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SUDDEN DEATH OF WM. J. SADDLER

YOUNG MAN WAS NEPHEW OF MRS. S. BROWN.

Found Dead in Bed at Saginaw. Visited Relatives in Cass City Last Fall.

Wm. J. Saddler was the guest of his aunt, Mrs. Samuel Brown, nearly three months in this city last fall, leaving a few days before Christmas for Saginaw where he expected to secure employment. Early this week Mrs. Brown received word from her brother in West Superior, Wis., that the young man had died suddenly in Saginaw on Monday, Jan. 9.

His death occurred in a lodging house kept by Robt. Lowry at 509 Lapeer Ave. Saddler was a stranger at the place and came there Sunday morning, engaging quarters for Sunday night. No register is kept at the place, but it seemed to have been learned that his name was Saddler and that he had relatives in West Superior.

During the night, Saddler who suffered badly from asthma, arose several times, and went down stairs to the stove in the sitting room. His last appearance was shortly before five o'clock and in a few minutes after he had returned to his room, a fellow lodger found him lying dead across the bed. He was partly clothed and had passed away without making any outcry or giving any alarm.

Examination of the personal effects of the dead man brought to light two photographs taken in West Superior, Wis., and a shirt bearing the initials "W. J. S." Coroner Conery decided that an inquest was not called for, death being in his opinion due to pneumonia.

The autopsy was conducted at the undertaking rooms revealed fatty degeneration of the heart and enlargement of the kidneys.

The chief of police being notified of the circumstances communicated with the authorities at West Superior, and relatives of the deceased were located and they came and took charge of the remains.

RID SANILAC OF SLOT MACHINES

Sheriff and Prosecutor Say This Will Be Done.

H. O. Babcock, the new prosecuting attorney of Sanilac county, has made the following statement:

"While neither the sheriff nor myself have planned and particular work at the present time, I am safe in saying that the people of the county will know we are in charge of the offices in a short time, and probably our first act will be to rid the county of slot machines which are said to be operated within the county limits."

BURLARLS AT VASSAR.

The Reliance Milling Co.'s office at Vassar was burglarized Saturday night. Entrance was made by opening a window into the mill and breaking a window into the office. The two money drawers were broken up. A small amount of change and postage stamps were taken.

Goff & Brown will conduct a dance at Doerr's Hall on Friday evening, Jan. 27. Good music and good order and all cordially invited. 1-20-1p.

Alen & Delling will not have a dance on Friday, Jan. 27, as announced at Doerr's Hall. 1-20-1p.

\$250 will buy a team, harness and wagon. Enquire at Chronicle office. 1-20.

For Sale.

Six-room house with cellar and about three acres of ground. Situated just outside of village limits and known as the Mahoney property. Enquire of Mrs. Geo. Carolan, Gagetown, Mich. 1-20-4p.

Money to Loan.

The loan business heretofore done by Laing & Jones and by O. K. Jones 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. 7-1-1.

Some good butter to be found at Mrs. Parker's.

Highest market prices paid for furs. Cass City Fur Co., Gordon Hotel. 11-11.

\$2,000 worth of goods to be given away at Black's Dept. store at Pigeon, Mich. Get a hustle on. 12-30.

Fresh groceries always on hand. Mrs. Parker. 1-6.

REAL ESTATE DEALS.

Warner Kelley, carrier on mail route No. 3, has sold his residence and 40-acre farm, one and a quarter miles south of town, and in the transaction secures the Peterson residence property on Seeger St. south. The deal was arranged by I. A. Fritz, real estate dealer.

A. A. Hitchcock has secured a fine residence on Main St. west, having purchased E. A. McGeorge's property. Mr. Hitchcock will not occupy the house at present as Mr. McGeorge retains the privilege of remaining there for a year if he so desires.

FARMERS EXCHANGE IDEAS AT INSTITUTE

MANY NEW ONES ADVANCED DURING DAY.

Forty-two Members Received Tuesday and Another Institute Voted for Next Winter.

The farmers' institute held here Tuesday proved to be of much interest to the stockman and tiller of the soil.

The morning session was short, owing to the lateness of the hour when the institute commenced. Chas. B. Scully led the discussion on "Dairying vs. Sugar Beets."

The afternoon session was better attended, 136 being present. Dairying and hog raising, beans in the rotation, care of breeding ewes, and the relation of the creamery man and patron to each other were the subjects discussed.

Forty-two institute members were received during the day. They will receive bulletins from the Agricultural College and other farm literature because of their membership.

It was voted at the afternoon session to hold another institute next year and N. A. Perry was again chosen local manager.

AMONG FIRST SETTLERS

Mrs. Alice Mahoney Came to Cass City in the Early Sixties.

Mrs. Alice Mahoney, whose death was mentioned in the Chronicle last week, was one of the early settlers of this township, coming to Cass City 47 years ago when there were but one or two buildings on the site which the village now occupies.

She was born in Littleport, England, 75 years ago and came to America when 13 years of age. At the age of 25 she was united in marriage with Henry Mahoney at Maumee, O. They later lived in Parisburg, Ohio, and moved to Cass City in 1864. Mr. Mahoney died 17 years ago.

The funeral was held at the Catholic church Saturday morning, Rev. Fr. Dolan celebrating the mass and Rev. Fr. Dwan preaching the sermon. Interment was made in the family lot in the Catholic cemetery at Gagetown.

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Wanted.

Two furnished rooms on ground floor in a residence on Main or Seeger streets, within 3 blocks from the Chronicle office. Rooms to be used as a doctor's office. Enquire at Chronicle office. 1-13.

Found—A pocket book containing a sum of money and papers. Owner can have same on describing contents correctly and paying all expenses. N. Bentley, R. 1, Kingston, Mich. 12-23-6.

For Sale.

Seven Jersey heifers for sale. I. K. Reid. 1-13-2p.

One new cutter for sale. Enquire of G. L. Hitchcock. 1-13.

Attention Farmers!

We are ready to make contracts with farmers for raising beans for the season of 1911. Sioux City Seed and Nursery Co. D. Law, Manager. 1-6-21.

Cutter nearly new for sale. Enquire at Chronicle. 1-6.

Listen!

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

Farm For Sale.

120 A. 3 miles east and 1 mile north of Cass City, 60 acres cleared, good buildings. A. T. Prout, Route 5, Cass City.

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

Light House flour at Mrs. Parker's.

ENJOYED VIEW OF KANSAS FARMS

MR. AND MRS. L. J. CARROLL WRITE ABOUT TRIP.

With No Rain Since September, They Found Roads Very Dry and Dusty.

My Dear Chronicle,

We have spent the last few days in Glasco, Kansas, at the home of Rev. F. R. Harding and we found them very comfortably situated and surrounded by lots of splendid people. One of the latter took us all in his overland touring car a distance of about 80 miles, giving us a good idea of the farming country as well as the location of Glasco. Geo. Hussey, for that was his name, took us up the Solomon valley to Simpson, then on to Asherville and Beloit, the county seat of Mitchell Co., where we ate dinner, after which we visited the industrial school for girls.

Then we went east to Scottville on the big divide which separates the Solomon valley from the Republican valley. When on the divide, we were about 2500 feet above sea level. In these hills are found mica in its best stages and some of the finest potter's clay. Brown stone are dug from the hills from which most of the good buildings are made after the stone is cut in about such a shape and size as the cement blocks are made for buildings at home. Many of the side walks are made from the flagstone taken from

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OPPORTUNITY'S MISTAKE.

"This is the opportunity of a lifetime, madam," declared the smoothed tongued canvasser as he stood at the door.

"Seems to me I've heard that before," thought the housewife.

"Opportunity knocks at every one's door—but only once," continued the caller.

"That's where you're mistaken, young fellow," snapped the woman as she reached behind her. "Opportunity has knocked at my door eight times this week so far. I'm out four dollars and ten cents, an' nothin' to show for it. Jest in case he should knock again I be'n savin' this kettle o' hot suds—"

But opportunity departed hurriedly.

A NEW LINE OF PROGRESSION

PREACHER PROVIDES SKATING RINK FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

More Gymnasiums, More Sports and More Games Needed For Young People.

The Rev. J. Edgar Wilson, the progressive Presbyterian preacher of Gladstone, Michigan, who having established a gymnasium and bath equipment in connection with his church work, has again demonstrated that he is a "live one" with a bent for reformation and innovation. With the coming of winter he has promised a skating rink enterprise for the

FABRICATED NEWS COMES FROM AKRON

MANY STATE PAPERS HAVE BEEN VICTIMIZED.

Mrs. John Westphal Writes Letter Declaring Her Children Were Not Killed by Cars.

There's a liar engaged in sending out news from Akron, Tuscola county, and several papers in the state have been victimized by him. Within a week many of the state papers carried a story to the effect that two little boys, children of Mr. and Mrs. John Westphal, had been killed by the cars at that place while picking up coal along the railroad track. The story, it now appears was absolutely untrue.

In a letter, Mrs. Westphal declares the boys not dead and that instead of being sent out on the track to pick up coal they would be apt to be punished soundly if their parents found them engaged in any such occupation.

The only item of truth in connection with the story was the statement that Mr. Westphal lost two children by fire when their house burned about eight years ago.

This is the story which was fabricated by the Akron writer:

Two of the children, both boys, of John Westphal, who moved from Sebawaing to Akron recently, were run over by a train at Akron Thursday evening, Jan. 12, and killed.

The father had sent them to the switch-yard with a basket to pick up some of the loose pieces of coal lying around. It being dark the presence of the boys on the track was not noticed by the train men until too late, and their little bodies were ground under the wheels. It is supposed the boys became confused and in attempting to escape from the approaching train, ran upon the wrong track, directly in the path of the train. The bodies of the unfortunate little ones were picked up in a terribly mangled condition. They were about six and seven years old.

This is the second time the Westphal home has been saddened by violent death, two other children having been burned to death when their home was destroyed by fire a few years ago.

Thumb Notes

UBLY—Out in Paris township the teacher was holding a "review" in geography. She had instructed the class that they must give original answers and illustrations of their own—book definitions would not be accepted. The teacher asked Willie Smartboyski to describe, in his own way, the difference between an island and a peninsula. Willie answered: "You put a fly in a can of water and he becomes an island; because he is entirely surrounded by water. You put him in a can of milk going to the Uby condensery and he becomes a peninsula, because he is almost surrounded by water." Uby Courier.

MARLETTE—Negotiations were closed last week whereby the ownership of the Marlette Leader passed from D. E. Hubbell to Richard Baldwin of Quincy, Mich., who will assume possession and editorial control on Jan. 30. Mr. Baldwin is the son of Rev. C. W. Baldwin, formerly presiding elder of this district of the M. E. church. Mr. Hubbell has been in control of the Leader for 22 years and has made it one of the best in the Thumb. He will go to Jackson to take a position in the job printing plant of the Acorn Press.

NORTH BRANCH—The remains of John Sinclair, father of F. E. Sinclair, superintendent of the North Branch schools, were laid to rest in Maple Grove cemetery. Mr. Sinclair was one of the most prominent pioneers of Burnside township.

LAPEER—Acting upon the advice of Prosecuting Attorney H. W. Smith, the board of supervisors in annual session at Lapeer by unanimous vote instructed County Treasurer Blair not to pay any claims arising from the quarantine of the Michigan Home by state troops. It will now be up to the state to force collection if it still maintains that Lapeer county should foot the bills, which in the aggregate exceed \$9,000.

VASSAR—The Tuscola County Agricultural Society has elected the following officers: E. W. Ellis, President; T. M. Stephen, Vice President; William Grant, Secretary; W. J.

Spears, Treasurer; Executive Committee for three years, H. M. Wellemeyster, C. H. Richardson and Jas. Gurney. From the experience gained by holding the fair at an early date last year, early dates will again be chosen which will be announced in the near future.

CASEVILLE—Mrs. Herrick's home was destroyed by fire Thursday morning about 10:30 and only a small portion of the furniture and clothing was saved. Her blind father and invalid mother were both rescued from the doomed building before harm reached them by their daughter, Chloe. Nearby buildings were saved by the prompt appearance and good work of the firemen.

GAGETOWN—James McGinn, 76 years old, and an old soldier died after a short illness of only two weeks. Recently he suffered a paralytic stroke which was the cause of his death. The funeral took place on Saturday at 2 o'clock from his late home.

REVIVAL SERVICES IN FULL SWING

CONDUCTED BY REV. WEAVER AT GRANT CHURCH.

Large Sleighs Brought Loads of Children From Schoolhouses to Church.

(Contributed.)

The revival services which are being conducted at the Grant M. E. church by Evangelist Fred S. Weaver of Detroit are growing in interest. The attendance is increasing. New faces are seen in each successive service, while, on the other hand people, who come long distances are present each evening. Mr. Weaver was pastor at Deford eight years ago, and since that time, has been engaged in the evangelistic work almost exclusively, having conducted meetings in Canada, Washington, Iowa and various parts of this state. Some will remember the great revival which he conducted at Fairgrove, three years ago in which there were over 100 conversions.

It is the general opinion of those who hear him that he is particularly adapted to this work. He preaches the Bible in a clear, concise and convincing way. He has no sympathy for the more or less popular "false doctrines" and attacks them in no uncertain terms. There is plenty of good music at each service.

Last Saturday afternoon, Mr. Weaver conducted a children's service. The day previous he and the pastor of the

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Bids Wanted for County Lands.

In accordance with instructions from the Board of Supervisors, the undersigned will receive bids for the purchase of certain wild lands in the Township of Novesta, belonging to the county, and described as follows:

The south half of the southeast quarter, section eleven, town thirteen north, range eleven east, Michigan, containing eighty acres, more or less. Also the west half of north-east quarter, section fourteen, town thirteen north, range eleven east, Michigan, containing eighty acres, more or less. The right to reject any or all bids is reserved. Call or address,

G. S. Graham,
Caro, Mich.

Farm for Sale.
The Andrew Armstrong 120 acres, 1 mile west and 1 1/2 miles north of Cass City. For description and particulars call or write I. A. Fritz, Cass City. 1-20.

Prussian Poultry Tonic makes hens lay, cures and prevents cholera, etc. For sale by G. W. Goff. 1-20.

For sale—40 acre farm, 1 mile south of Cass City. All cleared. Good 7 room brick house. Also other farms for sale. Call or write I. A. Fritz, Cass City, Mich. 1-20.

Why Not Try Dr. Harlan?

Dr. Harlan, osteopathic physician, will be in Cass City Thursday, Jan. 12, 1911. He will thereafter be here once a week for one month and after that will make regular visits here twice a week on Monday or Thursday. The doctor has a large practice both in Imlay City and North Branch, Mich.

The doctor has had 15 years experience in treating and curing disease and you will find he can do a great deal for your disease. Why not try the osteopathic system after try the drugs treatment? If you were not cured by drugs why should you not try the no-drugs system? The treatments are quite reasonable. \$25.00 per month being the regular price all over the world. No chronic case will be taken for less than one month, but consultation is free. Call at Gordon Tavern for treatment or consultation and satisfy yourself whether the treatment will help you.



—Berryman in Washington Star.

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DEFORD.

Mrs. C. J. Malcolm is on the sick list. Mrs. Bessie Schmulh was called home from Caro to attend her.

Mrs. A. L. Bruce returned home on Friday after spending a week as a guest of Mrs. Dodge.

Mrs. Susannah Sitzes, a member of Fern Hive, died at her home in Caro Friday morning. Mr. and Mrs. Sitzes owned a farm, one mile west and one and one-half miles south of town for a number of years. She leaves to mourn a husband and several children.

Loyalty Arbor, A. O. O. G., will meet at the hall Tuesday, Jan. 24, for dinner. Members and their families are requested to be present and bring well filled baskets. Installation of officers will take place after dinner is served.

Mrs. C. McArthur went last week to visit her daughter, Mrs. O. Clark, north of Bad Axe and Mrs. Guy Woolman of Port Huron.

Mrs. O. Watkins is on the sick list. The Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. W. Bentley Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Northrop visited the former's mother, Mrs. I. Retherford, and other relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Howey of Clifford visited her sister, Mrs. Cyrus Huffman, and brothers, Lyman and The-ron Spencer, and other relatives for a week.

Miss Myrtle Praks of Caro visited her parents Sunday.

Mrs. Georgiana Kilgore spent a few days last week with her son, Wm., helping to care for his little daughter, Myrtle, who has been sick.

There was a meeting Wednesday night to organize an Epworth League. Particulars later.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kennedy returned Friday from their trip to Calumet. They report very cold weather with lots of snow.

Anyone in need of a heavy team

would do well to consult Ben Gage as he has a team that weighs ten hundred pounds, harness included.

Miss Iola Wilson is assisting Mrs. Ashton Tindale of Cass City.

Miss Pearl Nutt is working for Mrs. H. Young.

Mrs. H. Young spent Sunday in Cass City.

John Moshier, Mrs. Will Patch and Mrs. Jesse Sole have all been called to Wilmot in the past week on account of their mother's serious illness.

One hundred tons of ice in our burg before spring if all goes well but even with that don't expect us to keep cool. No we must have the new railroad.

We are on a ball and of necessity each one is always on the highest point. Mathematicians inform us that the fall of the globe is eight inches to the mile, hence is it any wonder that each locality feels above their neighboring locality.

Will Patch is home from a two weeks' visit in Oakland county.

One of the Ingram boys, John we think, who has been ill with typhoid fever, is still in poor health.

The writer keeps a poor man's diary and has noted four thaws in the first half of January. We call it an unusual thing and have spent sixty-four years on top of the ground.

Don't get inflated over Chase's send-off. Hazen G. went in with kisses and went out with curses.

Mrs. Jesse Sole is suffering with a bad hand.

The dangerous hat pin tangled in veil and ribbons while a knot of the gentler sex was visiting at Sunday School—and there were doings for a time.

Mrs. Lester Vorhes is home from Pleasant Home Hospital somewhat improved.

Word comes from Ann Arbor that Mrs. Geo. Alward is on the gain. Able to sit up, it is said.

Hiram Lester has a set of new bob sleighs.

Cucumber men are out talking with growers but the sugar beet men are holding quiet till the war on prices is settled.

No, Jim, take along wood or coal when you go courting. "Orey" has enough to do without getting up to cut wood before breakfast.

When the wires of the Moore and Independent lines commingling there is a confusion of tongues.

James Valentine of Caro was in this locality last week.

Emerson once dared his opponents to take one hundred men who were in favor of slavery and select a like number who were opposed to slavery, then bring forth intelligent judges who were strangers to the selection, allowing them to pass on the moral fiber of the two bunches by their physique. We dare do that today on the saloon question.

Constipation is the cause of many ailments and disorders that make life miserable. Take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets, keep your bowels regular and you will avoid these diseases. For sale by all dealers.

DEFORD, R. 3.

The last heard from Mrs. Sherman Elliott she was only a little better.

Mrs. Ed Balch, who was helping Mrs. Samuel Elliott with her household work became ill and was obliged to return home. She is now getting better.

Samuel Elliott is able to be about once more.

The dance at Chas. Moshier's last week on Thursday evening was attended by a large crowd.

Mrs. Cordella Williams was a little better when last heard from. It has been very hard on her as she is an old lady, 83 years of age.

Mrs. Frank Elliott of Kalamazoo has come to help her husband's mother, Mrs. Samuel Elliott, with the sick and the work. Mrs. Elliott also has a niece, Miss Mable Wickware, to help her.

John Vandmark is building a barn. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Keilitz entertained quite a company Sunday, it being Fred's birthday.

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BEAULEY.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ellicott are the proud parents of a baby boy, born Jan. 5.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Russell are visiting relatives in Pontiac.

Arthur and Florence Moore spent Sunday, guests at the home of F. D. Wright in West Grant.

School Commissioner Hey of Bad Axe attended the Farmers' Institute in the M. E. church Monday and gave a talk in the afternoon.

James Maharg is entertaining a sister and her husband from Muskegon, Ont.

The three months old baby boy of John Davidson died Sunday afternoon after a short illness.

Mr. and Mrs. Seward Cooley from near Owendale and Mr. and Mrs. R. Gwinn of Caseville greeted friends here and attended the institute on Monday.

Evangelist Weaver held a children's service at the church Saturday afternoon. Over fifty children were present and were served lunch by the Epworth League. After a social hour a gospel talk was given them and was followed by an altar service.

Revival meetings will continue the remainder of this week. The crowds are increasing, the interest is good and we hope much good is being done.

McHUGH.

C. Bixby was a pleasant caller at T. Colwell's Monday.

Willie Darling has been quite ill with an attack of lagrippe, but is now convalescent.

Dame Rumor has it that there has been a quiet wedding in our neighborhood.

The revival meetings are still in progress at the Menonite church with large crowds.

Miss Pearl Freeman of Decker has been spending the past week with the Misses Cecil Auslander and Belle Darling.

Mr. and Mrs. Zeph Uppier and daughter, Gertie, of Marlette were entertained at dinner at the home of T. Colwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Agar and children, Edna and Kenneth, of Flint arrived here Monday to visit with friends and relatives for a short time.

Do you know that fully nine out of every ten cases of rheumatism are simply rheumatism of the muscles due to cold or damp, or chronic rheumatism, and require no internal treatment whatever? Apply Chamberlain's Liniment freely and see how quickly it gives relief. For sale by all dealers.

ARGYLE.

Farmers' Institute was held at Argyle the twelfth. Attendance about three hundred. Had a fine program which was thoroughly by those present.

Jim Palmer and Will Walker are making good use of the sleighing by hauling beans to Cass City.

The Ladies' Aid held at the minister's residence last Thursday, was well attended. About forty sat down to dinner.

T. Kitchen is on the sick list. Some of the pupils of the Starr school and their teacher enjoyed a coasting party on Henry's Hill, one evening last week.

Bert Brooks is preparing to build a barn next spring. He is hauling gravel now.

Hugh McBurney attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Jos. McBurney, at Cass City Sunday.

When buying a cough medicine for children bear in mind that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is most effective for colds, croup and whooping cough and that it contains no harmful drug. For sale by all dealers.

Everyone try and be prompt in attendance at Sunday School. The hour is set for 1:30 p. m. Preaching at 2:30 every alternate Sabbath.

Old Soldier Tortured. "For years I suffered unspeakable torture from indigestion, constipation and liver trouble," wrote A. K. Smith, a war veteran at Erie, Pa., but Dr. King's New Life Pills fixed me alright. They're simply great. Try them for any stomach, liver or kidney trouble. Only 25c at L. I. Wood & Co's.

North East Kingston. Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Hanna were Kingston callers Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Hutchinson visited at H. A. William's Sunday.

Mrs. John Whale, who underwent an operation at Harper's Hospital in Detroit, is expected home again this week.

Anderson Hanna made a trip to Imlay City last week.

Frank Hutchinson was a business caller in Kingston Monday.

Mrs. Alwood, who is taking treatments at Ann Arbor, is reported improving.

Rinehard Knoblet visited at A. Dobb's over Sunday.

The annual oyster supper of the Farmers' Club will be held at Mason Leek's Feb. 3.

Too Much Face. You feel as if you had one face too many, when you have neuralgia, don't you? Save the face, you may need it, but get rid of the neuralgia, by applying Renne's Pain Killing Oil. Finest thing in the world for rheumatism, neuralgia, burns, cuts, cramps, colic, diarrhoea, sore throat and pleurisy. Price 25c, 50c and \$1.00 per bottle. Wood's Drug Store.

NOVESTA CENTER.

A republican caucus was held on Monday evening at the Quick school house and Robert Brown, Wm. Paul and Ben Hicks were elected as delegates to attend the county convention at Caro Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wagg of Custer visited at S. Wagg's Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Moshier visited at R. Brown's Sunday.

Tom and Parker Wagg are visiting friends in Custer.

Miss Velma Ferguson is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Harding at Marlette.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Youngs and Mrs. M. Palmateer attended the Farmers' Institute at Shabbona Friday.

Miss Doris Palmateer was the guest of Miss Edna Colwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Palmateer and son, Stanley, visited at T. Colwell's Sunday.

Mrs. Deneen and Miss Eva visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Graves on Sunday.

The Greenbank M. E. Sunday school elected their officers as follows: Supt., S. J. Mitchell; ass't. supt., R. McInnis; sec., Miss Esther Coulter; treas., Miss Bessie Darling; organist, Miss Beulah Agar; Teachers—Bible class, R. Brown; ass't., Mrs. Amy Gekeler; Class No. 2, S. J. Mitchell; No. 3, Miss Beulah Agar; No. 4, Mrs. Wm. Bullock; No. 5, Mrs. R. McInnis; No. 6, Mrs. Robt. Craig.

Medicines that aid nature are always most effectual. Chamberlain's Cough Remedy acts on this plan. It calms the cough, relieves the lungs, opens the secretions and aids nature in restoring the system to a healthy condition. Thousands have testified to its superior excellence. Sold by all dealers.

NOKO.

Glen Harp is visiting with his parents at Rochester for a few days.

Services next Sunday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. R. Hook is spending a few days in Imlay City.

The ladies of the Lamotte church met with Mrs. Wm. Sours Wednesday afternoon.

Smith & Bland of Snover passed through with their saw mill on their way to Novesta where they have a large yard to saw.

Warren Lefre left the first of the week for Detroit.

S. Sutton talks of leaving for Pt. Huron where he has secured a position in the chicory plant.

Chris Levitt is land looking, having a chance to sell.

Geo. Flynn is busily engaged excavating his portion of Shaw Drain.

Mrs. Wm. Lewis and son, Walter, spent Sunday in Deckerville.

Wm. McKenney left for Saginaw Monday where he has a position with the National Engineering orWks.

Mrs. Helms of Shabbona called on friends Thursday.

Ed Collier is drawing brick from Deford for a new home.

Roy Anderson and sister have returned from Toronto where they spent two weeks.

F. Curtison has returned from Canada.

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CHAPTER XI.

HE was scrubbing blindly at the same glass when, a quarter of an hour later, Blinky Lockwood strode into the store, his right eye twitching more violently than usual, as it always does in his phases of mental disturbance—as when, for instance, he fears he's going to lose a dollar.

Lockwood is that type of man who was born to grow rich.

In person he is as beautiful as a snake fence, as alluring as a stone wall. Something over six feet in height, he walks with a stoop, one hand always in a trousers pocket jingling silver, that materially detracts from his stature. His face, like his figure, is gaunt and lanky, his nose an emaciated beak. His mouth illustrates his attitude toward property—is a trap from which nothing of value ever escapes. His eyes are small and hard and set close together under lowering brows. He's grizzled, with hair not actually white, but gray as the iron from which his heart was fashioned. Aside from these characteristics, his principal peculiarity is a nervous twitching of the right eye which has earned him his sobriquet of Blinky. Legrand Gunn said he contracted the

just there might be somethin' in 'em. But he won't any more." She interjected a significant "Huh!" He broke off abruptly, pale with anger. "Well, I want to see him, and I want to see him before noon," he snapped. "I'm goin' over to the bank, an' if he knows what's good for him he'll come there pretty darn quick."

He swung on one heel and slouched out as Betty turned to go upstairs.



BLINKY LOCKWOOD.

Presently she reappeared, pinning on her sad little hat, and left the store.

It was upward of an hour before she returned, walking quickly and very erect with her head up and shoulders back, her eyes suspiciously bright. Even old Sam, who had returned from the depot after missing Blinky at the bank—even he, blind as he ordinarily was, saw instantly that something was wrong with the child.

"Why, Betty," he cried in solicitude as she fung into the store—"Betty, dear, what's the matter?"

For an instant she seemed speechless. Then she tore the hat from her head and cast it regardlessly upon the counter. "Father," she cried—"father!" and gulped to down her emotion. "Can you get me some money?"

"Money? Why, Betty, what?" Her foot came down on the floor impatiently. "Can you get me some money?" she repeated in a breath.

"Well—er—how much, Betty?" He tried to touch her, to take her to his arms, but she moved away, her sorry little figure quivering from head to feet.

"Enough," she said, half sobbing—"enough to buy a dress—a nice dress—a dress that will surprise folks."

"But tell me what the matter is, Betty. Wanting a dress would never upset you like this."

She whipped the cracked and crumpled card from her pocket and pushed

it was not kind. It was mean! It was mean!"

"Oh, Betty," he begged in consternation, "don't say that. I'm sure!"

"Oh, you don't know! I heard the girls talkin' in the postoffice—Angie Tutthill and Mame Garrison and Bessie Gabriel. I was round by the boxes where they couldn't see me, but I could hear them, and they were laughin' because I was invited. They said the reason Josie did it was because she knew I didn't have anything to wear, and she wanted to hear what excuse I'd make for not goin'. Ah, I heard them!"

"Oh, but Betty, Betty," he pleaded, "don't you mind what they say. Don't!"

"But I do mind; I can't help mindin'. They're mean." She paused, her features hardening. "I'm goin' to that party," she declared tensely; "I'm goin' to that party, and—and I'm goin' to have a dress to go in too! I don't care what I do—I'm goin' to have that dress!"

Sam would have soothed her as best he might, but she would neither look at nor come near him.

"Well see," he said gently. "We'll see. I'll try."

She turned on him, exasperated beyond thought. "That only means you can't help me!"

"Oh, no, it doesn't. I'll do what I can."

"Have you got any money now?"

He hung his head to avoid her blazing eyes. "Well—no—not at present, but here's this new stock and—"

"That doesn't mean anything, and you know it. You owe that note to Mr. Lockwood, don't you? And you can't pay it."

"Not today, Betty, but he'll give me a little more time, I'm sure. He's kind, very kind."

"You don't know him. He's as mean—as mean as dirt—as mean as Josie."

"Betty!"

"Then if you did get any money you'd have to give it to him, wouldn't you?"

"Yes, but I'm sure—I think it'll come all right."

"Ah, what's the use of talkin' that way? What's the use of talkin' that way?"



"NOW DON'T SAY THAT."

all? I know you can't do anything for me, and so do you!"

Sam had dropped into his chair, unable to stand before this storm; he stared now, mute with amazement, at this child who had so long, so uncomplainingly, shared his poverty and privations, grown suddenly to the stature of a woman—and a tormented, passionate woman, stung to the quick by the injustice of her lot. He put out a hand in a feeble gesture of placation, but she brushed it away as she bent toward him, speaking so quickly that her words stumbled and ran into one another.

"I can't understand it!" she raged. "Why is it that I have to be more shabby than any other girl in town? Why is it that the others have all the fun and I all the drudgery? Why is it that I can't ever go anywhere with the boys and girls and laugh and—and have a good time like the rest do?"

Sam bent his head to the blast. In his lap his hands worked nervously. But he could not answer her.

"It ain't that I mind the cookin' and doin' the housework and—all the rest—but why is it you can never give me anything at all? Why must it be that every one looks down on us and sneers and laughs at us? Why is it that half the time we haven't got enough to eat? Other men manage to take care of their families and give their children things to wear. You've got only us two to look after, and you can't even do that. It isn't right, it isn't decent, and if I were you I'd be ashamed of myself!"

Her temper had spent itself, and with this final cry she checked abruptly, with a catch at her breath for shame of what she had let herself say. But, childlike, she was not ready to own her sorrow, and she turned her back, trembling.

Sam, too, was shaken. In his heart he knew there was justification for her indictment, truth in what she had said. And he was heartbroken for her. He got up unsteadily and put a gentle hand upon her shoulder.

"Why, Betty—"

A dry sob interrupted him. He pulled himself together and forced his voice to a tone of confidence. "Just be a little patient, dear. I'm sure things will be better with us soon. Just a little more patience; that's all. Why, there was a gentleman here this morning from Noo York city talkin' about an invention of mine."

The girl moved restlessly, shaking off his hand. "Invention!" she echoed bitterly. "Oh, father! Everybody knows they're no good! You've been wastin' time on 'em ever since I can remember, and you've never made a dollar out of one yet."



"HE'LL COME PRETTY DARN QUICK."

it into his hand. "Look at that!" she bade him and turned away, struggling with all her might to keep back the tears.

He read, his old face softening. "Josie Lockwood's party, eh? And she's sent you an invitation. Well, that was kind of her, very kind."

She swung upon him in a fury. "No, she swung upon him in a fury. "No,

He bowed to the truth of this, then again braced up bravely. "But this gentleman seemed quite interested. He's over to the Bigelow House now. I think I'll step over and have a talk with him."

"You'd much better go and have a talk with Blinky Lockwood," she told him brutally. "He's waitin' for you at the bank and said he wasn't goin' to wait after 12 o'clock neither!"

"Well, perhaps you're right. I'll go there. It's after 12, but"— He started to get his hat and stopped with an exclamation. "Why, Nat! I didn't know you'd got back!"

Duncan was at the back of the store clearing the last remnants of the old stock from the shelves. "Yes," he said pleasantly, without turning, "I've been here some time cleaning up the cellar to make room for the stuff that's coming in. I came upstairs just a moment ago, but you were so busy talking you didn't notice me."

He paused, swept the empty shelves with a calculating glance and came out around the end of the counter. "Everything's in tiptop shape," he said. "I checked up the bill of lading myself, and there's not a thing missing, not a bit of breakage. Mr. Graham," he continued, dropping a gentle hand on the old man's shoulder, "you're going to have the finest drug store in the state within six months. With the stuff that Sperry has sent us we can make Sothern & Lee look like 65 cents on the dollar. We're going to make things hum in this old shop, and don't you forget it."

He laughed lightly, with a note of encouragement. But he avoided Graham's eyes even as he did Betty's. He could not meet the pitiful look of the former, any more than that stare of hostility and defiance in the latter.

"It's good of you, my boy," Graham quavered. "I—but I'm afraid it won't."

"Now don't say that!" Duncan interposed firmly. "And don't let me keep you. I think you said you were going out on business? And I'll be busy enough right here."

And, without exactly knowing how it had come about, Graham found himself in the street, stumbling downtown toward the bank.

When he had gone Duncan would have returned to the shelves for a final reading up. He desired least of all things an encounter with Betty in her present frame of mind. With a sudden movement she threw herself in front of Duncan.

"So you were listening!"

"I'm sorry," he said uncomfortably. "I didn't mean to hear anything," he argued plaintively. "I was in the room before I understood and by the time I did it was too late—you had finished."

"Oh, don't try to explain. I—I hate you!" she continued.

He held her eyes inquiringly. "Yes," he said in the tone of one who solves a puzzling problem. "I believe you do."

She looked away, shaking with passion. "You just better believe it."

"But," he went on quietly, "you don't hate your father, too, do you, Miss Graham?"

"What do you mean by that, Mr. Duncan?"

"I mean," he said, faltering, "I'm going to give you a bit of advice. Don't you talk to your father again the way you did just now."

"Well, you ain't me!" she cried savagely. "You ain't me! Understand that? When I want advice from you I'll ask for it. Until I do you let me alone."

"Very well," he replied so calmly that she lost her bearings for a moment. And inevitably this, emphasizing as it did all that she resented most in him—his education, wit, address, his

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"A pretty good guess at that," he acknowledged candidly.

"Yes, it is, and I know it, and you know it. Oh, it's easy enough to give advice when you've got plenty of money and fine clothes and—but—"

"I understand," he said when she paused to get a grip upon herself and find again the words she needed. "You needn't say any more. The only rea-

to meet her eyes shinning with wonder. She grasped his arm timidly.

"I wanted to ask you," she said hastily, "if—was it this friend you spoke about—that found you in the park—who set you on the road to fortune?"

"That's what he said," Duncan answered whimsically.

[TO BE CONTINUED.]

Lost Forever.

"Ah, you flatterer!" she said, with a pretty pout.

"Do you really think I am a flatterer?" he asked.

"Of course," she replied, with a bewitching smile.

"Well, since you are not to be fooled I suppose I may as well admit it."

Then she angrily got up and left him.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Notice of Hearing Claims before Court.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Jane Summerville, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that six months from the 12th day of December A. D. 1910, have been allowed for creditors to present their claims against said deceased to said court for examination and adjustment, and that all creditors of said deceased are required to present their claims to said court, at the probate office, in the Village of Caro in said county, on or before the 12th day of June A. D. 1911, and that said claims will be heard by said court on Monday the 12th day of June A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated January 6th A. D. 1911.
D. HEALY CLARK,
Judge of Probate.

Probate seal. 1-13-4

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION. Final Administration Account.

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

At a session of said court, held at the probate office in the Village of Caro, in said county, on the 9th day of January A. D. 1911.

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

In the matter of the Estate of Theodore H. Fritz, Deceased.

Grant L. Fritz having filed in said court his final administration account, and a petition praying for the allowance thereof and for the assignment and distribution of the residue of said estate.

It is ordered, that the 6th day of February A. D. 1911, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for examining and allowing said account and hearing said petition;

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

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"I'VE SLEPT ON PARK BENCHES."

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LOCAL ITEMS.

Election Jan. 30.
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Burt Barton of Midland spent Sunday with his family here.
Mrs. Peter Dymond of Saginaw visited friends here this week.
James Klump entertained the juniors at his home Thursday evening.
B. F. and J. A. Benkelman left on Tuesday to attend the auto show in Detroit.
Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McGeorge are attending the automobile show in Detroit this week.
Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Striffler entertained relatives at a dinner party Wednesday.
Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Schwegler entertained a number of relatives at dinner Sunday.
Miss Zuleika Wallace of Gagetown is spending the week at the home of J. H. Striffler.

Miss Myrl Rowley entertained eight of her schoolmates at a five o'clock tea Wednesday evening.
Mrs. Ella Turner left Wednesday for Santiago, California, via Saginaw, Detroit and Chicago.
The fourth grade and their teacher, Miss Nina Karr, enjoyed a sleigh-ride party on Wednesday afternoon.
Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Ide and Miss Bernice McMann of Cleveland, Ohio, were guests at the Wm. Kile home over Sunday.

A farmers' dinner will be served in the dining room of the Presbyterian church Wednesday, Jan. 25, commencing at 11:30 a. m.

David and Clement Tyo and families were the guests of Peter and Joseph Rocheleau in Elmwood Sunday.

John Kitson of Portage la Prairie, Manitoba, and Mrs. Robt. Carruthers of Marlette were the guests of their cousin, Mrs. Levi DeLong, from Saturday to Monday.

John Carruthers returned recently from a visit with Canadian friends. While across the border, he spent some time in Chatham, St. Thomas, London and Tilsonburg.

Clark Bixby brought his children to school in a cutter Thursday morning, and as he was turning around to drive back home, the cutter upset, Mr. Bixby was thrown out, and his shoulder joint dislocated. In the mix-up, the horse was badly cut.

A surprise party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Crawford Tuesday evening. Those who attended from town were Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lee and Mr. and Mrs. D. Losey. The other guests were relatives and neighbors and numbered about sixty in all. Many games were played and refreshments served.

Archie Rocheleau of Caro was the guest of his daughter, Mrs. David Tyo, the first of the week. Mr. Rocheleau was the eldest of a four-generation group at the home of Clement Tyo Sunday. Mrs. Tyo, his daughter, Clement Tyo, a grandson, and little Forest Tyo, a great grandson, were the other members.

The Woman's Study Club elected the following officers for the next club year: President, Mrs. I. B. Auten; first vice president, Mrs. H. F. Lenzner; second vice president, Mrs. J. E. Seed; secretary, Mrs. G. A. Striffler; treasurer, Mrs. I. A. Fritz; instructor, Mrs. J. H. Hays; librarian, Miss Bertha McKenzie; critic, Miss Ethel McGregory. The club also voted to join the State Federation of Clubs. Mrs. J. E. Seed will open her home for the next session Jan. 30.

The members of the Y. P. A. accepted an invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Burton Elliott to spend a social meeting at their home on the county line Tuesday evening. In connection with a good time the entertainment committee deemed it feasible to raise a small amount towards diminishing the church debt and made arrangements for a box social. After spending several hours in playing old-fashioned games, the boxes were sold at auction, \$8.20 being realized from the sale. Over 50 young people were present.

G. E. Perkins has received word that his son, Ernest, was put in command of Company B on his arrival at the navy yard at Norfolk, Va., his new station. This news is indeed gratifying to his friends here as the young man has but recently left the training school. He writes: "We have an elegant large house to live in. I am living at present with another 2nd lieutenant by name of Reno, one of the first class. The barracks are about a mile from the navy yard and you inspect your sentries on horseback. They have 11 posts here which makes a pretty large guard. We have a nice band and it helps liven things up a bit. It is rumored that we are going to have 15 vacancies in the corps within the next few months. If so, it will make me a 1st lieutenant as I am only No. 14 now. I sincerely hope it is true."

Miss Lena Muck is on the sick list.

J. D. Crosby left Thursday for Mt. Clemens.

John Wettlaufer of Canboro moved to town Friday.

John Wettlaufer was a caller in Canboro Tuesday.

G. A. Striffler is attending the auto show in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Auten are spending a week in Detroit.

Cyrus Lown and Louis Jarvis of Canboro were callers in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock left Monday for a business trip to Detroit.

Mrs. Alvin Summers attended the funeral of her father in Oxford the latter part of last week.

John McPhee and son, John, of Muncie, Ind., spent Sunday with the former's mother, Mrs. Mary McPhee.

Chas. B. Lackie of Swan Creek, Mich., spent Sunday at the home of Mrs. A. Z. Cleaver returning Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wettlaufer are spending the week with their son, Dr. E. J. Wettlaufer, in Detroit.

A large Elmwood sleigh conveyed many people to the revival meeting at the Baptist church Sunday evening.

Mrs. J. H. Wooley and daughter, Laura, returned Monday from a two weeks' visit with friends and relatives in Bay City.

Miss Mattie McPhail returned Friday to her home in Wickware, after spending three weeks with friends in Detroit and Toledo.

Hugh McBurney, who was visiting friends here Monday, was called to his home in Argyle that evening by the illness of his wife.

Rev. J. A. Schweitzer's theme for Sunday morning service in the Evangelical church is, "The Glory of the Cross"; evening, "What is Prayer?" Both sermons will be given in the English language and in the evening the preaching services will be preceded by the Y. P. A. meeting at 6:30. The leader will be Miss Martha Striffler.

Mrs. A. Z. Cleaver and J. D. Brooker attended the funeral of Mrs. Jas. W. Cleaver of Hancock, Mich., formerly of Caro, Mich., which was held at Caro Tuesday, Jan. 10. Mrs. Cleaver died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Geo. Blue, 367 Merrick Ave., Detroit, Jan. 8, of a paralytic stroke. She leaves a husband and two children, Mrs. Geo. Blue of Detroit and Rev. Geo. Cleaver, of Big Rapids, to mourn her loss.

Mrs. Robert Brown of Novesta was pleasantly surprised on Friday by a post card shower from a number of her friends congratulating her on the birth of her little son, Kenneth Reuben, who came to bless her home on New Years eve. The friends who remembered her will be glad to know their little tokens of love brought a great glow of brightness into the sick room and will be long and gratefully remembered by Mrs. Brown.

The following paragraph was clipped from a Detroit paper and will be of interest to Chronicle readers: "Announcement is made of the marriage of Mrs. Elizabeth Deming to M. M. McGrath, which took place on Thursday, Rev. Maurice Penfield Fikes of the Woodward Avenue Baptist church performing the ceremony. The wedding was most quietly celebrated, none but a few intimate friends even knowing that it was contemplated at this time, as plans had been made for a wedding at a later date."

David Ross has taken the agency of The Detroit Times and says he has secured a nice list for that daily in this vicinity. Mr. Ross says that the position of The Times in refusing all liquor advertisements has won many friends and subscribers. This step is said to cost the Times \$5000 a year in advertising receipts in a year and that paper is the first daily of the state metropolis to enjoy that distinction. The Chronicle and many other Thumb newspapers have not run beer or liquor advertisements for years. The financial loss to one paper has by no means reached the thousand dollar mark, but the proportionate sacrifice made in order to present them with a cleaner newspaper might be worth while considering by its readers.

When Chas. H. Travis came home Wednesday evening, he was puzzled to find several members of Echo Chapter assisting Mrs. Travis in arranging the table for a larger number than the regular family circle. Chas. admitted he was surprised and assisted in welcoming the ladies and their husbands who arrived shortly after to enjoy the pot luck supper which was served. Later old-time games were played and "the young people" had a merry time. Mr. Travis is a faithful member of the Star Order, and in showing their appreciation, the guests gave him several puffs by presenting him with a box of cigars.

John Renshler left Friday for a business trip to Flint.

John Martin of Kingston was a caller in town Saturday.

Mrs. Hersey Young of Deford is visiting with friends here.

Cyrus King of Argyle was a business caller in town Tuesday.

S. Sussman left Saturday for a few days' visit in Owendale.

Chris Chaffee left Thursday for a visit with friends in Detroit.

Samuel Sherk and Howard Retherford of Deford were callers here on Monday.

Norris Winslow left Monday for Ann Arbor where he will spend a few days.

Ray Meiser left Monday for Pontiac where he has secured employment.

Mrs. John Clothier of Marlette is the guest of Mrs. James Dorman this week.

J. P. Chisholm of Brown City came Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Chisholm.

Wm. Kile and daughter, Miss Leone, spent part of last week in Pontiac and Detroit.

Miss Gertrude Henesey left Monday for a two weeks' visit with friends in Detroit.

Miss Olive Brown left Monday for Traverse City where she has secured employment.

Miss Bessie Roblin and Charles Black of Sheridan spent Saturday with friends here.

The next W. C. T. U. meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Wm. McKenzie Jan. 27, at 2:30.

About forty friends of M. Anthes gathered at his home Friday evening to help celebrate his birthday.

Leo Tyo returned Friday from a visit in Paris, Jennings and several other points. He was absent about two weeks.

Mrs. Alex Graham returned Friday to her home in Detroit after visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Graham for several weeks.

Miss Pearl Agar entertained the sixth grade at her home Friday evening. Refreshments were served and many outdoor and indoor sports and games were indulged in.

S. H. Brown has placed a gasoline engine, power rip saw, and band saw in his new wood shop in the building first door east of Bigelow's hardware. He intends adding a jointer machine in the near future.

Miss Frances McGillivray is a member of the Mt. Pleasant Normal Basket Ball Team and is doing her part in keeping the team in the winning ranks the same as she did when she held a similar position with the local high schools girls. Friday evening the Mt. Pleasant team won from Lakeview high school by a 37 to 24 score. The Central State Normal girls have held the state championship of the Normal schools for four years in succession.

A good country road is always to be desired and is a source of comfort and convenience to every traveler. Good roads attract population, as well as good schools and churches. Good roads improve the value of the property, so that it is said a farm lying five miles from market, connected by a bad road is of less value than an equally good farm lying ten miles away from market connected by a good road. A larger load can be drawn by one horse over a good road than by two over a bad one. Good roads encourage the greater exchange of products and commodities between one section and another.

The revival services at the Baptist church are being largely attended and much interest has been manifested. Ten decisions are the result of the efforts made thus far. Rev. W. E. Crouter of Marlette has been assisting Rev. L. A. Townsend, the pastor, but he was obliged to leave yesterday, being called home by the death of his father-in-law. "The Tent Dissolved and the Mansion Entered" is the subject of the Sunday morning sermon by Mr. Townsend. The evening service will be evangelistic in character and at that time it will be announced whether the special services will be continued or not.

T. H. Ahr writes the Chronicle from Ferrell, Idaho, as follows: "We have had a very mild and pleasant winter so far. It has only been down around zero once this winter and then only one morning. We have had good sleighing since a few days before Christmas. We now have about 10 inches of snow. I came very near saying "on the level" but the snow is always on the level here, we never see a snow drift here. Dan is now on his way from San Francisco to Brenneron, Wash. He is on the U. S. S. Colorado and has already had a trip to South America. Four steamers of the Pacific fleet went down to Valparaiso, Chile, to some Exposition celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of Chile's independence. We are expecting him home on a furlough now most any time."

Clark Bixby spent the first of the week in Sandusky.

Clayton Schenck left Monday for Pontiac where he has employment.

E. W. Jones left Monday afternoon for Chicago where he transacted business.

The seventh grade was entertained at the home of Miss Lena Brown Friday evening.

I. W. Hall and his nephew, Fred Hall, are attending the auto show at Detroit.

Mrs. G. W. Goff is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Ella Peterson, in Flint this week.

Mrs. D. A. Graham of Vassar was the guest of her daughter, Mrs. E. W. Jones, this week.

Miss Eliza Maurer is very ill at the home of Irving Loomis on the John Benkelman farm.

S. W. Striffler of Argyle was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chris. Striffler, Sunday.

Supervisor and Mrs. Geo. Hall entertained a company of friends at their farm home Monday evening.

Mrs. J. F. Hendrick returned Monday from Sebewaing where she visited with friends and relatives a few days.

The idea of teaching every girl to thump the piano, and every boy to be a bookkeeper will make potatoes worth \$8 a barrel in 20 years.

Margaret Louise, a little miss of eight pounds, came Thursday morning to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarke W. McKenzie at Kalamazoo.

A woman in Clifford whose husband died recently, leaving her \$2,000 life insurance, reported the sad news to her eastern relatives thusly: "Jim died this week. Loss fully covered by insurance."

The Rummell Concert Co. gave a delightful program at the opera house Friday evening. The violin selections given by Wm. Morse-Rummell were especially well received. The next number of the lecture course will be given by Osceola Pooler on March 17.

The following delegates were elected from Elkland township Wednesday evening to attend the republican county convention at Caro Thursday: J. C. Corkins, Wm. Morris, J. D. Brooker, A. E. Boulton, C. D. Striffler, S. Bardwell and John Spurgeon, Jr.

A "girl" living not far from this city, of rather ancient appearance, was asked why she did not marry. Her reply is practical, if it is anything. She said, "I have some money of my own; have a parrot that can swear and a monkey that can chew. What need have I of a husband?" Can anybody answer this sensible female?

For some time the Woman's Study Club has been planning the establishment of a library and reading room in Cass City and recently I. B. Auten tendered the Club the use of rooms over his bank, rent free. The offer was a most generous one and is duly appreciated by the members. The Club has been considering adding a club room where young men and boys might spend a pleasant evening in games of various kinds, and in the event of this being done, it would be obliged to arrange for larger quarters than those over the bank. It still remains true, whether Mr. Auten's offer is accepted or not, that the public spirit manifested by him is of the right brand, and a community cannot be favored with too much of it.

There Are Others.



"Why does Grabem always walk with his hands in his pockets on Sundays?"

"Reckon he wants a change. He has 'em in other people's on other days in the week."

Card of Thanks.

To the kind friends and neighbors who so willingly assisted us during the sickness and death of our beloved daughter, Lulu, we wish to express our heartfelt thanks, also to those sending the beautiful flowers and assisting in the music.

O. D. Hopkins and Family.

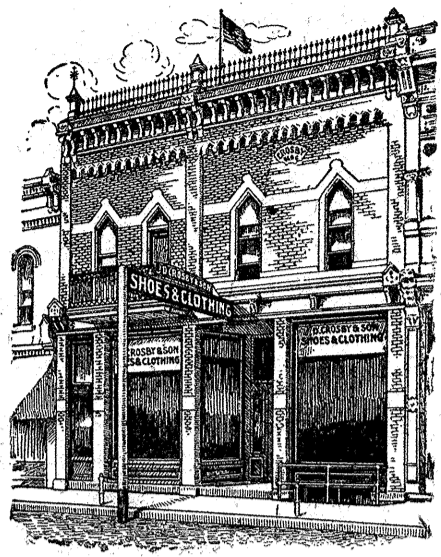
Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our appreciation to the friends for the assistance and sympathy tendered at the burial of our mother; also for the floral offerings from the Royal Neighbors and the M. E. Ladies' Aid. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McKenzie.

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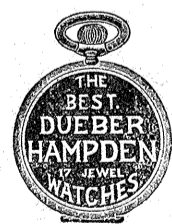
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OFFICIAL

Proceeding of the Board of Supervisors, Tuscola County

OCTOBER SESSION, 1910

Court Room, Monday, Oct. 10th, 1910.

The Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County met in the village of Caro, in said County according to statute made and provided for Monday, the tenth day of October, in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and ten.

The said Board of Supervisors was called to order by Robt P. Reavey, County Clerk. On motion of Supr. Fink, supported by Supr. McPherson and carried, Supr. Chas. W. McNeal was elected temporary Chairman.

The roll was called by the Clerk and the following Supervisors responded to call: Almer, Denney, Fink, Wirth, Jr., Elkland, George Hall, Elington, James Wilson, Elmwood, John Jackson, Eugene, Frank, Gilford, Moses Hill, Indianfields, Joseph H. Beckton, J. H. Hunter, Koylton, Albert Blauev, Millington, Henry Van Wagener, Novesta, Ernestus C. Brainerd, James C. McPherson, Vassar, Erastus C. Brainerd, Watertown, Alonzo J. Sherman, Wm. J. Hartz, absent.

Majority present. Horst, supported by Supr. McPherson that we adjourn until 1 o'clock p. m. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session. Meeting called to order by Supr. McNeal, temporary Chairman.

Roll called. Present. The election of a permanent Chairman was declared the next in order.

The name of Supr. Denney was presented and on motion of Supr. Sherman, supported by Supr. Jackson, the rules were suspended and the Clerk was instructed to cast the unanimous vote of this Board for Supr. Erastus C. Brainerd as permanent Chairman.

Supr. John Jackson asked for and was granted leave of absence from Tuesday's session to this Board as soon as convenient.

Chairman appointed as such special committee Supr. Joseph H. Beckton, James H. Hunter and John Jackson.

Moved by Supr. Horst, supported by Supr. Wirth, Jr., and carried, that we adjourn until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

ERASTUS C. BRAINERD, Chairman.

ROBT P. REAVEY, Clerk.

Court Room, Tuesday, Oct. 11th, 1910.

Roll called. Present. Called to order by Chairman Brainerd.

Roll called. Quorum present. Minutes of Monday's session read and approved.

On motion of Supr. Horst, supported by Supr. Fink and carried, the election of a School Superintendent was made special order for Saturday, Oct. 15th, at forenoon session.

The Chairman announced to the Board his appointment of the following standing committees:

Ways and Means—Suprs. Jacob Horst, Edward Coleman and Alonzo J. Sherman.

Equalization—Suprs. Fred Wirth, Jr., Chas. W. McNeal, Asa Phelps, John Jackson, Robert Brown, George Hall and Joseph H. Beckton.

Claims and Accounts—Suprs. Henry Van Wagener, James Wilson and James McPherson.

To Settle with County Clerk and County Treasurer—Suprs. Chas. W. McNeal, Alonzo J. Sherman and Arnold McComb.

State and County Tax—Suprs. William J. Hartz, August Fink and Albert Blauev.

Rejected Tax—Suprs. Alexander Russell, Arnold McComb and Albert Blauev.

To Settle with Supts. of Poor—Suprs. August Fink, John Jackson and Moses Hill.

Roads and Bridges—Suprs. Joseph H. Beckton, Floyd S. Ross and James Wilson.

To Settle with Drain Commissioner—Suprs. Moses Hill, William F. Dowling and James H. Hunter.

County Buildings—Suprs. George Hall, Fred Wirth, Jr. and Alonzo J. Sherman.

County Printing—Suprs. James C. McPherson, Edward Coleman and Robert Brown.

Officers' Salaries—Suprs. Alonzo J. Sherman, Wm. J. Hartz and James McPherson.

On motion of Supr. Coleman, supported by Supr. Fink and carried, that we take a recess until 2 o'clock p. m.

Afternoon Session. Board called to order by Chairman Brainerd. Quorum present.

Preamble and resolution asking for incorporation of Village of Akron read by Supr. Horst.

Whereas, a petition praying for the incorporation of a village to be known by and under the name of the Village of Akron, was duly filed with the Clerk of the County of Tuscola, Michigan, on the first day of September, 1910, and the same is now pending before this Board.

Whereas, said petition conforms in all respects to the provisions of Act No. 275 of the Public Acts of 1907, and the session laws of the State of Michigan, for the year 1907, and whereas also the statements contained in said petition are in all respects true; therefore be it

Resolved, That the question of incorporating the territory mentioned and described in said petition, viz: The south and east portion of township fourteen, north of range eight east, County of Tuscola and State of Michigan, be and it is hereby is hereby referred to a committee of three members to be appointed by this Board, to examine the same and report thereon to this Board at the time of the next regular session of this Board, to be held on the first day of December, one thousand nine hundred and ten.

On motion of Supr. Beckton, supported by Supr. Russell, and carried, petition of this Board to make an investigation of the advisability of removing the wooden structure used as the main building and site of the County Farm, and the replacing of the same with a brick structure to meet the requirements of the State Board of said departments. Also to ascertain the estimated cost of same. Motion prevailed.

The Chairman appointed as such committee, Suprs. George Hall, Fred Wirth, Jr., Chas. W. McNeal and Henry Van Wagener.

Petitions praying that election be held in the Village of Akron, County of Tuscola, under the provisions of Act No. 207, of the Public Acts of 1897, as amended by Act 183 of the Public Acts of 1899, to ascertain the will of the qualified electors of said County, whether or not the manufacture of liquors and the liquor traffic should be prohibited within the limits of said County.

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On request Supr. Robt Brown was excused from Wednesday's session.

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On motion of Supr. Sherman, supported by Supr. Brown, that we adjourn until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Motion prevailed.

ERASTUS C. BRAINERD, Chairman.

ROBT P. REAVEY, Clerk.

Court Room, Wednesday, Oct. 12th, 1910.

Board called to order by Chairman Brainerd. Quorum present.

Report of Committee on Claims and Accounts.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Claims and Accounts beg leave to report that they have had under consideration claims Nos. 1 to 21 inclusive, and recommend that they be allowed except No. 11, as per record of bills audited. All of which is respectfully submitted.

HENRY VAN WAGNER, Chairman.

JAMES C. MCPHERSON, Clerk.

Moved by Supr. Sherman, supported by Supr. Hill, that report of Committee on Claims and Accounts be accepted and adopted as drawn for same. Motion prevailed.

On motion of Supr. McPherson, supported by Supr. Horst, and carried, the election of a Superintendent of the Poor was made a special order of business for Thursday's session.

Mr. Tice, representing W. M. Welch Mfg. Co. school supplies, was given a hearing under which the Clerk was instructed to cast the unanimous vote of this Board for Supr. Ernestus C. Brainerd as Superintendent of the Poor, and carried, that we adjourn until tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

ERASTUS C. BRAINERD, Chairman.

ROBT P. REAVEY, Clerk.

Board called to order by Chairman Brainerd. Quorum present.

Report of Committee on Claims and Accounts.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County:

Gentlemen—Your Committee on Claims and Accounts beg leave to report that they have had under consideration claims numbers 51 to 78 inclusive, and recommend that they be allowed as per record of bills audited. All of which is respectfully submitted.

HENRY VAN WAGNER, Chairman.

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ERASTUS C. BRAINERD, Chairman.

ROBT P. REAVEY, Clerk.

Court Room, Thursday, Oct. 13th, 1910.

Board called to order by Chairman Brainerd at 10 o'clock a. m.

Roll called. Quorum present. Minutes of Wednesday's session read and approved.

Communication from the Board of Corrections and Charities, Lansing, Michigan, read by the Clerk.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County:

Gentlemen—I am directed by the members of the Board to write you in regard to the condition of your jail. A visit was recently made by a representative of the Board, and it was found that the jail is dark and needs a thorough cleaning after which it should be repainted in a light color. The plumbing was in poor condition, and new seats are needed for the closets. The bathtub should also be refinished. I am directed also to call your attention to section 3 of Act No. 287, of the Public Acts of 1907. Extra session, which makes it your duty to provide a suitable detention place for juveniles who are committed to the jail. At the time of the visit two dependent children were being cared for at the jail. In consequence of the fact that dependent prisoners, it has been held by the Attorney General's department that they should not even be kept in the residence portion of the jail. In many counties arrangements have been made with private families, and children are placed in the custody of the family during the pendency of the cases before the Juvenile Court. It is earnestly recommended by the Board that you give these matters your attention.

Yours very truly,

M. T. MURRAY, Secretary.

On motion of Supr. Beckton, supported by Supr. Jackson, that communication from State Board of Corrections and Charities be received and placed on file. Motion prevailed.

Communication from County Treasurer read by the Clerk which reads as follows:

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County:

Gentlemen—No liquor tax having been received during the time I have been County Treasurer my pay has been three hundred and seventy dollars less than it otherwise would have been. The actual time required to make out the license would not exceed three days, and I hardly think my compensation should be reduced by such an amount by reason of being relieved of three days work. It is impossible for one person to do the work of three and in order to have a competent clerk when needed, it is necessary to employ one all the time. The cost of living expenses, and the cost of having some additional compensation. It has been the practice in some counties of the State to present a bill for allowance for clerk hire which has been allowed.

With the entire view that I may be partially relieved for the loss sustained in consequence of no license fees having been collected, as heretofore, I have filed with the Clerk of your Board a bill, a copy of which is hereto attached, and after an investigation of the matter, hope you will give it favorable consideration.

Respectfully yours,

WM. F. STODARD, County Treasurer.

Dated, Oct. 13th, 1910.

On motion of Supr. Sherman, supported by Supr. Hill, that the communication and bill from the County Treasurer be received and referred to Committee on Claims and Accounts. Motion prevailed.

On motion of Supr. Horst, supported by Supr. Wilson, that we take a recess until 2 o'clock p. m. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session. Board called to order by Chairman Brainerd. Quorum present.

Report of Soldiers' Relief Commission read by the Clerk.

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County:

Gentlemen—We beg leave to submit the following report of the Soldiers' Relief Commission for the year ending Oct. 10th, 1910. Whole number of orders issued, 33; aggregate amount of orders issued, \$288.25; balance on hand, \$50.00. Amount of money received, \$100.00. Total \$148.25. Treasurer's balance on hand, \$48.25.

We hereby request that the Board of Supervisors set aside the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300) for the use of said Soldiers' Relief Commission for the ensuing year of 1910-1911.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

DANIEL P. DEMING, Chairman.

D. M. MACOMB, Secretary.

JOHN H. BURGESS, Sec. of Board of Soldiers' Relief Commission.

On motion of Supr. Sherman, supported by Supr. Hill, that the communication and bill from the County Treasurer be received and referred to Committee on Claims and Accounts. Motion prevailed.

On motion of Supr. Horst, supported by Supr. Wilson, that we take a recess until 2 o'clock p. m. Motion prevailed.

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On motion of Supr. Fink, supported by Supr. McPherson, that the report of the Soldiers' Relief Commission be reported and placed on file, and that a resolution relating to the raising of money be referred to the Committee on Ways and Means. Motion prevailed.

The election of a Superintendent of the Poor having been previously made a special order for this afternoon, the session was declared to be in order at this time.

The name of Guy S. Graham was presented by Supr. Joseph H. Beckton, and the name of no other candidates were named. On motion of Supr. Beckton, supported by Supr. Wirth, Jr., that the rules be suspended and the election of a Superintendent of the Poor be made a special order for Thursday's session.

The Clerk announced that 23 votes were cast for Guy S. Graham as Superintendent of the Poor, and that the name of Guy S. Graham was declared unanimously.

Respectfully yours,

D. HEALY CLARK, Judge of Probate.

Dated Oct. 13th, 1910.

On motion of Supr. McNeal, supported by Supr. Horst, and carried, that communication except the attached statement from the Judge of Probate be received and placed on file. Motion prevailed.

Resolution by Supr. McNeal: Resolved, That the Judge of Probate for hearing under which the Clerk was authorized to be further as Probate Register; and be it further that the salary of the Probate Register shall be increased four hundred (\$400.00) dollars, to be paid by the County Treasurer out of funds in his hands not otherwise appropriated.

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Respectfully yours,

by Supr. Hill, that report of Superintendents of the Poor be accepted and adopted and that portion referred to the raising of the several Townships...

Bureau of Labor, Sec. 37, Act 235, 1909... 426 73 Tax for Prisons, Current Expense, Sec. 2, Act 13, 1909... 1,408 22

Kingston and Koylton, complete except as to one section near upper end. Sheboygan and Branches, Tuscola, complete with exception of two sections...

By Charles Rondo and others for cleaning out, deepening, widening, etc. of so-called 'Markham Drain'...

to Township Boards and denied by them. By Jacob Honold and others for drain in Arbelia and Birch Run requiring joint action with Drain Commissioners...

Paid By District Officers 76,401 76 By Rondo et al. 7,543 59 By Juror Orders Paid 1,288 50

We also recommend that the Supervisors of the several Townships be authorized to correct descriptions and re-assess the taxes on the following descriptions of lands...

Moved by Supr. Auditor General, supported by Supr. Brown, that communication from Auditor General be accepted and adopted...

The applications for drains mentioned have been approved and steps taken toward their final location and establishment...

Moved by Supr. McPherson, supported by Supr. Fink, that report of County Drain Commissioner be received and adopted...

Moved by Supr. McPherson, supported by Supr. Fink, that the report of Committee on Equalization be accepted and adopted...

Moved by Supr. Hunter, supported by Supr. Phelps, that report of committee to settle with County Clerk of County Treasurer be accepted and adopted...

1908. Sw 1/4 of se 1/4 and se 1/4 of sw 1/4, except one 1/2 acre, section 32, town 12 north, range 9 east, 79 acres; state tax, \$1.82; county tax, \$2.70; town tax, \$1.20; total, \$5.72...

1908. E 1/2 of se 1/4 of sw 1/4, less school lot, section 26, town 11 north, range 7 east, 39 acres; state tax, \$2.43; county tax, \$1.32; town tax, \$1.27; total, \$5.02...

1908. E 1/2 of se 1/4 of sw 1/4, less school lot, section 11, town 12 north, range 8 east, 11 acres; state tax, \$1.52; county tax, \$1.27; town tax, \$1.20; total, \$4.09...

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All of which is respectfully submitted. FRED WIRTH, JR., C. W. MCNEAL, ASA PHELPS, JOHN JACKSON, GEORGE HALL, JOSEPH H. BECKTON, Committee.

hundred (\$1,500.00) dollars per year. Third—That the County Drain Commissioner be allowed twelve hundred (\$1,200.00) dollars per year for necessary expenses pertaining to the office per year.

Fourth—That the County Clerk's salary be fixed at the sum of one thousand (\$1,000.00) dollars per year.

Fifth—That the County Superintendent of the Poor be allowed three dollars per day each for the time spent by them in the performance of the duty pertaining to their office.

All of which is respectfully submitted. A. J. SHERMAN, JAMES C. McPHERSON, Committee.

Moved by Supr. Brown, supported by Supr. Wilson, that report of Committee on County Officers' Salary be accepted and adopted. Motion prevailed.

Communication from County Officers read by Clerk. To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County:

The vault space for the four county offices in the Court House is practically exhausted, and in some instances there are no records, and if destroyed, it will be impossible to duplicate them. No one can question the necessity of providing some vault space where records can be preserved.

We therefore respectfully ask that your Board will authorize in the premises that will provide the necessary vault space, or instruct the respective County Officers in regard to what disposition shall be made of the files and records, after the same cannot be preserved in their offices.

Very respectfully, D. HEALY CLARK, Judge of Probate.

ROBERT P. REAVEY, County Clerk. WM. F. STODDARD, County Treasurer. H. R. HOWELL, Register of Deeds.

Moved by Supr. Sherman, supported by Supr. McNeal, that communication from County Officers be accepted and laid on table until the January session of this Board. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supr. Wilson, supported by Supr. Coleman, that we take a recess until one o'clock this afternoon. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session. Board called to order by Chairman Brainerd. Quorum present.

Moved by Supr. Sherman, supported by Supr. Fink, that we make the election of two County Canvassers a special order of the day for the forenoon session. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supr. McNeal, supported by Supr. Russell, that we adjourn tomorrow at ten o'clock. Motion prevailed.

ERASTUS C. BRAINERD, Chairman. ROBT P. REAVEY, Clerk.

Court Room, Friday, Oct. 21st, 1910. Board called to order by Chairman Brainerd.

Roll called. Quorum present. Minutes of Thursday's session read and approved as read.

Report of Committee on Claims and Accounts: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County: Gentlemen—Your Committee on Claims and Accounts beg leave to report that they have had under consideration claims Nos. 120 to 146 inclusive, and recommend that they be allowed, except Nos. 124 and 144, as per record of bills audited.

All of which is respectfully submitted. HENRY VAN WAGNEN, JAS. C. McPHERSON, Committee.

Moved by Supr. Russell, supported by Supr. Horst, and carried, that report of Committee on Claims and Accounts be accepted and adopted and orders drawn for same. Motion prevailed.

Report of Committee to inspect County buildings: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County: Gentlemen—Your committee appointed to inspect the county buildings beg leave to report that they have examined all buildings and found them in good repair, except the court house building, which needs to be papered, painted and carpeted, and the water pipe extended therein; also extended into jury room, and the roof repaired.

We recommend that this be done as soon as possible. We also recommend the building of a suitable cement sidewalk from Grant street to the east, and south along Grant street to Court street, the village to build suitable cross walks on Grant and Court streets; also that the steps in the rear of the court house be suitably repaired. We recommend that the Auditing Committee contract for said repairs and see that work is suitably done; also that said Auditing Committee draw orders in payment of same. All of which is respectfully submitted.

GEORGE HALL, F. ROSS, JACOB HORST, Committee.

Report of Special Committee appointed to confer with County Medical Association: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County: Gentlemen—Your committee appointed to confer with the County Medical Association relative to carrying for the indigent poor of Tuscola County have had the same under consideration and hereby submit the following report:

First: We find some matters which in our opinion should be adjusted by the Medical Association to the satisfaction of this Board. In renewing contract, which has been existing between said Medical Association and Board of Supervisors, we recommend that contract now existing between the Board of Supervisors and Medical Association be extended for three months on same terms and conditions as have been in effect for the last year, and that this Board of Supervisors take further action at the January, 1911 session.

All of which is respectfully submitted. ROBERT BROWN, AUGUST FINK, ASA PHELPS, Committee.

Moved by Supr. McNeal, supported by Supr. Russell, that report of committee be accepted and adopted, and that this same committee confer with said Medical Association with reference to continuing said contract now existing. Motion prevailed.

Moved by Supr. Fink, supported by Supr. Van Wagner, that the Clerk draw an order for the \$100.00 dollars in favor of Mrs. Robt P. Reavey for services as Clerk during session of this Board. Motion prevailed.

The election of three members of the County Board of Canvassers having been previously provided for by order for this forenoon session was declared to be in order at this time by Chairman.

Supr. Sherman presented the name of H. L. Osborne and no other name being presented, he was elected as first member of the Board of County Canvassers.

The Clerk announced 23 votes cast for H. L. Osborne as first member of County Board of Canvassers.

The Chairman declared H. L. Osborne elected as first member of County Board of Canvassers.

Supr. Beckett presented the name of Frank St. Mary as the second member of the Board of County Canvassers, and there being no other names presented, he was elected as second member of the Board of County Canvassers.

The Clerk announced 23 votes cast for Frank St. Mary as second member of the Board of County Canvassers.

Supr. Beckett presented the name of Claude A. Cole as the third and Democratic member of the Board of County Canvassers.

Supr. Jackson presented the name of Henry Dunn as the third and Democratic member of the Board of County Canvassers.

Supr. Dowling presented the name of Francis E. Stone as the third and Democratic member of the Board of County Canvassers.

Supr. Blauvelt presented the name of Neil H. Burns as the third and Democratic member of the Board of County Canvassers.

Supr. Pherson presented the name of Wesley J. Coleman as the third and Democratic member of the Board of County Canvassers.

Moved by Supr. Sherman, supported by Supr. Coleman, that we proceed to inform a ballot for the election of the third and Democratic member of the Board of County Canvassers.

The Chairman appointed Supervisors Beckett and Ross as tellers. The first ballot, total number of votes cast 23, of which Claude A. Cole received 4 votes, Henry Dunn received 3 votes, Francis E. Stone received 3 votes, Neil H. Burns received 3 votes, Wesley J. Coleman received 5 votes. No choice declared by Chairman.

Second ballot. Total vote cast 23, of which Claude A. Cole received 8 votes, Henry Dunn received 3 votes, Francis E. Stone received 3 votes, Neil H. Burns received 2 votes, Wesley J. Coleman received 4 votes. No choice declared by Chairman.

Supr. McPherson withdrew the name of Wesley J. Coleman. Supr. Blauvelt withdrew the name of Neil H. Burns. Supr. Jackson withdrew the name of Henry Dunn.

Third ballot. Total vote cast 23, of which Francis E. Stone received 11 votes; Wesley J. Coleman receiving a majority of the votes cast was declared the third and Democratic member of the Board of County Canvassers.

Moved by Supr. Wilson, supported by Supr. Jackson, that we take a recess until one o'clock this afternoon. Motion prevailed.

Afternoon Session. Board called to order by Chairman Brainerd. Quorum present.

Moved by Supr. McNeal, supported by Supr. Beckett, that one thousand dollars of the sewer fund be spread upon the 1910 tax rolls of the several townships of the County, the balance of eight hundred fifty-five (\$855.33) dollars and thirty-three cents to be spread on the 1911 tax rolls of the several townships of the County. We further recommend that if the said sewer system is completed before the full one-eighth of one mill is in the hands of the County Treasurer, that the Auditing Committee be empowered to borrow the said balance of eight hundred fifty-five dollars and thirty-three cents (\$855.33) and pay over the same to the Village Treasurer. Motion prevailed.

Report of Committee on Ways and Means: To the Honorable Board of Supervisors of Tuscola County: Gentlemen—Your Committee on Ways and Means beg leave to report that they have had under consideration, and have examined all copies of certificates, statements, papers and records certified by the Clerks of the several townships of the County, and on file in the office of the County Clerk of this County authorizing the raising of money by taxation on and in said townships of this County for the year nineteen hundred and ten (1910). We therefore recommend and direct that the following mentioned sums of money proposed to be raised by taxation in the year one thousand nine hundred and eleven (1911) in Townships of this County as appears from said certificates, statements, papers and records be spread upon the rolls of the several Townships in the County for the year nineteen hundred and eleven (1911) to-wit:

AKRON TOWNSHIP. School tax \$4,673.75; Highway Improvement tax \$2,100.00; Contingent tax \$200.00; Drain tax \$5,600.00; Dog tax \$212.00; Road Repair tax \$5.24; Good Roads District tax \$1,456.24.

ALMER TOWNSHIP. School tax \$475.00; Highway Improvement tax \$400.00; Contingent tax \$650.00; Drain tax \$1,352.20; Dog tax \$131.00; Road Repair tax \$100.00; Good Roads District tax \$1,456.24.

ARBELA TOWNSHIP. School tax \$390.00; Highway Improvement tax \$50.00; Contingent tax \$600.00; Dog tax \$99.00; Road Repair tax \$20.00; Bridge fund \$400.00; Drain tax \$1,777.04.

COLUMBIA TOWNSHIP. School tax \$2,460.00; Highway Improvement tax \$1,000.00; Contingent tax \$1,359.52; Dog tax \$135.00; Road Repair tax \$100.00; Gravel fund \$50.00; Dog tax \$132.00; State Reward Road tax \$54.00.

DENMARK TOWNSHIP. School tax \$2,170.00; Highway Improvement tax \$2,500.00; Contingent tax \$2,500.00; Drain tax \$5,185.00; Dog tax \$59.99; Road Repair tax \$100.00; Library tax \$50.00; Dog tax \$132.00.

DAYTON TOWNSHIP. School tax \$2,922.00; Highway Improvement tax \$200.00; Contingent tax \$675.00; Dog tax \$150.00; Thistle tax \$8.00; Road Repair tax \$20.00; State Reward Road tax \$1,545.38.

ELKLAND TOWNSHIP. School tax \$5,635.00; Highway Improvement tax \$500.00; Contingent tax \$600.00; Drain tax \$2,465.63; Dog tax \$150.00; Road Repair tax \$20.00; State Reward Road tax \$2,900.00.

ELMWOOD TOWNSHIP. School tax \$2,110.00; Highway Improvement tax \$15.00; Contingent tax \$800.00; Road Repair tax \$100.00; State Reward Road tax \$500.00; Dog tax \$155.00; Drain tax \$27.25.

ELLINGTON TOWNSHIP. School tax \$1,011.28; Highway Improvement tax \$50.00; Contingent tax \$800.00; Dog tax \$155.00; Road Repair tax \$20.00; State Reward Road tax \$500.00.

FREMONT TOWNSHIP. School tax \$2,610.00; Highway Improvement tax \$2,300.00; Contingent tax \$500.00; Cemetery tax \$350.00; Road Repair tax \$20.00; Dog tax \$153.00.

FAIRGROVE TOWNSHIP. School tax \$2,210.00; Highway Improvement tax \$300.00; Contingent tax \$500.00; Road Repair tax \$1,457.10; Cemetery tax \$200.00.

Gravel tax \$1,818.38; Drain tax \$431.12; Dog tax \$122.00; School tax \$1,810.00; Highway Improvement tax \$1,543.78; Contingent tax \$1,300.00; Road Repair tax \$1,119.32; Dog tax \$112.00.

INDIANFIELDS TOWNSHIP. School tax \$730.00; Highway Improvement tax \$1,000.00; Contingent tax \$2,000.00; Dog tax \$12.00; Drain tax \$357.58; Good Roads District tax \$500.00; Cemetery tax \$11.03; Rejected tax \$11.03.

JUNIATA TOWNSHIP. School tax \$1,456.00; Highway Improvement tax \$1,000.00; Contingent tax \$700.00; Dog tax \$200.00; Drain tax \$81.64; Road Repair tax \$20.00 on each \$100 valuation; Dog tax \$112.00; Rejected tax \$30.00.

KOYLTON TOWNSHIP. School tax \$2,005.00; Highway Improvement tax \$None; Contingent tax \$None; Road Repair tax \$25c on each \$100 valuation; Gravel tax \$500.00; Drain tax \$4,247.60; Dog tax \$141.00.

KINGSTON TOWNSHIP. School tax \$2,595.00; Highway Improvement tax \$1,150.00; Contingent tax \$900.00; Road Repair tax \$15c on each \$100 valuation; Gravel tax \$2,920.17; Drains tax \$29.05; Thistle tax \$148.00; Dog tax \$148.00.

MILAN TOWNSHIP. School tax \$5,550.00; Highway Improvement tax \$700.00; Contingent tax \$700.00; Road Repair tax \$25c on each \$100 valuation; Special Highway tax \$100.00; Dog tax \$80.00.

NOVESTA TOWNSHIP. School tax \$900.00; Highway Improvement tax \$800.00; Contingent tax \$625.00; Road Repair tax \$25c on each \$100 valuation; Drain tax \$2,396.52; Survey tax \$24.85.

TUSCOLA TOWNSHIP. School tax \$5,464.00; Highway Improvement tax \$2,400.00; Contingent tax \$2,400.00; Road Repair tax \$15c on each \$100 valuation; Bridge tax \$200.00; Dog tax \$127.00; Drains tax \$19.13.

VASSAR TOWNSHIP. School tax \$5,775.00; Highway Improvement tax \$450.00; Contingent tax \$1,100.00; Road Repair tax \$20c on each \$100 valuation; G. A. R. tax \$25.00; Dog tax \$108.00; Rejected tax \$1.96.

WATERTOWN TOWNSHIP. School tax \$2,935.00; Highway Improvement tax \$800.00; Contingent tax \$300.00; Road Repair tax \$100.00; Dog tax \$150.00; Drain tax \$620.81.

WELLS TOWNSHIP. School tax \$1,127.00; Highway Improvement tax \$50.00; Contingent tax \$500.50; Road Repair tax \$40c on each \$100 valuation; Dog tax \$110.00; Survey tax \$38.83.

WISNER TOWNSHIP. School tax \$315.00; Highway Improvement tax \$500.00; Contingent tax \$450.00; Road Repair tax \$20c on each \$100 valuation; Bridge tax \$454.56; Dog tax \$35.00; Drain tax \$3,200.20; Rejected tax \$64.00.

Your Committee further report that we have estimated the amounts necessary to defray the expenses of the County for the ensuing year, to-wit: two thousand six hundred (\$2,600) dollars and therefore recommend that the said sum of forty two thousand six hundred (\$42,600) dollars be appropriated and ordered spread upon the tax rolls of the several townships according to the Equalized Valuation. The items from which such estimate is made are as follows:

Contingent Fund \$17,000.00; Soldiers Fund \$10,000.00; County Officers Salary \$9,000.00; Births and Deaths \$1,500.00; Insane Asylum \$300.00; Janitors Salary \$300.00; Penitentiary and said amounts ordered spread upon the rolls of the several townships of this County for the year nineteen hundred and eleven (1911) to-wit:

JACOB HORST, A. J. SHERMAN, EDWARD COLEMAN, Committee.

Moved by Supr. Hall, supported by Supr. Dowling, that report be accepted and adopted and said amounts ordered spread on the several Township Rolls by year and may vote as follows:

Yeas—Hornel, Ross, Phelps, Wirth, Jr., Hall, Wilson, Dowling, Jackson, Russell, Fink, Hill, Beckton, Coleman, Hunter, Blauvelt, Van Wagner, Brown, McPherson, Brainerd, Sherman, McComb, Hartz, Yeas—23. Nays none.

The chairman declared the motion carried and the several amounts ordered spread.

On motion of Supr. Asa Phelps, supported by Supr. Brown, Harry Coleman, Sr., was declared elected Township Agent for Dayton Township for burial of indigent poor soldiers, their widows, and Sailors.

On motion of Supr. Wilson, supported by Supr. McNeal, A. J. Sherman, elected Township Agent for Ellington Township.

On motion of Supr. Jackson, supported by Supr. Wilson, H. W. Youmans was elected Township Agent for Township of Elmwood.

On motion of Supr. Coleman, supported by Supr. Fink, William Greerfield was elected Township Agent for Township of Juniata.

The election of a delegate to the State Association of Supervisors having been previously made a special order for this afternoon's session was declared by the chairman to be in order at this time.

Supr. Fink presented the name of Supr. Chas. W. McNeal and there being no other names presented, on motion of Supervisor Fink, supported by Supr. Sherman, that the rules be suspended and the Clerk instructed to cast the unanimous vote of the Board for Chas. W. McNeal, as said delegate.

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LIGHTS ON THE SUEZ CANAL

Every Vessel Passing Through the Big Ditch Must Carry a Number of the Search Variety.

Every war vessel carries from one to twenty searchlights, and every vessel of any description whatever passing through the Suez canal has to carry one of special pattern. A searchlight consists essentially of an arc lamp of special form, a parabolic mirror and a base to hold the lot, the case being mounted so as to be capable of movement in two directions, viz., vertically and horizontally.

AN EDUCATED COOK NEEDED

Kitchen Experiments Are Often at the Expense of the Physical Well-Being of the Household.

Social standing depends partly upon the nature of the individual's calling with regard to the preparation necessary to the exercise of his function. The civil engineer is presumed to be a more agreeable companion for cultured persons than the stable boy, because of his education.

A Nice Distinction.

He was hurrying for the train, somewhat impeded by a clumsy crate containing a large live turkey. As he approached the gate the guard stopped him with a gesture.

Millionths of a Second.

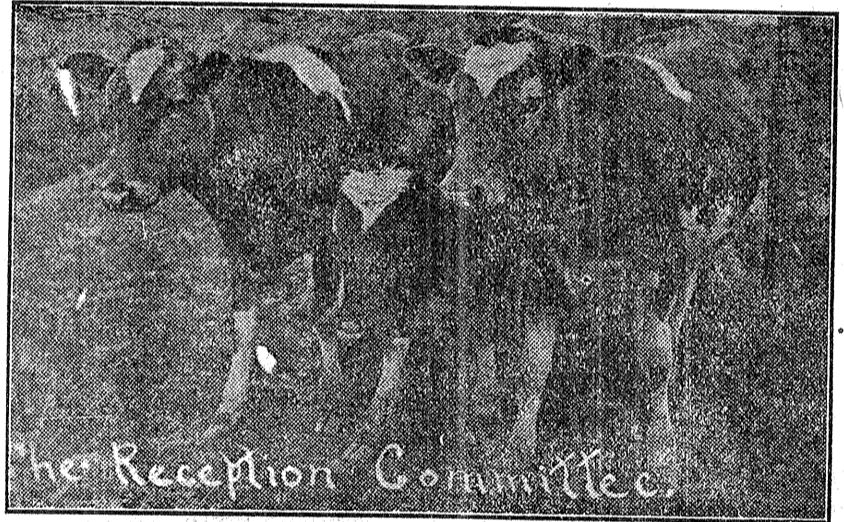
In experiments with high-power explosives used in guns, British scientists have employed chronoscopes which registered the velocity of the projectile at ten successive points before it left the bore.

Dreadful.

An old Scotch peasant woman had learned that her minister had just been made a doctor of divinity, and so she went to him and asked him to cure her of rheumatism.

PROFITABLE DAIRYING By HUGH G. VAN PELT Dairy Expert Iowa State Dairy Association Pure Bred or Grade Cows?

Many who start in the dairy business with dairy cattle begin at once with pure bred cows of one or the other dairy breeds. There are distinct advantages in using pure bred dairy animals in that there is always a ready market for the offspring.



Good Well-Bred Dairy Calves Worth Raising Well.

dairy form is inclined toward the wedge shape; that is, from whatever point of view the observer looks at the cow, the form which meets his eye is that more nearly conforming to the shape of a wedge rather than to the shape of a rectangle.

Five Requirements of the Dairy Cow. In the first place, of course, she must live and in order to live under the conditions of environment in which most dairy cows are situated, namely, to be stable for six or eight months out of a year, and oftentimes in barns which are none too well lighted or ventilated, the cow must have a good constitution.

Ability All Important. As a fifth consideration, the cow must have in addition to these preceding essentials the ability of producing milk and butter fat and this, of course, is determined largely by the size, form and texture of the udder.

In the third place, the cow must have a well developed blood circulatory system in order to transport the nutrients which the digestive apparatus takes from the food around to that portion of her body where it is converted into milk and butter fat.

give milk, but through the work of the breeder we have many cows at the present time, in fact, most of the pure bred dairy cows that give an equal amount of milk from the front quarters. Very important also is it that the texture of the udder be of good quality.

Now, after one has started the dairy herd he should bear in mind that the great problem which presents itself is the one of building up and bettering the herd at all times instead of producing animals that are less profitable and poorer in their conformation than their mothers.

In addition to the pedigree that indicates large production in all the maternal ancestry, the individuality of the bull must be of the type desired in the offspring. He must give indications of prepotency and masculinity, have a strong constitution, capacity, circulatory system, nervous temperament or disposition, and the indications of milking ability described for the selection of cows.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., Jan. 19 1911	
Buying Price—	
Wheat No. 1 white.....	91
Wheat No. 2 red.....	79
Rye No. 2.....	79
Oats.....	80
Barley.....	1 25
Beans (new).....	1 05
Alfalfa.....	7 00
June or Mammoth.....	7 00
Peas.....	1 00
Baled hay—No. 1 Timothy.....	13 50
No. 2.....	12 00
No. 1 Mixed.....	11 75
Eggs, per doz.....	25
Butter, per lb.....	21
Potatoes per bu.....	25
Fat cows, live weight, per lb.....	3 34
Steers.....	3 44
Fat sheep.....	3 4
Lambs.....	5 6
Hogs.....	7 4
Dressed hogs.....	9
Dressed beef.....	7 8
Calves.....	6 7
Chickens.....	10
Ducks.....	10 12
Geese.....	8 11
Turkeys.....	15
Hides green.....	6
SELLING PRICE—ROLLER MILLS.	
White Lily, per cwt.....	2 50
Economy.....	1 75
Fanchon.....	3 10
Gold Rim.....	3 10
Graham.....	2 50
Granulated meal.....	2 25
Feed.....	1 40
Meal.....	1 65
Bran.....	1 30
Middlings.....	1 50
Oil meal.....	2 00
Gluten meal.....	1 50
Cottonseed meal.....	1 75
Suckwheat Flour.....	3 50
Corn.....	65
Corn Flakes.....	1 50
Chicken feed wheat.....	90
Salt, per bbl.....	85
Calf meal.....	3 00

REVERSIBLE EVENING COAT, FOR USE ON EITHER SIDE, OF SEALSKIN OR SILK

DISTINCTLY novel and picturesque is the reversible evening coat shown in the pictures. Perhaps it would be better to say "evening coats," for there are really two garments, although only one coat. The wrap is constructed so that it can be worn on



Photo by American Press Association. SEALSKIN EVENING COAT.

either side, and each side is handsome and in the latest mode. The dark side is of sealskin, with its brown-black beauty brought out finely by the gold buttons and tassels with which the coat is decorated. Turn the garment on the other side and you have an evening coat of silk. The material is heavy Japanese brocade, and the color is royal blue. Altogether this is one of the handsomest of the winter's evening wraps, but it is not, alas, for every woman, since the cost is in keeping with the richness of the materials employed. This reversible coat was exhibited recently at a fashion show in New York, and the model was kept busy turning it inside out and wearing it on each side in turn.

for the benefit of the interested visitors. Advice from Paris declares that long narrow coats of black-brown plush or velvet, with wide soft collars of the same materials, are all the rage in the center of fashion. Some of the best coats are finished with fur, but that is considered adding unnecessary wealth to richness, since the plush or velvet coats are sufficiently heavy and smart in themselves not to need the adornment of the pelts. Some very dressy coats for afternoon wear are made of velvet dressed with white satin, with wide sailor collars of satin and with loose revers of satin down the front. The evening wraps are made long of lace, velvet, brocade, embroidery, etc. Almost any material finds favor, in fact, just so it is rich, sumptuous and costly. While simplicity in line marks most of the sea-



Photo by American Press Association. SAME COAT TURNED.

son's outer garments, and there is, indeed, little shape to them, they show their costliness in the weight and evident value of the materials employed. AMANDA RIDDLE.

NEW TALES THAT ARE TOLD

How He Qualified.

Otto T. Bannard was praising the vote of increased salaries that the Yale corporation at its recent meeting passed. "Our professors at Yale need good salaries," said Mr. Bannard. "They are good men, qualified men. They're not like the cook of the One Horse hotel." "The One Horse hotel belongs to the western mining town of Tin Can. A New York broker used to visit Tin Can twice or thrice a year, and usually he found the accommodations at the One Horse tolerable. The waiter, in fact, was fairly good." "But on his return to Tin Can in '99 the waiter was gone, and the cook-



"WHAT ARE YOUR QUALIFICATIONS?" Ing was so exuberant that the broker could eat nothing. He rose and peeped into the kitchen, and lo and behold, his old waiter was now the cook. "Shotgun," said the broker, "you used to be a fairly good waiter, but what are your qualifications for a cook?" "Qualifications?" said the other. "Why, didn't the boss tell you I'd got varicose veins?"

He Wouldn't.

Joseph H. Choate, the brilliant lawyer of New York, deprecated at a recent dinner the exorbitant fees charged by some lawyers. "You have perhaps heard," said Mr. Choate, "of the gentleman who remarked to his counsel when his case was settled: 'Well, your fee, sir, is exorbitant. I know positively that you didn't give two hours to my case from first to last.' 'Ah, sir,' said the lawyer airily, 'it is not alone my actual time I charge you with, but the cost of my legal training as well.' 'All very fine,' retorted the client. 'And now I wonder if you'd mind giving me a receipt for the cost of your legal training so that your next customer won't have to pay for it all over again.'"

MINCE PIE NEVER TOO PLENTIFUL.

A Youthful Admirer of the Dainty Explains a Mishap.

Mayor Frank J. Rice in a Thanksgiving speech at a newsboys' dinner in New Haven praised mince pie. "Mince pie," he said, "is the crowning glory of a Thanksgiving dinner. I am sure you will all agree with me when I declare that it is impossible for any one at any time ever to get too much mince pie." "Once upon a time a mother said to her little son during the Thanksgiving day repast: 'Tommy, this is the last piece of mince pie you can have.' 'Tommy frowned as black as a thundercloud. 'There was a little boy like you,' his mother continued sternly, 'and he ate mince pie, and he ate mince pie, and finally he burst. Yes, he burst from too much mince pie.' 'No,' said Tommy. 'There's no such thing as too much mince pie.' 'Then,' said his mother, 'why did he burst?' 'There wasn't enough boy,' Tommy answered."

The Usual Role.

Charles M. Schwab in a recent interview in New York pointed out the folly of ignorant speculation. "The average man, with no knowledge of finance," he said, "has no business to speculate. Let him do so, and his case is Jones' all over again." "Jones stopped in at a garage one morning to see about selling off his two automobiles. 'I hear you've been speculating on the Stock Exchange, Mr. Jones?' the agent said politely. 'Yes,' said Jones. 'Now, these cars, understand, can be had cheap for cash.' 'Were you a bull or a bear, sir?' asked the agent. 'Neither,' said Jones gruffly. 'I was an ass.'"

ONE PIECE GOWN OF ZEBRA VELVET

PEKINESE velvet, striped brown and gold in color, is the material of this stunning winter gown. It is a one piece costume in princess effect, with a seam down the center of the front. This gown shows the tendency toward the longer waist line which



PICTURESQUE AND PRETTY.

marks many of the latest works of the fashionable dressmakers, and the skirt has also the new short train. The waist trimming, which is made of jet passementerie, comes well down to a point in front, giving almost a separate waist effect. One piece gowns, by the way, retain their favor with many women.

Her Unique Occupation. The unique distinction of being the only woman safe expert in the world and one of the most clever persons at that business is that claimed by Miss Stella Darling, a young American woman. Solving combinations is second nature with Miss Darling, and so capable is she that a well known manufacturer's agent pays her a handsome salary.

LITTLE RECIPES.

- Russian Mince.**—Cut a pound of cold meat into small pieces, also any cold vegetables, ham, bacon or a suet pudding. Fry all in a little dripping. Season highly with pepper, salt and a little fried chopped onion and a tablespoonful of vinegar. Stir all together over the fire and serve very hot on toast.
- Chopped Parsley For Garnishing.**—Chop it very fine, then screw it up in the corner of a clean cloth. Hold it for a few seconds under the cold water faucet and then squeeze it as tightly as possible. Shake it out of the cloth and it will fall like a green powder.
- Banana Salad.**—Peel and cut a banana in half lengthwise. Lay the halves on a lettuce leaf, cover each with mayonnaise dressing and scatter a few chopped nuts over. The effect is most tasty.
- Rice Balls.**—Take some cold rice pudding, rather stiff; make into small balls, dip them into egg, then into breadcrumbs, and fry in hot fat. Make a hole in the top and fill with jam and serve.
- Steamed Egg.**—Take a large saucer, rub it with butter and set it over a pan of boiling water. Beat egg lightly, with one tablespoonful of milk and a pinch of pepper and salt. Strain into the saucer, cover it and leave for ten minutes to cook.
- Oatmeal Scones.**—One breakfastful of oatmeal, one breakfastful of flour, one teaspoonful of salt, two teaspoonfuls of baking powder, two eggs, half a pint of milk. Put flour, oatmeal, baking powder and salt in a basin; beat eggs well, add milk and mix all into a soft dough. Bake in small heaps on a tin; split and butter.
- Swiss Biscuits.**—Three eggs, quarter of a pound of butter, half a pound of white sugar and one pound of flour. Beat the whites of the eggs into the sugar and then the yolks. Finally add the flour and butter by degrees. The butter should be melted well. Work well until the paste is firm, then turn on to a board and roll with the hand into twisted snakes about as long and thick as your finger. Fry well and carefully in boiling lard until a golden brown and dry on a wire sieve.
- Useful Kettle or Iron Holder.**—From old kid gloves cut all straight pieces. Lay these upon material the size required and secure firmly. Then make washable covers to button or tie, into which the kid pads may be easily slipped. The result will be found very satisfactory.

PROTECT The Health of Yourself and Family

Pope's Herb is prepared to provide a dependable remedy based upon the principle of purity of blood insuring freedom from disease. It is a medicine for maladies such as, Rheumatism, Liver Complaints, Constipation, Fever and Ague, Female Disorders, Indigestion, Lumbago, Kidney Derangements, Catarrh, Sick and Nervous Headaches, loss of Appetite and all ailments arising from inactivity of the Liver and Kidneys. It is purely Herbs, Barks and Roots Compound. It is put up in chocolate coated Tablets pleasing and easy to take, (or can be dissolved in water.)

Mrs. J. C. Meade of Hyattsville, Md. says:

"For years I have suffered with Backaches, Headaches, Neuralgia, Nervousness and Extreme Fatigue. I tried many remedies without relief. Four months ago a grateful friend induced me to write to Pope Medicine Co. Washington, D. C., for a box of Pope's Herb Compound Tablets, the very first dose of two tablets gave me relief. I used not quite a \$1.00 box and I am entirely cured of the pain in my back and have no more headache."

Dr. J. V. Hennessey, a prominent Physician and Surgeon of Albany, N. Y., in part says:

"As a Blood Purifier, Liver, Kidney and System regulator I prescribe Pope Medicine Co.'s of Washington, D. C., Herb Compound, as I have done for the past 20 years, and I have found it to be a great remedy, which seldom if ever fails. There are thousands of letters from users of Pope's Herbs, that have been benefited and cured by its proper use. Pope's Herb Compound Tablets are put up 200 in a box, 'six months' treatment', and will be sent post-paid on receipt of \$1.00. Each box contains a printed guarantee binding us to refund the purchase price if the remedy fails to benefit, also full directions.

Guaranteed by the Pope Medicine Co., Inc., under the Pure Food and Drugs Act, June 30, 1906, No. 34956.

For terms to agents in unoccupied territory, address

POPE MEDICINE CO., INC. Pope Building, Wasington, D.C.

She Took Some of It.



"There is one thing I like about a woman," he said as they strolled. "Yes? What's that?" "An arm," he said, and he slid one around her fragile waist.

Nothing of the Kind. "Now, sir," said the advocate, cross examining a witness, "your answers are not satisfactory. I am afraid you are slightly ambiguous." Witness (with great indignation)—I am naething of the kind, sir. I'm a strict teetotaler.—London Tit-Bits.

Many Children are Sickly. Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children Break up Colds in 24 hours, relieve Feverishness, Headache, Stomach Troubles, Teething Disorders, and Destroy Worms. At all druggists, 25c. Sample mailed Free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

COAL
OUR KENTUCKY SPLINT
For Kitchen Ranges

will please you. It contains the least ashes, gives out the most heat of any coal on the market. We have the nut size. Try it. Have plenty of Chestnut coal on hand at present; also Lump Coal for heaters. Look at your coal bins and if you want coal, let us hear from you. Prompt delivery made in the city.

Cotton Seed Meal and Ground Oil Cake are going fast. Buy while you can take advantage of present low prices.

The Farm Produce Company
F. E. KELSEY, Manager

REVIVAL SERVICES IN FULL SWING

Continued from first page. church visited four neighboring rural schools where they were cordially welcomed by teachers and pupils. Short addresses were made and invitations given to the services next day. Arrangements were made for large sleighs to go to the various schoolhouses early Saturday afternoon for the children. Sixty of them came. The Epworth League welcomed them with light refreshments in the basement. After a social hour all proceeded to the auditorium. Special music had been procured. Mr. Weaver soon proved himself a master hand in dealing with children. In a simple but intensely interesting way he described sin and told of its consequences. Then he told of the one offering that had been made for sin. His words touched the hearts of the children and a goodly number of them responded to the invitation to accept the offering that had been made and began a Christian life.

Sunday morning, Mr. Weaver preached a powerful sermon on Acts 1:8. Hearts were melted and at the close a large number came to the altar seeking a deeper work of Grace. Others came seeking pardon for sins. In each service men and women, boys and girls, are found seeking salvation and forgiveness for past sins and testifying their purpose to live the Christian life. In all there have been about fifty such seekers. Many more have been brought under conviction. Mr. Weaver closes here next Tuesday evening and begins his next campaign Jan. 31 at Brandon, Iowa.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

To the Electors of the Township of Elkland, County of Tuscola and State of Michigan: Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Board of Registration of the township above named will be held in the clerk's office at the Town Hall within said township on Saturday, January 28, 1911, for the purpose of registering the names of all such persons who shall be possessed of the necessary qualifications of electors, and who may apply for that purpose; and that said board of registration will be in session on the day and at the place aforesaid from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose aforesaid. Dated this 17th day of January, 1911.

By order of the Township Board of Registration.
W. J. CAMPBELL,
Clerk of Said Township.

SPECIAL ELECTION NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a Special Election will be held at the Town Hall in the Township of Elkland, Tuscola County, Michigan, on Monday, January 30th, 1911, for the purpose of electing a State Senator to represent the Twenty-first Senatorial District, comprising the counties of Tuscola and Lapeer. The polls of said election will be open from 7 a. m. until 5 p. m. of said day. Dated January 7th, 1911.
W. J. CAMPBELL,
Township Clerk of Elkland Township.

Bookcases.

Bookcases should not be placed against outside walls on account of the probable dampness. To be really valuable must show equally good results from each member of the family using it. Foley's Honey and Tar does just this. Whether for children or grown persons Foley's Honey and Tar is best and safest for all coughs and colds. L. I. Wood & Co.

WICKWARE.

Preaching services next Sunday morning.

We are sorry to learn that Walter Grace's son, Theodor, had the misfortune, while doing chores, of the barn door falling on his leg and breaking it near the hip.

Mr. and Mrs. William Maxwell returned to their home in North Dakota after spending sometime here with his parents and friends.

George Bartel of Wickware has returned home from Ann Arbor after going through an operation.

Miss Mattie McPhail has returned home from Detroit.

A few around Wickware attended the Farmers' Institute at Shabbona last week.

Quite a number attended the sale of Mrs. John McPhail last week. Everything sold well.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis of Moose Jaw, Sask., are spending a few weeks with his sister, Mrs. George Cridland, and intend taking in the auto show at Detroit. From there they will go to Lansing through to Traverse City. On their way they will stop with relatives in Caro. Mrs. Cridland will go with them as far as Detroit.

Mrs. Anthony Murray is spending a week with her daughter in Sandusky.

Mrs. George Burt was the guest of Mrs. A. T. Prout one day last week.

FAIRGROVE—The little child of Mr. and Mrs. J. Jenkins, living about seven miles north of here was playing with a steel ring from the hub of a wagon and slipped it over its head. After vainly endeavoring to remove the ring the parents took the child to Akron where it was cut off by a blacksmith with a cold chisel and a hammer. The child was exhausted but not injured.—Enterprise.

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 purifiers, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrh. Send for testimonials free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, Ohio. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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BUCKBEE'S SEEDS SUCCEED!
SPECIAL OFFER:
Made to build New Business. A trial will make you our permanent customer.
Prize Collection Red, 17 varieties; Lettuce, 12 kinds; Tomatoes, 11 the finest; Turnip, 7 splendid; Onion, 5 best varieties; 10 Spring-dwelling; Bulb—4 varieties in all.
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Write to-day! Mention this Paper.
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to cover postage and packing and receive this valuable collection of Seeds postpaid, together with my big Instructive, Beautiful Seed and Plant Book, with all about the Best varieties of Seeds, Fruits, etc.
H. W. Buckbee, 622 BUCKBEE STREET, ROCKFORD, ILL.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy
Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

Wash the Blood

Aching and enfeebled muscles should remind you of slowness of tissue repair. Eruptions of the skin and catarrh of the mucous membranes show diminished nerve power in the tissues.

In health or disease there is need of an internal bath. This is best obtained by drinking a glass of pure spring water with one or two teaspoonfuls of San Jak 30 to 60 minutes before breakfast, washing the blood. This passes quickly from the stomach and stimulates the bowels to increased peristalsis, overcoming constipation and its attendant ills. It is quickly absorbed and entering the blood stream bathes the cells of the liver and heart, then passes to the brain and washes out the cobwebs and awakens to new life every cell in the body.

MAN

Does not wear out like a piece of machinery by constant disintegration for he is self renewing. When he loses his ability in self renewal or failed in the process of making young blood, the nerve tissue is not sufficiently nourished and his strength and health falls.

San-Jak

is the only medicine which will enable you to keep a perfect balance between the elimination and renewal of the body. Decay of the body at any time of life is unnatural. Permanent waste of the system can be avoided by the use of

San-Jak

It is the only vegetable preparation in the world that sets free formaldehyde during the elimination by way of the kidneys.

Preventing and Curing Bright's Disease

by neutralizing poison in the tissue, disinfecting the urinal tract, strengthening the liquids of the bladder and prevents decomposition of the urine. It is therefore the most scientific formula for the treatment of male or female.

Rheumatism

the source of trouble to humanity is due to a too high or low specific gravity which may be regulated to normal by taking

San-Jak

No other medicine in the world raises the specific gravity if too low and prevents the dissolution of salts from the tissue and prevents swelling of the limbs and other parts of the body. You may have the ability to manufacture the normal quantity of uric acid and alkaloids, but if the specific gravity is too high, due to weakened conditions of the kidneys, the normal quantity is not eliminated. If normal quantity is not eliminated and carried back by the circulation of the blood, absorbed into the tissue causing soreness and lameness or rheumatism symptoms.

HAVE YOU KIDNEY, LIVER, STOMACH or BLADDER Troubles?

Are you a Rheumatic with Bachache, Varicocoele and Swollen Limbs? Take Dr. Burham's

San-Jak

If you have the years of youth and disease of old age no remedy equal to San-Jak. The tired feeling leaves you magic.

Sold in E. RYAN'S Drug Store Only,

who are reliable and will return the price of one bottle (\$1.00) if San-Jak fails to do good. Made by San-Jak Co., Chicago, Ill.

CUMBER.

Warm like spring.

H. Brown is at present working for D. A. Preston.

Mrs. Stephen Peter is on the sick list.

Joseph Schiestal is on the sick list.

Peter Kipper and his mother of Minden City were the guests of Stephen and family Sunday.

Albert Schiestal and wife and Geo. Schiestal and family were the guests of S. Peter Sunday.

Daniel Meddaugh, who has been in Detroit, is calling on old friends here.

Mrs. C. W. Law is very sick at present.

Henry Gibbirels and wife are at present living upstairs of George

FAIR EXCHANGE

A New Back for an Old One. How it Can be Done in Cass City.

The back aches at times with a dull indescribable feeling, making you weary and restless; piercing pains shoot across the region of the kidneys, and again the loins are so to stoop is agony. No use to rub or apply a plaster to the back in this condition. You cannot reach the cause. Exchange the bad back for a new and stronger one. Cass City residents would do well to profit by the following example.

Herman Schradler, Sharpsteen St., Sebewaing, Mich., says: "I can strongly recommend Doan's Kidney Pills in view of all they have done for me. My back often became very lame and it was with difficulty that I stooped or lifted on account of the acute pains across my loins. My kidneys were sluggish and I knew something must be done. Seeing Doan's Kidney Pills advertised, I procured a box and commenced their use. In a few days the lameness and soreness disappeared and the trouble from the kidney secretions was corrected. I have had no cause for complaint since."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Directory.

DR. A. N. TREADGOLD,
Office and residence on Seeger St. Office on ground floor of building across from Hospital. Special care given to diseases of women and children. City phone.

J. H. HAYS, M. D.,
Physician and Surgeon. Office days: Wednesdays, 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Saturdays, 1 to 5 p. m.

DR. M. M. WICKWARE,
Physician and Surgeon. Office over Wright's Grocery. Residence two blocks south of Cootes' hardware store on Seeger street, east side. Special attention paid to midwifery and diseases of women.

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.

H. P. LEE, Undertaker
and Funeral Director, Cass City, Mich. Calls answered day or night. Phone No. 15. Mrs. H. P. Lee, License No. 1351.

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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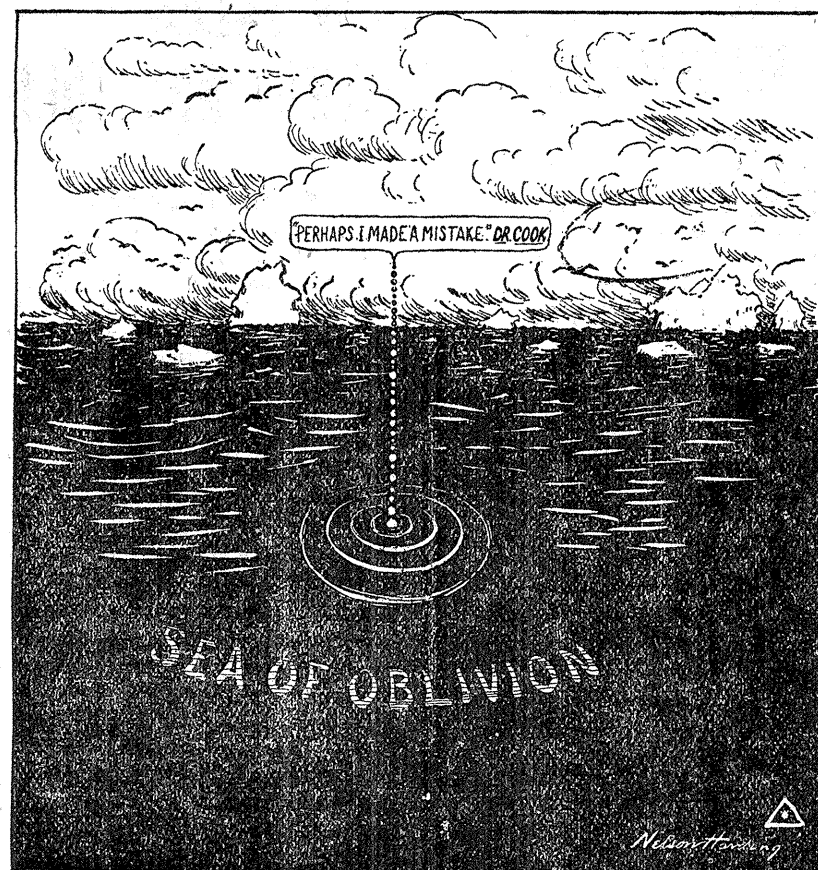
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"THE STILL, SMALL VOICE!"



—Harding in Brooklyn Eagle.

The Scrap Book

Schiestal's house. Mr. Gibbirels is at present baling hay for his brother, Chas.

John Litt and wife called on Henry Gibbirels and wife recently.

Alton Baker makes quite frequent trips to Ubyly.

Wedding bells are ringing closer.

Albert Schiestal and wife called on Henry Gibbirels recently.

Fred Mardlin and wife were called to Canada by a telegram stating that Mrs. Mardlin's mother was dead but when they got to Canada they found she was not dead but very ill.

The Right of Way

Has to be given Harvell's Condition Powders, which for over seventy years has been the standard of perfection. Why? Because every ounce and particle of the ingredients do their share towards contributing to the qualities of the stock, to which the powder is given. You should not fail to try this stock food and we feel sure that after a few days, you will notice a wonderful change in the stock. Get a package at the nearest drug store. Price 25 cents. Sold by Wood's Drug Store.

GREENLEAF.

Wm. Stuart, who has been visiting friends here for several weeks, returned to his home in Sabin, O., Friday.

Alex McLenen was a business visitor in Sandusky last week.

Loren Hewitt was a caller in Cass City Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Murphy were visitors at Mr. and Mrs. Tuttle's on Sunday.

A. Livingston, sr., has returned from a visit with friends in Detroit.

Frank Tanner is visiting friends in Detroit and Flint.

A large crowd attended the dance and oyster supper at Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Thornton's Friday evening.

A number from here attended the Gleaner installation of officers at Ubyly Friday night.

Patrick Bros. are hulling clover in this vicinity.

Miss Ada Tanner is visiting friends in Detroit and Bathwell, Ont.

Mrs. F. Stocking of Detroit is visiting at A. Livingston's.

John Moore of Bad Axe was a business caller in town several days last week.

Dan Livingston is reported quite poorly again.

Dr. Bradshaw of Cass City was a professional caller in town several days last week.

Geo. Mann has sold his farm to Geo. Thornton. Consideration, \$1600.

Miss Lillian Robertson spent several days with Mrs. Thos. Murphy the first of the week.

Michael Keenoy and family of Detroit have moved to their farm east of town.

A FREE Prescription ADVICE

From a physician of 52 years' experience in college, 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, and formulated 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 sitting suffering mankind. 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.

YOU NEED AID. Let me help you to regain your former standing among men. In short, let me assist you to be yourself once more.

If you are suffering from falling memory, lame back or weakened metabolism 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.

Take advantage of this offer **NOW** before it is too late. Address me personally.

DR. ANDREW B. SPINNEY,
W. Adams Ave., Detroit, Mich.

Things He Didn't Know.

Artemus Ward was once making a railroad journey, dreading to be bored and feeling miserable, when a man approached him, sat down and said, "Did you hear the last thing on Horace Greeley?"

"Greeley? Greeley?" said Artemus. "Horace Greeley? Who is he?"

The man was quiet about five minutes. Pretty soon he said: "George Francis Train is kicking up a good deal of a row over in England. Do you think they will put him in a bastille?"

"Train? Train? George Francis Train?" said Artemus solemnly. "I never heard of him."

"This ignorance kept the man quiet for about fifteen minutes; then he said: "What do you think about General Grant's chances for the presidency? Do you think they will run him?"

"Grant? Grant? Hang it, man," said Artemus, "you appear to know more strangers than any man I ever saw!"

The man was furious. He walked up the car, but at last came back and said, "You confounded ignoramus, did you ever hear of Adam?"

Artemus looked up and said, "What was his other name?"

Humanity.

Of all the graces of the mind and heart, Nature's best gift or excellence of art. Higher than all—yea, man's divinest part—Is sweet humanity.

Blessings upon the man whose forehead wears The seal of tenderness to hoary hairs, God's imprint! 'Tis a blessed fate who cares For sweet humanity.

Chapel of flowers immortal for the friend Who loves his servant, horse and would defend A dog, would spare oppression and mercy lend For sweet humanity.

O bond of all religions, new and old, Divine beneficence that can enfold, All living things, whatever be the mold, In sweet humanity! —Mary Woodward Weatherbee.

The Weird Excuse.

Mrs. Parkison of one of the main line suburbs met Mrs. Brown at a social function the other afternoon and in the course of their talk told her this story on Mr. Parkison:

"Don't you know, Frederick did a very peculiar thing the other night. He came home from the club rather late, and of course I had retired. I didn't hear him go to bed, but some time during the night I heard a noise in the room. I awoke and was started to trace the noise by sound to the floor under the bed. I was so frightened I screamed.

"Just then Frederick poked his head out from under the bed.

"What's wrong?" he asked.

"What on earth are you doing there?" I asked in return.

"I must have been dreaming," he explained, "dreaming that I was fixing the blamed automobile." Wasn't that funny?"

"Very," replied Mrs. Brown. "That was the night Mr. Brown and Mr. Parkison went to the theater together. Mr. Brown came home late, too, and went to sleep standing up in the umbrella rack, but he didn't have any weird excuse!"—Philadelphia Times.

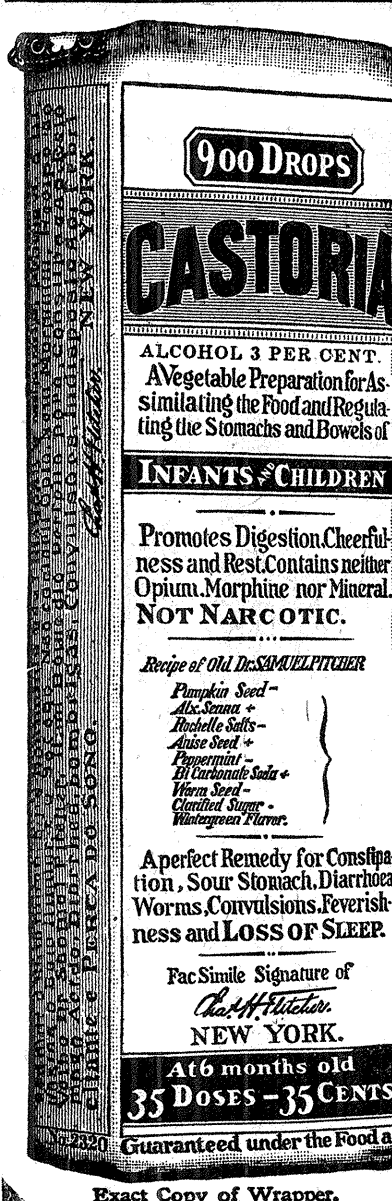
An Important Postscript.

George Washington Primrose, thinking of matrimony and trembling on the edge, wrote to his married brother Rufus for advice.

"Dear Jawje," wrote Rufus in reply, "every man shud marry. A wif is a man's greatest gift. She suthes his troubles, dubbles his joys and helps him every wich way. The marid life is the oney lif specially when you is fortunate enuff for to git a jool of a wif like mine. P. S.—Mandy has jess steep out. You blame fule you, STAY SINGLE."

Quite Offhand.

Standar—Did that deaf mute orator make a set speech? Doyle—No. He spoke offhand.—Cleveland Leader.



CASTORIA

For Infants and Children. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Bears the Signature of

Dr. J. C. Sewell

In Use For Over Thirty Years

CASTORIA

THE CENTAUR COMPANY, NEW YORK CITY.

It WAS Brown's--But NOW It's Smith's

The feminine Head of the family just HAPPENED to see Smith's ad.

That is, she THOUGHT she just happened to see it. In reality the Big Type at the top of Smith's ad COMPELLED the Feminine Head's glance. Having got that the rest was simple, for the ad was a good ad and it told the TRUTH about Smith's wares.

That year the plain talks in Smith's ads won the bulk of the Feminine Head's trade. She made purchases at Brown's, and the other stores, but Smith was INVARIABLY offering some necessary article of quality at a tempting price.

Somehow, Smith had developed the knack of writing ads that pulled business. He got right down to the point quickly. He used simple words, short sentences, and arguments that were effective because they were brief. And every ad he ran appeared at the PSYCHOLOGICAL moment.

Smith was one of those keen men who had learned that advertising—right advertising—pays. Also, he was ONE OF THE FEW who have discovered that advertising PAYS THE READER.

Smith discovered that the most important end of advertising is NOT that a merchant must sell, BUT that the READERS MUST BUY.

This GREAT TRUTH, rightly used, caused Smith's modestly started business to grow. Aiming for honesty and simplicity in selling Smith, likewise turned his ads into same key. They were always well displayed typographically, and printed in plain

and not fancy type.

Every story Smith told about his goods was a NEW story, and it NEVER DEVIATED FROM THE TRUTH about the articles he offered for sale. As fast as the business justified Smith increased the size of his ads.

There was sound reasoning back of this last move, for Smith KNEW that the safest "policy" he could take out to guarantee profits was to use all the white space he could afford in the leading newspaper in his city.

In time the men and women of the town formed the habit of turning to Smith's ads after looking over the first page of the paper. Smith's messages to the public were interesting. Quite as interesting as the printed accounts of the day's news. Furthermore, they WERE VASTLY MORE IMPORTANT because they saved money for those who read them.

Very soon Smith found it necessary to enlarge his establishment to accommodate his growing trade.

But there was another merchant in that town. Before Smith began advertising Brown controlled the trade.

One day Brown woke up. He found his business was falling off. He discovered that it was going to Smith. And, at first, he wondered why.

NOW HE KNOWS.

All of which shows that the buying-public INSISTS upon advertising that matches the quality and prices of the goods advertised.

Are you a Smith or a Brown?

Awful Pun by Pop.



"I don't wish you to have that clerk calling here."

"Why not, papa?"

"Because a dry goods clerk frequently sales under false colors."

Saves Two Lives.

"Neither my sister nor myself might be living to-day, if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery" writes A. D. McDonald of Fayetteville, N. C. R. F. D. No. 8. "For we both had frightful coughs that no other remedy could help. We were told my sister had consumption. She was very weak and had night sweats but your wonderful medicine completely cured us both. It's the best I ever used or heard of." For sore lungs, coughs, colds, hemorrhage, jaundice, asthma, hay fever, croup, whooping cough—all bronchial troubles—its supreme. Trial bottle free. 50c and \$1.00. Guaranteed by I. I. Wood & Co.

FOOD FOR A YEAR

Meat.....	300 lbs.
Milk.....	240 qts.
Butter.....	100 lbs.
Eggs.....	27 doz.
Vegetables.....	500 lbs.

This represents a fair ration for a man for a year.

But some people eat and eat and grow thinner. This means a defective digestion and unsuitable food. A large size bottle of

Scott's Emulsion

equals in nourishing properties ten pounds of meat. Your physician can tell you how it does it.

FOR SALE BY ALL DRUGGISTS

Send 10c. name of paper and this ad. for our beautiful Savings Bank and Child's Sketch-Book. Each book contains a Good Luck Penny. SCOTT & BOWNE, 409 Pearl St., New York

To The Bargain Hunter.

THIS SALE WILL CONTINUE DURING THE MONTH OF JAN.

If you want the worth of your money and then some, go to Wright's where you can get the right goods at the right price.

I have about 50 pair of Men's and Boys' Pants left that I will sell.

- \$1 00 Pants 50c
- \$1.75 and \$2 Pants \$1.00
- \$3 Pants 1.75

A few pair of Children's Underwear at HALF PRICE.

Also ladies' side combs, barretts, laces,

At Less than Cost.

- Gloves, Men's, Ladies' and Children's Belts, 25c kind 15c
- 10c, 12c, 14c Dress Lining any of them 5c per yd.

A few Sugar barrels at 5c each.

I have a full line of Groceries in connection with my Butcher Shop on West Main St. Our U. S. and Samico Flours are a No. 1; every sack has a coupon good for dishes or other premiums listed in our catalogue which is free for the asking; every sack warranted or money refunded. After you have given the flour a fair trial try our Blue Seal Coffee, best Coffee on the market for 30c, once used always used.

CASH FOR BUTTER, EGGS AND HIDES.

L. E. WRIGHT

Central Meat Market and Grocery.

Flour That Will Not Fail You

If you use **Stott Flour** you'll never be disappointed with poor baking, just when you are most anxious to have it of the very best.

We exercise no end of care to make sure that every sack of flour we make is worthy to be branded **Stott Flour**.

In addition to our painstaking selection and preparation of the wheat, and the scientific milling processes through which it passes, under the eyes of experienced millers, baking tests are made with the flour numerous times each day.

David Stott
Miller
Detroit, Michigan

Buy the flour that is always dependable—
STOTT FLOUR
FOR SALE BY
E. W. JONES, Cass City.

Gifts of Silverware

Nothing more acceptable can be offered than attractive silverware, combining good taste with a quality of endurance which assures lifelong service. Such characteristics make

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SHABBONA.

The attendance and program at the farmers' institute was the best ever held here.

John Brown has returned to his home in Yale.

Floyd Phillips and bride have returned home.

Miss Ella Newlove of Yale is visiting relatives here.

Revival meetings are being held in the M. E. church.

Mrs. Herbert Ehlers is visiting her parental home in Big Rapids this week.

Ami Atkins of Flint came Saturday to visit relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Phillips visited in Yale and Melvin last week.

A sleigh load from here attended a Menonite revival last Thursday at McHugh.

W. F. Ehlers attended the auto show a few days in Detroit.

Roy Phillips and wife of Ann Arbor have taken up their abode with his father here and will assist on the farm.

Miss Celia Lorentzen visited this week with her sister at Wickware.

Mis Agnes Riley returned to her home near Caro Sunday.

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About the size of your shoes, it's some satisfaction to know that many people can wear shoes a size smaller by shaking Allen's Foot-Ease into them. Just the thing for Patent Leather Shoes, and for breaking in New Shoes. Sold Everywhere, 25c. Sample Free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y. 12-23-4.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Mrs. I. Mudge of Pingree visited with Mrs. E. Warner Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

Elmer Allen spent last week with Rev. J. Willerton in his meetings which are being held in the Greenleaf church.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Allen were entertained at the home of Charles Cooke Friday evening.

Mrs. E. Warner spent Thursday evening and Friday with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Collins.

A large crowd of young people attended the aid given at the home of A. Biddle Tuesday, Jan. 10.

A gold medal contest will be given at the Novesta F. W. B. church on Saturday evening, Jan. 21. Everybody is invited to attend.

Little Charles Richard Collins is very sick at this writing.

Miss Elva Collins visited at her uncle's home, G. Bullock, Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. Lue O'Rourke visited with her mother, Mrs. G. Collins, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Collins spent Sunday at the home of Elmer Allen.

Mrs. Lester Day and family spent Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. Collins.

Miss Sarah and John Bartlett visited the Withey school last Thursday.

A Simple Safeguard for Mothers.

Mrs. D. Gilkeson, 326 Ingles Ave., Youngstown, Ohio, gained wisdom by experience. "My little girl had a severe cold and coughed almost continuously. My sister recommended Foley's Honey and Tar. The first dose I gave her relieved the inflammation in her throat and after using only one bottle her throat and lungs were entirely free from inflammation. Since then I always keep a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar in the house." Accept no substitutes. L. I. Wood & Co.

WILMOT.

Floyde Hawkins is spending a few days with friends in Carsonville.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mapley of Pontiac are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Mapley.

Miss Mattie Cool and Fred Hitchcock of Caro spent Sunday and Monday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Brown.

Mrs. D. Moshier is some better at this writing.

Miss Allie Hart is visiting in Cass City this week.

Wm. Ginewald was a business caller in town Tuesday.

Mrs. C. Hawkins, who has been visiting in Carsonville, returned to her home here Tuesday.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid met with Mrs. J. Barrows on Monday.

An oyster supper in the Gleaner hall Thursday evening.

G. Moshier of Oxford visited his mother Mrs. D. Moshier, last week.

Geo. L. Hitchcock pays New York prices for raw furs. 12-2-

Death in Roaring Fire may not result from the work of fire-bugs, but often severe burns are caused that make a quick need for Bucklen's Arnica Salve, the quickest, surest cure for burns, wounds, bruises, boils, sores. It subdues inflammation. It kills pain. It soothes and heals. Drives off skin eruptions, ulcers or piles. Only 25c at L. I. Wood & Co.'s.

County Seat News

Items Scissored From the Exchanges at the County Capitals.

Caro.

The "dry" convention voted to raise \$2,000 for the expenses of the local option campaign.

Sheriff D. Knox Hanna has appointed R. J. Hutchinson deputy sheriff, turnkey and truant officer, also designated the following as deputies: Thomas Gibbs, Caro; Ed Humes, Vassar; Geo. Burgess, Vassar; D. G. Buhl, Unionville; C. A. Manchester, Fostoria; Frank Fallahay, Mayville; Harvey Clark, Kingston; Chas. Striffler, Cass City; T. H. Montague, Fairgrove; Hulburt Randall, Akron; Henry Quick, Novesta; Chancy Towns, Denmark; O. K. Far-num, Millington.

No changes were made in the officers of the Tuscola Co. Farmers Mutual at the annual meeting. L. A. Bird of Millington and E. D. Cook of Akron were elected directors for three years to succeed themselves. R. S. Weaver was re-elected president; W. J. Campbell of Cass City, vice president; H. S. Myers, secretary; J. M. Ealy, treasurer. Vice President Campbell was honored by a special vote giving him a vote on the board of directors he being an ex-president of the company and one of its most valued advisors. No assessment was required during the past year and the losses were only normal in amount.

Sandusky.

Senator Chas. G. Putney came out well in the committee assignments of the Michigan legislature. He gets the chairmanship of the Michigan Agricultural college and the industrial home for girls at Adrian committees and a member of the committee on education and public schools, the home for feeble minded, the normal college at Kalamazoo and the committee on printing, all of them good committees and all important committees.

On petition of forty-nine freeholders of this school district, asking that a special election be held for the purpose of bonding the district to build a high school annex to the present school building. The school board met Monday evening and set Friday, January 20, as the day for holding the special election for that purpose. The voting will be in the high school room from 2:00 p. m. to 5:00 p. m. The contemplated annex will accommodate 220 pupils which should be ample room for some years.

Bad Axe.

Hereafter all risks of the Huron Farmers' Mutual Fire Insurance Co. will be divided into two classes known as Class A and Class B. Class B shall consist of all buildings and their contents that have the certificate of an officer of the company that he has personally inspected the risk and certifying that the buildings are properly rodded against lightning. Said certificate shall be filed with the secretary of the association. Class A shall consist of all other risks. In preparing the assessment roll for losses and assessments Class B shall not be assessed for any losses on buildings or their contents while in said buildings in Class A that is caused by lightning. Class A shall not be assessed for any losses to buildings of their contents in Class B that is caused by lightning. Both classes shall be liable for a pro rata share of all other losses and expenses of the association.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Nelson Summers and wife to Marvin M. Davison, pt sec 1 and pt sec 12 Elmwood, \$1.

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Albert Peter and wife to John Burns, lot 14 Curtis' add, Kingston, \$925.

Benjamin Sharp and wife to Andrew Stevenson and wife, ne ¼ of nw ¼ sec 33, Novesta, \$1500.

James Van Wagoner and wife to Kingston Cemetery Association, pt sec 3, Koylton, \$40.

Caroline Hitchcock to Jane E. Hitchcock, lot 3 blk 1 Deming's add, Cass City, \$1.

Edward Welsh to William J. Martus and wife, e ½ of sw ¼ sec 24, Elmwood, \$1800.

John H. Dorland and wife to Chas. M. Pattan and wife, pt Kingston, \$500.

Frederick Sanborn to Israel Hall, 40 acres in sec 25, Evergreen, \$400.

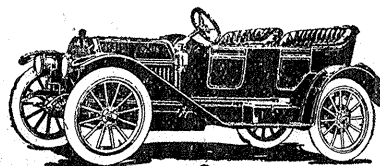
Israel Hall to Francis Barber, 40 acres in sec 25, Evergreen, \$500.

Pigeon State Bank to Arthur Petzold n ½ of sw ¼ sec 2 Brookfield, \$2700.

John S. Owens to Cornelius O'Connell, nw ¼ of ne sec 20 Brookfield, \$800.

Fred L. Fahndrick to Herbert W. Staebler s ¼ of ne ¼ sec 5, Brookfield, \$3900.

Wm. C. Soldan to Thos. Haist sw ¼ of sw ¼ sec 15 Brookfield, \$340.



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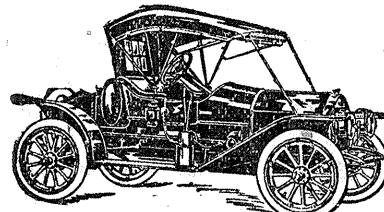
We are looking for a representative who realizes that the selling of automobiles is a perma-

nent and profitable business. We will have no trouble in convincing such a man that the Warren line of cars is his one best opportunity.

If this proposition appeals to you, write us at once, or, if you know someone you think it fits call their attention to this advertisement, or send us the name and we will correspond. Write at once.

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GOOD MUSIC, GOOD ORDER AND A GOOD TIME PROMISED. YOU ARE INVITED. COME AND BRING YOUR FRIENDS.

GOFF & BROWN.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Claude Albert Spencer, 18, Akron; Cora Maria Britton, 25, same.
Geo. W. Ridgeman, 35, Denmark; Alma Krueger, 17, same.
Percy C. Snyder, 25, Caro; Etta A. Holmes, 17, same.
Thos. Grant Clark, 24, Kingston; Laura Alfretha Hammond, 19, same.
Floyd E. Sweet, 22, Austin; Martha

Fritch, 19, Forester.

To Mothers in This Town. Children who are delicate, feverish, and cross will get immediate relief from Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children. They cleanse the stomach, act on the liver, and are recommended for complaining children. A pleasant remedy for worms. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample Free. Address, A. S. Olmstead, LeRoy, N. Y. 1-20-4.

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GAGETOWN.

Mrs. Mert Kelley is critically ill. James McGinn, a veteran of the Civil War and a Grand Army man, was buried Saturday afternoon. He served in both the 5th and 9th Mich. Infantry.

The M. E. ladies served an elegant supper at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Monroe Wednesday evening.

Miss Pearl McGinn returned Saturday to resume her duties at the Asylum at Pontiac.

Miss Lillie Karr is under medical treatment.

The stork brought a baby boy this time to gladden the hearts of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Burden Sunday evening.

Robt. H. Russell left Monday morning for the Florida coast for an indefinite stay.

Mrs. Miles McMillan is visiting her daughter, Mrs. A. Toohy, in Detroit.

Take Care

When the kidneys are affected, life is in danger. Read what Foley's Kidney Pills have done for your neighbor. Wm. E. Seeman, Flint, Mich., says: "For years I suffered with my kidneys, having severe backaches attended with dizzy spells. I felt miserable, and tired out easily, and then I got some of Foley's Kidney Pills and after using them a short time, a change for the better took place. My backaches left me, and as I continued the treatment, the dizzy spells vanished. I owe my cure to Foley's Kidney Pills, and wish everyone to know of them." L. I. Wood & Co.

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The Meanest Man in Town.

Is the one who always wears a frown, is cross, disagreeable and short and sharp in his answers. In nine cases out of ten it's not the poor fellow's fault, it's his liver and digestion that make him feel so miserable, he can't help being disagreeable. Are you in danger of getting into that condition? Then start at once taking Dr. Herrick's Sugar-Coated Pills for your liver—the safe, sure and reliable vegetable liver regulator. Ask for a free sample. Sold by Wood's Drug Store.

ENJOYED VIEW OF KANSAS FARM

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the hills and we passed miles of stone fence posts.

In the valley there are places where the prairie dogs have built regular towns covering perhaps 150 acres and the pocket gopher tunnels the earth and destroys alfalfa. Oil is found in some places. The price of Chestnut coal here is \$15 per ton; soft coal \$8.50 per ton; cotton wood and swamp ash, 12 inch cut, \$4.00 per cord. A good third of the people burn crude oil and the passenger locomotives on the Union Pacific burn the same. While we were here the thermometer registered 50 in the shade, so the late evening and very early morning were the only times when fire for warming purposes was needed.

Having had no rain since September, the roads are very dry and the sprinkler is going all the time on the streets. From this valley or on the Solomon branch of the Union Pacific in the two days while we were here, there were 120 cars of stock shipped to Kansas City stock yards. We are safe in saying we saw more corn, more stock, more wheat fields, as we passed through the country than ever before. In one herd of cattle which the cow punchers were guarding, there were 500 head and this was a common amount to see. In one of the wheat fields there were 760 acres.

Plenty of sweet potatoes and peanuts are grown here, but not many vegetables. Automobiles are used more among the farmers than the town people. Sixty were sold last summer by one salesman in Glasco to neighboring farmers. So Kansas is not all bad as was proven to us by the fact that our friend, whom we have already mentioned here. Mr. Hussey, formerly of Illinois, came to Glasco some years ago. He says he was \$700 worse off than nothing. He now owns at least seventy-five thousand, a beautiful home and harvested from 30 to 40 bushels of wheat per acre last year. Oats yielded 30 to 100 bushels per acre and there were four crops of alfalfa taken from the same ground last year which averaged two tons per acre.

We said good-bye to our much esteemed friend, Mr. Hussey, and our former pastor, Rev. Harding, and family on the morning of Jan. 10 and started for Denver which will be our next stop off. Will write again next week.

LUTHER J. CARROLL AND WIFE,
Enroute to the coast.

Leavenworth, Kansas, Jan. 5, 1911.

My Dear Chronicle:
After we left Cass City the morning of Dec. 17, we spent a few days in Detroit, then bought our tickets for San Francisco, Cal., over the Wabash to Kansas City, Union Pacific to Denver, D. & R. G. to Ogden and San Francisco, Southern Pacific to New Orleans, Illinois Central to St. Louis, Wabash to Detroit. You see round trip with stop-over privilege, our tickets cost from Detroit to Detroit again \$262.80. Of course every stop-over has its additional cost.

We spent two weeks with relatives in Tina, Mo. We stopped off at Kansas City and went over to Leavenworth and visited the National Military Home in which there are 3,600 members; 700 acres with 85 buildings thereon, all of which are beautiful and new looking.

A guide took us everywhere covering the places of most interest. There are 400 civilians; a large and beautiful library building with 1,000 volumes (a Carnegie gift); one window in which is a colored glass portrait of Abraham Lincoln, a donation costing \$3,000; 800 feet of green house; opera house in which all entertainments are free to the soldiers; a beautiful chapel where both Protestant and Catholic worship at the same hour; a large hospital with seven doctors in attendance all the time; post office; pool room, where the grey haired veterans enjoy playing; a laundry; dry cleaning room; police station with 30 men; two fire departments, etc.

It was our pleasure to shake hands with some noted veterans such as Robt. Boyd, born 1811, 99 years old, who fought in three wars—the Mexican, Indian and Civil. Col. Hale, 92 years, who rode the first engine into Chicago. Gen. Grant's scout, a Choctaw Indian.

When our day was finished here, we were very tired, yet glad for our added trip.

LUTHER J. CARROLL AND WIFE.

Fur coats and robes at greatly reduced prices at G. W. Goff's. 1-20-

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Shake Allen's Foot-Ease in one shoe and not in the other, and notice the difference. Just the thing to use when rubbers or overshoes become necessary, and your shoes seem to pinch. Sold Everywhere, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Sample free. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y. 1-20-4.

A MID-WINTER

CLEAN-UP SALE

THE EXCEPTIONALLY good business of the past few months caused us to make heavier purchases than usual and left us with a greater amount of surplus stock than usual. We will clean it all up. Sale begins

SATURDAY, JANUARY 14, 1911,

CLOSES SATURDAY, JANUARY 28. Giving you 12 days of the biggest price cutting ever attempted in retail merchandising.

Do You Wear Size 10-11-12 in Heavy Rubbers for Socks or Felts?

We find in stock a surplus of one buckle, two buckle and High Cut heavy rubbers of above sizes. Until close of business Saturday night, January 28, we will give

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Special Cut on Misses' Alaskas, Children's Warm Lined Shoes, Men's Beaver and Women's Fleeced Lined and Beaver Top Shoes. The \$1.50 and \$1.75-kind for 98c. The \$2.00 and \$2.50 grades now \$1.62



Every article advertised last week continued at advertised price, and some more added to the list.

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Tomson—Your father's in Florida for the winter, I believe?
Bilson—Yes; economy and health. Calculated that the saving in coal and Christmas presents would pay railroad fare both ways and put money in his pocket.

The Game of Quintain.

The game of quintain survives only in the village of Offham Green, in Kent, England. It is so named from an instrument used in tilting on horseback with the lance. It consisted of an upright post, surmounted by a crossbar turning on a pivot, which had at one end a flat board and at the other a bag of sand. The object of the tilter was to strike the board at such a rate of speed that he would be past and out of the way before the bag of sand as it whirled round could hit him in the back.

P., O. & N. R. R Time Table.

Trains leave Cass City
Going north, 11:35 a. m. and 7:58 p. m.
Going south, 7:45 a. m. and 3:29 p. m.

Closing Out Sale

Horse Blankets Fur Coats and Cutters

Take advantage of this opportunity to secure some of these goods at money-saving prices.

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Chronicle Liners Cost but 4 cents a Line.