pilar had fallen into their hands. Although they had come just in time to prevent the complete annihilation of the little company, the leaders had escaped with the remnant

of their surprised forces. Scores of Filipinos were captured, dozens were killed and wounded. Eight of the dashing scouts who went out with Jerry Connell gave up their lives in exchange for the final victory.

A small guard was left at the convent to care for the wounded, the bulk of the command hurrying off at dawn to search for the routed Filipinos. Graydon Bansemer was put in charge of the convent guard. A surgeon and the application of "first aid to the injured" principles soon transformed the convent into a well arranged hospital. Uncle Sam's benevolence was also cheerfully extended to the wounded Filipinos. The days of the "water cure" and "ungodly butchery" had not yet come.

Young Velasquez died soon after daybreak. He had been dying for days. His sister's grief was pathetic in the extreme-aye, demoralizing, for it struck deep into the hearts of soldiers of love for some one. He started, and who had scoffed at the lifeblood of his hand trembled. man, but could not brave the tears of a woman.

comfort and console her. It was to him that she clung in her despair. He to conquer. had been her captor, and yet it had been he who stood forth in his might to defend her and the loved one who was dead. At nightfall the dead were buried in that faroff wilderness, their could come to give other graves in other lands to these who had given agree with them, except that it is she their lives. Velasquez was laid beside the Americans. Teresa, a shivering, sobbing little figure in the garb of an insurgent soldier, was supported by his, her dark eyes full of pleading. big Graydon Bansemer. There was no The touch of her hand did not send a service except the short army ritual; thrill through him. Such contact, howthere was no priest or pastor; there ever, caused the blood to tingle in the was but one real mourner-a pretty, heart broken girl who lay for hours and stared into space. After a moment beside the rude mound on the hillside.

Word came back at nightfall that the detachments were to form a junction at one of the big villages westward in two days. The instructions were that the wounded Filipinos for them.

"What in thunder are we to do with from the officer in command. More to her own amazement. than one man scratched his head disconsolate in front of the church.

here," said Bansemer.

"But, gee whiz! We can't take her on a hike like this," protested the serwhat would we do with a woman around all the time?"

would be heartless."

By the time the party and guides were the opinion unanimously expressed beauty. was that Teresa Velasquez should go forward also, come what might. She had pleaded so hard and so effectually pointed to Teresa Velasquez. that the men were fairly swept off their feet in a storm of sympathy.

"If she gives out we'll carry her!" roared a deeply impressed young man with long red whiskers.

"And when we get up to the command we'll make them derned correspondents take turn about walkin', so she can ride a pony all the time. They've got no business ridin' any-

And so with rosy confidence in the fitness of things and a just belief in tachment marched out into the hills, the ward of the company trudging bravely beside the tall and envied Mr. Bansemer, who, by the way, aside from being politely attentive, did not

exhibit any undue signs of exaltation. The presence of a woman-and a very pretty one at that, with a sadness in her eyes that was appealingserved only to send his thoughts bounding back to the girl he had left behind. He grew more and more morose and silent as the day wore on. At times the tired, lonely girl at his side lagged and cast wondering, piteous glances at him. Her woman's intuition told her that this man did not belong where he was. It told her also that he had a secret and that one of her sex was deeply involved.

The events of the next two weeks him.

rative, which deals not so much with the history and mystery of the campaign in the fall of '99 as with the welfare and emotions of a single solhunted and hounded from place to place with relentless fervor. Pilar was the pride of the insurgent forces; In another direction, and General Tono of the scattered force.

The net about Gregorio del Pilar was being drawn in and tightened. The closing week in November saw him driven to the last extremity. The tragedy of Tilad pass was near at hand.

Teresa Velasquez never faltered, never tired. She proved herself to be no incumbrance. Day after day the officer in command expected the expedition which would take her back to Manila. Forces came up from the south, but none were ready to go back. She was an inspiration to the camp. Men who had forgotten their manners completely brushed them up and danced attendance upon the girl in the Filipino uniform.

Every man prayed for opportunity to do brave deeds, and when chance came she was permitted to witness heroism that savored of the boyhood malady known as "showing off."

The reserved but considerate Bansemer was her closest friend and confidant. One evening as they sat side by side watching the preparations for supper she turned suddenly and announced that she knew he was dying

"Tell me about her," she commanded. There was a piquancy, a gay im-Bansemer did all in his power to pelling force in this girl that grief and hardship had not been strong enough

"Nonsense!" said Graydon. "Why do you think that of me?

"Because everybody else thinks it," she said, "and because I am a very wise person. The men are not so humble graves marked and recorded charitable as I, senor. They say that before the time when the government you joined the army because of some woman whom you could not marry. I who would not marry you. Forgive me if I have hurt you?' Impulsively she put her hand upon

quick veins of the girl. He merely sat she drew her hand away. "I am sorry," she said.

"There is a girl, Teresa," he said shortly.

"Yes, I know. Tell me about her." "I can't," he exclaimed bitterly. He should be left in the village, where arose and walked quickly away. Tenative women and doctors would care resa's dark eyes followed him in pity and wonder-aye, affection. Then she shook her head sadly and turned her the girl?" was the question that came attention elsewhere-not piqued, much

Re-enforcements came up two days thoughtfully and looked toward the later with the word that the commanddisturbing element that had come into er in chief expected the campaign the army. She was sitting alone and against Pilar to end within a week and that hard fighting was ahead. The "There's no way to send her back to Red Cross people were following hard her friends, and we can't leave her upon the heels of the regiment, and

field hospitals were to be established. Every man in the band of newcomers was singing the praises of a wongeant. "She'll be in the way, and derfully beautiful Red Cross nurse. she'll give out, and all that. Besides, The stories told of her charms were varied, but none lacked enthusiasm. Some said she was the daughter of a "I fancy she can hike all right," said rich magnate come to do service in the Graydon. "Major March wouldn't ex- cause of humanity; others were sure pect us to leave her behind. That she was a great and beautiful actress who was sacrificing everything to conspicuous advertising. All, however, ready to start on their forced march were agreed in the praise of her noble

The little detachment on guard turned up its collective nose and proudly

"Look at that," said Bob Spurrier. 'Can she stack up with the hiking queen? Our girl is real quality. She's no common American. She's a grandee's daughter. There's royal blood in her. By thunder, gentlemen, she's blood kin to little Alfonso."

Teresa sought shelter from the curious though admiring eyes of the fresh

"I don't like these new soldiers," she complained to Graydon. "I wish they had not come. They talk of this beauthe charity of Major March, the de- tiful nurse, and they laugh at me. Oh, I wish I had something else to wear." "Don't worry, little girl; you're worth ten nurses," said he.

"Alas, though I am dressed as a man, I do not feel as bold as one," she lamented.

The next day re-enforcements came up, and the whole command advanced upon Tilad pass, where Pilar, at last, had been cornered. On the 2d of December a desperate conflict took place. Pilar was intrenched in the pass near the celebrated rock known as El Obispo, "the Bishop." His resistance for a time was valorous and deadly. Corporal Parry saw him mount his horse behind the barricade 600 yards away. Parry was the best marksman in the regiment and, turning to his chief officer, asked if he should take a shot at

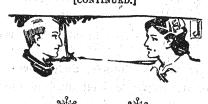
are of small consequence in this nar- He fired, and Pilar fell, face down-

ward, and the Americans crushed the little band of insurgents. Gregorio del Pilar was dead. His death in the great dier at the front. Aguinaldo and Pilar against an overwhelming force, brought hills, after a most courageous battle had become refugees by this time, to an end a life that would have been worth much to, the islands in after somewhere in the hills with his men, uable papers, letters and keepsakes. years. In his pockets were found val-Aguinaldo's remnant had scurried off Dolores Jose, who lived at Dagupan, The letters were from his sweetheart, was on the coast with what was left Her lace handkerchief rested over his

When the Americans, victorious and jubilant, fell back to camp, they had no small number of wounded to turn over to the tender mercies of the little company of Red Cross nurses and the sur-

One of the most dangerously injured was Graydon Bansemer. He was one of the first to cross the danger line. A Mauser ball from a distant hill tore through his side, leaving an ugly, gaping wound that foretold certain death.

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#### PROSECUTION HELD BACK.

Defense In Glazier Case Protesta Every Point.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 22.—Contesting every proposed bit of testimony, the defense in the case against ex-State Treasurer F. P. Glazier Monday suc ceeded in preventing the prosecution from (making much headway in its case. So far, the prosecution has not been able to show that formal demand was made on Glazier to return \$685, 000 of the state's money in his Chel sea bank at the time it was closed.

Other matters which were offered were kept out through objections of thed efense. Theodore E. Wood, who was eashier of the bank at the time it failed, was on the stand in t afternoon. He stated that Glazler was in the bank every day when in Chel sea and received a statement made each day as to the bank's condition He was asked and identified various records and books of the bank which

# STABBED HIM IN THE BACK

# Polish Laborer Attacks Man Laden With Presents.

Muskegon, Mich., Dec. 22.-Samuel Tostula, twenty-five years old, of Detroit was probably fatally stabbed by an unidentified Polish laborer. He has two stiletto wounds in his back, and physicians who attended him after his removal to Mercy hospital say he cannot live.

Tostula was returning to his board ing house, loaded down with Christ mas presents which he intended taking to his wife and family of small chil dren in Detroit, when the Pole sneaked up behind him and stabbed him.

The foreigner then ran away, leav ing his victim to die in the darkness. Testula, aithough weakened and losing blood, managed to crawl to a corner, where pedestrians found

## HER SUIT DISMISSED.

Young Woman's Charges of Libel Were Against Wrong Parties.
Muskegon, Mich., Dec. 22.—The local circuit court has dismissed the case of Bessie Miller of Pontiac against a Muskegon morning paper, charging libel in the publication of her photo as that of Miss Mabel Snell McNamara, the young woman at one time connected with the matrimonial agency of Marion Gray of St. Joseph The plaintiff asked \$10,000 damages.

Miss Miller was employed one summer by Miss Gray, but she denies haring anything to do with the matrimonial part of the agency.

In view of the fact that the phote was from a newspaper publishing house, the court found that the right party was not made the defendant.

## INJUNCTION SOUGHT.

Monroe Supervisors Allege Sugar Factory Refuse Pollutes River. Monroe, Mich., Dec. 22.-The board of supervisors has instructed the prosecuting attorney to begin injunction proceedings against the Blissfield Sugar company, at Blissfield, to restrain it from dumping refuse into the Raisin river.

It is claimed that the water in the stream is so polluted that the stench is unbearable to the farmers who live

near it. The water is made unfit for vatering stock, they say, and many thousands of fish have died as a result. One instance was cited where over twelve tons of fish were buried at one time.

The company, it is said, has objected on several occasions to cease making the river a dumping hole.

Shock May Kill Him. Alpena, Mich., Dec. 22.—William Doyle, son of James Doyle, a prominent merchant, had a narrow escape from cremation when the bed in which he was confined with rheumatism took fire from a candle. The shock may result fatally for the boy.

#### Nearly Bleeds to Death.

Standish, Mich., Dec. 22.-Everett Daugherty, a well known resident of Au Gres, cut his foot badly with an ax while cutting wood. It was thought he would bleed to death before aid reached him. He is slowly recover-

Found Dead In Snow. Plymouth, Mich., Dec. 22.—The body of John Kuhn, aged eighty-eight years. was found lying in the snow in front of his little cabin, near Stark. The aged man lived alone. It is thought

that the man was overcome and died

from exposure.

Dashed Acid In Her Face. Cheboygan, Mich., Dec. 22.—Lured out of church by a message that her baby had taken sick, Mrs. Marks, wife of Dr. C. B. Marks, was attacked by an unknown person who tried to dash acid in her face. Her assailant escaned.

Mrs. Emma Lynds Dead. Ann Arbor, Mich., Dec. 22.-Mrs. Emma Lynds, wife of Dr. James G. Lynds, former member of the faculty of the medical department of the university, was found dead in her bed at her home here by her husband. She was thirty-four years of age.

# A Cough Medicine

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is a regular cough medicine, a strong medicine, a doctor's medicine. Good for easy coughs, hard coughs, desperate coughs. If your doctor endorses it for your case, take it. If not, don't take it. Never go contrary to his advice.

We publish our formulas We banish alcoho from our medicine The dose of Ayer's Pills is small, only

stipation, biliousness, dyspepsia, sickheadaches, they cannot be excelled. Ask your doctor about this.

one at bedtime. As a rule, laxative doses

are better than cathartic doses. For con-



**\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*** Repairing

# While you wait.

I have secured the services of John Zinnecker, a first-class shoe maker, who will assist me in my shoe repair shop. This arrange-ment makes it possible to attend promptly to the wants of all my customers. First class work guaranteed and at

reasonable prices. Peter P. Weber. Under Crosby's Store Cass City.



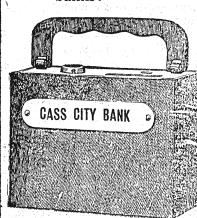
We wish to inform our customers—both old and new—that we are in a better position to

Milk and Cream than ever before.

Cass City Dairy Farm O. Y. Schneider, Prop. Telephone No. 107.

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can you give your boy than one of these banks?



To teach him to save his pennies for a good purpose is a duty you owe

Money to Loan at Reasonsble Rates at

CASS CITY BANK

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# Morris Chairs

From \$3.95 and Up....

Lenzner's Furniture Store.

# **Exchange Bank**

E. H. Pinney & Son

ESTABLISHED 1886

Parties desirous of borrowing money this fall, on either mortgage or personal notes, may find it to their advantage to call at this bank and get our rates and

# P., O. & N. R. R.

Reduced Fares for the Holidays

Tickets will be sold between all stations on its line at one and one-third fare for round trip December 24th, 25th, 31st and January 1st, 1909. All limited to return not later than January 4th, 1909.

F. H. CARROLL, Gen. Pass. Agt.

SALVE BANNER the most healing salve in the world.

FOLEY'S HONEYAND LAR

# LOCAL ITEMS

Merchants are busy.

Miss Emma Muck is on the sick list. Charles Rogers and family are moving to Owendale.

"Hub" Lee of Owendale was a caller in town Monday.

Miss Margaret Miller of Niles is visting her mother here.

Miss Florence Cooley of Owendale is the guest of Miss Dollie Gale.

Frank Henderson of Armada is visiting friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tindale of Deord visited friends here Monday.

Miss Minnie Kinnaird of Milan is visiting at her parental home here. Mrs. Margaret Sedlauer of Monroe visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles

Miss Mabel Dickinson of Oxford is isiting at her parental home south of

Mrs. Joseph Clement and Miss Grace Stewart of Argyle visited friends here

Business is lively and business places are crowded with Christmas

A. Koppelberger is moving into the Charles Rogers residence on Third

Ernest Schwarder of the M. A. C. at Lansing, is visiting at his parental Miss Mabel Robinson of Lansing is

visiting at the home of her uncle,

Miss Ella Cross of Northeast Kingston is spending the holidays at her parental home here.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lauderbach and daughter, Hazel, are visiting relatives at Akron.

George Aplin spent several days visting here, returning to his home in Bay City Monday.

Leslie Koepfgen of Alma is spendng the Christmas vacation ad his pasental home here. Miss Cecil Krapf of Alma is spend-

ng the Christmas vacation at her pa-Miss Cerlista Crawford spent the

first of the week at the home of her uncle, John Profit, jr. Lyle Koepfgen left Wednesday for

Bellgrave, Ont., where he will visit at the home of his grandparents. Frank Orr has returned home after spending the summer at the life sav-

ing station at Ashtabula Harbor. Miss Irene Martin, who is attending school at Mt. Pleasant, is visiting

at her parental home west of town. Burt Mead, who has been attending the M. A. C. at Lansing, is spending a

About twenty of the young people from town attended a party at the home of Wm. Gardner at Wickware Friday night.

Miss Vida Patterson, who has been attending the normal at Mt. Pleasant, is spending a couple of weeks at her northern part of the state was burned parental home here.

Miss Addie Gallagher, who has been attending school at Mt. Pleasant, is spending the Christmas vacation at her parental home here.

The Central Meat Market is being re-papered and painted and the appearance is being greatly improved. James Wright is "on the job."

Tyler Lodge, F. & A. M. will install the newly elected officers of that society on Saturday, Dec. 26. The ladies will serve refreshments at the close.

Leo Hopcroft of Detroit has accepted a position as salesman with Nelson, Baker & Co. He is a son of Geo. Hopcroft of this city, and commences work in his new position the first of

Wm. Cannedy has rented his farm, one mile west of Cumber, and is advertising an auction sale on another page in this issue for Tuesday, Dec. 29, commencing at twelve o'clock. J. H. Striffler is the auctioneer and Ambrose Herdell clerk.

## Cement Cement.

Just received a carload of cement. Cass City Grain Co.

1655A Horse blankets at G. W.

All the popular songs and latest hits in sheet music at Ruhl's,

Saws filed -15 and 20 cents. C.

Eight local views for 5 cents at

W. W. Bender's.

See O. Y. Schneider for milk. He will treat you right.

Buckwheat grinding every day at the Cass City Roller Milis.

The latest magazines may be purchased at Ruhl's tailor shop.

Bring your buckwheat to the Cass City Roller Mills. We grind ouckwheat every day.

Magazines at Ruhl's.

# HAD SHIPPED THEIR STOCK.

Farmers In Branch County
Took Them Over Border.

GOVERNMENT FINDS IT OUT.

Official Investigates-Will Use Evi dence Found Against One Man As Test Case—Prosecuting Attorney Maintains County Was Exempt, Owing to Lack of Notice.

Coldwater, Mich., Dec. 22.-T. B. Hamilton, representing the bureau of animal industry of the department of agriculture, has spent several days in this section investigating the reported shipping of cattle and stock out of the state from Branch county. He found the reports true and will at once send his findings to the federal officers. It is probable that some prosecutions will be made at once.

It is known that several farmers living near the Indiana boundary line have been driving their stock over the state line to Orland, Ind., and from that point shipping it to all parts of the country. Inspector Hamilton has secured evidence against Gilbert Hoopingerner, and a test case will be made of him to decide a point which has been raised by the Branch county officials.

Hoopingerner admits that he has been shipping his cattle, but says in defense that he was told by the sheriff and prosecuting attorney that he had a right to do so. The latter maintains that in view of the fact that no formal notification of the embargo was sent to them, the farmers had a right to assume that Branch county was exempt and were rightfully privileged to ship their stock.

#### GREAT WAS DAMAGE.

Forestry Assistant Has Been Examining Fire Swept Districts.

Lansing, Mich., Dec. 22.—Wesley Lansing, Mich., Dec. 22.—Wesley Bradfield, a forestry assistant in the United States forestry service, who has been examining into conditions in United States forestry service, who northern Michigan for some weeks past, stopped off in Lansing on his way back to Washington to report the results of his investigation.

"It is impossible to estimate the damage done by the forest fires last fall," said he. "It will be much larger than anyone had supposed. Next spring it will be more evident than it is now, when it becomes apparent how much of the standing timber has

"Of course, it is probably true that some districts were actually beenfitcouple of weeks at his home northeast ted by the fires which burned off the timber and cleared up the lands, making them more valuable than they were before. But this will not begin to recompense the state for the injury done to young trees, which, by the time the country is ready for set tlement, would have been commercially valuable. A great portion of the over, and reforestation is its only sal-

## Michigan Central Installs 'Phones.

Standish, Mich., Dec. 22.-The Michigan Central has departed from its old method of despatching trains by telegraph and will use the telephone hereafter. This has taken effect on the Bay City division. The Jackson division already uses the telephones. The officials say it is more accurate and speedier, as every word is repeated and spelled out by the operators. The whole system will install telephones as fast as possible.

## Olds Company May Enter Combine.

Lansing, Mich., Dec/ 22.-The General Motor company of New Jersey, which has a view to controlling all the motor firms in the country, has made an offer to the Olds Motor company of this city, and, it is said, a deal whereby the control of the stock of the Olds company will be taken over by the New Jersey concern is now practically closed.

## Youthful Pair Missing.

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 22.-Mary La Pointe, aged eighteen, is missing f.om her home at 223 LaMay avenue. The young lady went to church with Albert Platt, aged twenty-two. He, too, is missing, and the police, who have been notified, suspect an elopement. The young man's landlady says he left an unpaid board bill of \$39.

## Oldest Oddfellow Dead.

Plymouth, Mich., Dec. 22.-J. G. Meiler, the oldest Oddfellow in Michigan, is dead from pneumonia at his home. His wife is lying at the point of death, stricken with the same malady. Mr. Meiler conducted a drug store here for fifty years, retiring from business two years ago.

## Will Partially Raise Quarantine.

Washington, Mich., Dec. 22.-The agricultural department officials say that the quarantine in all probability will be raised in Michigan at once and that the embargo will be taken off all except the five counties where the hoof and mouth disease has been found.

# OUR SPECIAL Free Premium Offer

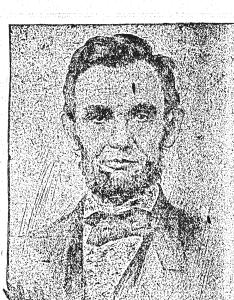
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If you will send \$1.00 for a year's subscription to the Cass City Chronicle, cash with order, we will give you, ABSOLUTELY FREE, a full paid-up year's subscription to the

# Farm and Fireside

And the two Superb Pictures below.





Description of the Pictures. These two beautiful pictures, which are offered with FARM AND FIRESIDE if your subscription is received promptly, are the master-pieces of some of America's foremost artists. They are really art proofs and each would retail in art stores at from 50 cents to \$1.00. Each picture is reproduced in all the beautiful colors of the original painting, on fine supercalendered stock, all ready to put up in your home. The Pretty Girl picture is 9½ x 11¼ inches; and the Lincoln picture 9 x 131/2 inches. These two pictures will be furnished with the FARM AND FIRESIDE only if you subscribe for The Chronicle before January 1, 1909. They are sent postpaid.

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It is the organ of no political party.

It is published twice a month. It spends more money on its editorial matter than any other farm paper-and gets the best. It puts no faith in theories or high-sounding names.

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#### Changed by Circumstances. "Where's your watch?" asked the

good it is.

observant man.

"Why, here it is," replied the man whose prosperity had slipped a cog or two recently.

"But that's a silver one. The one you used to carry had a handsome gold

"Well-er-circumstances alter cases, you know."-Philadelphia Press.

## When You Put on Stockings

Of the heavier sort, do your shoes pinch, and your feet swell and perspire? If you sprinkle Allen's Foot-Ease in your shoes, it will give you rest and comfort, and instant relief from any annoyance. Sold Everyrelief from any annoyance. Sold Eve where 25c. Don't accept any substitute.

"Hello, Teddy! Got a new suit?" "No, sir; it's papa's old one." "Ah, did mamma cut it down?" "Oh, no, sir; papa had it washed!"

## This Is Worth Reading.

Leo F. Zelinski, of 68 Gibson St., Buffalo, N. Y., says: "I cured the most annoying cold sore I ever had, with Bucken's Arnica Salve. I applied this salve once a day for two days, when ever trace the sore was gone." He als fo all sores Sold under guarantee at L. I. Wood &. Co. drug store. 25c

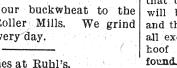
For Sale at Deford

# 200 M LATH at \$1.50 per M

Other kinds of Lumber and Shingles at low prices. Come and look over our stock.

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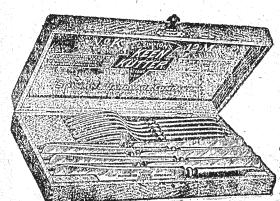
are cheap enough, but they will not answer for up-to-date business PRINTING. A business man is stationery he uses as by the general appearance of his store. We can do the "quality "kind of printing for you at this office—the kind that stimulates business pride, and helps your credit with the outside business werld.



# We Suggest



That you look through the few articles mentioned in this ad for a possible selection for Gifts.



# The Keen Kutter

Silver Plated Knives and Forks are strictly first-class, being hand burnished and enclosed, not in a flimsy paper box, but in apermanent and beautiful Oak case with brass hinges and catch.

We have them in Dessert and medium size.

We have the Oneida Community Twenty-Five-Year Guarantee Silver Plated Ware in Tea Spoons, Table Spoons, Soup Spoons, Cream Ladels, Gravy Ladels, Baby Spoons, Butter Knives, etc.



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Line of Nickel Plated Ware is the Standard of America and our stock includes Chafing Dishes, Baking Dishes, Trays, Tea and Coffee Pots, etc.

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# Do You Pine for Lumber...

that isn't all knots; that is straight grained and well seasoned? Then you want to see us and we want to

# We Can Do Business Together...

Makes no difference if you require only a small quantity; we will be just as glad to satisfy you as if you needed all we have. Some time you will want more and you'll remember how well you were treated here the last time. .

Hard and Soft Coal AT RIGHT PRICES

# Anketell Lumber and Coal Co. CASS CITY, MICH.

# Remember Cornelius Is

Having a Special Sale

In everything in the Grocery line. Below are just a few of the many prices.

Granulated Sugar per 1b\_\_\_\_\_5c 3 lb Blue Ribbon raisins 25c
2 Packages XXXX Coffee 25c Pail syrup per gal. 35c Bulk syrup per gal. 35c Men's 50c underwear 40c Men's 50c heavy Jersey working shirts\_\_\_\_\_40c 
 Men's 50coveralls
 40c

 Ladie's 50c golf gloves
 40c
 10c Cotton Batts for Se

CORNELIUS.

Read the Chronice for the Home News Delaware, expects to spend days with his parents here.

## LOCAL ITEMS

Fine sleighing.

A Merry Christmas to all Chronicle

Leo Hopcroft of Detroit is visiting

is parents here. Miss Lola Fritz of Albion is visiting

H. E. Hanson transacted business

at Millington Tuesday. Miss Mamie Brooker of Petoskey is

visiting at her home here. Miss Hannah Dickinson of Caseville

was a caller in town Monday. Thomas Murphy is visiting friends

and relatives at London, Ont.

Leslie Collins will visit his Parents at Novesta during the holidays.

Miss Ella Meinke is spending the holidays at her home in Detroit.

Miss Sinclair is spending the holidays at her home at Harbor Beach.

The Sewing Circle met at the home

of Margaret Striffer Monday evening. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hemerick of Jagetown called on friends here Tuesday.

Earl Heller of Saginaw is spending the holidays at his parental home

Clarence Howell of Gagetown called on friends in town the first of the

Mr. and Mrs. William Weldon are visiting friends and relatives at Inger-

sol, Ont. Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Gilbert left Tuesday for Chatham, Ont., to visit

friends. Mrs. James W. Heller is spending

Christmas with her son, W. A. Heller,

Mrs. George McConnell and daughter, Vida, are spending the holidays in Detroit.

W. W. Bender transacted business at Bad Axe, Harbor Beach and Elkton last week.

Miss Ethel Anderson is visiting her sisters, Mrs. M. M. Wickware and Mrs. P. A. Schenck.

Miss Aura Schenck and Charles H. Schenck of Sault Ste. Marie expect to spend the holidays here.

Earl McKim has returned home from the Canadian Northwest where ne spent the past summer.

Charles McCue, Jr., of Newark, Delaware, expects to spend the holi.

Fred Hemrick of Gagetown was in own Monday.

S. Champion transacted business in Harbor Beach this week.

Cyrus Wells is looking after his arming interests near Deford. Miss Leila Lee is visiting at the

nome of her brother, H. P. Lee. Miss Beryl Koepfgen of Milan is risiting at her parental home here.

Mrs. John Moore of Beauley visited t the home of W. J. Carson Monday. Miss Carrie McNutt of Pt. Huron s the guest of her sister, Mrs. H. P.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wager and family are visiting relatives at Bad

Wm. Rudd of Oakland county is visiting at the home of John Spur-

Mr. and Mrs. Fuester of Wickware visited with friends in town one day

Miss Florence Smith of Gagetown was the guest of Miss Ora Higgins ver Sunday.

Mrs. Swan Lindskold of Ann Arbor s the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Martus.

Miss Henriette Hoshal of Detroit vill spend the holidays with her grandfather, E. Knight, north of

Mr. and Mrs. William Winslow of lew York City are visiting with Dr. Deming. They are cousins of the

Charles H. Anderson will spend a ew days with his Sister, Mrs. Arnold and his Parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jenereaux and amily of Hay Creek visited the former's sister, Mrs. W. J. Carson, one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Proctor visited at the ome of W. J. Carson Saturday and returned to their home at Pontiac in the afternoon.

Mrs. Mabel Anderson-Arnold St. Louis, Mo., arrived Thurday and will visit her Parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Anderson.

While working in the woods Satur-Kolb to take things easy for a time.

Several of the business men are planning on closing their businessplaces early in the evening after the Scriver; picket, Howard Lauderbach holiday season. This idea was followed last winter and home looked so of toliowing the same plan again. Commence next week to do your habit will be formed in time to make it agreeable with the new arrange ments when they are enforced.

A. H. Hendrick has leased the Carrie Edwards block, next to the town hall, and is conducting an electric theatre there every evening. /Mr. Hendrick came here from North Branch where he was engaged in the same business. He is a young man of pleasing appearance and should receive the support of those who enjoy the moving picture entertainments as he is endeavoring to place the business on a paying basis and make it a permanent fixture in Cass City.

Those from out of town who attended the dancing party at Doerr's hall Monday evening were Mr. and Mss. G. A. Tindale and Miss Irene Tindale of Deford, Hub Lee and Mr. Dufty of Owendale, L. A. Heineman and Grover Ross of Kingston, Georga Purdy of Gagetown, Herb Ehlers of Shabbona, the Misses Stella Cornell, Pearl Smith, Irene Wagner and Cecelia Kerchner, and Austin Cornell, Irwin Huffman, Sam Magidsohn and Walter McMullen of Elkton.

The Y. P. A. has elected the following officers for the ensuing six months: President, Lena Muck; vice president, Fred Buehrly; recording secretary, Edith Kolb; corresponding secretary, Anna Zinnecker; missionary secretary, Martha Striffler; treasurer, Mary Buehrly; junior superintendent, Mrs. J. A. Schweitzer; organist, Ruth Benkelman; chorister, Margaret Striffler.

Hugh McBurney dropped into the Chronicle office Monday morning and expressed his satisfaction in the excellent results he secured at his auction sale on December 16th. Favored with good weather and a large crowd, the bidding was lively and the sale netted him \$300 more than he anticipated. The large crowd was secured through advertising the sale in the Chronicle is the belief of Mr. Me-Burney. Many people came from a distance, some of them living in the vicinity of Argyle and Ubly, who who would not have heard of the sale had Mr. McBurney used only the bills in advertising the event.

Nineteen members of Elkland Arbor attended the Gleaner rally at Caro Friday. The ladies' degree team of the local arbor conferred the degrees. An enjoyable time is reported.

C. D. Striffler is in Detroit this week and is supplying a portion of the holiday shoppers with Christmas trees. Mrs. Striffler and sons, Stanley and Kenneth, are going to that city this week and the family will spend Christmas with relatives there.

George McConnell was a business caller at Elkton Friday.

Albert Ratz of Buffalo is the guest of Miss Christine Wettlaufer.

Mrs. Hoover of Vassar is the guest of her sister. Mrs. J. B. McFail.

Miss Anna Kelley left Tuesday to visit her parents at Teeswater, Ont. Correspondents and advertisers are been spending several months in Gerrequested to get their copy in early

next week. Mrs. John Ricker of Owendale was guest at the home of Henry Wett- lly at Scottville Friday. laufer Wednesday.

John Inglehart of Novesta has purchased the dray and bus line of Geo.

Joseph Quinn expects to spend the holidays with his sister, Mrs. Wm.

The Chronicle has leased the Mc-Kenzie block on Main street and will move the printing plant there within a few weeks.

Hennesey, at Pontiac.

Philip Muck and Joseph Benkelman who are attending the Lansing Business University, are expected here this week and will spend the holidays at their parental homes.

.It is estimated that fully two hundred people attended Wm. Welsh's auction northwest of town Tuesday. Bidding was lively, everything was sold and brought good prices.

Regular services will be held at the Baptist church Sunday morning aud evening. Preaching by the pastor. The sermons will be appropriate for the season, the closing year.

George E. Perkins received a telegram from Washington on Tuesday which stated that his son, Ernest, had been successful in passing the examination in that city recently which makes him eligible to the appointment of second lieutenant in the Marine Corps. The salary of an officer holding that position is seventeen hundred dollars a year. Mr. Perkins' friends will be pleased to learn of his

Cass City Tent, K. O. T. M. M. elected the following officers Friday evening: Commander, A. D. Gillies: lieut. com., Thos. Cross: record keep er, G. E. Perkins; finance keeper, M. day, George Kolb slipped and fell, L. Moore; chaplain, C. L. Robinson; fracturing his collar bone. The in- physician, M. M. Wickware; sergeant, jury will make it necessary for Mr. E. A. Geitgey; master at arms, Wm. Zinnecker; first master of guards, Maynard DeLong: second master of guards, Chas. Kasonke; sentinel. John In the Carrie Edward Block.

> SLost-A hand bag. Finder may return same to Mrs. D. R. Graham.

Dr. and Mrs. Wickware and son, Kenneth, left Tuesday morning for Bear Lake where they will visit the

docter's sister, Mrs. R. Foster. On Christmas day, they expect to be in Scottville and attend a family reunion at the home of another sister Mrs. T. J. Foster, Mrs. Lily Wettstein and little daughter, Catherine, who have many with relatives, arrived in New York Monday and expect to join other members of the Wickware fam-

#### Notice to Taxpavers.

I will be at B. F. Benkelman's store Cass City, to collect the taxes of Elkland township on Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays.

J. A. BENKELMAN, Treas.

Notice to Taxpayers

I will hold my office at home on every Friday from Dec. 4 to Jan. 8 to receive taxes. Will also be at Shabbona every Saturday from Dec. 12 to Jan, 9. 12-4-3 Chas. Severance. Twp. Treas. of Evergreen.

For Sale at a bargain-1 folding go-cart in good condition, but will sell cheap. Inquire at this office. 11-20

Why pay 5 cents for a post card

with one local view when you can get eight views for the same price at Bender's? Good work mare coming 5 years

old, weight 1200, sound, for sale. A. A. McKenzie. Guns and ammunition at G. W.

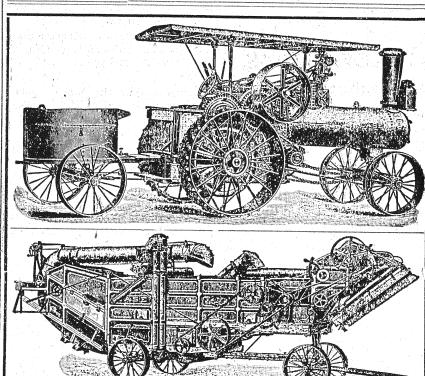
In deciding where to get your milk supply just remember that O. Y. Schneider still operates the Cass City. Dairy Farm, who would be pleased to leave the milk at your door.

Change of program every ...evening at the...

NEW

# Electric Theater

PRICE 5 CENTS. A. H. HENDRICK, Prop.



If you are interested in THRESHING MACHINES we want to tell you about the "CASE PROPOSI= TION." J. A. CALDWELL. Cass City.

# The Beginning....

often foretells the end, and a safe beginning casts no shadow amidst the bright rays of hope. Now, to make good bread please begin by using good flour, the safe kind, such as

# White Lily Flour

"Always the Same-Always Good" Then the end will surely justify the means, for "White Lily" never fails to make good bread, cakes

Oil Meal and Cotton Seed Meal for Sale Cass City Roller Mills

C. W. HELLER CO.

Furniture and Pictures Lenzner's Store

# Correspondence

UBLY.

W. T. Brown is in New York City on a business trip this week.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Graham spent Sunday with Bad Axe friends. Mrs. Chas. Weiland left Saturday for Berlin, Ont., for the Holidays.

A son arrived to brighten the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Eilber last week. Presiding Elder Steel occupied the pulpit in the M. E. church on Sunday

We have the largest

and best assortment of

Mrs. Robert Donaldson and daughter Mable left on Saturday for Guelph. Ont., for the holidays.

Mrsr R. A. McGregor, Miss Bonnie and Master Douglas left for London, Ont., Monday morning. Dr. R. A. McGregor left on the afternoon train for the same place they will return after Xman.

WICKWARE.

Fine sleighing now-everybody should enjoy themselves sleigh riding. Homer Johnson returned home from Caro Saturday where he has been employed in the sugar factory.

Clifford and Birdie Gracy are spendng the holidays at their home here. Will Fulcher has returned home after spending the summer away on

the dredge.

#### Medicine That Is Medicine

Mrs. Sansburn of Cass City is visit-

George Bennett made a trip to Tyre

Northwest are visiting at Mr. Jack-

ing her son, Amos, for a few days.

"I have suffered a good deal with maaria and stomach compliants, but I have now found a remedy that keeps me well, and that remedy is Electric Bitters: a nedicine that is a medicine for stomach nd liver troubles, and for run down conitions," says W. C. Kiestler, Halliday, Ark. Electric Bitters purify and enrich he blood, tone up the nerves, and imenergy to the weak. Your money will be refunded if it fails to help you 50c at L. I. Wood & Co. drug

#### PINGREE.

Mrs. B. Hamilton is very ill at this

Bella Mark of Cass City has been isiting in these parts.

Miss E. Brackenbury is spending her holidays in Cass City.

Irvin Cooke expects to leave for Terris Institute Dec. 28, to take a teachers' course.

School closed here Friday afternoon for a two weeks' vacation. Mr. Hewitt, the teacher, will spend his holidays in Canada.

When Rubbers Become Necessary. And your shoes pinch, Allen's Foot-Ease, a bowder to be shaken into the shoes, is just be thing to use. Try it for Breaking in New shoes. Sold Everywhere 25c. Sample FREE, Address, Allen S. Olmstead, Le Roy, N. Y. Oon't accept any substitute.

NOVESTA.

Merry Christmas.

Jas. Rodgers has a new team. Roy Rodgers is spending a few days vith his brother here.

A Christmas tree will be held at the church Thursday evening.

A full house enjoyed the entertainment at the church last Friday even-

It is reported that John McCaughna expects to leave for Califorina for his health in a short time.

Mrs. Peter Churchell accompanied by his grand daughter, Miss Eva Churchell, left Tuesday morning to spend the holidays with relatives in Detroit.

#### WEST GRANT.

Mrs. A. Ballentine will spend the Class excreise Xmas holidays with relatives in On- Duet

Mr. and Mrs. Olin Thompson spent Friday at the home of T. E. Herron in East Grant.

J. Hartman of Sebewaing who has been remodeling T. Weiler's house returned home Monday.

Geraldine spent a few days with rela- \$1000. tives in Canboro last week.

Monday after spending some time \$2500. with his daughter in Detroit.

Preparations are being made for a program and Christmas tree at the q, sec 25 Columbia, \$1. school house Wednesday evening under the direction of the teacher, Miss Kirridge and wf ne q of sw q and sw q Foreman.

## CARO.

W. W. More made a business trip to Detroit Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Mosher of Kingston spent Wednesday in Caro.

Mrs. Geo. Fox and Mrs. Jessie Fox were guests of Vassar friends Tues-

Mrs. Mary Toohey of Grand Rapids is spending a few days with Caro

Miss Emily Linder was a guest of Miss Mable Dunn at Pigeon Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. J. McNair Ealy left Tuesday for Detroit where they will spend a few days.

Miss Julia Huss left Friday for her home in Saginaw where she will spend her Xmas vacation.

Miss Maude Conklin.left Friday for Bradford, Pa., to visit her parents during the holidays.

Winans Bush left Tuesday for Saginaw, Flint and Detroit where he will visit for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wells and children left Friday for a two weeks visit with relatives in Yale.

Miss Maggie Stout left Friday for her home in Silverwood where she will spend the holidays. Mrs. Bay Olin leaves Monday for

a visit with her parents Mr. and Mrs. E. Rundall at Pontiac. Mr. and Mrs. James Nichols of Fair-

grove spent Tuesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Proctor.

Miss Mary Depew is expected home from Pleasant Hill Thursday to spend the holidays with her parents.

Buckwheat ground every day at the Cass City Roller Mills.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Richardson left Monday for Detroit where they will visit a week on their way to Martin,

Edgar Faust returned home Friday A large crowd attended the Ladies from Naperville, Ill., where he is at-Aid at Mrs. John Jackson's last Wedtending collage, to pass the holiday vacation with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. Will Maxwell of the

Mrs. A. O. Glasgow after spending two weeks with her brother, O. A. Myers, returned to her home in Superior, Nebraska, Wednesday.

Henry Clark and daughter Sadie of Portage Prarie, Man. are visiting the family of his father-in-law, Wm. Wade and will remain for two weeks. Mrs. Harry Truesdell and daughter

Elizabeth arrived Wednesday from Frankfort for a visit with the formers parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Watrous. N. A. Sage and two daughters,

will be gone about two weeks.

#### BEAULEY.

Nelson McCullough has sold his farm to Mr. Gerome.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Cliff visited friends in Cass City last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Hartsell of Deford is visiting at Charles Hartsells. All expect to attend the auction sale of Mr. M. Field on Wednesday everything will go as Mr. Field has sold his

Rev. Harding preached from St. Luke 2nd ch. and 15 verses. A Christmas sermon on Sunday evening.

Everything is ready for Christmas our christmas program promises to be good and all for 10c, come to Beauley on Christmas night and hear it.

Program Grant M. E. Sunday School Christmas entertainment on Curismas

Singing by school Joy to the World Invocation by the Pastor Recitation Hasket Blair Recitation Recitation Laverine Fild Recitation Beatrice Biglow Song by five girls Happy Voices. Class exercise by boys The childrens

Exercise by seven children Round and

Recitation by Merrill Martin Singing by the choir Recitation Mable Bigelow Recitation The Child and her Doll Recitation Winkey, Blinkey Stars Class exercise Glad Tidings Glad Christmas Time Singing Class exercise Father Time's Bell Recitation Ethel Ellis Lee Pecock

Recitation Singing by choir Recitation Harrold Martin Recitation Recitation Singing

Pillars of the Throne Bethlehems Star Miss Flora Endersbee Erwin Parr Mrs. McDonald Class Then Santa Claus.

## Real Estate Transfers.

John Leonard to Geo Leonard, sw q Mrs. John Ricker and daughter of se q and se q of sw q sec 29 Vassar,

Wm. J. Williamson returned home and wf, nw q of sw q sec 25 Columbia, Royal L. Peck, 31 Alfred J Kirridge and wf to Jas H Myles Koyl, 24

Andrews, ne q of sw q and sw q of nw Edith Hess, 24 Jas H Andrews and wf to Alfred J

of nw q sec 25 Columbia \$1. Van R Hickox and wf to Jas Man-

well and wf, se q of se q sec 4 Dayton asylum at Pontiac.

wf e h of e h of sw q sec 30 Wells, \$440. Wm F Fitzgerald and wf to FA Rutledge, se q of se q sec 27 and e h of STATE OF MICHIGAN, County of Tuscola, ne q sec 34 Columbia, \$5000.

Andrew Armstrong and wf to Samuel Cole n h of nw q sec 21 Elkland,

Andrew Armstrong and wf to John A Cole sw q of sw q sec 16, Elkland,

Paul Hood and wf to Jos Pinesh of s h of nw q sec 18 Elmwood \$1600.

Wm Gage and wf to Fred Dodge and wise q of ne q sec 26 Elmwood

Wm Gage and wf to Miles Dodge and wf ne q of se q sec 26 Elmwood

John J Oliver to Chas H Hills h of

se q sec 5 Koylton \$1135.50,

Jonathan A Ryckman and wf to Chas H Hill se q of se q sec 3 Koylton

Mary Dillon to Maude A Dillon sw frl q of sw frl q sec 19 Elmwood \$3500. Wm A Heartt to Ralph Gerou sw q

of nw q sec 33 Elmwood \$600. Chas Powell and wf to F L and C L Fisher ne q of ne q sec 29 Akron \$1200. Clariss a A Lewis to E H Johnson

lot 5 blk 2 Vassar \$1. Geo Allen and wf to Benj J Loan pt s h nw q sec 17 Kingston \$400.

M H Vaughn and wf to J McNair Ealy e h of sw q sec 6 Wells \$1.

J McNail Ealy and wf to M H Vaughn pt lot 10 blk 9 Caro \$1. M R Truesdell and wf to Tuscola Co Advertiser pt lot 1 blk 22 Caro \$3300.

Wm J Campbell and wf to Wm L Landon ne q of ne q Ellington \$400.

#### THE RUDOWITZ PETITION.

Many protests are being made in all parts of the country against the extradition of Christian Rudowitz, and Washington is being flooded with resolutions and protests against the attempted invasion of the right of asylum. The following is the form of petition which is being spread throughout the country and several may be circulated in this community soon:

To the President of the United States: Sir: We, the undersigned, respectfully request that Christian Ansoft Rudowitz, who is held for extradition to Russia and whom we believe to be political refugee, be set at liberty.

Although United States Commissioner Mark A. Foote, sitting in Chicago, has forwarded the papers in the case of Rudowitz to the Honorable Secretary of State at Washington with the recommendation that he be material under the prevailing conditions in Russia.

not one word of the testimony against Rudowitz was sworn, and while it comes from a country where sworn testimony of reputable men, members sworn evidence testimony was adduced in court, sworn to by men of character and standing such as Dr. Longin Gerus, member of the second Russian Douma, and Martin Juraw, a man who placed his life in the balance to testify, that a state of revolution existed at the place and time the crimes with which he is charged were committed, and that the crime itself was a common execution of spies by a provisional government in rebellion against the established government Further we submit that on the testi- of the public schools. mony of the Russian government, un-sworn as it is, the very witnesses whose word is used in the case declare that the crime was an execution of

We further submit that no man in free America should be surrendered on such evidence as that presented against Rudowitz by the Russian government, because there is not one Hellen Parr single scrap of sworn testimony

We further submit that it is not only a fact sworn to upon evidence, but a notorious fact, established by the testimony presented to the second Russian Douma, that at the time the crimes charged against Rudowitz were committed the district of Riga where the prosecution of these men roiginated was in a state of open rebellion and that a provisional government had been established in many

We contend that depositions secured under star chamber proceedings under martial law should not be accepted by you and that the American people never intended that extradition on such un-American evidence should be permitted.
Therefore, we also respectfully submit that the United States owes it to

her traditions to decline to surrender Christian Rudowitz to the present government of Russia.

# rriage Licenses Marriage

Albert Geo. Bailey, 22 Jeessie May Jones, 21 Edward J. Clothier, 23 Robt Rutledge to Alfred J Kirridge Sarah Osbom, 20 Maude E. Gage, 22

## Probate Court.

Duane Willet of Vassar adjudged insane and committed to the Eastern

Estate of Ellen T. Richards, late of J M Ealy and wf to H J Austin and Caro, deceased, legal heirs determined.

> Order of Hearing At a session of the Probate Court for said county, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro on the 22nd day of December in the year one thousand nine hundred and eight.

## A Dangerous Operation.

is the removal of the appendix by a surgeon. No one who takes Dr. Kings New Life Pills is ever subjected to this frightful ordeal. They work so quietly you don't feel them. They cure constipation, headache, biliousness and malaria 25c at L. I. Wood & Co. drug store.



# SCHOOLS AID IN CONSUMPTION FIGHT

Children Are Taught How to Prevent Disease. New Departure in Teaching the Na-

ture, Cause and Dangers of

White Plague.

As a result of the great campaign against tuberculosis now being carried on throughout the world, many of the public schools in the United States are taking a new departure in teaching to the children the nature, causes, dangers and prevention of consumption. A text-book entitled "Simple Lessons on Tuberculosis or Consump-Misses Anna and Nilo, leave Tuesday for Dundee, N. Y., the boyhood home of Mr. Sage, and will visit in Detroit, Buffalo and Rochester enroute. They ucational authorities, acting under a are based upon unsworn testimony of law of the Legislature of 1908, are eswitnesses whese testimony is not tablishing courses of instruction on tablishing courses of instruction on tuberculosis in all of the schools of We respectfully submit that while the State. In addition to these public movements many of the private organizations throughout the country have established, and are establishing of the Russian Douma, shows that torture is used to extort even the under the dren, it being estimated that about dren, it being estimated that about two per cent of the pupils in the larger city schools have tuberculosis.

The first public school for consumptive and pre-consumptive children to be established in the United States was opened in Providence, R. I., last January. The sessions were held entirely in the open, and the benefits of the fresh-air treatment were combined with the teaching and training

This experiment led to other movements, both public and private. The Brookline Anti-Tuberculosis Society opened a school for tuberculous children in July which is still successfully conducted. In Boston a school for consumptives was opened under private auspices in July, it being the intention to keep it open for the summer months only, but so successful were the results of this work that the city school authorities recently decided to take over the work and set aside a permanent building for this purpose. In Pittsburg a similar school was opened in September, and the marked benefits which the children have already received from this training have led to its enlargement. The Board of Education of New York City has just granted a teacher to the Bellevue Hospital Day Camp for the purpose of conducting a school there, and a consumptive teacher has been secured to teach the consumptive children. This school will conducted on the deck of an old ferry-boat. In all of these schools the children are kept in the open air all day long. Most of the buildings used are opened on three sides and are so constructed as to furnish unlimited supplies of fresh air without draughts. Desks, blackboards and other paraphernalia are provided in these schools just the same as in the regular institutions. Akron The children study and recite in the Wisner open air, even during the coldest Koylton weather, and the percentage of colds Koylton among them is far smaller than chil-Akron dren in the ordinary public schools. Akron In most of these fresh-air schools Fairgrove soapstones are provided for keeping Flint the feet warm in cold weather.

In addition to these specially conducted schools several of the States have required that the important facts about tuberculosis be taught in the lower grades of the public institutions. Michigan was the first State to adopt measures of this kind. By an act of 1895, the public schools are required to give instruction on the nature of tuberculosis and other infectious diseases. In New Jersey progressive steps are being taken by teaching the children in the schools a set of aphorisms on consumption. In eight.

Present John M. Smith. Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of Charles E. Hanson, deceased.

On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Myron E. Hanson, praying for the allowance thereof of his final administration account and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled thereto. It is ordered that Monday, the 18th day of January next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon at the Probate Office be assigned for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in the Cass City Ohronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

JOHN M. SMITH.

(Probate Seal). 12-25-4 Judge of Probate. and within a few days a "Tuberculosis Primer" will be in the hands of every pupil in the public schools. In North Carolina a separate section on tuberculosis, placed in all the physiologies, is taught to all of the children. In Baltimore steps are being taken to carry on a systematic campaign of education among the school children by means of lectures and circulars. Many other cities of the country are following this plan. A petition has been sent to the Governor of South Carolina requesting that a text-book on tuberculosis, similar to that used in Washington, be placed in the public schools. Several of the other States are also taking steps along sim-

ilar lines. This movement for the popular education of school children on the cause and dangers of consumption is receiving a great impetus, and experts on this subject conclude that within five years the majority of children in the United States will be taught concerning the evils and dangers of tuberen. ing the evils and dangers of tubercu-losis before they leave the lower

grades of the public schools.

# Jewelry Watches Chains Fobs, Rings Bracelets Hat Pins Scarf Pins Child's Pin Sets

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Headquarters

for Santa Claus



A fine line of

Veil Pins

Belt Pins

Ladies' and Gents' Charms Ladies' and Child's Necklaces

In Watches we have Waltham, Elgin, Hamilton, Hampden, South Bend and Rockford.

Pitkin & Brooks' Cut Glass (Nothing better)

A GOOD LINE OF HAND PAINTED CHINA SILVER AND GOLD NOVELTIES,

GOLD CLOCKS, KNIVES, FORKS SPOONS, AND A GOOD ASSORTMENT OF STERLING SILVER SPOONS.

IN PLATED GOODS we have Berry Spoons, Cream Ladles, Jelly Spoons, Butter Knives and Sugar Shells and a large assortment of Table, Desert and Tea Spoons.

We also have some fine Mantel Clocks which make fine Xmas presents. Call and look our stock over before you buy as all our goods are of the highest grade and one price to all.



Our stock of Spectacles and Eye Glasses is complete

# J. F. Hendrick

# ্রাধী প্রত্যান্ত বিশ্ব বিশ্র বিশ্ব বিশ্র For Christmas

We have unpacked the choicest, newest Holiday Goods, selected with a determination to give the public the most complete and varied line of goods at a wide range of prices. We have many new things of interest to show you in our lines of

# Jewelry, Silverware, Chinaware

Call early and inspect our lines of Ladies' and Gentlemen's Watches, Rings, Bracelets, Jewel Cases, Fobs, Chains, Lockets, Clocks, Plated Ware, etc.

CASS CITY

T. L. TIBBALS 

# The Christmas Spirit

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Christmas is the season of kindness. For Christmas celebrates the coming of Ihrist into the world, and the heart of the Christ message is love—love expressing itself in homely channels of friendliness and good will, love that "suffereth long and is kind." If we have kindly emotions, let them have their way and blossom into kindly thoughts and kindly deeds. Let the free child spirit of open-hearted friendliness prevail. For this is the child's festival, celebrating the birth of a child, the wonderful Giver who gave himself for mankind. Let us carry the Christmas spirit through all the following days that come and go with all their measure of care or pain or pleasure, and bear in our hearts the inspiration and hope of the blessed Christmas festival of love, bearing ever ringing above the sounds of earth and sense, the song of the angels heralding in the birth of the Saviour of mankind.

# Correspondence

DEFORD, ROUTE 3.

Mrs. Warren Smith is quite ill. Warren Smith is still in very poor

Mrs. Russell Blackmore is visiting her parents at Grayling this week.

Charles Schrade, took a load of logs to Howell's mill at Caro last Satur-

Fred King has quit working on the hay press for Wm. Barriger and Bert

Seekins. John Jamieson is getting wire and and on Miss Ella Cempbell's place. preparing to build some fence as soon

as convenient. come and hear some plain truths.

Harry D. Hunt came home Tuesday afternoon for a visit and hired out to Charles Schrader before he got home.

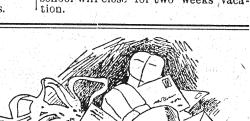
Wm. Rosenburg of Plymouth visited at the home of John M. Reid last He returned home last Satur-

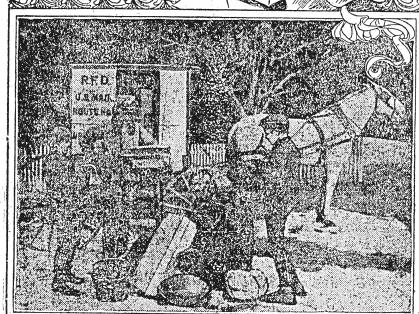
Mrs. Mary Osterle has gone to Akron to stay indefinitely with her son, John Osterle, and daughter, Mrs. Julia Hutchinson.

Charles Schrader is cutting hemlock logs for Eugene Rogers on his place by the Cass river bridge better known as the old Will Bailey place.

Frank Osterle and Elvin Balch have taken a job of cutting a hundred cords of wood for Mrs. Augusta Campbell,

School District No. 5 held a Christmas entertainment last Friday after-Revival meetings at the Ellington M. E. church. All are invited to come and hear some plain truths.









#### SHABBONA.

Herb Ehlers in Cass City Monday. Chris Pangman has gone to Wolver-

Adam Avery returned from Port Huron Saturday. Miss Rose Laing will spend Christ-

mas at her home in Palms. Geo. B. Gotham and Wm. P. Phet-

teplace were in Cass City Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Schlack are entertain-

ing their two daughters from Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. John Chapman are the parents of a baby boy who came December 17.

Miss Marion Ryckman of Sandusky will spend her Christmas vacation at her home here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Phetteplace spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Brood mare 8 yrs. old, 1300 Neville at Wickware.

The Latter Day Saints will serve home of Fred W. Krause. Roy Phillips of Alma came home on

Monday to spend the Christmas vaca-

tion with his parents, Mr. and Mrs.

Π. Phillips, Hoarse coughs and stuffy colds that may develope into pneumonia over night are quickly cured by Foley's Honey and Yearling steer Tar, as it soothes inflamed membranes, heals the lungs, and expels the cold from the system. L.I. Wood & Co.

#### GAGETOWN.

Little Carolin Purdy was quite sick

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Martin Freeman a son last week.

Mrs. Chauncey Burton, who was operated on last week, is doing nicely. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Palmer will entertain friends from Akron Christ-

Mrs. Jane Gage is nicely settled in

Lloyd and Guy Peck of Akron were guests of L. C. Purdy and their aunt, Mrs. A. J, Palmer, over Sunday.

R. S. Brown leaves December 26th for New York city to spend the win-

ter with his daughter, Mrs. Nagel. Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDonald were entertained at the home of Mr.

and Mrs. John Williams Sunday last. Miss Maggie Bnrleigh will return to her home in Grant Thursday to spend Christmas with her father and sister and family.

Clarence Howell, who is attending Albion college, is home to spend his vacation with his parents who live north and west of town.

Misses Mina Wilson and Tena Gill who have been attending school in Mt. Pleasant, arrived home last Friday to spend their vacation.

Jay Calley, who teaches in one of Miss Tena Gill, is teaching for him.

Mrs. Robert Jaynes, who has spent the last three months with her daugh ers, Mrs. Kinnell and Mrs. Percy Crawford, returned to her home in Twining last week.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. Successfully used by Mother Gray, nurse in the Children's Home in New York, Cure Fe-verisinness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders worms. Over 10,000 testimonials. They never fail. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address Allen S. Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y.

#### WILMOT. The sleighing is fine.

Merry Christmas to all and a happy

Harry McCallum is visiting his sister, Mrs. Maud Hartt.

Wm. Moulton will go to Canada on Christmas to visit his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Callan will spend the

holidays with relatives at Cass City. E. N. Hartt is at Cass City making the last payment on pickles at that

Elmer Thorpe and Earl Jeffery tarted for the north woods to work

this winter. The teachers are busy preparing for the Christmas tree. They will also have a program.

Mr. Withey's family are all on the gain. The nurse expects to be able to go home before Christmas.

Miss Bessie Hartt gave an oyster supper and miscellaneous shower for her friend, Miss Evelyn Withey, last Thursday evening.

Gunner-The great author is preparing to write a story on steel mills. He is going to Pittsburg to pick up atmosphere.

Buyer-Indeed! And how does one pick up atmosphere in Pittsburg? Gunner-By the chunk. - Chicago News.

## Marked For Death.

"Three years ago I was marked for death. A grave-yard cough was tearing my lungs to pieces. Doctors failed to help me, and hope had fled, when my husband got Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. A. C. Williams, of Blac, Ky. "The first dose helped me and improvement kept on until I had gained 58 pounds in weight and my health was fully restored." This medicine holds the worlds healing record for coughs and colds and lung and throat diseases. It prevents pneumonia. Sold under guarantee at L. I. Wood & Co. drug store, 50 cent and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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Having rented my farm, one mile west of Cumber, known as the "Carwill Farm," I will sell the following property at Auction, on \_\_\_\_\_

# Tuesday, Dec. 29th

COMMENCING AT 12:00 O'CLOCK.

Work horse o yrs. old, 1300 their annual Christmas dinner at the 2 New milch cows 5 yrs. old, calves at

New milch cow 8 yrs. old, calf by side Jersey cow 8 years old, due Apr. 10 Red cow 4 yrs. old, due May 1st Jersey heifer 2 yrs. old, due Apr. 15

Six spring calves Brood sow Two shoats One Ewe

Wide tire wagon, new Narrow tired wagon Set bob sleighs

Hay rack Double buggy Single buggy Hay fork

her new house lately built by Monroe 125 ft. rope and pulleys complete Champion binder, good as new Collie dog

Champion mower Hay rake One Disc

Spring tooth drags, new

Spike tooth drags Oliver chilled plow No. 08 Two Cultivators Double harness Single harness Two stable blankets 15 Tons hay in barn Grain cradle Fanning mill

2 Corn planters 2 Scythes

3 Horse evener Grind stone Scraper

Forks, shovels and hoes Bucksaw Cross cut saw Wood heater Kitchen cupboard

Kitchen cabinet Table Chairs Bedsteads Couch Center table Barrel churn

Dash churn Two cream separators Barrel cider Cream can Keg salt fish Quantity fruit cans

Quantity potatoes Quantity hand picked apples About 45 chickens

And Other Articles too Numerous to Mention.

TERMS: All sums of \$5.00 and under cash; over that amount 10 months' on good approved endorsed notes at 7 per cent interest.

## J. H. Sriffler. AUCTIONEER.

## Wm. Cannedy, PROPRIETOR.

Ambrose Herdell, Clerk.

#### Great Music Offer.

Send us the names of three or more performers on the Piano or Organ and twenty-five cents in silver or posttue district schools in Columbia town- age and we will mail you postpaid our ship, is at home sick. His cousin, latest Popular Music Roll containing 20 pages full Sheet Music, consisting of popular Songs, Marches and Waltzes arranged for the Piano or Organ including Rud. Knauer's famous 'Flight of the 'Butterflies," "March Manila" and the latest popular song 'The Girl I've Seen." Popular Music Publishing Co., Indianapolis, Ind.

Sheet music at Ruhl's.

# LINER COLUMN

Advertisements inserted under this heading at a rate of one-half cent a word for each insertion; minimum charge, 10 cents.

136 ACRE farm, three miles east of Cass City, for sale. Also residence, barn and lot on Garfield avenue. Enquire at W. W. Bender's store for further particulars and price. 11-20-121 ACRES for sale or rent in Evergreen town-ship, two miles west and one mile north of Shabbona. 100 acres under cultivation, good buildings and orchard. Reasonable terms, Daniel Kennedy, R. F. D. 3, Cass City. 9-35-

BRING ME, mink, skunk, coon and rats this week. Price high, G. L. Hitchcock 12-18 FOR SALE-Thoroughbred Holstein bullsone yearling, and two calves, one months old. Wallace Gilbert, Cass City.

HORSES FOR SALE—Seven and two drivers. Andrew Smith, Cass City, 11-27-3\*

LIGHT TEAM wanted—I want to trade my team weighing 3,100 pounds for a span of horses weighing about 2,200 pounds. For fur-ther particulars inquire of A. A. Brian, Cass City. 10-16

ENGLISH Red Cap roosters for sale. G. W. Goff. 12-11-tf

FOR SALE—Seven acres green beech, maple and some hemlock timber, 31-2 miles east and 2 miles south of Cass City. Apply to Ed Crawford, 127 Merrill St., E. Saginaw. 12-11-4\* SEVEN-ROOM house on Woodland Ave. to rent. Enquire of H. L. McDermott. 12-11-THREE good cows for sale G. L. Hitchcock

TIMBER for sale or to cut on shares. Two Belgian mare colts 2 and 3 years old for sale, E. McKim. TWO new and one second hand sewing machines for sale. G. L. Hitchcock. \$12-18

Order of Hearing

## For General Purposes.

state of Michigan, County of Tuscola, ss.
At a session of the Probate Court for said
County, held at the probate office in the Village of Caro on the 2nd day of December in
the year one thousand nine hundred and
eight. Present, John M. Smith, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the Estate of T. H. Fritz,

Nobody Else Loved Her. In her new and stylish gown she regarded her reflection complacently in the long glass.

"I must confess," she said, "that I am in love with myself." "Then you should be happy," said

her chum tartly, "for you haven't a rival.' How often do smart clothes excite shabby remarks!-New Orleans Times-Democrat.

### The Cushion Dance.

The cushion dance was originally an old country dance in triple time, which often tell your wife the kettle boils, was introduced into court at the time of Elizabeth. The dance was very simple. A performer took a cushion and and passed on to the next business. after dancing for a few minutes stopped and threw the cushion before one of the spectators. The one so selected had to kneel on the cushion and allow the dancer to kiss her, after which he remedy for Foley's Honey and Tar, the repeated the dance.

Foley's Orino Laxative cures chronic constipation and stimulates the liver. Orino regulates the bowels so they will act naturaly and you do not have to ake purgatives continuously. L.I. Wood

## Yeomen's Homes.

The housing problem in Elizabeth's day may have left the laborer in very primitive dwellings, but it gave noble mansions to the great and to farmers and country craftsmen pleasant homes of such durability and such charm that many of them stand today to shame us into a less contemptible mode of building than that which the nineteenth century produced. - Country

## A Dangerous Operation.

is the removal of the appendix by a sur-No one who takes Dr. Kings New Life Pills is ever subjected to this frightful ordeal. They work so quietly you don't feel them. They cure constipation, headache, biliousness and malaria 25c at L. I. Wood & Co. drug store.

## The Wedding Ring.

Many believe that the loss of a wedding ring means that the husband's love will be lost in turn. If the ring is broken, the husband will soon die. In Ireland it is a general belief that to rub a sore with a golden wedding ring will cause it to speedily heal. The wedding ring is supposed never to tarnish, and if it does become dim it is said to be a warning that love also is tarnished and dim.

In the matter of the Estate of T. H. Fritz, deceased.
On reading and filing the petition, duly verified, of Grant L. Fritz, administrator, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described and for the purpose therein set forth, it is ordered that Tuesday, the 29th day of December next, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon, at the probate office be assigned for hearing said petition.

And it is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Probate Seal. 12-4-4

Judge of Probate.

Mrs. McRaney, Prentiss, I was confined to my be months with kidney and bla and was treated by two plained to get relief. No hure that is further ordered, that a copy of this order be published in the Cass City Chronicle, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county, three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing.

Probate Seal. 12-4-4

Judge of Probate. Mrs. McRaney, Prenties, Miss., writes: "I was confined to my bed for three months with kidney and bladder trouble. and was treated by two physicans but failed to get relief. No human tongue can tell how I suffered, and I had given up hope of ever getting well until I be-gan taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. After taking two bottles I felt like a new person, and feel it my duty to tell suffering women what Foley's Kidney Remedy did

#### An Effective Retort, The late Rev. Patrick Watson, vicar

of Earlsfield, was a great authority on the Holy Land, and he was also a stickler for accuracy. An amusing passage of arms once took place between him and the archbishop of Canterbury. A committee report was under consideration, and Mr. Watson objected to the heading "Removal of Premises" on the ground that the things inside the premises were removed and not the building.

Dr. Temple replied, "I suspect you but it doesn't." The meeting roared

London News. Passing counterfeit money is no worse

than substituting some unkown worthless great cough and cold remedy that cures the most obstinate coughs and heals the lungs. L. I. Wood & Co.

Howard-And how did the plain Widow Perkins manage to capture the fastidious Mawker?

Coward-Oh, took him out in her car and showed him a few hundred of her building lots.

Howard-Oh, I see! Love at first site.-Harner's Weekly.

# Doctors

say take Cod Liver Oil—they undoubtedly mean Scott's Emulsion.

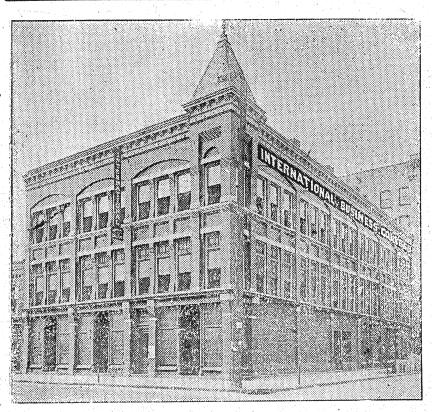
It would be just as sensible for them to prescribe Quinine in its crude form as to prescribe Cod Liver Oil in its natural state. In

# Scott's **Emulsion**

the oil is emulsified and made easy to take-easy to digest and easy to be absorbed in to the body—and is the most natural and useful fatty food to feed and nourish the wasted body that is known in medicine today.

Nothing can be found to take its place. If you are run-down you should take it.

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**NO MORE TROUBLE FROM PUNCTURES** 

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not satisfactory on examination. We are perfectly reliable and money sent to us is as safe as in a bank. If you order a pair of these tires, you will find that they will ride easier, run faster, wear better, last longer and look finer than any tire you have ever used or seen at any price. We know that you will be so well pleased that when you want a bicycle you will give us your order. We want you to send us a trial order at once, hence this remarkable tire offer.

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# Lenzner's Furniture Store



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# FOGELSANG IN JACKSON JAIL

Missing Springport Cashier Has Returned.

# SHERIFF MET HIM AT TRAIN.

Much Wanted Man Denies Attempt to Run Away-Blames Charles Young For His Troubles-Declares He Loaned Southern Investor. Something Like \$20,000.

Jackson, Mich., Dec. 15.-Henry P. Fogelsang, cashier of the Springport bank, and for whom the officers of several cities have been looking, is now in custody here. His arrival being expected, Sheriff Bean was at the train, and, after a brief salutation, the officer clamped on the handcuffs and started for the jail.

"I would like to consult my attorney, Mr. John Miner, before going to jail," said Fogeisang. Hundreds of persons were in the streets, hungry to get a glimpse of the accused man. Sheriff Bean granted the request, and the trip was changed to another street, on which the attorney's office was located.

Fogelsang talked with Miner but a few moments, the latter agreeing to call to see him at the jail

"I didn't run away, and at no time have I tried to conceal my whereabouts," declares Fogelsang. "Charles Young, the hay buyer, is to blame for the whole thing. He owes the bank something like \$20,000 now, and it was in an endeavor to have his account straightened out that I left. I knew he had an office at Baton Rouge, Miss., and so I left last Tuesday morn-

ing to find him.
"I was a day at Vicksburg, Miss, two days at Baton Rouge, and, finding him at neither place, I went to New Orleans.

"I never made a dollar out of the

shortage in the bank. Young tricked be withdrawn me into loaning him money, and now he has got m. in this mix-up." Attorney Miner said: "It will not be hard matter to get Mr. Fogelsang out of jail after the amount of bond

A reward of \$400 had been offered for the capture of the missing cash

required is given us."

#### SLASHES HER THROAT.

Minister's Wife Attempts Suicide While He Is Preaching. Duplain, Mich., Dec. 14.-While her

husband was conducting services at the M. E. church at this place, Mrs. Rev. Robert Atchinson, sixty years old, slashed her throat with a razor and may die as a result.

Mrs. Atchinson has been ill from nervous prostration for several months, and before her husband left for church she asked him for his razor. Mr. Atchinson thought nothing of the request and gave her the instrument. A short time later Miss Jennie Wilcox, who has been living at the Atchinson home since the woman's illness, entered the room where Mrs. Atchinson was, to find blood streaming from her throat. A bloody razor was clutched in her hand.

It was four hours before a physiian could be summoned.

## Big Reward For Robbers.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 16 .-The United States government has offered a reward of \$1,000 for information leading to the capture, dead or alive, of the three robbers who sandpagged Deputy Postmaster Higgins in the local postoffice and stole \$2,500. Postmaster Scott has offered an additional reward of \$100.

## Falling Tree Kills Hlm.

Springport, Mich., Dec. 16.-When Homer Chapple, a farmer of this vicinity, did not return to his home for dinner his wife became worried. Her husband had been engaged in chopping wood. Chapple was found pinned to the ground by a tree which had tallen. His skull was crushed in.

## Bullding Falls; Man Killed.

Elk Rapids, Mich., Dec. 16.-The warehouse of the Fairbanks company, dealers in potatoes, has collapsed, killng Archie Morrison, a laborer, thirty. five years old. The building was an old structure and recently had been filled to overflowing with the farm product.

## Want Registration For Nurses.

Marshall, Mich., Dec. 14.—Representative Henry and Representative Elect Hatch will be asked to present a measure in the legislature for a law making the registration of nurses compulsory. A petition headed by Dr J. H. Kellegg, head of the Battle Creek sanitarium, is being circulated in the state.

Prominent Muskegen Man Dies. Muskegon, Mich., Dec. 14.-A. W. Pobin of Muskegon, one of the best known manufacturers of automobile engines in the country and head of the Continental Motor works of this city, is dead in a Chicago hospital. Word reaches here that Mrs. Tobin is prostrated and m y not live.

# SUMMARY NOTES.

Brief Paragraphs of the World's Latest Occurrences.

Governor General Smith of the Philippines is coming home in several months on a leave of absence. Sixteen deaths may fairly be charged to this year's big game hunt

ing season in Maine just closed. Having reached the age of sixty-two vears, Rear Admiral John E. Pillsbury, chief of the naval bureau of

navigation, has been retired. The Chicago Record-Herald says that John D. Rockefeller will devote \$50,000,000 to the promotion of educa

tion in oriental nations. Near the town of Hawthorne, in Canada, four children of W. J. Scharff, farmer, were burned to death in their beds.

Rev. Alexander Kent, pastor of the People's church of Washington, is dead, aged seventy-one years.

Dr. Rob r. Henry Davis is dead a Brooklyn He was related to Jeffer. son Davis president of the Confed-

The president has proclaimed the treaties with Portugal relating to extradition, all itration and naturaliza-The Great Northern Railway com-

pany has ruchased the Duluth, Surerior & Western railroad. At Logansport, Ind, Judge Baldwin,

former attorney general of Indiana, dropped dead at his home of apoplexy. He was seventy-one years old. Secretary of Agriculture Wilson has resigned as president of the American

Forestry association. He will be suc-

ceeded by W. S. Harvey of Philadelphia. Francis J. Heney, the San Francisco "graft" prosecutor, will come east in January and keep engagements to make speeches before reform clubs in a large number of cities.

An addition of 170 acres to the Getyeburg national park is provided for in a bill introduced into congress ty Mr. Lafean of Pennsylvania.

As affairs in Haitt have quieted down American naval representation. with the exception of one vessel, will

The lower house of congress passed a bill placing on annual tax of \$100 on all dealers in cigarettes and cigarette papers in the District of Colum-

Co'onel, Henry A. Darling, aged eighty, who had a distinguished war record, is dead at the home of his on-in-law, Judge L. W. Morris, in Toledo, O.

In Chicago two persons have been burned to death in a fire in a stable at 1024 Prairie avenue. The dead are Mrs. Elizabeth Carr and her one-yearold son, who, with others, occupied the upper story of the stable.

In memory of Colonel "Jack" Haverly, in his day one of the powers of the theatrical world, a handsome granite monument was dedicated at his grave in Mount Peace cemetery, in

The members of Irem temple of the Ancient Order of Nobles of the Mystic Shrine celebrated the dedication of their \$250,000 building in Wilkesbarre, Pa. It was a most elab-Many of the 200 tenants had nar-

row escapes when the four story Holmes office building in Galesburg, Ill., was wrecked by fire. Chemical combustion in the office of a physician is given as the cause. Two members of the family of

Ceorge Van Horn of Mendenhall, Pa., are dead, and three others are ill as the result of ptomaine poisoning, caused by sausage procured from a local grocery store. The Dutch cruiser Gelderland cap-

tured the Venezuelan coast guard ship Alix. The Dutch flag was hoisted on the Alix, the crew of which was sent ashore. The guard ship was then manned by a Dutch officer and marines and towed to Willemstad.

At Brunswick, in Vermont, Mrs. Gilkey, a wealthy farmer, and her two-year-old daughter were burned to death in a fire that destroyed Mr. Gilkey's farm buildings. Gilkey escaped in his night clothes

The Great Northern railroad is installing a telephone system for train dispatching purposes on the Minot division, which extends from Devils lake to Williston, in Minnesota, a distance of 239 miles.

John F. Schulte, aged thirty-eight, former paying teller of the First National bank of Racine, Wis., has been sentenced to five years at Fort Leavenworth by Judge Quarles. Schulte embezzled \$15,000.

There was no material increase in the population of Alaska during the past year, according to the annual report of Governor Wilford B. Hoggatt. He says there was a decrease in the output of gold.

James D. Kilpatrick, oldest printer and publisher in Illinois, is dead at National Soldiers' Home hospital in Danville. He was a roommate and intimate friend of Abraham Lincoln when the two were attorneys.

An official order promulgated by the postoffice department in Washington, carrying out the recent agreement with Germany for a two cent postage rate beginning Jan. 1, next, excludes Hawaii, Porto Rico, the Philippines or other possessions of the United States.

# LITTLE BOY INSANE.

Feared He Would Try to Kill His Younger Brother.

Grand Rapids, Mich., Dec. 16 .- A peculiar case of insanity confronts the local authorities. It is that possessed by Gerrit Mulder, aged eleven years. The lad is in the hospital

The boy became violently insane, and it is feared he cannot recover He possesses homicidal tendencies and would, it is thought, try to kil his younger brother.

Physicians say the derangement is the result of an injury received sev eral years ago.

#### RAILROADS PAY.

State Employes May Now Get Sal

aries For Christmas. Lansing, Mich., Dec. 16.—Relief has come to the state treasury in the shape of three checks for an aggregate of \$750,000 from as many railroads. To help out the state they have advanced taxes not due unti-April.

The checks were received for the following amounts:

Michigan Central .....\$400,000 Chicago Northwestern ... 200,000 Pere Marquette ...... 150,000 It is stated that the early payments were brought about through the influence of Attorney General Bird.

While the money under the law is for the primary school fund, state employes are hoping that it can be used before Christmas to pay salaries. This matter is up to Auditor General Bradley, and he will be urged to permit its use for such purposes.

### WOMAN GOES FREE,

Acquitted of Being Accomplice In Causing Husband's Death.

Detreit. Mich., Dec. 12.-After deliberating an hour and forty minutes, the jury in the case of Mrs. Anna Schultz, charged with being an accomplice in the killing of her husband, Anthony Schultz, several weeks ago, returned a verdict of not guilty. John Kurka is now serving a life sentence in Jackson for the crime.

It is alleged that the woman at first confessed having a hand in the crime, but she told a different story on the stand, claiming she made false statements to the police because she feared Kurka.

#### HIT HIM ON HEAD.

Robber Then Took \$2,500 From Deputy Postmaster.

Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Dec. 15 .-Three unknown men entered the postoffice as Deputy estmaster Frank Higgins was placing money in pay envelopes, knocked him on the head with a sandbag and left him unconscious on the floor. They escaped with \$2,500, probably to Canada.

Higgins was found shortly later and

taken to a hospital, where it is said he will recover.

Will Purchase Sleighs For Them. Standish, Mich., Dec. 15.—President Hawks of the Detroit & Mackinac railroad, o is a member of the state fire relief commission, went over his road on his way to Alpena, Metz and other points where the forest fires raged this fall. He will purchase 250 sleighs for farmers who hicles in the fires. He is spending, he says, a large amount of money for relief yet, and he will have to get seed for farmers in the spring.

## Hunter Finds Man's Body.

Birmingham, Mich., Dec. 15.-While Edward Schwenk of 208 Mack avenue, Detroit, was hunting in the woods near here, he came upon the dead body of Cully Wooster. The top of the man's head had been blown off. and a shotgun, lying on the ground nearby, indicated that the shooting was accidental. Wooster was fifty-seven years old. He was eccentric and lived alone on a farm five miles southwest of here.

Gets Twenty Years For Shooting Wife. Bay City, Mich., Dec. 15.—Casimer Mareka, the Polish baker, pleaded guilty to the charge of shooting his aged wife, in the circuit court. Judge Collins immediately sentenced him to rom ten to twenty years in Marquette )rison.

## QUIETED DOWN.

Has Business in Regular Wholesale and Jobbing Lines.

Bradstreet's weekly review of trade Retail and holiday trade are more

in evidence this week, and, as these have expanded, business in regular wholesale and jobbing lines has quieted down. Colder weather and the approach of the close of the year have helped to stimulate final distribution, but it is noted that both regular retail trade and the usual Christmas shopping demand have not yet fully met expectations at many points, and particularly at the south, where low priced cotton is a retarding feature.

Best reports as to trade come from the southwest and the nor west. In wholesale and jobbing, except where the latter trades are engaged in quick shipments to meet current needs, there is a disposition to go slower pending a clearer view of year-end distribution and the taking of inven

Thomas Jefferson's grave is in a thick growth of woods off an embowered road leading from Charlottesville, Va., up to Monticello.

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Are the result of an abnormal condition of the more prominent nerve branches, caused by congestion, irritation, or disease. If you want to relieve the pain try Dr. Miles Anti-Pain Pills. They often relieve when everything else fails. They leave no disagreeable after-effects. Just a pleasurable sense of relief. Try them.

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# Happy New Year

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Ervin D. Lee. Cass City, Mich.

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Mrs.	R. Webster	is on	the	sick	list

at present. Fine winter weather and a nice white Christmas. C. A. Hargrave made a short stay

in Bay City last week. James Walters was shredding corn for F. A. Turner this week.

Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Stone visited at the home of H. A. Becker in Novesta on Sunday.

Chas. McComb visited the Cedar Run school Monday where he was for-

turned to her home in Detroit Tues-

visiting in this part a time back, re-

at the home of D. E. Turner on Saturday evening, all having a good time.

J. Hartley, Ed Cutler, W. Ware, H. Deming and B. Crane are hauling P Quinn.... stone near Caro for the stone road to J. Doerr..... be built next year.

W. A. Beecher, treasurer of Elling- P O'Brien..... ton, will be at P. W. Stone's store on Samuel Striffler.... January 9, 1909, to receive taxes. Get Solomon Striffler. your money ready. This will be ap- Louisa Striffler.... preciated by the people in this corner J W Heffelbower of the town as it saves a long drive in Roy Snell. Thomas Colwell

Every Woman Will Be Interested. Mrs. Vida Ostrander, who has been visiting in this part a time back, resurned to her home in Detroit Tueslay.

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Amos Martin.... A Randall..... J Dillman ...

N Perry..... C Mitchell ... J Topping......

Jos T Goodwin.....

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Levi Bardwell.....

Thos Powell.....

Frank Nash, sr....

L Buehrly.....

George Hall.....

John F Copland.....

Israel Palmateer.....

T Schenck....

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John Karr and Family......

George Charter.....

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T Maxfield....

A Marshall....

Neil McLaren...

G A Karr....

Robert Spurgeon

Henry Krug....

Louisa Schwegler

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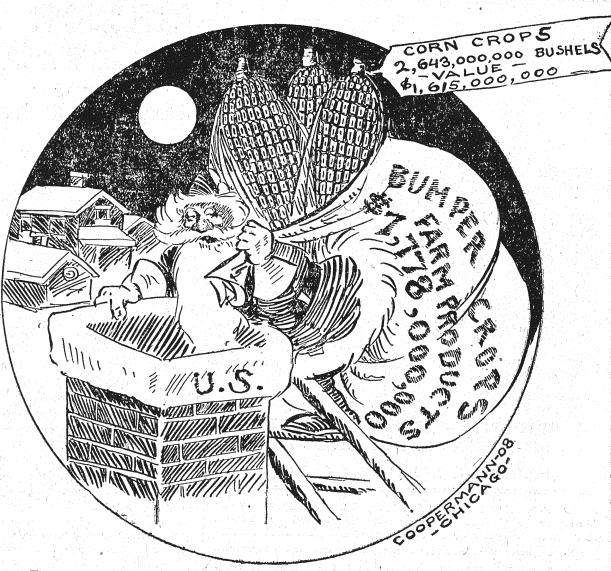
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Oh, see what Santa Claus is bringing.



The farm value of all farm products for the year of 1908 reaches the most astounding total in the worlds history-\$7,778,000,000:-New Item.

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Dry cedar kindling for sale. J. D. Tuckey, 12-11-

CASS CITY MARKETS. Cass City, Mich., Dec. 23, 1908. BUYING PRICE-Wheat No. 1, white..... Wheat, No. 2, red..... Rye No. 2. .... Oats, new W F Ehlers..... \$ 2 00 Choice Handpicked Beans..... Alsike..... June. or Mammoth..... Peas.... Eggs, per doz..... Steers, live weight. per lb......
Fat Sheep, live weight, per lb..... Lambs, live weight, per lb...... Live Hogs.... Dressed Hogs..... Dressed Beef.. Calves. Chickens..... Ducks.... Turkey..... Hides, green..... ROLLER MILLS.

White Lily, per cwt..... Economy per cwt..... Fanchon per cwt..... Gold Rim, per cwt ..... Graham flour per cwt. ..... Buckwheat Flour, per cwt..... Granulated meal, per cwt..... Feed per cwt ..... Meal per cwt..... Bran per cwt..... Middlings per cwt..... Oil Meal per cwt..... Gluten meal, per cwt..... Cotton Seed Meal, per cwt.....