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## GRANT TOWNSHIP LOSES SUPERVISOR

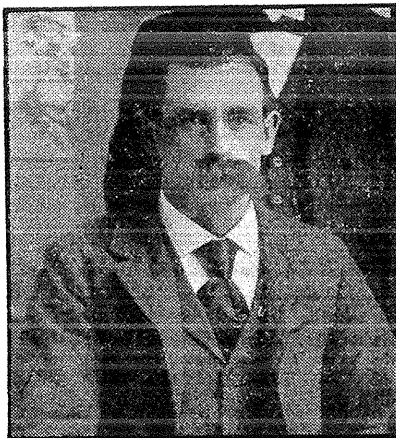
AARON ENDERSBE DIED IN BAD  
AXE SATURDAY.

Prominent Citizen Who Did Much  
for Improvement of His  
Community.

By our Beauley Correspondent.

Citizens of Grant were shocked to hear of the death of Aaron Endersbe, supervisor of Grant township and a pioneer farmer, which occurred in Bad Axe at seven o'clock Saturday morning, following an operation in the city hospital.

Mr. Endersbe's illness was of short duration. On Monday, July 4, he attended the celebration and picnic at Beauley and seemed in his usual good spirits. Before the day was over however he complained of not feeling well and was hurried to his home, a mile distant from the picnic grounds and a physician called. Later in the week, on the advice of the doctor, Mr. Endersbe was taken to the Bad Axe hospital for an operation. He was conscious before his death occurred and surrounded by members of his family, he bade them



Aaron Endersbe.

a fond farewell knowing his time on earth was brief. He made all possible arrangements, spoke some message of love and cheer to them, and advised them to be ready for the

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## MARLETTE FARMER SHOOTS HIMSELF

PROMINENT STOCK RAISER  
FEARS INSANITY.

William Shier Ends Life With Bullet in Home Six Miles North of Marlette.

Despondent over failing health and fearing that he would become insane, William Shier, prominent stock raiser, went up stairs to his room in his home, six miles north of Marlette, Monday morning after breakfast and shot himself through the heart with a rifle. Mrs. Shier, who is quite deaf, did not hear the shot but as her husband did not return for some time she went to the room and found him dead upon the floor. The bullet passed through the body and lodged in the wall.

Mr. Shier was a breeder of Lincoln sheep and took many prizes at fairs. He was one of the best known stock raisers in the state. He was 70 years old and had lived near Marlette 30 years. Besides the widow, two sons and a daughter survive him. Ten years ago a daughter committed suicide by drowning herself in a watering trough.

## FARM PRODUCE COMPANY INCORPORATED AT \$20,000

Stockholders Will Elect Officers  
Saturday Evening.

The Farm Produce Co. was organized at the town hall Saturday evening and articles of incorporation have been filed with the secretary of state. The company is capitalized at \$20,000, one-half of the amount having been subscribed by farmers in the following townships: Elkland, Elmwood, Ellington, Greenleaf, Evergreen, Novesta, Grant and Sheridan.

It has not yet been decided whether the new company will buy one of the elevator plants already established here or erect a new building. It is understood that many of the stockholders prefer the former plan.

The meeting Saturday evening was attended by over 50 farmers. The members of the company will meet again tomorrow (Saturday) evening to elect officers.

## ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

Jas. J. Hays was re-elected to succeed himself as trustee at the annual school meeting of Dist. No. 5, Elkland, Monday evening. B. F. Benkelman was also elected as trustee and both are to serve terms of three years. The recommendation of the board that \$5,400 be raised to meet the expenses of the ensuing year and make a payment on the district bonds was adopted. The new board of education consists of the following members: J. H. Hays, B. F. Benkelman, I. A. Fritz, H. L. McDermott and L. B. Lauderbach. The annual financial statement of the district may be found on another page of this issue.

## FOURTH CLASS POSTMASTER EXAM

WILL BE HELD AT CASS CITY  
JULY 30.

To Fill Vacancy at Cumber Post-office, Where Salary Was \$229 Last Year.

The United States Civil Service Commission announces that on July 30 an examination will be held at Cass City, Michigan, as a result of which it is expected to make certification to fill a contemplated vacancy in the position of fourth class postmaster of class B at Cumber, Michigan, and other vacancies as they may occur at that office, unless it shall be decided in the interests of the service to fill the vacancy by reinstatement. The compensation of the postmaster at this office was \$229.00 for the last fiscal year.

The examination is open to all citizens of the United States who can comply with the requirements.

Applications forms and full information concerning the requirements of the examination can be secured from the postmaster at Cumber, Michigan, or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, D. C.

Applications should be properly executed and filed with the Commission at Washington within seven days before the date of the examination, otherwise it may be impracticable to examine applicants.

## GEORGE LEAVES THE JAIL; HIKES FOR THE TALL POPLARS

Number of County Seat Citizens Witness the Escape.

The first prisoner to escape from the county jail at Bad Axe during Sheriff Honeywell's term of office got safely away on Friday morning and is still at large. In fact, no serious or effective effort has been made to recapture the culprit. Furthermore it is said that had the sheriff been exercising ordinary care and vigilance the prisoner could not have got away as he did. A number of citizens also who saw the runaway making a 2:40 clip to the tall poplars, were utterly oblivious to their plain duty, and made no effort either to intercept or pursue the victim. Neither did they inform the sheriff. All around, it looked like a plain case of conniving to defeat the ends of justice.

George Dickie, of Bingham, was the prisoner. George's stock of mental pabulum is not large; but he is usually harmless, though often somewhat of a nuisance. The night before, however, he had been treated to a little too much corn juice, and it was thought best to let him sleep in the jail. Then it was that the escape plot was planned, the sheriff of course being a party. George was told by outside parties that in case his cell door should be open and he could gain the back yard the sheriff would be detained till he reached the woods if he would run fast enough, otherwise an indeterminate jail term might be in store for him. The open door was arranged for and George followed instructions to the letter. The sheriff enjoyed the farce immensely from his office window.—Huron County Tribune.

## Ice Cream Social.

The Young People's Alliance of the Evangelical church will serve ice cream and cake on the lawn of J. H. Striffler on Saturday evening, July 23, for the benefit of the church.

## For Sale.

Heavy brood mare. Also bath tub and new cream separator with capacity from 850 to 950 pounds per hour. G. L. Hitchcock. 7-15-

Remember 1/4 off on all Oxfords Saturday, July 16. A. A. Hitchcock. 7-15-1

## INSURANCE POLICIES MUST BE MADE RIGHT

SHOULD BE CORRECTED IF PROPERTY CHANGES HANDS.

Else Insured Parties Cannot Collect on Them, Rules Commissioner Barry.

Under the laws of Michigan an insurance company cannot be held liable for the total loss where property is destroyed by fire when the property is held jointly and the policy is made out in favor of one party, according to Insurance Commissioner Barry who states that this question has come before him for settlement many times in the past year.

Two cases came to the attention of Insurance Commissioner Barry which emphasizes the necessity of close attention to fire insurance policies. In the southern part of the state two farmers insured their property in the farmers' mutual company. Both men died suddenly and the policies, which had been made out in their names, were not changed. Fires damaged the property on one farm to the extent of \$1,400 and the other loss reached \$800.

The company holds that inasmuch as the policies were not changed after the death of the original holders, that it is not obliged to pay the widows. Insurance Commissioner Barry affirms the decision of the company.—Ex.

## "A GOOD REPUTATION IS A FAIR ESTATE"

THIS MAXIM IS WELL APPLIED  
TO SUN BROS.

They Will Appear Here Next Wednesday. Many New Features Will Be Exhibited.

Next Wednesday, July 20, is circus day at Cass City.

Sun Bros.' railroad show will give two performances in their big tents on the fairground on that date. At 12:30 p. m., there will be offered on a magnificent Plaza erected in front of the main entrance, a series of extraordinary free exhibitions. It is announced that they will be best outdoor fetes ever before given to the public gratuitously.

The doors for the "Main Top" performance will be opened at one o'clock, and the matinee will start promptly at two o'clock. At night time the program will start at eight o'clock and the doors will open at seven o'clock.

The value of a good name as a trade mark in winning the confidence and esteem of the public was never better exemplified than in the case of the Sun Brothers' Greater Progressive Shows this season. Wherever they have cast their tents and caravan, immense crowds have been in attendance. The show is bigger and better than ever. The arena features being enlarged and the animal department augmented by divers new and strange beasts from distant lands. The Sun Brothers' performances are always clean and interesting, and cannot fail to be instructive to everyone.

## BUSINESS CHANGE.

Mrs. J. C. Lauderbach completed the sale of her confectionery and ice cream business to Chris Schwarward the first of the week. Miss Cora and Eugene Schwarward are now in charge of the business. Mr. Schwarward has leased the building where the business is conducted and he and his family will occupy the residence rooms in the second story, commencing in the early fall.

## Rose Island Resort

is the nicest place to go for your vacation. There is good fishing and bathing, also fine row boats and gasoline launches for hire; furnished cottages to rent; also first-class ten cent barn; the new gasoline launch, "Comet," will leave Liken & Co.'s grist mill dock every Sunday at 7 o'clock, a. m., local time, returning at 6 o'clock p. m., fare for round trip 25 cents. Correspond with P. W. Selee, Sebewaing, Mich. 7-15-4

Dance at Doerr's Hall on Friday, July 22. Allen & Dellinger. 7-15-2p.

Parties wishing either cedar and poplar wood should see A. A. Brian, who will deliver same. J. D. Tuckey. 7-15-

Farmers save your grain and hay by buying canvas for stack covers at A. A. Hitchcock's. 7-15-1

## TWO ACCIDENTS.

While assisting Israed Palmateer the first of the week, Delbert Hays was accidentally struck by a hay fork. He was badly cut on the head and shoulders, but is recovering nicely.

Mrs. Frank Maxfield was thrown from the buggy near Bethel last Thursday. The horse, a three year old, jumped suddenly and turned. Mr. Maxfield was also thrown but escaped uninjured. Mrs. Maxfield sustained a fractured rib beside being temporarily paralyzed. She was unable to be removed to her home until Saturday and is still confined to her bed.

## FOUR GRADUATE AT WICKWARE

EIGHTH GRADE EXERCISES WERE PLEASANT EVENT.

Rev. W. L. Moore of Shabbona Gave Address, His Subject Being "Success."

The eighth grade exercises held in the M. E. church at Wickware Friday evening were conceded by all present to be a very pleasant event. The church was nicely decorated, the class motto "Grit Wins" being displayed across the front of the building in the class colors, white and lavender.

A short but pleasing program was rendered by the graduates after which Rev. W. L. Moore of Shabbona gave an address. His subject was "Success" and among the other good things that were said was that true success does not necessarily mean to gain for one's self ease, wealth and luxury. Unfavorable surroundings are not as great an obstacle to our growth and progress as is our wrong attitude towards those surroundings. Those things which help us most to win success and also our greatest enemies are found within ourselves. Therefore "Know thy self." No one has a right to call himself a complete success unless he has conquered self. As an example of this he mentioned Alexander who conquered all the world, but himself he did not conquer as he died at an early age because of dissipation. Mention was made of W. J. Bryan, whom the speaker said he admired not so much because of his political views as for his being an example of a Christian gentleman.

After the address, the diplomas were presented by Mr. Gibbons in behalf of the school board. Mr. Gibbons spoke of the good work done by both pupils and teacher. The teacher, Mr. MacKichan, responded in a few words after which everyone sang "America" and were dismissed.

The graduates were Ethel Howey, Vina McPhail, Daisy Bigelow and Carrie Johnson. This was the first event of its kind in Wickware but the citizens hope that it will not be the last. One says: "We want many more to follow for surely our boys and girls are worth it."

## WORK PROGRESSING RAPIDLY.

The work of re-modelling the Evangelical church is progressing nicely. The brick veneering is well under way and the building is ready for plastering. Those in charge hope to have the new church ready for occupancy the latter part of August.

## ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mayville, Mich., July 14, 1910. I hereby announce my name as a candidate for state senator on the Republican ticket for the 21st district, comprising the counties of Tuscola and Lapeer at the primary election to be held on the first Monday in Sept., 1910. If nominated and elected, I pledge my vote for the republican receiving the highest number of votes at the said primary election.

Respectfully,  
EDWIN G. FOX.

## Notice.

Anyone having old accounts or notes should place them with the Thumb Collection Agency, Caro, Mich., and get quick results. Write to-day for terms. The Thumb Collection Agency, Caro, Mich. 7-15-2

Black and red raspberries for sale on Monday, Wednesday and Friday at Johnson's Fruit Farm, 1 1/4 miles south of Novesta. Moore phone No. 69—3r. 7-15-

Come one! Come all! Dance at Croop's Hall, Deford, July 23, 1910, commencing at 7:30 p. m. Evening ticket, 50c. 7-15-

Go to A. A. Hitchcock's for stack canvas. 7-15-1

Grain bags. A. A. Hitchcock.

Will pay highest market price for poultry. Will receive same on Monday and Wednesday of each week. O. Auten. 6-24-

Big reductions in summer millinery at Mrs. McGillivray's closing out sale.

For cool dresses and waists see Mrs. G. W. Goff. 6-17-

For Sale. 100 yards linoleum 12 feet wide. 4-8- G. L. Hitchcock.

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## Directory.

## DR. A. N. TREADGOLD,

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## J. H. HAYS, M. D.,

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## DR. M. M. WICKWARE,

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## P. A. Schenck, D. D. S.

## Dentist.

Graduate University of Michigan. Office hours 7:30 a. m. to 12 m. and 1:30 to 5:30 p. m. Office in Fritz Block, Cass City, Michigan.

## DENTISTRY.

## I. A. Fritz, Resident Dentist.

Office over E. Ryan's drug store. We solicit your patronage when in need of dental work.

Elkland Arbor, No. 31, A. O. O. G. meets the second and fourth Thursdays of each month in Oddfellow Hall. Visiting companions always welcome. Walter Anthes, C. G., A. E. Boulton, Sec-Treas.

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**C. D. STRIFFLER, Agent**  
Cass City, Mich.

## Franklin's Fate Prefigured.

The fate of Franklin, the explorer, was unwittingly prefigured and on the eve of his starting on his last voyage at the hands of his own devoted wife. As he lay dozing on a sofa Lady Franklin threw something over his feet, on which he awoke in consternation, saying: "Why, there's a flag thrown over me! Don't you know that they lay the union jack over a corpse?"

A FREE Prescription  
ADVICE

From a physician of 52 years' experience in colleges, sanatoriums and general practice. Weak, nervous men, regain your strength and vigor.

So great was my sympathy for weak men in the early years of my experience that I have made it a special study to formulate two prescriptions, one for men under 50 and one for men over 50 years of age. In my declining years, I want every man to have the benefit of my long years of careful study, research and long experience. I am now 75 years old and as strong and vigorous as at 40 and the rest of my life will be spent in aiding suffering manhood. I realize that my time is short, but will do all in my power to aid men and women who are helpless and seeking relief. I know there has been a great many disappointed when they thought relief in their grasp, but let me send you my free prescription and booklet of private lectures to men which is the result of study since I began lecturing to student classes, way back in '71. Since that time I have cured many cases that are now pleased to recommend me.

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If you are suffering from failing memory, lame back or weakened manhood or nervous difficulties, **LET ME SEND YOU A RECIPE** in a plain sealed envelope that you can use in your own home. I am confident that you will thank me every day in your life after you have tested it for yourself.

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ELKS' REUNION  
IS ON IN DETROIT

ELKS BY THE THOUSANDS ENTER  
PORTALS TO PARTICIPATE  
IN THE GAIETIES.

HERDS COME IN FROM EVERY  
STATE—CITY IS ABLAZE WITH  
DECORATIONS.

Women of Party Most Enthusiastic  
and Keeping Up With Husbands  
in Pleasures of Entertainment.

Between 20,000 and 25,000 visitors surged through the streets of Detroit Monday morning and every minute a train hurtled into the depots and disgorged new crowds, who made their way to the stopping places reserved for them and then hurried out to join the pleasure-seeking throng.

Detroit certainly knows that the Elks are in town. The town, surfeited with conventions, has become blasé of late. A convention attracting 5,000 people can be held and never create a ripple, where other cities would be blowing horns and sounding cymbals. But this week it is going to be different. Everyone is glad to see the Elks and the Elks are glad to meet everyone else and everybody is out to have a big time.

Sunday night the reunion was formally and officially opened when Daniel O'Connell, the 105-year-old Elk from Owosso, stood on the city hall steps and pulled a string which threw a switch and caused the illuminated decorations to blaze forth.

As the lights shot up there was a solid mass of people in the campus and in Cadillac square, as well as along Woodward avenue and up Monroe avenue. It is difficult to estimate how many people were gathered there, but the number must have been well along toward 100,000.

All day Sunday the Elks flocked into town. Specialists crowded each other in the depots, pulling in to unload hundreds. The California delegation had hardly made its presence felt in town before Boston was shouting along the streets. Braddock, Pa., was announcing loudly and noisily that it was here, when the announcement was drowned out by the arrival of the Portland, Ore., delegation; and that was the way it went all day. From far and near, from the east and west, north and south, they came, and the rush is only started. The crowd from the copper country was the first big delegation to come in. They arrived Sunday evening, and you could tell one as far as you could see him, because every man is wearing a copper shield four inches in diameter made like a massive coin.

Flies 6,175 Feet High.

Walter Brookins, youthful wonder of the aviation world, broke all existing records for altitude reached in an aeroplane, at Atlantic City, by driving the Wright biplane in which he has been thrilling the board walk crowds for two days, a distance estimated at least 6,175 feet into the air over the ocean. The Richard recording barograph carried on the machine showed a record of 6,200 feet in the air, while officials who used an altitude gauge on the ground calculated his greatest height at 6,175.

Under the conditions of the Atlantic City Aero club, Brookins' feat entitles him to the prize of \$5,000 offered for the breaking of the world's record, unless his feat is outdone before the end of the meet. Officials and aviators believe, however, that no further attempts will be made at the record established, and it is confidently expected that Brookins will receive the prize.

## No Head For Drug Department.

Since July 1, when the law went into operation the drug inspection department has been without an official head. Before the departure of Former Commissioner Bird, Attorney General Bird was asked to rule on the eligibility of State Analyst Floyd Robinson to also hold the position of drug inspector. It is said that the attorney general ruled against the appointment and no man was selected for the office.

With the appointment of Attorney General Kuhn the matter was again submitted for final decision, but he has not as yet handed down his opinion. Recently a number of inspectors were appointed and they are doing their work at present under the direction of the commissioner.

## Yankee Militia to Stop Revolution.

An officer of the Alabama National Guard will pick 500 men at the campment at Chickamauga next week who will volunteer for duty in Nicaragua, according to a report.

It is declared that this officer and his men will sail for Nicaragua soon after the encampment closes, and will be used to bring to an end the hostilities between forces of Madriz and Estrada. It is not stated with which side the Americans will enlist.

The bureau of Indian affairs has completed plans for the draining of about 30,000 acres of swamp lands in the Yakima reservation in Washington.

The submarine boat Calmon arrived at Hamilton, Bermuda, after a 600-mile trip from Quincy, Mass. She demonstrated the practicability of the submarine vessel for long ocean voyages. She will make the return trip.

Mrs. James S. Sherman, wife of the vice-president, quitted Johns Hopkins hospital and in company of the vice-president and her sister, Mrs. De Long, left for Big Moose Lake, N. Y. It was expected that the change to the mountain air would soon complete her restoration to health. Mrs. Sherman was brought to Baltimore two weeks ago for treatment for a nervous attack.

## SWEPT BY FOREST FIRES

Losses in Great Wisconsin Blaze are  
Figured Over \$3,000,000.

The Wisconsin forest fires are estimated to have cost a total of nearly \$3,000,000. The losses are tabulated as follows: North of Chippewa Falls, \$1,000,000; in Marinette and Wausau and the vicinity, \$1,000,000; near the towns of Medford and Prentice, \$1,000,000.

The danger of the fire is now ended, but the ravages have been more serious than ever before since the terrible fires which swept through Phillips and north central Wisconsin in the early eighties, when the city of Phillips, then the most promising town in northern Wisconsin, was destroyed, and hundreds of persons burned to death.

Twenty of the seventy-one counties in Wisconsin have suffered this year from the fire. Five mills have been destroyed with an average loss of \$100,000 each. The greatest damage, however, has been to the standing timber. Strange to say, there has not been one definitely recorded case of loss of life by fire, though there have been half a dozen deaths from heat prostration while fighting the flames.

## Many Die From Heat

Sunday was the hottest day of the year in New York. Three persons went mad with the heat, and ten others died of it. The list of prostrations was long but not so heavy as Saturday.

Ten deaths and many prostrations occurred at Philadelphia as a result of the excessive heat. The humidity was 85 during the morning hours, and the mean temperature for the day was 84. The maximum temperature, 93.

Sunday was the hottest day of the year in Boston, with the mercury near the century mark for several hours, the official weather bureau high reading being 93 degrees at 2 o'clock. Two deaths and a score of prostrations were reported by the police.

The national capital sweltered in a torrid heat which caused one death, that of a negro infant, and the prostration of four other persons.

Two drownings and a half dozen prostrations were the result of extreme summer heat in Cincinnati.

## State Team of Rifles Picked.

Michigan's team to represent the National Guard at the National Shoot at Camp Perry, O., in August, was determined at the Bailey park range, Grand Rapids, when 19 men fired at targets for the honor places.

The team will be composed of Private Frank Mier, Owosso, 734; Capt. W. B. Kinnel, Grand Rapids, 681; Lieut. A. B. Newton, Grand Rapids, 680; Capt. Percy Patterson, Soo, 678; Lieut. M. P. Hart, Grand Rapids, 676; Private Charles Hammond, Detroit, 674; Sergeant A. Bon-score, Cheboygan, 669; Capt. A. C. Wilson, Ann Arbor, 669; Maj. Earl R. Stewart, Grand Rapids, 664; Private C. O. Jackson, Detroit, 664; Sgt. E. A. Lamphere, Kalamazoo, 653; Maj. J. Phillips, Owosso, 653. Alternates: Lieut. W. H. Coates, Grand Rapids, 644; Lieut. Charles Lahman, Owosso, 644; Col. George B. McCaughna, Owosso, 637. Adit. Gen. McGurrian will appoint the officials to accompany the team.

Forest fires devastated Fox islands. The Antrim Iron Co. lost 700 cords of wood.

Tuesday, August 9, all business places will be closed. It will be Marshall's fourth annual harvest festival and the merchants have donated nearly \$2,000 for a big celebration and farmers' picnic.

## THE MARKETS.

DETROIT—Cattle—Market 15@25c higher than last week; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200, \$6@6.25; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,000, \$5.25@6; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000, \$4.50@5.50; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700, \$4@4.50; fat steers, 500 to 700, \$3.50@4.50; fat heifers, 500 to 700, \$3.50@4.50; common cows, \$3@3.50; canners, \$2.75@3; choice heavy bulls, \$4.50@4.75; fair to good heavy bulls, \$2.75@4.40; stock bulls, \$3.50@4; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$4.50@5; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000, \$4@4.50; choice stockers, 800 to 1,000, \$4@4.50; fair stockers, 500 to 700, \$3.50@3.75; stock heifers, \$3.25@3.75; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$4@5; common milkers, \$2@3.

Veal Calves—Market, 50@75c higher than last week's close; best, \$8.50@9; others, \$4.50@7.50.

Milk cows and springers steady. Sheep and lambs—Lambs, 75c@81c higher; sheep, steady; best lambs, \$8@9; others, \$7@8; light to medium lambs, \$6.50@7; fair to good sheep, \$4@4.25; culls and common, \$2.50@3.

Hogs—Market 10@12c higher on good grades; heavy, steady; range, \$9.50@10.50; light to good butchers, \$9.50@10.50; pigs, \$9.60; light yorkers, \$9.50; heat, \$9.40; stags, one-third off.

EAST BUFFALO, N. Y.—Cattle—1 car, strong; cars, strong; heavy, \$9.60@9.70; yorkers, \$9.90@9.95; pigs, \$10.10.

Sheep—2 cars, steady; spring lambs, \$9; yearlings, \$5.50@6.25; wethers, \$5@5.25; ewes, \$4.25@4.50.

Calves—\$5@9.

## Grain, Etc.

WHEAT—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.03 1-2; July opened, \$1.02 1-2; change, 1-2; \$1.03 1-4, declined to, 1 02 3-4 and closed at \$1.03; September opened at \$1.04 3-4 and declined to \$1.03 1-2; December opened at \$1.06 1-2 and declined to \$1.05 1-2; No. 1 white, \$1.03 1-2.

CORN—Cash No. 3 white, 1 car at 46 1-2; No. 4 white, 1 car at 46 1-2; No. 2 yellow, 65c; No. 3 yellow, 64 1-2.

OATS—Standard, 1 car at 41c; 1 at 41 1-4; September, 40c; No. 3 white, 1 car at 40 1-2; 2 at 40 3-4; No. 4 white, 1 car at 40 1-2.

BEANS—Cash, \$2.22; October, \$2.05; November, \$2.

CLOVERSEED—Prime spot, \$7; October, \$6.70; March, \$6.80.

FEED—In 100-lb. sacks, jobbing lots: Bran, \$25; coarse middlings, \$26; fine middlings, \$28; cracked corn and coarse cornmeal, \$27; corn and oat chop, \$24 per ton.

FLOUR—Best Michigan patent, \$5.70; ordinary patent, \$5.50; straight, \$5.45; clear, \$4.90; pure rye, \$4.50; spring patent, \$5.90 per bbl. in wood, jobbing lots.

## Rain Brings Relief.

The drought of a month was broken at Calumet by a thunderstorm coming shortly after midnight Saturday and lasting nine hours. The fierce down-pour saved the village of Ontonagon from destruction. The farmers were driven in large numbers from their homes, many losing property and stock. Fires all over northern Michigan were checked by rain last night.

The corner stone of the new Salvation Army citadel was laid at Flint in the presence of 1,500 people. J. B. Dort laid the stone. The building will cost about \$30,000.

## MICHIGAN IN BRIEF.

Three prostrations from the heat were reported at Grand Rapids when the mercury jumped from 53 to 85 degrees.

Lamie and Freeman Kehow, state drug inspectors, started on a tour of Michigan. Other inspectors will soon be started out.

At a special election, held in Owosso, the proposition to bond for \$15,000 for a new hospital was defeated by a large majority.

Grief over the death of her baby a week ago resulted in the death of Mrs. Blanche Strong, a well known young woman of Kalamazoo.

To stamp out the smallpox epidemic at Lapeer Health Officer John D. Frazier has threatened to prosecute those who violate the quarantine laws.

Dr. W. B. Hinsdale has received from Gov. Warner a re-appointment to succeed himself as trustee of the state tuberculosis sanatorium, at Howell.

William R. Stone, 94, formerly government foreman of the Old Mission Indians and well known to resorters in Traverse City, died at his home of old age.

Frank H. Schaller has been re-elected chief of the Port Huron fire department. This will make seven years that Mr. Schaller has held this position.

The Flint Maccabees will make good the shortage of W. F. Richardson in the First National bank, in the belief that he will make good the discrepancy.

Mildred Harris, 3 years old, of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., bit a torpedo and exploded it in her mouth. Her face is badly lacerated. She is expected to recover.

The sun shining on a stock of fireworks became so hot that the display windows of the W. S. Prowd store, at Charlotte, went up in smoke with a loss of \$5,000.

Holland is to vote Sept. 6 on the amendment to the city charter to redistribute the city into six wards and double the salaries of the mayor, councilmen and other city officials.

The forty-third drowning in the state this season was recorded at Monroe when, Rolland, the two-year-old son of William Lazeppe, was found drowned in a cistern. He fell in while playing.

Dr. Victor Vaughan, head of the medical school of the U. of M., was taken suddenly ill while attending the Librarians' national convention at Mackinac Island and was unable to deliver his address.

A rabid dog bit I. W. Bowen in the leg and also attacked a small boy, creating much excitement on the main street of Traverse City, and was finally killed by a shot from Game Warden Snyder's revolver.

Smallpox is prevalent throughout the state, reports from various health offices showing a total of 192 cases for June, as compared with about half that number during May. Owosso comes first with 23 cases.

Phillip Shepard, a farm hand 22 years old, has been sentenced, at St. Johns, to from one to two years in Ionia reformatory on a statutory charge brought against him by a 14-year-old orphan girl who resides in Gratiot county.

The ministerial associations of the American and Canadian Soos have combined in a vigorous protest against the showing in either city of the Jeffries-Johnson fight pictures. A special ordinance will have to be passed to prohibit them.

A log famine threatens Twin City lumber mills, at Menominee, on account of low water in the river from the section near Quinnesec Falls. At present only eight million feet of the thirty-seven million feet cut have come down, and the work at the sorting gap will stop.

In plain sight of several hundred bathers and spectators, at St. Joseph, Benjamin Mendelssohn, of Chicago, was drowned in Lake Michigan, making the total drowned in the state this season 42. The undertow caught the Chicagoan as he was bathing and pulled him down.

Neighbors have complained that Henry Madden, a farmer south of Hillsdale, is fattening his hogs on dead horses. His barn yard was found strewn with the carcasses of dead animals putrid from the intense heat. He procures the bodies from the city scavenger.

At the termination of the spiritual retreat at Nazareth, on the feast of the visitation of the blessed virgin, at Kalamazoo, thirty-four novices renewed their vows, and Sisters Mary John, Mary Leonard, Mary Boniface and Mary Athanasius made their solemn vows. Rev. Father Ignatius, O. M. C., conducted the exercises of the retreat. There was a large number of the friends of the sisters in attendance.

A clover blossom a year is the rental charged the Flint school board for a 99-year lease of the site of the Flint Union school. The owner of the land, Nell J. Bernston, made the offer at the last regular meeting of the board, the only proviso being that use of the land for other than school purposes shall terminate the lease. The board accepted, and it was decided to make a ceremonial feature of the payment of the rental each year. The board is to elect one of its members every spring to pluck a clover blossom from one of the lots owned by the school board and carry it to Mr. Bernston or one of his heirs.

E. S. Jones, 56, the oldest school teacher in Grand Traverse county in point of service, was found dead in bed at Traverse City by his wife of paralysis of the brain. A widow and one son survive him. For 30 years Mr. Jones taught the schools of the nearby villages and districts, teaching up until a few weeks before the summer vacation when his health failed.

Believing that Port Huron druggists are disobeying the state laws and selling liquor, Chief of Police Marx says that the druggists will be watched and that arrests are likely to follow an investigation.

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## Cairo Street Warnings.

In oriental countries the recklessness of drivers of vehicles and their disregard for foot passengers are very marked, but in Cairo they have a series of curious cries with which they warn a footman. They specify the particular part of his anatomy which is in danger, as thus: "Look out for thy left shin, O uncle!" "Boy, have a care for the little toe on thy right foot!" "O blind beggar, look out for thy staff!" And the blind beggar, feeling his way with the staff in his right hand, at once obediently turns to the left. "O Frankish woman, look out for thy left foot!" "O burden bearer, thy load is in danger!" "O water carrier, look out for the tail end of thy pigskin water bottle!"

Work.  
There is a perennial nobleness and even sacredness in work. Were a man ever so benighted or forgetful of his high calling there is always hope in him who actually and earnestly works. In idleness alone is there perpetual despair.

Feathered Mice Catchers.  
Gamecocks and ducks sometimes take to catching mice, which they devour greedily.

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Davidson Glacier.

Davidson glacier, in Alaska, which is really a tongue of the Muir glacier, has been ascended by travelers for a number of years. It is a dead glacier, having a moraine of several miles between it and the sea. Looking at it from a boat, it represents a kaleidoscopic appearance as the sun shines upon it, and the surface seems scratched with tiny pin lines, in reality deep crevices.

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We have answered this cry in our new book "Fighting the Traffic in Young Girls" by Earnest A. Bell, U. S. District Attorney Sims and others. The most sensational indictment of the White Slave Trade ever published. It tells how thousands of young girls are lured from their homes annually and sold into a life of shame. The Cincinnati Inquirer says "Of all the books of the season the War on White Slave Trade is the most helpful; it should be read by every man, woman and child." Agents are making from \$5 to \$17 a day selling this book. Over 500 pages. Many pictures. Price \$1.50. Best terms to agents. Outfit free. Send 15c for forwarding charges. Book sent to any address post paid upon receipt of price. Address—James E. Sharkey, Sec'y., 123 Plymouth Court, Chicago.

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tism, Stomach and blad-  
der Trouble the  
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When the products of exhaustion reach the  
brain and descend to the nerve centers, as in the  
case with all old people, limiting their ability  
to think and act unless they have the power  
to excrete the acids that accumulate during  
the day and stimulate them, they had better get a  
bottle of Dr. Burnham's SAN-JAK. I am 30  
years old and have kept a bottle of this medi-  
cine in my house during the past year and take  
a dose quite often so I know it helps to give  
strength and activity. D. O. Kelley, 311 Wash-  
senaw St., Lansing.

Mrs. J. M. Brown, mistress of the Butler  
House, Lansing, Mich., says: "One year ago I  
was in very poor health sick and weak from  
that much dreaded disease, kidney trouble, cal-  
led 'Bright's disease' by physicians. I have  
taken about one dozen bottles of San-Jak and  
have no symptoms of old trouble to annoy me.  
I have this letter for the benefit it may be to  
others.

Owosso, Mich., May 28, '08.  
Dr. Burnham:  
Your inquiry as to my health, in reply I have  
taken 3 bottles of your San-Jak and can cheer-  
fully recommend it as the best medicine I ever  
found and the only one that cured me of Dia-  
betes. I am doing better work than I ever did  
and I am perfectly well.  
Yours respectfully,  
F. B. HOLMAN.

J. F. Roe, 41 E. Main St. Battle Creek, says:  
I wish to state that your San-Jak cured me of  
Bright's Disease after the local doctors said I  
could not live.

E. S. Hough, ex-judge of probate of Lapeer  
county, says: "I bought a bottle of San-Jak  
from P. P. Snowman, the druggist of Lapeer.  
I felt I was 100 years old, with great distress of  
the stomach and a drowsy, sleepy feeling, which  
the medicine has corrected. I cheerfully per-  
mit the use of this letter for the benefit of  
others."  
EDGAR S. HOUGH.

Lapeer, Mich., March 10, 1908.  
Mrs. T. H. Curtis, R. F. D. No. 2, Lapeer,  
says: "I wish to tell you how much good your  
San-Jak has done for me. I have had the rheu-  
matism and liver trouble 17 years. Sometimes  
my feet and limbs were swollen so I could not  
wear my shoes. I have taken one and one-half  
bottles of your remedy. The blood has all gone  
down. The pain gradually left and the stiff  
joints are getting more limber. I think 3 or 4  
bottles of your San-Jak will cure me completely.  
My dear thanks in words is a feeble way of  
saying how grateful I feel for the benefits bestow-  
ed upon me by your medicine."

St. Johns, Mich., March 12, '08.  
Mrs. John Fritz says: "I have been in very  
poor health for the past several years and have  
since childhood been afflicted with sick head-  
ache. I have taken 4 bottles of San-Jak and it  
has done me a wonderful good. I am now able  
to do light work and gaining in strength. I  
wish every lady in Michigan could have a bottle  
of this great medicine. I believe it is the  
greatest medicine in the world from the fact  
that my case was hopeless and my physicians  
said I could not be helped by medicine."

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Ryan, druggist, who is reliable  
and will return the price of one  
bottle [\$1.00] if San-Jak fails to  
do good. Made by San-Jak Co.,  
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## Thumb Prints

### A Good Record—

Erwin Richards of this village com-  
pleted his ninth year of school work  
last week with a record of never hav-  
ing missed a day's attendance in the  
entire nine years.—Millington  
Gazette.

### Another Elevator at Ubly—

The farmers' co-operative elevator  
at Sandusky has proven such a suc-  
cess this year that the farmers near  
Cass City are taking steps to form a  
similar company at that place and  
\$6000 in stock has already been sub-  
scribed. There is also strong talk  
of forming a company to build a new  
elevator at Ubly.—Courier.

### Union Meetings in Grove—

The Presbyterian, Methodist Epis-  
copal, Protestant Methodist, Church  
of Christ churches of Yale are to hold  
services in the grove Sabbath even-  
ings during July and part of August.  
The service will begin at five and  
for half an hour will be in charge of  
the young People's Societies of these  
churches. Then will follow a short  
service.

### Open Air Meetings—

The union evangelistic meeting  
held on the school lawn in Vassar  
Sunday night was a grand success,  
about 350 being in attendance. Mon-  
ey was raised that night to purchase  
lawn mats, which will meet a much  
needed requirement, as the meetings  
will be held there each Sunday even-  
ing during July and August. Every-  
one is most cordially invited to at-  
tend, so come and bring your friends.  
—Vassar Times.

### Looking for Lost Son—

Many newspapers throughout Mich-  
igan have printed the following no-  
tice relative to a former boy resident  
of Ruth, seven miles south of Harbor  
Beach: "Frank Wloch disappeared  
last November and his present  
whereabouts are unknown. Fifteen  
dollars will be paid to anyone who  
locates him. If it happens that  
you, dear Frank, should read this ad-  
vertisement be so kind as to come  
home. Don't be afraid of anybody.  
Your loving father,  
Paul Wloch, Ruth, Michigan."

### Caro Fair Open Evenings—

The other day Secretary R. M. Olin  
announced that Caro fair would be  
open days and evenings. This is an  
undertaking of such magnitude that  
one not familiar with fair manage-  
ment can scarcely comprehend. It  
requires a great deal of effort and  
determination to inaugurate such a  
feature, but anyone familiar with the  
methods employed by Dr. Olin in his  
various enterprises hasn't the slight-  
est doubt but that this venture is a  
trivial affair with a man of such en-  
ergy.—Advertiser.

### Dead of Ptomaine Poison—

Mrs. Fredricka Elmers, died at her  
home in Windsor township Tuesday,  
after an illness of two days of pto-  
maine poison, resulting from the eat-  
ing some canned corn. The deceased  
was born in Germany seventy-six  
years ago and has resided in this  
township thirty-seven years. Her  
husband, Henry Elmers, died in this  
village five years ago. The funeral  
services were conducted at the home  
of Herman Elmers yesterday morn-  
ing and the remains laid to rest in  
the Pigeon cemetery. The deceased  
is survived by five sons, Jacob, Chas.  
and Herman of this vicinity and Jo-  
seph and George of Saginaw, and  
one daughter, Mrs. Otto Swartz, of  
Saginaw.—Pigeon Progress.

### Editor Brown Injured—

The first city Fourth of July was  
the quietest Harbor Beach ever saw.  
A great number of our people went  
to Port Hope and our streets were  
deserted all day, not even a fire-  
cracker being exploded. But Mr.  
Burton Brown's patriotic spirit arose  
in the evening and he procured about  
\$25 worth of fireworks and invited  
the children to the vacant lot near  
the Baptist church to see the dis-  
play. Everything went all right till  
Burt picked up a curious looking  
thing marked "Japanese Trickster"  
and lighted the fuse. Immediately  
a hurricane of firey reptiles of all  
descriptions filled the air. Mr.  
Brown struggled with them till the  
monsters' energy was exhausted, and  
then went to a surgeon to have his  
hand dressed with antiseptics to pre-  
vent the dreaded tetanus, which is  
apt to follow the burns from pyro-  
technics.—Huron County Tribune.

### Sheriff Seizes Quantity of Beer—

Sheriff Conley is a diligent and  
inquisitive officer and does not al-  
low many things of anything like a  
shady aspect to escape his scrutiny  
and official attention, consequently  
when the contents of several cars  
were scattered about by the wreck  
of a Michigan Central freight train  
at Lapeer the other day his eagle eye  
was soon scrutinizing the mass. Re-  
sult: Four large barrels and 320 bot-  
tles of beer were found consigned to  
Frank Young, who runs a little re-  
sort place called Hunt's Landing, at  
Nepessing Lake. Under the search  
and seizure law the sheriff took the  
amber fluid in charge and had it con-  
veyed to the jail. Young was ar-

rested for violation of the liquor law  
in ordering beer with the intention  
of selling it in a prohibition county,  
and will have his examination July  
12. He claims, however, that the  
goods were shipped to him by mis-  
take and further developments may  
implicate others.—North Branch Ga-  
zette.

### Pest House Burns—

The house in which Oliver Deneen  
was detained with small pox burned  
to the ground at Vassar Wednesday  
morning as was also the barn. How  
the fire originated is not known. Mr.  
Deneen telephoned Dr. Cowley who  
was the physician in charge, that the  
building was burning and when the  
rescue party reached the place they  
found the patient in the orchard. He  
is now sheltered in a tent. The  
nurse who had been caring for him  
left on the fourth as the patient was  
well on the road to recovery. The  
loss of property which is owned by  
the T. F. Lane estate is estimated  
at \$400. Mr. Deneen came to Vas-  
sar June 19 from Lapeer, having left  
Bay City and Saginaw after he be-  
came known to have the disease. The au-  
thorities of the above named cities  
should have cared for the man, not  
sent him from place to place expos-  
ing all with whom he came in contact.  
A case of small pox is not a de-  
sirable acquisition to any locality, but  
a brotherly and kindly interest in  
humanity would lead one to expect  
an unfortunate to be cared for by  
the proper authorities in any town or  
city.—Vassar Times.

### BEAULEY.

Hay weather—hot and dry.

School meeting passed off quietly  
and Miss S. Faist of Bad Axe has  
been secured as teacher for the next  
year at a salary of \$60 per month.

F. Martin has his barn on a high  
blocking waiting for a new basement.  
Miss Florence Hill is home from  
college.

Everyone enjoyed the sermon Rev.  
Coombs preached on Sunday after-  
noon in the Heron church. His sub-  
ject was "Four reasons why I am  
an Orangeman." A large audience  
was present.

Everybody rushing hard in the  
heat.

The prize winners at our picnic on  
July 4th were as follows in the ath-  
letic sports:

Stand broad jump—1st, Wm. Dob-  
son; 2nd, Marcus McIntosh.  
Stand hop, step, jump—1st, Wm.  
Dobson; 2nd, Colson Blair.

Run hop, step, jump—1st, Marcus  
McIntosh; 2nd, Colson Blair.  
Run high jump—1st, Wm. Dobson;  
2nd, Marcus McIntosh.

100-yard dash—1st, Marcus McIn-  
tosh; 2nd, Herb Wood.

50-yard dash—1st, Marcus McIn-  
tosh; 2nd, Herb Wood.

100-yard dash under 14 years—1st,  
Edgerton Haskett; 2nd, Lee Peacock.

### NOVESTA.

Miss Mae Little, who has been at-  
tending the normal at Caro, has re-  
turned home.

John McPhee of Indiana and Mrs.  
Mary McPhee and Dorothy of Cass  
City visited Archie McPhee, jr., Sun-  
day.

Mrs. Sarah Bonner of Detroit and  
Mrs. L. Kennedy of Deford visited  
at A. McPhee's Sunday.

Misses Margaret Zinnecker and  
Effie Wallace and Thos. Hennessey  
and Mr. Chaffee visited at the home  
of Archie McPhee, jr., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Perry of De-  
troit are visiting at the home of the  
latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. G.  
Dickinson.

### COUNTY LINE.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Striffler of Ar-  
gyle spent Sunday at the home of  
Chris Striffler.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ball returned  
home Wednesday evening from a few  
days' visit in the southern part of  
the state.

Young people's meeting was held  
at the home of George Barnes Sun-  
day evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Greenleaf and  
daughter and the Misses Minnie and  
Grace Ball spent Sunday at the home  
of James Greenleaf in Cumber.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gilbert and  
daughter, Melvina, were callers on  
the county line Sunday.

### Napoleon's Grit

was of the unconquerable, never-say-  
die kind, the kind that you need the  
most when you have a bad cold,  
cough or lung disease. Suppose tro-  
ches, cough syrups, cod liver oil or  
doctors have all failed, don't lose  
heart or hope. Take Dr. King's  
New Discovery. Satisfaction is guar-  
anteed when used for any throat or  
lung trouble. It has saved thou-  
sands of hopeless sufferers. It mas-  
ters stubborn colds, obstinate coughs,  
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ma, hay fever and whooping cough  
and is the most safe and certain  
remedy for all bronchial affections.  
50c \$1.00. Trial bottle free at L. I.  
Wood & Co.'s.

### DEFORD.

Jake Hilderbrand is in poor health.

Two Town Liners were out at Caro  
on the 9th mixed up with the Farrell  
Drain Case.

James Valentine of Caro was a  
caller in these parts on Sunday.

The cheese factory seems to be  
taking the milk from the creameries.

Moisture wanted for all kinds of  
crops.

Mrs. Geo. Alward, who has been  
very ill for a long time, is apparently  
recovering.

Robert Smith of Arbela township  
was here last week, making friend-  
ship solid.

Sugar beets are going back for  
want of rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lewis and  
daughter, Pearl, of Roscommon are  
spending a few weeks with Mrs. Lew-  
is' parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Mo-  
shier of Deford. Mr. Lewis will fin-  
ish their new house at Elmer Allen  
was taken seriously ill and had to  
give up the work.

Miss Pearl Lewis of Roscommon  
is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Robert  
Brown, of East Novesta. She also  
attended the rally at Argyle July 4.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moshier wish  
to thank the many friends and  
neighbors who showed such great  
sympathy after their loss of their  
house by fire last fall.

John Retherford's sick horse is  
able to cultivate again.

A new baby girl at the home of  
Lewis Retherford.

Jesse Sole is not very well.

Mrs. John Retherford and Mrs. Jas.  
D. Funk were Oakland county girls  
years ago. Fortune settled them here  
and they are going back to old Oak-  
land this July to attend a reunion of  
their playmates of twenty years ago.  
Oh! what a grand time singing,  
"Twenty years ago" they will all  
have.

Len Patch was a Caro caller on  
Monday.

### WILMOT.

Mrs. George Allen is so as to be  
out again.

James Pickering and Earl Burman  
spent Saturday and Sunday with re-  
latives at Wickware.

Mrs. John Wilson and daughter,  
Lottie, spent Sunday at Clifford.

Miss Ella Franklin left Saturday  
for Rochester where she will spend  
a few weeks.

Miss Tillie Chambers and Albert  
Evans spent Sunday in Detroit with  
friends.

Mrs. Thomas Elliott returned  
home Wednesday from Hilton, N.  
Y., where she attended the funeral  
of her brother.

Misses Lucy and Margaret Whit-  
taker of Kingston spent Sunday  
with Della Vincent.

Percy Legg of Marlette and Leo  
Legg of Kingston were in town Sun-  
day.

Della Vincent expects to leave on  
Thursday for an extended visit with  
relatives and friends in Lapeer, De-  
troit and Flint.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Tuscola County.  
Claud Geo. Westfall, Saginaw 24  
Ida May Maul, Wilmot 21  
Jas. E. Dunn, Medina, N. Y. 21  
Ethel M. Baldwin, Vassar 19  
Hennan Adam Heidt, Detroit 27  
Dessie May Green, Vassar 19  
Earl March Mont Allen, Lake City 36  
Cecil Victoria McKim, Cass City 26

Huron County.  
Chas. Stueck, Pigeon 25  
Eva Stein, Cleveland, Ohio 25  
Paul Damerl, Detroit 26  
Edith Emkie, Port Austin 28  
Norman L. Wales, Owendale 24  
Ada A. Hoffman, Elkton 23  
Frederick Drager, Brookfield 35  
Katie Furest, Brookfield 19  
Richard Ludlow, Huron 45  
Ela Theaker, Rubicon 34

Sanilac County.  
Pearl Stone, Buel 21  
Emma Marks, Croswell 18  
Noble Law, Orion 23  
Louise E. W. Petherick, Croswell 18  
James G. McClellan, Moore 20  
Grace Cubitt, Moore 17  
James E. Muma, Melvin 21  
Minnie M. Slack, Brown City 19

### A Frightful Wreck

of train, automobile or buggy may  
cause cuts, bruises, abrasions,  
sprains or wounds that demand Buck-  
len's Arnica Salve, earth's greatest  
healer. Quick relief and prompt cure  
results. For burns, boils, sores of all  
kinds, eczema, chapped hands and  
lips, sore eyes or corns, it's supreme.  
Surest pile cure. 25c at L. I. Wood  
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HAIR BALSAM**  
Glosses and beautifies the hair.  
Promotes a luxuriant growth.  
Never Fails to Restore Gray  
Hair to its Youthful Color.  
Cures scalp diseases & hair falling.  
50c and \$1.00 at Druggists

# CASS CITY Wednes'y, July 20

The master magic traveling city of glorious new splendors.

"THE PRIDE OF THE SOUTH"

Popularly known as that "Georgia Institution of Entertainment."

## SUN BROTHERS' Greater Progressive SHOWS



Sun Brothers' name is a guarantee of excellence. Its past record is an assur-  
ance of still greater achievements in the future. With each succeeding year,  
their aggregation has been augmented and enlarged.

**NOVELTY—EXCELLENCE—ORIGINALITY AND PROGRESSIVENESS.**  
are this season the striking characteristics of these great up-to-date novel shows

200 Illustrious Performers, both human and animal. The recognized cham-  
pions of their class. \$200 most beautiful ponies ever exhibited. Goliathic  
display of wild beasts. Mighty athletic and aerial tournament. Conclave  
of marvelous trained elephants. Huge freak and novelty bazaar. Inter-  
national congress of all star clowns.

A new show thru out. New exploits. New sights. New novelties. New Animals

All presented under the finest canvas enclosure ever manufactured. Seats  
provided for everybody, and so arranged that each and every auditor will  
have an unobstructed view on the entire performance.

\$500.00 will be donated to the charitable institutions of your town and  
county, if any ticket scalpers, gamblers short changers or immoral adjuncts  
are tolerated at the Sun Brothers' Shows. Can Another Show Say as Much.

**FREE**—At 12:30 p. m., on the show grounds, will be offered entirely free to  
the public, the greatest free out-door shows and fetes ever projected. Will  
be given Rain or Shine.

2 Grand and Complete Performances at 2 and 8 o'clock p. m.

Doors open for the reception of the public, at 1 and 7 p. m.  
**NOTE**—The night show is given in all its entirety, and is presented amidst a  
magnificent glare of Electro-Calum Generators.

# Never Disappoint Never Offend

Two Essential Injunctions

The question often arises:  
Where shall we buy our

## Furniture

AT

# Lenzner's Furniture Store

For the reason you can always  
find in that stock of all worthy  
grades the kind of goods you want.

When you buy there you get ex-  
actly what you expect.

The prices are always right. They  
mark goods in plain figures and sell  
to everybody at strictly one price.

## CASS CITY CHRONICLE.

H. F. LENZNER, Publisher.

## LET'S HAVE A BAND.

A good band is a splendid help to any town. It puts life into the most subdued crowd of people. It makes everyone alive and glad they are alive. Cass City has much talent in the musical line. Why not have an organization of this nature?

Several years ago the village council invested \$100 in instruments and the number which were purchased at that time and those which were in the original lot and have been added since make a respectable start for an organization of this character.

With an open air concert every week people would have some incentive to be on the streets and activity would be one result. Strangers would be given a good impression and we would be known far and near as a live town. Nothing makes one feel so optimistic, so like moving, as good lively music.

Let's have a band.

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Frequently we see a daring automobilist dashing through town with a recklessness which is a menace to the life and limb of pedestrians and other vehicles notwithstanding that the speed limit is only ten miles an hour within the corporate limits of cities and villages. It would appear that the matter should receive the attention of the village council and a more vigorous enforcement of the law demanded.

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Now that all have recovered from the effects of the Fourth and the circus will soon be over and forgotten, it's time to plan for the harvest festival. We had a big time last summer and still had money left in the treasury to form a nucleus for a similar celebration next month. Someone start the ball rolling—the rest looks easy.

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The congressional committee of investigation opines that the pure food law is the cause of high prices. Had we been content to live on garbage we might be living at a mere nominal cost.

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Another advantage in going to a summer resort is that you may give those at home a rest.



**PARKER'S HAIR BALSAM**  
Cleanses and beautifies the hair. Promotes a luxuriant growth. Never fails to restore Gray Hair to its youthful color. Cures scalp diseases & hair falling. 25c and 50c at Druggists.

## Heart to Heart Talks.

By EDWIN A. NYE.

## DOORMAT HOSPITALITY.

It is coming more and more to be the custom of the owners of suburban places and smaller farms to designate their homes by name.

Which is a good thing.

A good name not only ministers to the laudable pride of the owner, but is apt to insure a well kept place. It makes better farms and better farmers.

Eugene Secor owns a place of this sort.

He says he canvassed all kinds of names and finally hit upon the Shelter. The place is true to its name in location and surroundings, but Mr. Secor says he tries to live up to the name in a better sense.

"We aim to make it a refuge, not an asylum, but to give it a homelike atmosphere for everybody, the girl who cooks our food as well as the visitor."

He tells this incident:

"Not long ago a young woman who was living in the family of a prominent man came to our door at 10 o'clock p. m. and wanted shelter. She had been to an entertainment, and when she went to her so called home the doors were locked. She feared to arouse the man of the house. But she came quite a distance to arouse us, and she was a stranger to all of us except a high school girl who had lived with us for three years." And Mr. Secor concludes by saying:

"That is what we mean by the Shelter."

Such homes are oases in the desert of inhospitality.

A signal virtue seems to be lacking to this generation as compared with a former generation—the homely virtue of neighborliness.

Hospitality lingers in some of the countryside and village homes and in the newer sections of the west, where "the latchstring hangs on the outside" literally, but—

In many houses the word "Welcome!" on the doormat needs further definition.

You are welcome—if you belong to "our set" or if you are an invited guest or if the house owes you a return dinner. Otherwise—

The girl who confidently came to the Shelter at 10 o'clock at night, expecting nothing less than refuge from the night, paid a fine compliment to the owners of that home—and a compliment its occupants were fine enough to appreciate.

"Given to hospitality."

The apostle laid stress upon that kindly Christian virtue.

Did he mean the doormat sort?

Closing out sale of summer millinery at Mrs. M. J. McGillivray's. 6-17.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. John Klein is on the sick list.

Ray Riker of Detroit was in town last Thursday.

John Whale of Sturgis visited here part of the week.

Warren Clark made a business trip to Snover Monday.

Miss Pearl Hicks visited friends in Kingston last week.

Mrs. J. W. Heiler was in Cassville Tuesday evening.

Mrs. A. Gettgey went to Detroit the first of the week.

M. Carolan spent a few days this week at his home here.

John Hill of Oxford was in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Henry Herr has placed a phone in his residence—No. 79—3r.

Mrs. Susie Phelan of Grayling was the guest of Mrs. A. Rocheleau Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Brown and Mrs. S. Hunter spent Tuesday in Port Huron and Sarnia.

A. A. Hitchcock made a business trip to Detroit and Cleveland the first of the week.

Mrs. J. C. Corkins and children returned Friday from Detroit where they have been visiting.

H. E. Ehlers of Shabboga and Miss Mary Hughes of Grand Rapids were in town Friday.

Miss Gertrude Martin returned Tuesday from a five weeks' visit with relatives in Pontiac.

Mrs. Chas. Utley and Miss Pearl Dennis of Dryden were the guests of Mrs. A. Doerr over Sunday.

Miss Margaret Zinnecker left Monday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. John Thiel, in Valparaiso, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McGrea of Gagetown were the guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Emily Orr, Sunday.

Delbert Schenck returned Saturday to his home at the Soo after spending a week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Striffler and son, Harry, of Argyle spent Sunday with relatives northeast of town.

Lewis McGeorge, James Doerr and Misses Elizabeth Doerr and Pearl Dennis were in Gagetown Sunday.

Miss Ethel Martin returned home last Thursday from Pontiac where she was engaged in teaching the past year.

Misses Ruth Fritz and May Benkelman went Wednesday to spend a week with Miss Helene Janes in Lapeer.

Miss Agnes Pitcher, who has been the guest of Mrs. John Ball, returned to her home in Pontiac Tuesday.

Miss Cerlista Crawford, accompanied by Mrs. Julia Gay, returned Saturday to Belding where they have been employed in the silk factory.

S. H. Brown is entertaining his sister, Mrs. S. Hunter, of St. Thomas, Canada, and his niece, Mrs. Georgia Kent, and daughter of Cadillac.

Mrs. F. J. Nettleton and daughter, Thelma, and A. Frutchey returned Friday from visiting relatives in Portland and Bangor, Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hopkins of Owendale were guests at the Gordon Tavern Monday. James Doerr returned with them to spend the day.

Miss Vernita Treadgold, who has been visiting relatives in Tyre, returned Sunday with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Treadgold, and Miss Miriam Fritz.

James Oathout has sold his house and lot near the Evangelical church to E. H. Pinney, receiving in exchange 40 acres one mile south and one mile east of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Marks and Miss May left Monday to make their home in North Yakima, Washington. They disposed of their household goods by auction last Saturday.

Geo. Sheffler, a department manager in one of the large publishing houses in Buffalo, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Ed Fitch, and uncle, Andrew Seeger, northeast of town.

John Ball, Lester Bailey, A. J. Knapp, Chester Graham, John Reagh, H. P. Lee, G. L. Moore, Robert and Isaac Agar made an auto trip to Bay City Sunday and witnessed a ball game in which Stanley Graham played the position of catcher with the Kazoo team.

Mrs. J. D. Crosby left this (Friday) morning to go to Cleveland. She will be accompanied from North Branch by F. C. Ballard and family. They will be met in Detroit by J. D. Crosby and the trip from there will be made by boat. The return will be made by auto through Toledo and Ypsilanti.

Mr. and Mrs. Jos. Martus left Wednesday morning to visit relatives and friends in several towns in the southern part of the state. On Friday morning they leave Michigan for Rockford, Ill., where they will visit their daughter, Mrs. Swan Lindsold. They expect to be gone about two weeks.

Mrs. W. Withey has been seriously ill.

A. L. Foster of Vassar was in town Wednesday.

Miss Iva Kolb returned Wednesday from Caro.

Irvine Striffler was on the sick list the first of the week.

Miss Gladys Fitch has returned from a visit at Orion.

Miss Edith Kolb returned from a visit in Caro Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Anderson spent the first of the week in Bay City.

Miss Flora Tennet of Bad Axe called in town on business Tuesday.

J. W. Warner and family of Flint visited at the home of S. Chambers.

Manley Fay and Millington McDonald of Beasley were in town Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Nique of Shabbona spent Sunday with relatives here.

Mrs. Neil McLaren and son, Harry, spent Sunday with Mr. McLaren at Elkton.

Mrs. F. Atkinson of Newberry underwent an operation in the hospital Wednesday.

Miss Rose Straube of Lafayette, Ind., is spending a week with her brother, W. N. Straube.

Mrs. A. Rocheleau left Tuesday morning to visit friends in West Branch, East Jordan and Petoskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bockstedt and brother, Earl, of Buffalo, N. Y., were the guests of J. H. Striffler this week.

E. A. Jones and family returned Tuesday from visiting friends in Deckerville, Carsonville, Forester and Elkton.

Miss Isabel Marshall returned Saturday evening from Guelph, Ontario, where she attended the wedding of a cousin.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Sheridan and Mr. and Mrs. A. Doerr attended the Elk's Carnival in Detroit the latter part of the week.

Orin Powell went last week to spend the summer with his aunt, Mrs. H. Patterson, in Fort Wayne, Indiana.

Mrs. Helen Wixon and Misses Helen and Virginia Wilsey returned Saturday after spending a few days in Detroit.

Miss Anna Murray, who is suffering an attack of appendicitis, was taken to her home east of Wickware Tuesday.

Mrs. Wm. Smith returned home Sunday after spending several weeks with her daughter, Mrs. Jas. Hutson, at Argyle.

C. E. Chase has improved his residence by the application of a coat of paint. John Welsh wielded the brush.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ward of Flint are moving into the Hitchcock house on the corner of Houghton and Sherman streets.

Misses Ethel and Helene Gallagher are visiting relatives in Shelbourne, Honeywood and other places near Toronto, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ferguson and children were in Romeo Sunday. Mrs. Ferguson and children remained to visit relatives.

Mrs. Sam Striffler and three children were guests at the home of Geo. Zinnecker in Owendale the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Randall and daughter, Faith, of Port Huron were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. W. A. Lamb, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McDonald, Mrs. Fred Martin and William Shartburg of Beasley attended the Orange-men's celebration in Filion Tuesday.

The Epworth League business and social meeting was well attended at the home of A. S. Williams Monday evening. A most enjoyable time was reported.

Mrs. Joseph Martin and little son, who have been visiting at the home of the former's brother, G. W. Landon, returned to their home in Detroit Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. B. Perry and Mrs. F. Meiers of Omaha, Neb., and Mrs. Chester Honeywell of Unionville came from Bad Axe Friday to spend the day with Mrs. G. N. Jackson.

Here is the way an exchange duns its subscribers: "If you have frequent fainting spells, accompanied by chills, cramps, corns, bunions, chilblains, epilepsy and jaundice, it is a sign you are not well, but liable to die any minute. Pay your subscription in advance and thus make yourself solid for a good obituary notice."

Miss Mark of Cass City passed several days of this week a guest in the Judge's home. Miss Marks will leave with her parents next week for Washington where they expect to spend the summer and Miss Marks contemplates remaining indefinitely if she likes the country. She is one of Sanilac county's teachers and will be greatly missed by her many friends here.—Sandusky correspondent to the Carsonville Tribune.

More locals on fifth page.

## The Deford Bank of A. Frutchey &amp; Sons

Pay interest on savings deposits if left three months or longer. You can draw it out any time you want to.

Open a commercial account, get a check book, pay your bills with checks, they come back to you and serve as a receipt. We don't care how small or how large your account is, you are welcome.

J. FRUTCHEY, Cashier.

H. YOUNG, Ass't. Cashier.

## Deford Grain and Lumber Co. DEFORD, MICHIGAN.

Buy Flour, Feed, Bran, Middlings, Tile, Cement, Lumber, Lath, Shingles, Lime, Plaster, Doors, Windows, Barn Sash, Mouldings, Timothy Seed, Corn, Etc., in car loads; and judging from the way they SELL, purchasers are getting the benefit. They have as good an assortment of

## Building Material

as can be found in the Thumb of Michigan, get others prices then come to us and SAVE MONEY.



H. W. YOUNG, Manager

## DO IT NOW.

Do you remember what a hard time many had in getting coal last winter? You may avoid that inconvenience by ordering it now. We have

## Plenty of Coal

In our yards and the price is right. Telephone or call at the yard.

## Anketell Lumber &amp; Coal Co. Cass City, Michigan.

## WE DON'T HAVE TO PUSH WHITE LILY FLOUR....



It pushes itself. For wherever it becomes known it jumps in to immediate favor. Housekeepers who try it once use it regularly thereafter.

The reason White Lily and our Spring Wheat Flours makes friends can be easily learned by trying a sack of it. Order one today and you'll need no urging to order another when the first is empty.

We desire to call your attention to

Calf Meals (our own make) and Blatchford's Chop Feed. Cracked Corn and Coarse Meal, Oil Meal, Cotton Seed Meal, Gluten Feeds, Bran and Middlings. Feed Grinding every day.

## Cass City Milling Company.

## DEERING Harvesting Machines

Is your present equipment of harvesting machines satisfactory?

## HOW ABOUT YOUR BINDER?

How old is it? Does it lack improvements which have been put on later model machines? If it does, you need a new one which will harvest your crop easily and quickly.

## AND WHERE IS YOUR MOWER?

Is it in good shape, or does it also lack the improvements which are contained in new machines?

## DO YOU OWN A SATISFACTORY HAY RAKE?

## HOW ABOUT THE HAY TEDDER?

Perhaps you already own some of these machines, but if you don't, isn't it good business policy for you to investigate Deering harvesting machines which are recommended by thousands of farmers?

If you will investigate the Deering machines it will help you to get better and bigger results. You will not go on using old, worn-out machines which do not have present day improvements.

An investigation does not place you under any obligations to buy. Come in and see us. Get a Deering catalogue which explains details.

J. A. Caldwell

## Another Opportunity at J. MAIER'S STUDIO.....

From May 13 until Aug. 1

We will give FREE one 16x20 portrait with one dozen of cabinet photos. This includes family groups as well as single photos. All are up-to-date style and quality. All photos guaranteed.

We are also making crayon portraits for reasonable prices and work is guaranteed.

## CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., July 14 1910

Buying Price—	
Wheat No. 1 white.....	90
Wheat No. 2 red.....	89
Rye No. 2.....	70
Oats.....	75
Western corn.....	2 00
Choice handpicked beans.....	6 00
Alfalfa.....	7 50
June or Mammoth.....	90
Peas.....	14 00
Baled Hay.....	18 20
Wool per lb.....	16
Eggs, per doz.....	18
Butter, per lb.....	8 1/2
Fat cows, live weight, per lb.....	8 1/2
Steers.....	8 1/2
Fat sheep.....	8 1/2
Lambs.....	8 1/2
Hogs.....	11
Dressed hogs.....	7 1/2
Dressed beef.....	5 1/2
Calves.....	12
Chickens.....	10
Ducks.....	10
Geese.....	16
Turkeys.....	8
Hides.....	8

## ROLLER MILLS.

White Lily, per cwt.....	2 80
Economy.....	2 00
Flour.....	3 25
Gold Rim.....	3 25
Graham.....	2 75
Granulated meal.....	2 25
Feed.....	1 50
Meal.....	1 75
Brans.....	1 25
Middlings.....	1 40
Oil meal.....	2 00
Gluten meal.....	1 60
Cottonseed meal.....	1 85
Corn.....	1 10
Chicken feed wheat.....	1 15
Salt, per bbl.....	2 40
Chick feed.....	3 00
Calf meal.....	3 00

## P., O. &amp; N. R. R Time Table.

Going north, 11:45 a. m. and 8:10 p. m.  
Going south, 7:24 a. m. and 3:29 p. m.

## Those Pies of Boyhood.

How delicious were the pies of boyhood. No pies now ever taste so good. What's changed? The pies? No. It's you. You've lost the strong, healthy stomach, the vigorous liver, the active kidneys, the regular bowels of boyhood. Your digestion is poor and you blame the food. What's needed? A complete toning up by Electric Bitters of all organs of digestion—Stomach, Liver, Kidneys, Bowels—Try them. They'll restore your boyhood appetite and appreciation of food and fairly saturate your body with new health, strength and vigor. 50c at L. I. Wood & Co.'s.

## INFLUENCE.

He who wishes to exert a useful influence must be careful to insult nothing. Let him not be troubled by what seems absurd, but let him consecrate his energies to the creation of what is good. He must not demolish, but build. He must raise temples where mankind may come and partake of the purest pleasures.—Goethe.

Foley's Kidney Remedy will cure any case of kidney and bladder trouble not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more. L. I. Wood & Co.

The...

## Exchange Bank

Cass City, Mich.

Established 1886

Loans money on Real Estate mortgages in amounts from \$100 to \$5000.00 at current rates.

Pays 4 per cent interest on time certificates of deposit.

A progressive up-to-date Bank possessed of ample means.

**E. H. Pinney & Son**  
Bankers.

## Cass City Bank.

Money to loan on Real Estate.

4 per cent interest paid on Time Certificate of Deposit.

A general Banking business done at liberal rates.

Foreign Drafts issued, available in any part of the world.

Safety deposit boxes for rent.

J. B. AUTEN, Proprietor.

G. A. TINDALE, Cashier.

## LOCAL ITEMS.

Earl Wright spent Sunday in Cassville.

Ray Meiser returned from Pontiac Monday.

M. J. Ryan of Gagetown was in town Monday.

Earl Heller returned from Carson City Saturday.

T. W. Smith of Bad Axe was in town Monday.

Marvin Ehlers of Shabbona was in town Monday.

Warren Clark was in Imlay City and Romeo Sunday.

D. Law left Wednesday to visit in Fenton and Pontiac.

Miss Mary Zinnecker spent last Thursday in Kingston.

Miss Mary Burt returned Sunday from a visit in Argyle.

Grover Blades of Pontiac spent Sunday with friends here.

Miss Flossie Durkee is visiting relatives in North Branch.

William and Fred Gunsell of Caro were callers in town Tuesday.

C. A. Day of Armada was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Miss Mary McArthur of Detroit spent Sunday with her parents.

Miss Minta Wallace of Pontiac spent Sunday at her home here.

N. Karr and Ted Snelling of Kingston were in town Monday.

Miss Ida Yakes returned Saturday from visiting in Detroit and Pontiac.

Lewis Usher of Pontiac spent Sunday with his mother, Mrs. E. J. Usher.

Lloyd McKim sprained his ankle by falling from a load of hay Saturday.

Hughferd Gieser of Saginaw is the guest of his aunt, Mrs. G. W. Landon.

A. E. Sleeper and H. A. Price of Bad Axe were callers in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Perry of Detroit were in town the first of the week.

Miss Lillian Goff left Monday to spend a week in Brown City and Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hennessey of Pontiac spent Sunday with relatives here.

James Hurley has just recovered from an attack of congestion of the lungs.

Thos. Hennessey of Pontiac is spending a three weeks' vacation here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Allen left Thursday for their home in Lake City.

Miss Sophia Matzen left Saturday to visit friends in Detroit and Port Huron.

Miss Hazel Lauderbach left last Thursday to visit relatives in Columbia.

Earl McKim left Saturday to work in Ann Arbor and vicinity for the summer.

Mrs. S. W. Striffler and Miss Lillian and Fred of Argyle were in town Friday.

Mrs. Agnes Meredith of Saginaw came Monday to visit her brother, Dan McClory.

Miss Iris Agar of Caro was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. R. E. Durkee, this week.

C. E. Fritz of Imlay City is in town this week.

Miss Hazel Summers was the guest of her sister, Mrs. C. J. Bingham, near Gagetown over Sunday.

Mrs. John Evans of Frankfort and Mrs. A. F. Frazier of Rescue called on Miss Anna Adair Wednesday.

Miss Sophia and C. E. Matzen returned Wednesday noon from visiting friends in Port Huron and Detroit.

The missionary society of the M. E. church meets at the home of Mrs. J. C. Corkins this (Friday) afternoon.

H. E. Ehlers of Shabbona and Miss Mary Hughes of Big Rapids attended the dancing party in Doerr's Hall Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McLeod and daughter, Lillian, of Oklahoma City are visiting at the home of Angus McLeod of Greenleaf.

Mrs. S. W. Striffler and son, Fred, of Argyle were in town Monday to see Mrs. Louisa Striffler, who is seriously ill with asthma of the heart.

Mrs. Emma Jasmer and two daughters, Anna and Alice, of Marshfield, Wis., have been visiting the former's brother, P. P. Webber, this week.

Rev. L. A. Townsend from Brown City will begin regular services in the Baptist church here Sunday, July 24. His household goods have arrived and he is expected sometime next week.

The Grinnell Bros. Music House are completing this week a very successful sale of pianos and organs in this place. Throughout the five weeks they have been here, they have shown themselves to be a firm trustworthy in all their business dealings. They go from here to conduct a sale in Marlette.

Lois Benkelman has the measles. Mrs. Sansburn was in Pontiac Saturday.

Wm. Day is the proud father of a son, born Saturday morning.

Chauncy Boulton and Malam Fordyce were in Argyle Sunday.

Mrs. Roy Durkee and children visited in Caro part of last week.

Geo. Wolverton and family moved here from Saginaw last week.

G. R. Robinson, P. Neville and W. Merchant of Cumber were in town Friday.

Mrs. W. W. Hargraves and Miss Mabel of Elmwood were in town Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Black of Bad Axe spent Sunday at the home of E. W. Keating.

Books for young and old is the subject of L. I. Wood & Co.'s ad text this week.

Edwin Webber and family of Greenleaf spent Sunday at the home of P. P. Webber.

Tom Barron returned to his home in London, Ont., Monday after visiting relatives here.

Miss Ethel Foster of Holly was the guest of her cousin, Miss Nellie Bigelow, over Sunday.

G. S. Garber, the manager of the Saginaw branch of the Buick Motor Company, was in town Monday.

The Ladies' Aid and Epworth League of the Beaulieu M. E. church cleared \$83.69 at their Fourth of July picnic.

X. A. Boomhower and family of Bad Axe spent Sunday at the home of Jas. Wallace. Mrs. Jane Gillies returned to Bad Axe with them to spend a week.

A meeting of the fair officials was held Saturday afternoon. New classes were added to the premium departments and the premium list prepared for the printer.

More locals on fourth page.

Section knives, rivets, guards for Plano, McCormick and Deering mowers and binders, section rivets, lubricating oil, hay fork rope, one inch trip rope, screen doors and window screens. G. L. Hitchcock. 7-1-

Some more of that Light House flour at Mrs. Parker's. 7-1-

Aermotor wind mills, gasoline pumping engines, cream separators, sewing machines. G. L. Hitchcock. 7-1-

New goods at Mrs. Parker's. 7-1-

Car of fresh fertilizer on hand. Striffler & McDermott. 5-27-

Thé no-sag screen doors and screens for windows. G. L. Hitchcock. 5-20-

Clover Brand Poultry Tonic makes chicks grow. Bigelow's.

Cash paid for butter and eggs at Cass City Fruit Store. 6-17-

Get your Paris Green at Jones'. 6-24-

Our Screen Doors are genuine mortised doors and we can prove it. N. Bigelow & Sons.

Lost—Red yearling steer, recently dehorned. Suitable reward for information leading to its recovery. N. McLarty. 5-27-2p

Horse for Sale. Weighs about 1,400; nine years old. Enquire at Chronicle office. 5-20-

Fresh shipment of "Ignitor Dry Cells" at Bigelow's.

For Sale. Two second-hand top buggies. Also harness. Enquire at this office. 5-6-

Curtain stretchers at Bigelow's.

Gasoline engines, oil stoves and sewing machines. G. L. Hitchcock. 5-20-

Incubator thermometers at Bigelow's.

Bigelow sells Gypsine Wall Finish.

Best 25c Garden Rake at Bigelow's.

Wheat for Chicken Feed \$1.10 per bu. Western corn 70c per bu. Cass City Grain Co. 4-22-

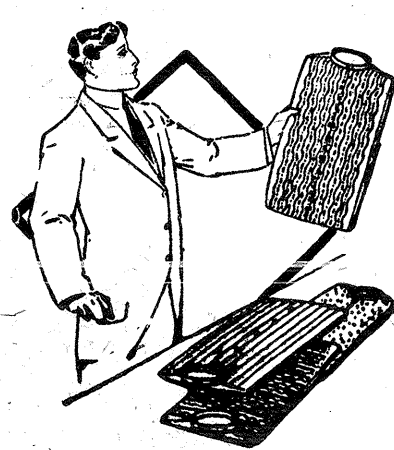
For sale—Smooth, fertile 40, one-half mile north of Kingston, well watered, good drainage, five rooms. Best snap out if taken soon. B. Haines, Firth, Nebraska.

For Sale. Ensilage corn. Smut Nose and Yellow Dent seed corn grown within 30 miles of Cass City. Tested that it will grow. Cass City Grain Co. 4-22-

Sandwiches 5 and 10 cents. Meals 15 and 25 cents. A. Doerr's pool room. 4-29-

For Sale. Sewing machine, 6 dining chairs, 2 rockers, silverware and couch. Richard Duggan.

For sale—Heavy, 2 yr. old black mare. John Hegler, 5 miles south of Cass City. 7-1-



# Men's and Boys' Work Pants and Overalls

## MEN'S AND BOYS' SHIRTS.

I have added a new line of Staple Dry Goods to my stock. I will continue to have Special Bargains Every Saturday. Come and see me.

Highest Price For Butter and Eggs; Cash or Trade.

**J. W. HELLER, CASS CITY.**

## RESOLUTIONS OF CONDOLENCE.

Whereas, The Reaper Death has again visited our Arbor for the fourth time and taken to the great Arbor above our beloved Companion, Nicholas Decker, therefore be it resolved that we, the members of Greenleaf Arbor, No. 222, Ancient Order of Gleaners, deeply mourn our loss and extend to the bereaved mother, brothers and sisters our heartfelt sympathies.

Resolved, that the sudden death and removal of such a life from our midst leaves a vacancy and a shadow that will be deeply realized by all the members of this organization and will prove a serious loss to the community and public.

Resolved that with deep sympathy for the bereaved mother, brothers and sisters of the deceased in their double affliction, we express our hope that even so great a loss to us all may be over ruled for good by Him who doeth all things well.

Resolved, that our charter be draped in mourning for a period of sixty days.

Resolved that a copy of these resolutions be spread upon the records of this organization, a copy published in the local paper and a copy forwarded to the bereaved mother, brothers and sisters.

Charles Croft, Colin Campbell, Duncan Livingston, Committee.

## Tax Notice.

The tax roll of the Village of Cass City has been placed in my hands and any one desiring to pay his village tax may do so at this time.

H. L. Hunt, Treasurer. 7-8-

## Real Estate.

We still have about 25 farms for sale, located in Tuscola, Huron, Sanilac and one in Ingham County. Also some good village property. If you want to buy or sell, I would be glad to do business with you. I. A. Fritz, Cass City, Mich. 7-1-

Some more of those 5c lawns at Mrs. Parker's. 7-1-

## Money to Loan.

The loan business heretofore done by Laing & Jones and by O. K. adnes for outside parties—collections and all—have been put into my hands for a time for care and attention. Call on me only. L. I. Wood. 7-1-

## Listen!

Jones wants your butter and eggs. Highest prices, cash or trade. 6-10-

See the display of Fulton collapsible go-carts in A. J. Knapp's window. 5-27-3-

## Express wagons at Bigelow's.

Annual Report of School District No. 5, Township of Elkland.

Receipts.

Money on hand July 12, 1909—

Primary money.....\$ 27 31

General fund..... 1525 21

Library..... 139 61

Rec'd from one mill tax..... 547 87

Rec'd from primary school int. fund..... 2900 50

Rec'd from library fund, fines from county treasurer..... 30 03

Rec'd from tuition of non-resident pupils..... 897 77

Rec'd from dist. taxes, general fund..... 4200 00

Rec'd from loans, Exchange Bank..... 691 25

Rec'd from interest on deposits..... 43 45

Rec'd from commencement..... 58 49

Total receipts including money on hand July 12, 1909.....11759 49

Expenditures.

Paid men teachers.....\$1800 00

Paid women teachers..... 5241 00

Paid for repairs on buildings..... 175 32

Paid for library books and care of same..... 37 00

Paid for indebtedness (principal)..... 1000 00

Paid for general purposes..... 1656 83

Amount on hand July 11, 1910.....\$1716 70

Library..... 112 64

Total on hand..... 1829 34

Total expenditures, including amount on hand..... 11759 49

I hereby certify that the above is a correct report from the aforesaid District No. 5, Township of Elkland, for the school year next preceding the second Monday of July, 1910.

Dated July 8, 1910.

Charles Wilsey, Director.

## Banks in Mexico.

When a bank fails in Mexico all the officials connected with it suffer more than the depositors. The depositors may lose their money, but the hand of the Mexican law descends heavily on every one of importance connected with the failed bank and slaps him into jail before the paste is dry on the notice that is stuck up on the closed door.

## A SUBSCRIBER'S LETTER.

Union Springs, N. Y., July 8, 1910.

H. F. Lenzner, Cass City, Mich.

Dear Sir:—Enclosed please find one dollar to renew my subscription to the Chronicle. The time expired about June 7.

I have now been away from Cass City 21 years and I find a great many new names in your paper and reports of old friends passing away. I still feel an interest in the place. Please say to my old friends that I am comfortably situated here. I am librarian of the public library and have had charge of it for almost 12 years. The duties are mostly pleasant. I see you talk of starting one in Cass City and hope you will succeed as well as we have. I will send you our last yearly report.

We commenced by a few ladies going around with a subscription paper and collected money enough to

furnish a room and put about 12 magazines and papers on the tables. About 300 books were donated by the people. After we got started, the township voted us \$250 a year. The Society of Friends had a church building that they had not used for a number of years. They sold it to us for less than we could build and it is now being fitted up for our use. The managers feel justly proud of the work.

With best wishes for you and all friends.

HENRY C. HACKETT.

## A Royal Tragedy.

Frederick I. of Prussia was killed by fear. His wife was insane, and one day she escaped from her keepers and, dabbling her clothes in blood, rushed upon her husband while he was dozing in his chair. King Frederick imagined her to be the white lady whose ghost was believed to appear whenever the death of a member of a royal family was to occur, and he was thrown into a fever and died in six weeks.

## HOUSEHOLD "HOW TO DO" HINTS

To soften hard butter fill a basin with boiling water, then empty it and turn upside down on the butter plate, and in a few minutes the steam will have softened the butter without spoiling the appearance of it, as is the case when it is softened in front of a fire.

If new enamel saucepans are placed in a pan of warm water and allowed to come to the boil and then to cool they will be found to last much longer before either cracking or burning.

To preserve linoleum take an old piece of felt and cut out dice the size of a quarter. Glue one side of the pieces and stick them to the bottom of chair and table legs. By this means you will prevent defacing and scraping off the surface of the linoleum.

If one has a very salt piece of bacon that is wanted for frying put it in a pan with enough cold water to cover it. Heat quickly and as soon as the water boils empty it off and fry in the usual way. Cooking it in this way takes off any unpleasant saltiness.

## HAS MORE THAN A MITE.

Teaches the Poor to Cook.

Miss Winifred Gibbs of New York is spending her life in teaching the poor how to prepare and cook nourishing food within their incomes. She has always been interested in the food question and entered the University of Rochester to make a serious study of it. She also delved into the medical side of cooking and evolved theories of her own, with the result that she has written the first book ever designed for the use of the poor, which has been distributed broadcast through the country. She has recently been appointed professor of domestic economy at Columbia university.

Good Spring Breakfast Dish.

Salt mackerel is a good dish for a spring morning meal if it is well cooked. A good way is to soak it overnight, with the skin side up, in a large dish of water. Place it in a shallow buttered baking pan, skin side down, place small pieces of butter on the top, pour over some cream or rich milk and let bake in the oven half an hour.

## Thickening of the Nails.

This annoying condition of the nails may sometimes be helped by trimming and scraping the nails, then rubbing the ends of the fingers with green soap. Keep up that rubbing vigorously, as the friction is excellent. Rinse well with hot water, then very cold.

## The Correct Figure.

Very small at the hips and well shaped at the bust is the Parisienne's figure today. Today is said advisedly, as there was a time when the hips were most

# The Girl Under the Hill

By DONALD ALLEN

Travelers who came that way and ascended and descended the long hill, with the creek and the bridge at its foot, always turned their heads to look at the old stone house built in colonial days. In summer it was covered with vines and stood in the shade of the pear trees, and in summer the girl under the hill was oftentimes caught sight of.

Why the girl under the hill instead of Molly Thatcher? Well, travelers would have it so, and nobody knew just why. She had been called so at 16, and she was still being called so at 20. It was necessary only to inquire at any house in the village beyond the creek to know she was the daughter of old Mart Thatcher, the pensioner, and a motherless girl.

Sometimes travelers saw the old man on the porch and the daughter reading to him as he smoked his pipe; sometimes she was working among the flowers in the yard; sometimes, from the open windows of the house, they heard her singing and paused to listen. When strangers met her on the road as she went to and from the village with her basket, they remembered that she had hair that shone like gold in the sun, and a mouth that smiled, and eyes that reminded them of those of a deer. Sometimes, when a too-curious young man pestered the postmistress for information he received the reply:

"She's smart and handsome and good, and it's no use for you to waste your time. Molly has never looked at any fellow twice."

One summer day the girl under the hill carried an apronful of weeds from the flower beds out of the gate and emptied them in the highway. Just as she did so an auto driven by a young man came chugging up the hill. She looked fairly into the young man's eyes, and he into hers. The look did not last ten seconds, but it made her heart beat faster as she turned away, and his as he continued his journey.

An hour later, the old father hobbled out on the porch where the girl sat with her chin on her hand, staring into vacancy, and said:

"I thought you might have gone to the store. I haven't heard you singing for a long time."

"I was just—just thinking," she replied as she got up and ran away.

Autos were not a rare sight on that highway. A dozen passed up or down the hill every day, and no one minded them. The girl under the hill had never gone to the gate out of curiosity. If seated on the porch she had not raised her eyes. All at once, now, she found herself listening, and was vexed, she found herself at the gate, and stamped her foot as she turned away. That young man had black hair and dark eyes; he was young and handsome; he was surely a gentleman; he was—But to break the chain of thought Molly seized the broom and began to sweep the porch so vigorously that her father called out from the interior of the house:

"Hey, girl, what's the matter with you to-day? You swept the porch only an hour ago? Better save the broom."

Two days had gone by since Molly had thrown the weeds in the road and the young man in the auto came again. The girl was training a vine at the corner of the house, and she heard the machine rumble across the bridge and begin to climb the hill. Yes, it was the same young man, and he was looking her way. She was partly turned away, but she knew that he was looking. She heard the machine almost come to a stop, but she would not look up. Then the power was increased, the chug went louder and faster, and she stood and listened until the sounds died away in the distance.

"That fellow pretty near got stuck on the hill," said the father as Molly came around to the porch.

It was just as well for "that fellow" that he wasn't there to see the toss of her head and the snap in her eyes. She believed that he had almost stopped to stare at her, and she was rejoiced that her attitude had been one of disdain. That is, after thinking it over she didn't know whether she was or not.

Three days later, as she sat sewing and her father slept in his rocker, she heard an auto descend the hill and stop in front of the house. The rose bushes hid it from her sight, but a moment later the dark-haired young man was standing uncovered before her and saying:

"I beg your pardon, miss, but could you lend me an ax while I make some slight repairs to my auto? So sorry to bother you. Ah, I see an ax over there. Don't get up, please. I shall return it directly."

In her confusion at his sudden advent and strange request the girl had simply looked at him. She gave her father a shake to wake him up, briefly explained matters and disappeared into the house. When the ax was returned, and while the borrower was wondering where the lender had disappeared to, the old pensioner replied:

"That's all right. Always ready to oblige folks in trouble. So your auto broke down, eh?"

"Well—er—just a slight accident." "Lucky for you that you wasn't coming down hill instead of going up." "Yes, it was."

"Last year there were two or three accidents along here, and it took the men half a day to make repairs. If

they've got machines now that they can repair with an old ax in ten minutes it's a big gain. I guess there's some buttermilk from the churning this morning, and if—"

"Thanks—thanks, but I must be going. Very kind of you, indeed."

If the old pensioner's eyes had not been so dim he might have seen a young man blushing like a girl as he walked towards the gate, but he didn't see, and in his hospitality he called out:

"Call again any time you break down. If I ain't out here take the ax and use it as long as you want to."

"Father, how could you speak that way to him?" exclaimed the daughter at his elbow as soon as the latch of the gate had clicked.

Lordy, but what have I done now? A young fellow's auto breaks down in front of the house and we lend him an ax and tell him he can have it again any time. You are always ready to give buttermilk to tramps, and I wondered why you didn't come out and offer him a glass. I don't want folks to think I've turned stingy in my old age."

During the next month Molly Thatcher heard from the gossip of the village that the young man was connected with the big new factory five miles away. She got sight of him and his auto at least every other day, but he peered in vain for her. She had a maid's curiosity, but she also had a maid's timidity. At nine o'clock one moonlight night, as the village lights were going out and a strange silence was creeping over the land, she walked down to the gate and leaned upon it. She had not been standing there ten minutes when the hum of an auto came to her ears from the crest of the hill a quarter of a mile away. She had heard that the dark-haired man sometimes rode about at night. She would wait until the machine came nearer and then step behind the rose bush.

"Puff. Puff. Chug." And then the girl heard a sharp snap, and something told her that the auto was coming down the hill uncontrolled. She sprang through the gate and saw it coming. There was only one person in the vehicle and intuition and the moonlight identified him. The course was fairly straight, but the brake was not working. Second by second the speed increased and as the machine came whizzing past she raised her hand above her head and screamed to the man:

"Jump for your life! You will be killed at the bridge!"

For the fraction of a second he looked into her eyes and smiled and she had to turn and seize hold of the gate while she waited for what must happen at the foot of the hill and the narrow bridge. And when the crash came she screamed to her father, dozing on the porch, and ran screaming down the path the wild auto had followed. When neighbor aroused neighbor and half a dozen men gathered at the wreck they found the girl under the hill seated on the grass and the head of an unconscious young man in her lap.

"He is dead!" some of them whispered after a look.

"No! No! It can't be so!" she almost fiercely replied.

"He must be taken to the inn and a doctor called."

"No, take him to our house. Run for a mattress. Lift him carefully. If he hadn't been coming down the hill in hopes—in hopes to see—to see—" "Cut and bruised and suffering from the shock, but no bones broken," reported the doctor to young Marshall's friends next morning. "Leave him right here and don't worry about him."

Two weeks later, as the young man was able to ride away in the auto of a friend he said to the old pensioner before departing:

"I may not want to borrow your ax, but I should like your permission to call again."

"Why, of course, of course. I tell Molly we must be neighborly."

"And will you be neighborly?" was quietly asked of the girl as the gate was reached.

He must have read the answer in her eyes, for he came again.

## The Reason Why.

"I happened to be laying over in a town in the southwest for a few hours," said the colonel, "and as I walked about the street I noticed dozens of hogs wallowing in the mud-holes or sleeping on the sidewalks. When I finally came across the city marshal I mentioned this fact and asked why the porkers were not restrained."

"Yes, I believe there's a law to fit it," he slowly replied.

"And why isn't the law enforced?" "It's left to me, but I can't skassly see my way clear."

"But there are the hogs and there is the law," I persisted.

"I was about to ask him what it was when a dog came along and pitched into a hog fresh from a roll in the mud, and the porker uttered a loud squeal as the sharp teeth nipped his flank. The sound had not died away when a dozen men, each with a gun in his hand came running out of houses, saloons and stores and looked around for somebody to shoot."

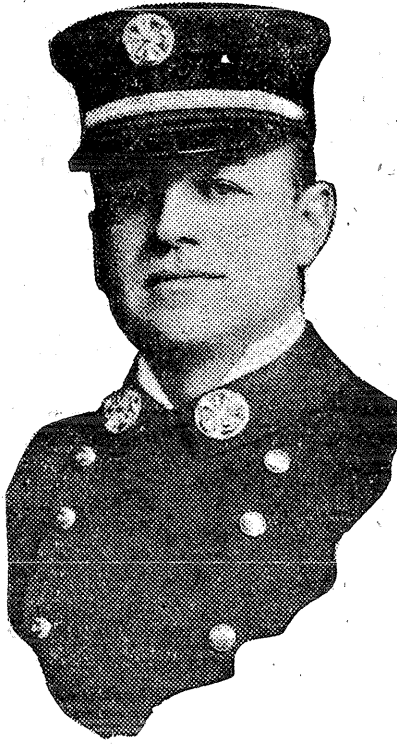
"You see," said the marshal, as the crowd broke and scattered, "that's the law and that's the haws, jest as you said, but when every man in town owns a hawg and is willing to lay down his life for him what you going to do about it—shut up the haws or shoot off the owners?"

## Squealed.

The Trifler—I'm sorry I'm married. The Coquette—So am I. The Trifler—Oh, darling—The Coquette—Cut it out. It's your wife I'm sorry for.

# SNAPSHOTS AT CELEBRITIES

Edward F. Croker, New York's Fire Chief.



Edward F. Croker, chief of New York's fire fighters, whose recent condemnation of the methods of recruiting men for the department attracted wide attention, is a nephew of Richard Croker, former leader of Tammany hall. Chief Croker claims that recruits are selected for their mental rather than physical equipment, with the result that the force is deteriorating. This the commissioners deny and re-tort that Croker subjects his men to unnecessary danger; that his system of fire fighting is antiquated.

As to the last charge it may be stated in refutation that the board of fire underwriters are warm supporters of Chief Croker. They have stood by him on more than one occasion when he has been attacked. They believe that as a fire fighter he is unsurpassed. Furthermore, they say that Croker is the inventor of the water curtain, a device which consists in the creation of a miniature Niagara between the fire and threatened buildings by throwing tremendous quantities of water into the air to fall again between the blazing structure and its neighbors; of the fire helmet, which permits firemen to enter the worst smoke filled places with immunity, and of the searchlight, which has been so useful in many of the worst fires. One more contention they raised—Chief Croker has never been accused of asking a man under him to go where he would not go himself, and they recall that in many instances it was the chief himself who led rescue parties into perfect volcanoes of fire.

## N. B. Broward, a Man of the People.

Former Governor Napoleon B. Broward of Florida, who wrested the toga from Senator Taliaferro in the recent state primary election, has had a varied and interesting career. Indeed, in many respects his early life parallels that of Abraham Lincoln. Both were born in poverty, and both achieved high honors in spite of the great difficulties to be overcome. In defeating Senator Taliaferro for the honor of representing Florida in the United States senate Mr. Broward won a great personal victory.

Born on a farm in Florida, the future senator had a hard row to hoe. He labored in logging camp, as a steam-



NAPOLEON B. BROWARD.

boat roustabout, as a cook on a tug-boat and even tried his hand as a fisherman on the Newfoundland fishing banks. Finally he got to be owner and captain and gained not a little notoriety by operating the boat Three Friends in aid of the Cuban revolutionists.

His first entry into politics was in 1887, when he became temporary sheriff of his native county by appointment. He was elected and re-elected until 1900, when he went to the state legislature. Four years later he was elected governor and next March, if nothing unforeseen happens, will take his seat in the United States senate.

# A WATER DUEL.

Near the border which divides Siberia from Russia lived Count Arkadyevich, a country gentleman. His daughter, Marya Alexandrovna, an attractive girl of eighteen, was sought in marriage by many of the sons of the neighboring landed proprietors, but seemed to prefer Ivan Mikhalloff, a lusty but lazy young fellow who had never been known to take an interest in but one thing—the town fire department, which he had organized and drilled.

A battalion of troops came to the town commanded by Major Nikolai Levin, a middle aged man whose private fortune was large. From childhood he had been accustomed to having his own way. He had studied and practiced the use of every known weapon, and when any man stood in his way he would insult him, challenge him and, if necessary, kill him. All kinds of weapons had been tried against Levin, from a Turkish scimitar to a mountain howitzer, and he had handled every one with perfect skill. He had no sooner set eyes on Marya than he fell violently in love with her. Marya, though she accepted his attentions, could not be completely won over from her athletic suitor Ivan. Levin at last concluded that with Ivan in the way he could never win the girl, so he made up his mind to kill him. He soon found a pretext for considering himself insulted by the young man and sent him a challenge.

Marya heard of the intended assassination and was much troubled. In her extremity she sent for a former schoolmate, Kostia Sanin, in whose ingenuity she placed great confidence, and asked him to help her.

"Well, I will offer him my services, and if he accepts them I will see what I can do for him," said Sanin.

A few hours later Major Levin received a visit from Sanin. "I am to arrange this affair between you and my friend Mikhalloff," he said, "and, since he is the challenged party, choose for him the weapons, the time and the place of meeting."

"That is your right. It is immaterial to me with what weapon I fight, and I beg you will choose that with which the young man is most skillful."

"You show a magnanimous spirit, major, and I shall meet your wishes. The only weapon with which Ivan Mikhalloff has any skill whatever is the nozzle of a hose. I therefore choose this weapon."

"If you think you can turn the affair into a jest you are mistaken."

"I propose no jest. The terms are that you and your adversary are to go into an unheated room, wearing no clothing whatever, each furnished with a hose, and play upon each other till you are satisfied."

"What an absurdity!" "Nothing of the kind. You know that the temperature here at this season is never above zero, and the water is icy cold. Neither of you will be able to endure the torture more than half an hour without dying a terrible death, and in any event there is great probability of pneumonia setting in after the combat."

Sanin then named the time and place and took his departure.

The major submitted the case to the officers of his battalion, who, after long deliberation, decided that he must accept the terms. At the appointed time he and his antagonist stood stark naked in a large room, each armed with a half inch nozzle. At a given signal the water was turned on by the seconds and the contest begun. Ivan had always lived in that northern region, while the major had been born in the south. Ivan was hardy, while the major was delicate and sensitive from having led a luxurious life. At the first stroke of the icy water he was shaken by a terrific chill, while the sturdy Ivan, who had bathed in water as cold that very morning, braced himself against the shock and stood upright and firm as a rock. One of the seconds stood with a watch in his hand, while the other kept a hand on the water cock.

At the end of two minutes time was called and the water turned off. The principals were permitted to move about for two minutes to recoup and break the ice forming on their bodies, when they were required to take their positions and the water was turned on. At the end of the next round Levin was shivering terribly, his skin was livid, and his lips were blue, while his opponent had readily restored circulation. At the end of the next round the major was informed by those of his officers who were present that he might give up the unequal contest without sacrificing his honor, and he declared that he was satisfied. He was taken into a warm room, dosed with hot liquor, rubbed and put between blankets. Nevertheless he was stricken with pneumonia, from which he nearly died. Ivan polished himself with a crash towel, put on his clothes and took a brisk walk.

Kostia Sanin went to Marya and gave her an account of what had occurred. "You are now free to marry either of those men you choose. I presume from your interest in Ivan that your choice will fall on him."

"No; it will not fall on Ivan." "Then it is the major."

"No, nor the major." "Well, then, I should like to know what all this trouble has been about."

"To change the subject, how shall I reward you for helping us out of this difficulty?"

"Well, you might let me kiss your hand."

"What do you say to my lips?" A light broke in upon Kostia. He went to Marya, took her in his arms and kissed her, but when he had kissed her once there was no stopping.

## W. C. T. U. NOTES.

Contributed by Local Union.

Do not forget to come to the meeting at Mrs. J. H. Hays' next Friday.

The regular meetings of the Cass City W. C. T. U. are held on the second and fourth Fridays of each month at the homes of its members. Visitors are always welcome.

For more than three hundred miles, or all the way from Little Rock, Arkansas, to Dallas, Texas, there is not a single wet town, the last one, Marshall, Tex., having been voted dry recently by two hundred majority.

One of the features of the last evening of the W. C. T. U. state convention at Port Huron was a demonstration by the delegates of the forty dry counties of Michigan, all clad in white, Oakland and Wexford counties, which were made wet at the last election, were represented by two women in black, with bowed heads, holding umbrellas during the demonstration, which caused much merriment.

"The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of Michigan is not opposed to local option nor is it true that our organization is unwilling to co-operate with the Anti-Saloon League," declared Mrs. E. L. Calkins, president of the W. C. T. U., referring to a statement made of an action alleged to have been taken at the W. C. T. U. state convention at Port Huron. "Just what co-operative relations should exist between the W. C. T. U. of Michigan and the Anti-Saloon League of the state was left for future discussion and decision, but there need not be a minute's doubt as to the thorough sympathy of the W. C. T. U. of this state for the work of the Anti-Saloon League. As individuals our members are usually earnest and active in behalf of local option and as an organization we will follow any competent leadership and approve of any worthy methods that promise ultimate success. We are working for the same cause and praying for the same results and there need be no fear that the women of the W. C. T. U. will loiter in any line of action that has for its purpose the banishment of the saloon and the destruction of the liquor traffic in any city, county, state or nation."

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## A Titled Kleptomaniac.

A titled kleptomaniac almost a century ago was the Countess of Cork. She had a reputation for stealing any thing she could lay her hands on, whether it was useful or valuable or not. Once, when leaving a country house where she had been staying, she saw and quietly picked up a hedgehog that was crossing a hall, a pet of the porter's, and took it away in her carriage. Finding it an uncomfortable foot warmer, she decided to dispose of it at the first town where she changed horses and then offered it to a confectioner in return for a sponge cake.

## What is Most Necessary to Happiness?

Many of us will thoughtlessly answer, money, but health is far more necessary. Money will not cure rheumatism, sprains, cuts, wounds, bruises, burns, scalds, sores and such troubles, but Renne's Pain-Killing Oil will. Never known to fail. Try it. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00. Wood's Drug Store.

## Mark Twain's Choice of Authors.

When asked to choose a library made up of twelve authors only Mark Twain replied: "In my list I know I should put Shakespeare and Browning and Carlyle ('French Revolution' only), Sir Thomas Malory ('King Arthur'), 'Parkman's Histories' (a hundred of them, if there were so many), 'The Arabian Nights,' Johnson ('Boswell'), because I like to see that complacent old gasometer listen to himself talk; Jowett's 'Plato' and Peppys' 'Diary' (the condensed edition). I should be sure of these, and I could add the other three, but I should want to hold the opportunity open a few years so as to make no mistake." Parkman is the only American author included.

## It's a Crime

To neglect your health and there is a severe penalty attached when you allow constipation, biliousness or any liver or bowel trouble to run on. It is poisoning your entire system and may lead to a serious disease. Take Dr. Herrick's Sugar-Coated Pills and get absolutely well. The sure cure for any and all troubles of the stomach, liver and bowels. Price 25c per box. Ask for a free sample. Wood's Drug Store.

## Seven Wonders of the World.

Authorities differ as to what were the seven wonders of the world. Antipater's list is the walls of Babylon, the statue of Zeus by Phidias at Olympia, the hanging gardens at Babylon, the Colossus of Rhodes, the pyramids of Egypt, the mausoleum at Halicarnassus and the temple of Artemis at Ephesus. Pseudo-Philo combined the hanging gardens and the walls under one head, adding to the list Pharos of Alexandria. Others made further substitutions, among which is included the temple of Jerusalem.—New York Press.

The world's most successful medicine for bowel complaints is Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. It has relieved more pain and suffering and saved more lives than any other medicine in use. Invaluable for children and adults. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co.

## Michelangelo.

Michelangelo while painting "The Last Judgment" fell from his scaffold and received a painful injury in the leg. He shut himself up and would not see any one. Bacio Rontini, a celebrated physician, came by accident to see him. He found all the doors closed. No one responding, he went into the cellar and came upstairs. He found Michelangelo in his room, resolved to die. His friend the physician would not leave him. He brought him out of the peculiar frame of mind into which he had fallen.

## Jupiter.

Jupiter has a mass nearly three times as great as the combined masses of all our other planets.

## Catarrh Cannot be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts directly on the blood and mucous surfaces. Hall's Catarrh Cure is not a quack medicine. It was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonics known, combined with the best blood purifiers, acting directly upon the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing catarrh. Send for free testimonials. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

## KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving and Some Cass City People Know How to Save It.

Many Cass City people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Sick kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health, but there is no need to suffer nor to remain in danger when all diseases and aches and pains due to weak kidneys can be quickly and permanently cured by the use of Doan's Kidney Pills. The following statement leaves no ground for doubt.

M. C. Graves, Huron Ave., Vassar, Mich., says: "I have used Doan's Kidney Pills in my family for many years and they have always brought satisfactory results. In my case they proved to be the remedy that was needed when my kidneys were disordered, as the result of an attack of la grippe. Doan's Kidney Pills are worthy of endorsement."

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Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other. 3

## Order for Publication.

Appointment of Administrator.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said county, on the first day of July, A. D. 1910.

Present: Hon. D. Healy Clark, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of John C. Lauderbach, deceased, Della B. Lauderbach, having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to herself or some other suitable person,

It is ordered, That the first day of August, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

D. HEALY CLARK, Judge of Probate.

(Probate seal) A true copy. 7-5-4

## ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.

Appointment of Administrator.

State of Michigan, the Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said county, on the 22d day of June, A. D. 1910.

Present, Hon. D. Healy Clark, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of Andrew Walmsley, deceased.

Annie E. Gillies having filed in said court a petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Noltin Bigelow or to some other suitable person.

It is ordered that the 18th day of July, A. D. 1910, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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

D. HEALY CLARK, Judge of Probate.

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## NOVESTA.

Elmer Allen has gone to Detroit to work for the season.

The dry, hot weather is hurting oats and beans.

A new telephone line will give service to more of our neighbors.

Mr. McCaughna received the sad news of the death of his sister in California last Monday.

Mrs. McCaughna has returned to her home after spending a few days with her father, who has been seriously ill.

Miss Bessie Boughton accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Alice Scott, arrived here July 1st. Mrs. Scott has returned to her home in Upper Michigan after visiting at her parental home here.

## 'Foley Kidney Pills Have Cured Me.'

The above is a quotation from a letter written by H. M. Winkler, Evansville, Ind. "I contracted a severe case of kidney trouble. My back baw gave out and pained me. I seemed to have lost all strength and ambition; was bothered with dizzy spells, my head would swim and specks float before my eyes. I took Foley iKidney Pills regularly and am now perfectly well and feel like a new man. Foley Kidney Pills have cured me." L. I. Wood & Co.

## DEFORD R. F. D. NO. 3.

Chas. Steel visited at E. J. Reid's Sunday.

Fred Hoglin has a friend from Detroit visiting there.

Harry D. Hunt worked for Chas. Tomlinson last week.

Mrs. Freshney of Capac visited at Wm. Moore's last week.

Miss Etta Lessop of Detroit is visiting her mother, Mrs. Wm. Singleton.

Mr. Guenther's family are entertaining friends from Detroit this week.

Miss Adah King has returned from her visit in Orion, Detroit and other points in the southern part of the state.

R. C. Jacoby's youngest son had the misfortune to break his collar bone Sunday while visiting his uncle at Kingston.

E. J. Reid was elected director and Mrs. C. E. Goodwin, treasurer in school district No. 6 at the school meeting.

Chas. King and son, Jesse, and Chas. Oesterly have taken Wm. Landon's crop of hay to cut on shares. Wm. Landon is talking of going north as soon as he can for the benefit of the wife's health. She is troubled badly with asthma.

Jay Osterley is about well after having small pox. He was a very sick little fellow for one day. Three of the family have had the disease. The strange part of it is that the mother, who has slept with and cared for her little ones while they were ill, has not contracted it as yet. Here is hoping she will be spared.

## Hay Fever and Asthma

Bring discomfort and misery to many people but Foley's Honey and Tar gives ease and comfort to the suffering ones. It relieves the congestion in the head and throat and is soothing and healing. None genuine but Foley's Honey and Tar in the yellow package. L. I. Wood & Co.

## ARGYLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Graham and son of Cass City attended the rally here Monday.

Mrs. Percy Starr is ill at her home with appendicitis.

Mrs. Ed Austin is numbered with the sick.

Miss M. McPhail returned home from Kalamazoo last week where she has been attending school.

Lloyd Starr and Miss Grace Stewart attended the eighth grade graduating exercises at Wickware Friday night.

Preaching services at the Austin Baptist church next Sunday evening.

Prayer meeting at William Starr's Wednesday evening.

The rally was largely attended here Monday. It was estimated that over one thousand people were in attendance. There were over five hundred in the grand march which shows an increase in the Sunday School work.

Over 90 Per Cent of Appendicitis cases are caused by a congested condition of the bowels, commonly called constipation. Why not relieve yourself of this condition and the consequent danger of appendicitis by becoming a user of Dr. Herrick's Sugar Coated Vegetable Pills? The best known and most widely sold liver pills in the world. This is not a new remedy, but one that has stood the test of time, being over 60 years on the market. Sales always increasing, showing the immense good that they are doing. Price everywhere 25c per box. Ask for a free sample. E. A. Ryan's Drug Store.

## Self Possession.

One of the very best of all earthly possessions is self possession.—G. D. Prentice.

HAY CROP GOOD  
FRUIT IS SCARCE

WHEAT ABOVE THE AVERAGE, ACCORDING TO THE JUNE REPORTS.

AVERAGE YIELD FOR THE NORTHERN COUNTIES IS ESTIMATED AT 17 BUSHELS PER ACRE.

Rye is Also Showing Up Well, Averaging From 15 to 22 Bushels Per Acre.

The wheat bins of the farmers of Michigan should be full this fall, from the reports filed with the secretary of state for June. Not only is the yield outlook excellent, but the quality this season bids fair to be above the average.

The average yield per acre for the northern counties of the state is estimated at 17 bushels, southern counties 16, central counties 19 and in the upper peninsula 18 bushels.

Rye is also showing up well according to the estimates, which give an estimated yield per acre in the state at from 15 to 22 bushels. Corn is reported as being fair. Buckwheat was sown plentifully, and the condition is about an average as compared with the past five years. The acreage of beans is also well up with other years and the condition of the crop is excellent. The average condition of potatoes is 85 per cent. Sugar beets are reported fine, and with rain the yield will be up to the general average.

Hay, which has been worrying many dealers, is shown to be in an excellent condition.

The prospects for fruit is not encouraging, owing to severe frosts early in the season. The prospect for a crop of peaches in the counties included in the Michigan fruit belt, as gathered from reliable statistics, is as follows:

Allegan, 30 per cent of a crop; Berrien, 13; Ionia, 55; Kent, 46; Ottawa, 39; Van Buren, 28; Muskegon, 38; Newaygo, 25; Oceana, 39; Benzie, 58; Leelanau, 50; Manistee, 56; Mason, 52; average for Michigan fruit belt is 39 per cent; average for Michigan fruit belt for 1909 was 77 per cent of a crop.

Apples are estimated as being about 42 per cent of a crop in the state.

## Spring Wheat Below Par.

The July crop report of the department of agriculture issued at Washington shows the following estimates of acreage and condition on July 1:

Corn area planted is 114,083,000 acres, an increase of 5,312,000 acres, or 4.9 per cent, as compared with last year's final estimate.

The average condition of corn was 85.4, as compared with 85.1, the 10-year average.

The amount of wheat remaining on farms is estimated at about 88,739,000 bushels, as compared with 38,708,000, the 10-year average.

The average condition of winter wheat was 81.5, as compared with 81.3, the 10-year average.

The average condition of spring wheat was 61.6, as compared with 87.1, the 10-year average.

The average condition of spring and winter wheat combined was 73.5, as compared with 84.0, the 10-year average.

The average condition of the oat crop was 82.2, as compared with 86.6, the 10-year average.

## Pure Food Has Increased Prices.

The congressional committee on the cost of living recently detailed 15 reasons for the high cost of living and yet one of the most important reasons for high prices was left out of their report," remarked Solicitor McCabe, of the department of agriculture.

"The execution of the pure food law has undoubtedly had an important effect upon prices. Formerly resort was had to adulteration and misbranding to reduce the price of alleged articles. Now people buy raspberry jam for instance and pay more for it, but they get what they pay for; so it is with many other articles in common use. This increase in price of course is only apparent but it impresses the people who make purchases as real."

## To Build Hospital Annex.

One of the improvements to be worked this summer is the erection of a \$30,000 addition to Nichols Memorial hospital, at Battle Creek, an institution run exclusively by church ladies of the city, banded together under the name of the Charitable Union. The addition will give the hospital 20 additional rooms, as well as a new operating room, laboratory, etc. Nichols hospital is an outgrowth of a "homeless" hospital founded 20 years ago by charity workers. The late John Nichols, thrasher manufacturer, left a sum to advance the work by the erection of the present hospital building which was finished just in time to receive the 40 patients injured in the Grand Trunk wreck of 1896, when 28 were killed.

Traverse City tax valuations will be increased from \$4,000,000 to about \$8,000,000.

The Harris Trust & Savings bank, of Chicago, having refused to take over the \$30,000 bonds, authorized by the Battle Creek council for the purchase of a new city hall site, on the grounds that the city has no right to bond for such a purpose, it now looks as though the site proposition is in the air indefinitely.

Prof. M. E. Cooley, of the University of Michigan, and an assistant, were in Lansing conferring with the state railway commission relative to an appraisal of the properties of the water power concerns, which have asked the commission for authority to issue bonds.

THAT MATTER OF  
EQUAL TAXATION

HON. CHASE S. OSBORN'S MANLY STATEMENT ON THE SUBJECT OF MINE PROPERTY.

Efficient Administration Needed That the People's Will May Prevail.

Owosso, Mich.—Chase S. Osborn, of the Soo, was in Owosso Friday afternoon, and when talking on the question of adequate taxation for the upper peninsula mining properties, advocated the formation of a commission which would have power and ability to put the mines on an equitable basis with the rest of the state. Furthermore, he pledged himself, if elected governor, to do all in his power to bring such a commission into being.

"While I sincerely believe," said Mr. Osborn, "that many of those who are discussing the question of taxation, especially with reference to increasing the mine values and taxation on them are earnest in their opinions, that primarily the question has been raised by those who are interested in creating sectional feeling between different parts of the state for political effect. There is not an honest citizen who does not believe in the adequate taxation of all the property of the state, regardless of where it is situated or what it is."

"The proposition to make a revision of values is not a new one. This is provided for under the law. The revaluation of all property is made mandatory under the law, every five years, and a new valuation under this provision will be made next year, and would have been made whether the question had been made on issue of this campaign or not."

"I earnestly desire to state that the mines and other properties of the upper peninsula should pay their just share of taxation, as well as other property of the state. The mining regions of the upper peninsula are 200 miles from my residence and the section in which I live is under no more mining influence or domination than Wayne county or Shiawassee county. If this question of taxation, which is as old as society, is raised as an issue for the purpose of obscuring more important questions, then it is unworthy of being given a first place in the minds of the people at this critical time. A great question of this campaign, it seems to me, is as to whether the money as raised by taxation shall be honestly expended for efficient government or whether the state funds shall be wasted among political grafters or hangers-on, many of whom are only interested in holding their jobs, and who would not be given a position in private occupation in any of the legitimate activities of the state."

## Public Integrity the Thing.

"It seems to me that the thing that is most demanded in Michigan today is that the state shall be put back into a condition of public integrity by an efficient administration. Until this is done and until men of honest character and capacity occupy the public places there can be no assurance that an intelligent and honest revaluation of the property of the state can be made, or that moneys raised by taxation will be properly expended, or that any of those things that the people most hope for will be accomplished."

"A great many departments of the state are at present hampered by a needless number of inefficient employees. Any good executive should be able to reduce the expenses of many of these departments at least one-half, and at the same time increase the department's efficiency. The state has been Republican so long that men who have no higher ambition than to obtain public place for what it pays them, have drifted into the party from all sides by wholesale. This has reduced the standing of the party and its character and efficiency. In other words, the party, which is as good today in its passive personnel as ever before, has become so careless as to permit the worst elements in it to dominate by reason of their greater activity."

## An Expert Commission.

"Mr. Osborn, have you personal knowledge at this time whether or not the mines of the upper peninsula are adequately taxed?"

"I have not, and I don't think anyone else knows."

"How can this knowledge be arrived at?"

"It can be obtained through the work of a special expert commission, having knowledge of every phase of mining, appointed for the purpose."

"By revaluation?"

"No, by valuation, because there never has been a complete valuation made. This can be done as accurately by experts, as the valuation of any other property can be estimated. I think that a commission of three experts could do the work."

"Appointed by the governor?"

"Appointed by the governor or legislature, or elected. Its creation, of course, would be a legislative function."

"Would you, if elected governor, and there seemed a state-wide demand for this commission for the revaluation of mines pledge yourself to bring it into existence?"

"As I have said, it is a legislative function, but I would be glad to lend my influence and do all in my power to help toward its creation."—Detroit News of June 11.

President Taft signed an order abolishing the bureau of equipment in the navy department and distributing its functions among the other bureaus of the department in accordance with the recommendations of the Swift board.

Buggies  
Buggies

We have just received a car of Buggies and Spring Wagons from the Emerson Carriage Co. of Rockford, Ill. These buggies are strictly first class and every job so warranted. We have these buggies in plain Bodies; also in the latest style Auto Seats. Prices range from \$60 to \$85. We ask you to come and look them over.

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Great Britain has the honor of having first formed societies for the prevention of cruelty to animals.

**The Delayed Letter.**  
Lodger—A letter ought to have come here for me about a week ago. Haven't you seen anything of it? Landlady—Oh, yes, but it was so beautifully scented I kept it among my handkerchiefs a little while.—Journal Amusement.

**Theory and Practice.**  
Scribbler—I got a check for \$10 for that article of mine on how to live on 15 cents a day.  
Scrawler—Then you can lend me \$2, can't you?  
Scribbler—Sorry, old man, but I blew it all in.—Philadelphia Record.

**The Sun.**  
In size the sun equals 1,300,000 earths, but owing to its smaller density its weight equals only 300,000 earths.

## Weak Throat—Weak Lungs

Cold after cold; cough after cough! Troubled with this taking-cold habit? Better break it up. We have great confidence in Ayer's Cherry Pectoral for this work. No medicine like it for weak throats and weak lungs. Ask your doctor for his opinion. He knows all about it. His approval is valuable. Follow his advice at all times. No alcohol in this cough medicine. J.C. Ayer Co., Lowell, Mass.

Always keep a good laxative in the house. Take a dose when your cold first comes on. What is the best laxative for this? Ayer's Pills. Ask your doctor his opinion. Let him decide.

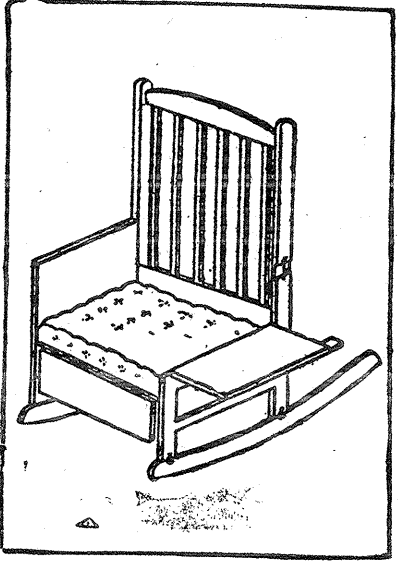
## SUMMER COMFORT

A Sewing Chair That's That and Lots More.

### GIFTS FOR THE TRAVELER.

Amusements For Children on an Ocean Voyage—Summer Window Shades That Make For Coolness—A Delicious Lemonade That Is Little Known.

Dear Mabel—New York became so intolerably hot that we just rushed down to Belle Harbor one Saturday afternoon not long ago and luckily found a charming cottage which had not been rented, so we took it, and at the present moment I'm sitting on the porch with a glorious view of the ocean in front of me, for you must know that Belle Harbor is only an hour's ride from town and right on the ocean. Well, the chair that I'm occupying is one of the joys of my life, and I stumbled across it quite unexpectedly in a department shop last week. It is called a sewing chair, but it has many other uses. At first glance you would take it for an ordinary rocking chair, with the peculiarity of having solid sides, but when these sides, which are hinged at the seat,



A PORCH SEWING CHAIR.

are let down its other uses are well understood. These sides become transformed into broad arms on which you may lay your sewing or use your writing pad as I'm doing now. Except for unusual work these arms are as good as a table. But I'm not half through with the attractions of the chair, for you can take the rockers off when you want it to be stationary and fold them up, and the chair will rest firmly on its four legs. What do you think of that for a "stunt" piece of furniture?

#### Gift For the Traveler.

Dorothy D. went abroad last week, and I made her such a pretty little steamer present, one that I found so useful the last time I crossed. It's a simple portfolio made of gray canvas, with a single large pansy "for thoughts" worked on the cover. To make the portfolio all that is necessary are two pieces of cardboard the desired size. These are covered with the canvas and lined with violet silk. The two materials I overcast together all round the edges. With a hinge of ribbon the portfolio is complete. Oh, yes, I forgot to say that on the reverse side of the cover I embroidered Dorothy's monogram and that two ribbons passed around the portfolio are tied to keep the contents secure. I used my case for preserving prints and drawings while traveling.

And, talking of gifts, when children travel a few well chosen presents will keep them happy. It really takes very little to amuse children. A box of gifts to last through the days of ocean voyage can be arranged that may make all the difference between a pleasant and a disagreeable trip to both mother and child. Such a box was recently got up for some children by a friend of mine. The outside box, of generous proportions, was tied about with a silk flag, for the youthful traveler, particularly if he is a boy, wants to flaunt the stars and stripes on all patriotic occasions. Each small box put into the large one was numbered, with directions as to when it was to be opened and how its contents were to be used. For instance, "Box No. 1" contained peppermints to be opened after the first meal on board. "Box No. 2" had an exciting deck game to be opened the next afternoon. A morning gift was a tablet and a set of colored crayons. Another gift was a set of bean bags made of blue linen marked with the owner's initials. A game of cards with the pictures of the masterpieces in art was a helpful gift.

An outfit for making paper flowers was a very suitable gift for the girls of the party, and to one of the boys just learning to tell the time a dollar watch was given.

Older little people frequently get restless on long trips. For them was a box of candy made doubly sweet by writing some little personal messages and humorous sayings on bits of paper and wrapping them around the bonbons. And what child would not love to receive a pretty box containing a fountain pen, a book of stamps, a few special delivery stamps, postal cards and paper wrappers? Little red leather record books would not come amiss either, as the young traveler would feel most important when making notes of the trip. And what fun it would be to read such notes written by a child of an imaginative mind!

#### The Double Shade.

I think it so queer that more housekeepers do not know about double shades that are to be had for windows. In summer they are particularly desirable. They are not wonderful-

## GRANT TOWNSHIP LOSES SUPERVISOR

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great change that would come. He felt fully prepared to go and said he was going home to rest. Aaron Endersbe was born June 6, 52 years ago in St. Lawrence County, New York. In early childhood he moved with his parents to Arbelia, Tuscola County, Mich. Forty-two years ago they came to Grant township. Mr. Endersbe was not only well and favorably known, but he did much for the improvement of the country in every way as his principles were always for the right. He held various offices of trust in both county and township in which he lived.

On Apr. 22, 1884, he was married to Miss Percilla McClellan and to this happy union six children were born. Two daughters preceded the father in death. He is survived by his companion, two sons, Manley and Harmon, two daughters, Mrs. Merit McIntosh and Miss Flora, and an aged mother.

The funeral was held Monday in the M. E. church at Beaufort of which the deceased was a prominent member. A large number of people were present to pay their respect to the bereaved family and their dead. Some of the hymns sung at the service were favorite selections of Mr. Endersbe, among them being "I want to see my Savior first of all," "Asleep in Jesus" and "The hour of my departure has come." Six gentlemen who were close friends of the deceased carried the remains to their last resting place. They were, E. W. Turner, M. Smith, John Cliff, Wm. Huff, J. H. Moore and F. Peacock.

Among those who were present at the funeral from a distance were Mrs. Nelson and son from Chesaning, sister and nephew of Mr. Endersbe, Wm. Hartsell and granddaughter of Kingston, G. M. Kennedy and Miss Fortney of Carsonville and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Hartwell and Mrs. Webster of Kingston.

### WEST GRANT.

Wm. J. Williamson is visiting his daughter in Detroit.

Archie Gillies is entertaining his brother and family of Grand Rapids.

Mr. and Mrs. Jethro Ross and two daughters spent Sunday in this vicinity.

Mrs. T. H. Wallace is spending the week at the home of her son, Chas., at Uby.

Earl Bockstedt of Buffalo spent a few days visiting his cousin, Mrs. A. A. Ricker.

Esther and Laura Parcel of Flint have been visiting at the Wallace home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ricker and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Gray at Beaufort Sunday.

Miss Ida Stager returned to her home in Hesperia, Ont., Monday after spending several weeks here.

Mrs. J. H. Striffler and Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Bockstedt and son of Buffalo spent Tuesday at A. A. Ricker's.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Hartman of Rose Island and Mr. and Mrs. Gus Hartman and family of Pigeon spent Sunday at the home of Tony Weiler.

Soreness of the muscles, whether induced by violent exercise or injury, is quickly relieved by the free application of Chamberlain's Liniment. This liniment is equally valuable for muscular rheumatism, and always affords quick relief. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co.

#### Built Up Rubies.

Rubies as large as 80 carats have been made by "building up"—that is, cementing one stone to another.

When the stomach fails to perform its functions, the bowels become deranged, the liver and kidneys congested causing numerous diseases. The stomach and liver must be restored to a healthy condition and Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets can be depended upon to do it. Easy to take and most effective. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co.

#### At the Dishes.

"Hilda is at the dishes now. Will you wait?" her mother said.

"Gladly," said the young man, thinking he had found a prize.

Just then a crash came from the kitchen, and again he became undecided.—Buffalo Express.

#### Take a Foot-Bath To-night

After dissolving one or two Allen's Foot-Tabs (antiseptic Tablets for the foot-bath) in the water. It will take out all soreness, smarting and tenderness, remove foot odors and freshen the feet. Allen's Foot-Tabs instantly relieve weariness and sweating or inflamed feet and hot nervousness of the feet at night. "Foot-Tabs for Foot-tubs." Then for comfort throughout the day shake Allen's Foot-Ease, the antiseptic powder in to your shoes. Sold everywhere, 25c. Avoid substitutes. Samples of Allen's Foot-Tabs mailed free, or our regular size sent by mail for 25c. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, Le Roy, N. Y.

## YIELD OF WHEAT WILL BE GOOD

SUCH ARE CROP INDICATIONS IN MICHIGAN.

Prospect for the Fruit Crop Is Not Very Encouraging Owing to Frosts.

Reports from crop correspondents in the different sections of the state indicate a good yield of wheat and an excellent quality. From the July crop report of Frederick C. Martindale, secretary of state, the following paragraphs are gleaned.

The average estimated yield in the State and northern counties is 17, in the southern counties 16, in the central counties 19 and in the Upper Peninsula 18 bushels per acre. The total number of bushels of wheat marketed by farmers in June at 100 mills is 18,899 and at 70 elevators and to grain dealers 54,558, or a total of 136,457 bushels. Of this amount 108,364 bushels were marketed in the southern four tiers of counties, 24,358 in the central counties and 3,735 in the northern counties and Upper Peninsula. The estimated total number of bushels of wheat marketed in eleven months, August-June is 11,750,000. The amount of wheat yet remaining in possession of growers is estimated at 250,000 bushels. One hundred and fourteen mills, elevators and grain dealers report no wheat marketed in June.

The average estimated yield of rye in the State and central counties is 15, in the southern counties 14, in the northern counties 16 and in the Upper Peninsula 22 bushels per acre.

The condition of corn in the State is 79, in the southern counties 78, in the central and northern counties 81 and in the Upper Peninsula 87.

The acreage of buckwheat sown or to be sown, compared with an average for the past five years in the State and southern counties is 81, in the central counties 79, in the northern counties 82 and in the Upper Peninsula 102.

The acreage of beans planted or to be planted, as compared with an average for the past five years in the State, is 96, in the southern counties 94, in the central counties 99, in the northern counties 97 and in the Upper Peninsula 100. The condition of beans, compared with an average in the State and southern counties is 92, in the central counties 93, in the northern counties 90 and in the Upper Peninsula 86.

The condition of potatoes in the State and northern counties is 88, in the southern counties and Upper Peninsula 87 and in the central counties 90.

The condition of sugar beets in the State is 89, in the southern counties 88, in the central counties 93, in the northern counties 86 and in the Upper Peninsula 79.

The condition of clover sown this year, as compared with an average in the State is 87, in the southern counties 88, in the central counties 92, in the northern counties 80 and in the Upper Peninsula 85. The acreage of clover that will be harvested, compared with an average for the past five years, in the State is 91, in the southern counties 93, in the central counties 94, in the northern counties 81 and in the Upper Peninsula 86.

The acreage of timothy that will be harvested, compared with an average for the past five years in the State and southern counties is 87, in the central counties 91, in the northern counties 86 and in the Upper Peninsula 82.

The acreage of peas sown or to be sown as compared with an average for the past five years in the State is 89, in the southern counties 87, in the central counties 84, in the northern counties 90 and in the Upper Peninsula 111.

The prospect for the fruit crop is not very encouraging, owing to severe frosts and other unfavorable conditions in the early part of the season.

#### The King Snake.

To the rattlesnake and to every other dangerous snake, large or small, the king snake is a terror. The poison of a rattler has no more effect on him than so much moonshine. Instinctively the rattler knows his match and at sight of a king snake tries to escape if possible. In fight the king snake relies wholly upon his incredible speed. If the movements of an ordinary snake seem quick to the human eye, the movements of a king snake would seem instantaneous. In a twinkling the long, lank fellow has wound himself about the throat of an antagonist and his sinewy coils closing about the other's throat, chokes the wind out of him.

#### A Modest Request.

Sheriff Foley of Chicago once received a letter from an old constituent who wanted aid in distress. It contained a carefully prepared list of troubles, after which it concluded, "If you don't receive this letter let me know and I'll send you a duplicate."

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# JUST LOOK!

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### WICKWARE.

Thos. Nichol is building a wall for a new barn.

Robt. Brown raised and put a wall under his barn.

A number from here attended the rally at Argyle.

Geo. Burt and family passed thru this vicinity Sunday.

Wm. Bennett expects to rebuild his house in the near future.

George Robinson is busy these days getting ready to build a new house.

Mrs. Robert Ervin went to Pontiac one day last week to visit her daughter.

Miss Mary Burt of Cass City spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Wm. Loney.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mardlan are the proud parents of a pair of twins, both boys.

Miss Ethel Carson of Cass City spent a few days with Daisy Bigelow last week.

Mrs. Parks, who has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Henry Bigelow, returned to her home in Toronto, Ont., one day last week.

Mabel and Wesley Gibbons left Saturday for Pontiac and Birmingham on a visit for a couple of weeks.

A union Sunday School is to be organized next Sunday, July 17. We would like to see a large number present at two o'clock in the afternoon.

#### Work 24 Hours a Day.

The busiest little things ever made are Dr. King's New Life Pills. Every pill is a sugar-coated globe of health, that changes weakness into strength, languor into energy, brain-fag into mental power; curing constipation, headache, chills, dyspepsia, malaria. 25c at L. I. Wood & Co.'s.

### McHUGH.

More rain is what we need.

Miss Verna Bowman, who is staying with her sister, Mrs. David Agar, this summer, has just returned from Brown City, where she has been visiting with friends the past week.

All who attended the rally on the 4th report a good time.

Isaac Cragg of Cass City is erecting a fine barn on his farm here.

The regular meeting of the Greenbank W. C. T. U. will be held at the home of Mrs. Robt. Craig July 20 at 2:30 p. m. Topic, "Mothers and purity." Meeting led by Supt.,

Mrs. Eva Kitchin. We extend a hearty invitation to all.

Teething children have more or less diarrhoea, which can be controlled by giving Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. All that is necessary is to give the prescribed dose after each operation of the bowels more than natural and then castor oil to cleanse the system. It is safe and sure. Sold by L. I. Wood & Co.

### CUMBER.

A shower would be appreciated.

a visitor at the home of Stanley Brown on Sunday.

Miss Belle Schell of North Branch called on old friends in this vicinity on Wednesday last.

Harry Lang has returned from a week's visit at the home of his uncle, Herb Greenleaf, on the county line.

The editor of the Uby Courier was The Misses Ethel and Laurel Howey and Gladys Nicol spent a pleasant afternoon with Flossie Lang at the home of her grandfather, James A. Greenleaf, on Friday last.

A barn raising on the farm of Jas. A. Greenleaf on Tuesday last, under the supervision of David Yakes proved to be a great success. Dave knows all about barn framing. The frame was made of timbers that would be sneered at a dozen years ago.

The Primitive Baptists of Cumber held their semi-annual communion service at the commodious home of Mrs. Ann Brown on Sunday last. Dougald A. Graham of Vassar and Elder McLachlan of Mescota County were the ministers from a distance.

### The Horseman

Likes a fine animal. You get the horse and Harvell's Condition Powders will do the rest. It is the best condition powder on the market. Absolutely no waste and every ingredient is medicinal. Used by all the leading eastern racing stables. You should try them and see for yourself. Price 25c per package. J. A. Carr & Son, Lansing, Mich., writes: "We have used Harvell's Condition Powders on our livery horses for about three years and have always found them superior to all others. We have found that livery horses are subject to great abuse and Harvell's Condition Powders always bring back the appetite and puts them on their pins." Sold at Wood's Drug Store.

### NOVESTA CENTER.

Mrs. Elmer Allen and son, Roy, will leave on Saturday for Detroit to remain indefinitely.

Mrs. Edgerton and daughter of Illinois are being entertained at the home of Mrs. Amy Gekeler.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Brown entertained friends on Sunday evening.

The Baptist Young People's Aid met at the home of Miss Mable Holcomb on Tuesday evening. There was a large crowd in attendance. Ice cream and cake was served and a jolly good time enjoyed by all.

Mrs. D. A. Preston of Cumber is the guest of Mrs. Louis Wheeler this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Lewis are visiting friends at Noko, Sanilac county, a part of this week.

Miss Pearl Dewey is the guest of her cousin, Miss Malissa Coulter, for a few days.

The F. W. B. Ladies' Aid was royally entertained at the home of Mrs. Jas. Rice on Tuesday.

On Monday evening the annual school meeting was held at Ferguson school house, Dist. No. 6, Novesta. After the usual routine of business, Robert Brown announced he would not be a candidate for director, having held the office 15 years, and thanking his friends for past favors, he suggested that they elect a lady to the office, naming Mrs. Amy Gekeler his successor. She was elected by a large majority. Mrs. Gekeler is a lady of education and good judgment and is capable of managing any difficulties that may arise.

### Prussia.

Travelers in Prussia are struck by the absence of beggars. The government permits no person to solicit alms.

## Railway Mail Clerks Wanted

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