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AIRSHIP AN ATTRACTION AT THE CASS CITY FAIR

WILL MAKE TWO FLIGHTS EACH
DAY.

Fair Officials Will Pay Out Four
Times Usual Amount for
Special Features.

Secretary Frutchey has just closed a contract with the United Fairs Booking Co. for an air ship attraction at the Cass City Fair. The securing of this attraction involved a substantial sum and this is the first country fair in this part of the state to offer such an expensive and high class feature. The contract calls for two flights of the airship each day.

This is but one of the several attractions that will be offered to the public this year. The fair officials will pay out four times as much money as has been expended in former years for special features. This they have been able to arrange by the backing of Cass City's business men, who have assured the fair association that they will assist in producing the extra amount that may be necessary to offer the public a fine line of attractions.

Other departments of the fair will be maintained as usual. This is a good time to plan the exhibits which farmers and town people expect to bring to the annual exhibition.

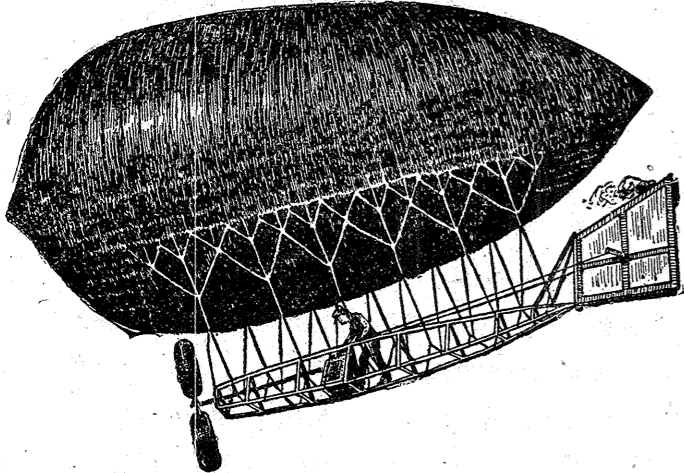
Keep the date in mind—Aug. 22, 23, 24 and 25.

BROKEN WHEELS UPSET AUTO NEAR SEBEWAING

Five Pigeon Men Thrown Out and
Two Receive Serious
Injuries.

Five auto riders from Pigeon were upset two miles out of Sebewaing early Saturday morning, two of them being seriously injured.

The machine was driven by Robert Wentzel and his companions were Edward Anklam, Wm. Krohn, Herman Immer and Otto Wachner. The party left Pigeon Friday evening to attend a gathering at Lawrence Anklam's, a few miles from Sebewaing. They started home in the wee hours of morning and were travelling between 40 and 50 miles an hour, when they came to a rut in the road. The driver tried to turn out but lost control of the machine. The two front wheels were broken and the automobile turned over several times. The accident took place about 3:00 a. m. in front of the home of Mrs. Wm. Zoebel, 2 1/2 miles from Sebewaing. Krohn, Immer and Wachner received only a few bruises about their faces, but Wentzel's skull was fractured and he was found lying senseless on the ground. Anklam was pinned down by the machine. His cries for help were terrible, and in the excitement of the moment, the



The Airship, One of the Attractions at the Cass City Fair, Aug. 22-25, 1911

other three lifted the machine off of him. Anklam had two ribs broken and his back was injured.

Wentzel and Anklam were carried into the Zoebel home and physicians were called. They found the two men in a very critical condition, but they are reported better now and are expected home in a few days. Anklam was to have been married to a young lady in Pigeon this week, but the ceremony will be postponed until his recovery.

The machine, a new one, belonged to Wentzel and it will take several hundred dollars to repair it.

Wagon umbrellas—75c at Crosby & Son's. 6-16

Wanted.

Six girls for picking beans. Good wages. The Farm Produce Co. 6-16.

MRS. FRANK McCASLIN.

Death entered the home of Frank McCaslin, 5 1/2 miles east and 1 mile south of Cass City, Saturday afternoon and claimed as a victim Mrs. McCaslin, who has been suffering with tuberculosis for over a year.

Sarah Esther Rigglesworth was born in New York state Oct. 10, 1880. On Dec. 10, 1900, she was married to Frank McCaslin and to this union two daughters were born, both of whom survive the mother.

The funeral was held at the residence Tuesday afternoon, Rev. W. L. Moore of Shabbona officiating. Interment was made in the Elkland cemetery.

JUNIORS BANQUET THE SENIORS AT HIGH SCHOOL

Banquet Hall Prettily Decorated and
Several Responded in Toasts
and Short Talks.

Thursday evening, June 8, marked one of the most successful attempts at entertainment ever achieved by the Junior class of the Cass City high school. In years past it has been the custom for the Juniors to entertain the Seniors as the school year drew to a close but never before was the result so highly pleasing. Seventeen of the eighteen Seniors were present, besides the faculty and Juniors.

The banquet was held in the upper hall of the main school building. It was decorated for the occasion with purple and white, the Junior colors, and the Senior banners of maize and blue. The tables were laid for forty-eight and were decorated with pink and white roses. Dainty place cards aided in seating the assemblage.

About 8:30 p. m. guests began to arrive and were ushered into the high room where college songs were the chief interest. At 9:00 all marched to the banquet hall and were served an appetizing luncheon by eight Junior girls. The following was the menu:

Sandwiches
Potato Salad
Olives
Fruit Salad
Cake
Ice Cream

After all had partaken of the repast and were in good humor, toasts were offered as a final dessert. Ethelyn Striffler, president of the Junior class, acted as toast-mistress and the following responded:

Jas. Hurley - - - - - The Juniors
Gertrude McWebb - - - - - The Seniors
Jason Kitchen - - - - -
Our High School Girls
Hazel Meade - Our High School Boys
Stanley Bien - - - - - Athletics
Jas. Klump - - - - - Faculty
Prof. Winter - - - - - Future
The Misses Hunter, Saxton and Bryant and Mr. Harnish presented many

ANOTHER JUNE WEDDING.

Miss Esther Akerman Becomes Bride
of Joseph A. Benkelman.

Another June wedding was solemnized at high noon Saturday, June 10, when Miss Esther S. Akerman became the bride of Joseph A. Benkelman. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Schweitzer of the Evangelical church at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Akerman, in presence of only the immediate relatives of the couple.

After the pastor had introduced Mr. and Mrs. Benkelman to the guests and congratulations were extended, a wedding dinner was served. The table as well as the rooms were profusely decorated with pink and white carnations, pink roses and ferns.

The bride is a member of the class of 1908 of the Cass City high school and since her graduation has been teaching—one year in the Paul school and two years in the Bird school. The groom pursued a course in the Michigan Agricultural college at Lansing a few years ago and has since been engaged in farming on the Benkelman place, one and a half miles northeast of town, where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Benkelman left on the afternoon train for a short visit with relatives and friends in Ann Arbor and Detroit.

It may be interesting to note that the marriage of the bride's eldest sister took place just two years previous—June 10, 1909.

10-YEAR-OLD GIRL DROWNED SATURDAY

MARY COULTER MET DEATH IN
CASS RIVER.

Was Bathing With Two Companions
Near Forest Home in Ever-
green Township.

While bathing in Cass river, near Forest Home, Mary Coulter, 10-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Coulter, was drowned Saturday afternoon.

The little girl was accompanied to the river by Bessie Darling and an older sister, Malvina. Mary had learned to swim last year, but Saturday, when she got into deep water, she apparently became frightened and was unable to reach the shore. Her sister attempted to help her and nearly lost her life in so doing. She was saved by Miss Zilpah Craig's presence of mind who aided her with a long pole.

Neighbors gathered quickly and took the child out of the water and attempted to restore respiration. A telephone call summoned Dr. A. N. Treadgold from Cass City, who made the trip in a remarkably short time in Herb Frutchey's automobile, with Mr. Frutchey at the wheel. All efforts to regain life were unavailing. The body was taken to the family home in Evergreen township, about 1/4 mile from the scene of the accident, and on Monday afternoon, the funeral was held in the Greenbank M. E. church. Rev. W. L. Moore, the pastor, spoke beautiful words of comfort to the sorrowing friends and relatives. The floral offerings were numerous and beautiful, and a large number were in attendance at the services. Interment was made in the Novesta cemetery.

Mary Coulter was of a kind disposition and cheerful and sunny temperament and during her few years of life won many friends among both young and old. Besides her parents, she is survived by two brothers and two sisters, who have the tender sympathy of the community in their bereavement.

For Sale.
Six year old cow; new milch. Mrs. Ed Fitch. 6-16-1p

Stray horse came into my enclosure June 13; color light grey; blind in left eye; lame in left hind leg. Owner may have same by paying all charges. G. A. Kirton, Wickware, Mich. 6-16-1p

I have a full stock of mower knives and sections for Deering, Champion, McCormick and Plano machinery. Machine oil for automobiles and farm implements. Quantity of barn paint. J. L. Hitchcock. 6-16

Gold watch pin lost in Cass City with initials "N. C." engraved thereon. Finder will kindly leave at Chronicle office. 6-16

There must be something in a store that has real interest to you, or there can be nothing in a store's ads to appeal to you—of course. So, that, by this rule, ad-readers know "where to go." 6-16

PREMONITION OF FATAL ILLNESS PROVED TRUE

MRS. ELIZA KILLINS AN EARLY
PIONEER OF GRANT.

Lived in That Township 25 Years.
Funeral Was Held Wednesday
Afternoon.

Like many others, Mrs. Eliza Killins of Grant township appeared to have a premonition that her illness would prove fatal, though to her friends it seemed only a slight cold. When reminded a short time ago that Wednesday, June 14, would be her 85th anniversary, she calmly answered that it would be for a different birthday party her friends would gather that time.

Her death occurred Monday morning, June 12, and the funeral was held Wednesday, on the anniversary of the lady's birth. In the passing away of Mrs. Killins Grant township loses one of its early pioneer settlers. She had lived there 25 years.

Eliza Neville was born in the Township of Crowland, County of Welland, Ontario, on June 14, 1826. In 1846 she was united in marriage to George Killins, who died in Mar. 21, 1855. To them were born four children, Elias R. of Cass City, Geo. E. of Brighton, Annetta of Beamville, Ont., and Rosetta, who resided with the mother.

Very early in life Mrs. Killins embraced the Christian faith and ever after proved a consistent member of the Methodist church. Carrying her religion in every day life and being naturally of a cheerful disposition, she always had a sympathetic word for the suffering, cheerful advice for the downcast and words of comfort for the sorrowing.

The funeral was held at the Bethel church, Rev. Horton of Beaulieu officiating and the choir of the Beaulieu church rendering special music. Interment was made in the Elkland cemetery.

ST. COLUMBKILL CHURCH SCENE OF PRETTY WEDDING

Miss Millie Decker and James C.
Walker United in Marriage
by Rev. Fr. Dolan.

St. Columbkil's Catholic church was the scene of a very pretty wedding Wednesday morning, June 14, when Miss Millie Decker was united in the holy bonds of matrimony to James C. Walker by Rev. Fr. Dolan.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Margaret Decker, and Arthur Decker, brother of the bride, acted as best man. The bride was charmingly attired in a white Bulgarian hand embroidered silk dress trimmed in Valenciennes lace and carried a bridal bouquet and a white prayer book. The bridesmaid wore a white embroidered nainsook gown and carried a bouquet of pink and white carnations. The groom and his attendant wore the conventional black.

Immediately after the ceremony the guests retired to the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Mary Decker, where the bride and groom enjoyed an old fashioned shower of rice. At twelve o'clock the guests were invited to the dining room, decorated in roses and ferns, where they partook of the many good things in store for them.

Late in the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Walker wended their way to Ubyly, with a host of followers who decorated their carriage to their own taste. Amid showers of rice they left for Port Austin. They will visit in Port Austin, Port Huron Detroit and other places. After their return they will be at home to their many friends on the groom's farm 4 miles west and 1/2 mile south of Ubyly.

The bride received a handsome array of beautiful wedding gifts. Those present from a distance were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Decker of Port Austin, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Walker of Ubyly, Clifford Gracey of Mt. Pleasant, Mary McRae of Detroit and Mary Croft of Bad Axe.

The party that borrowed my scythe from shanty on farm east of town will kindly return same as I need it. G. W. Goff. 6-16

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

64,034 PIECES OF MAIL.

Passed Through Local Postoffice During
Month of May.

Sixty-four thousand thirty-four pieces of mail passed through the Cass City postoffice from May 1 to 31 inclusive. This is the actual count made by the postmaster and his clerks during that time.

The postoffice department has never before taken such a count as was conducted this year all over the country. In every way, the effort was made to have it complete, the mail in all four classes being counted together with registered and foreign letters. The Cass City outgoing mail totaled 17,104 pieces and the incoming 46,930. The figures reveal that the large share of both outgoing and incoming mail was in the first class. It totaled 33,441 pieces and each piece of the incoming had to be handled four times. An average of 19 pieces of this incoming matter could be handled per minute, while of the first class outgoing mail an average of 14 pieces per minute was handled.

Newspapers to the number of 13,428 were brought into the city together with 2,576 magazines.

A GAIN IN ALL LINES OF THE WORK

TWELFTH ANNUAL MEETING OF
MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

Reports From Several Sources in
the Pt. Huron District Are
Encouraging.

The twelfth annual meeting of the Port Huron District Woman's Home Missionary society convened in the M. E. church of this city on Tuesday afternoon, June 13, at 2 o'clock.

Devotions were conducted by Mrs. Chapman of North Branch. In the absence of the president, the meeting was presided over by Mrs. Dennis of Detroit, a former conference president.

Reports from the district corresponding secretary, treasurer and deaconess' work were very encouraging, showing a gain along all lines of the work.

Mrs. H. S. Earle of Detroit, conference mite-box secretary, gave very helpful hints as to how to improve.

MICKLE FAMILY RE-UNION ON BOIS BLANC ISLAND

Relatives From United States and
Canada Become Acquainted
With Each Other.

The Mickle family, of which Dwight Mickle of Novesta and Hart Mickle of Cass City, are local representatives, had a big re-union at Bois Blanc island on Wednesday, June 7. Mr. and Mrs. Hart Mickle and sons, Dwight and Glen, were among those in attendance.

The Amherstburg (Ont.) Echo contained the following paragraphs describing the event:

"The Mickle family reunion was held on Bois Blanc island, Wednesday, June 7. The gathering was attended by relatives from all parts, some coming from the Pacific coast, and many from the states of the Union, but Essex, Kent and Lambton were particularly well represented. Many relatives present had never met before and were total strangers

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A lawn social at Hart Mickle's Saturday, June 17. Ice cream and cake, 10 c. 6-16-1p.

Found on Sunday, June 4, an umbrella near Fred Bigelow's residence. Owner may have same by calling at the Chronicle and paying for this notice. 6-16

If "the buyer" for your home is a perpetual student of the ads—your home is prospering.

Pocket book lost. Reward for its return to G. W. Goff. 6-16

Will buy poultry any day in the week. 11 cents a pound, live weight. Harry Young. 5-12

Fresh groceries always on hand at Mrs. Parker's. 5-12

For Sale.
Model F five-passenger Buick with top and wind shield. Newly painted and number one running order. J. D. Crosby. 4-28

Kodaks and supplies at Wood's.

CLASS OF EIGHTEEN GRADUATES NEXT WEEK

SERMON TO GRADUATES BY REV.
A. O. KNAPP.

Eighth Grade Graduating Exercises
Senior Class Play and Class
Day Exercises Follow.

Next week is commencement week in the Cass City schools. The exercises will be as follows:

Sunday morning—
Sermon to graduates by Rev. A. O. Knapp at the Presbyterian church.
Monday evening—
Eighth grade graduating exercises at the Methodist church.
Tuesday evening—
Senior class play at the opera house.
Wednesday evening—
Senior class day exercises at the opera house.

The program follows:

Music - - - - - Orchestra
Invocation
President's Address - James Hurley
Declaration, "The Stranded Ship"
- - - - - Flossie Sommerville
Piano Solo, "Fifth Nocturne" by
J. Leybach - - - - - Irene Martin
Oration, "What is an Education?"
- - - - - Alex Cleland
Declaration, "The Night Run on
the Overland" - Joanna McRae
Music - - - - - Orchestra
Class History - - - - - Nina McWebb
Oration, "Coronation" - Dora Hoadley
Declaration, "Calpurnia"
- - - - - Hester McKim
Duet, "The Mighty Deep"
- - - - - Jessie McCallum, Harry Striffler
Gittatory - - - - - Maebelle Brian
Class Will - - - - - Maybelle Seeger
Class Prophecy - - - - - Harry Striffler
Music - - - - - Orchestra

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Strawberries will soon be ready for the market. You may purchase them at my home, from the wagon or at Mrs. G. W. Goff's store. Frank Hoagland. 6-16-1

Pigs for sale. L. A. Holtz, R. D. No. 3, Cass City. 6-16-1p

New line of Coral Beads at Higgins'. 5-18

Horses for sale, all grades. L. E. Dickinson, City phone No. 148, 28.

Buy your chick feed at Jones'. 4-14-11.

Money to Loan.
The loan business heretofore done by Laing & Janes for outside parties has been put into my hands for care and attention. Call on me only. L. I. Wood 1-27

Lost—Locket and chain, locket containing picture of my mother, Mrs. Etta Rowley. Engraved "Myrl." Reward. Return to Myrl Rowley.

Some more garden seeds at Mrs. Parker's.

Leave your order with us for hammock racks. We are manufacturing them now. Cass City Planing Mill Co. 6-9

Pasture, 1 3/4 miles from Cass City for young stock and cows. Dr. A. N. Treadgold. 6-9-11.

Buy your seeds, bulk or package at Jones'. 5-5

Lost—A plain locket and chain. Finder kindly leave same at Chronicle office. 6-9

Spraying material at Wood's.

For sale—40 acres of good pasture land. Enquire at Chronicle office. 6-9-3p.

For a good clean, fresh stock of groceries call at Mrs. G. W. Goff's. 5-5

Garden seeds at Mrs. Parker's. 5-12

Poultry Wanted.
every day at Wright's. 11 cents for hens. 6-2

The Ideal line of shirts and overalls for the man who works. At Jones'. 5-18

For Real Estate.
Call on Fritz & Parr, Cass City, Mich. 4-14

Rooms to rent above office. Enquire of Dr. A. N. Treadgold. 4-7

A Card or Sign
placed in your window or on your house or gate is seen only by those passing along the street on which your property is located. Even then it is given but a fleeting glance, and soon forgotten. Whereas, a liner ad in the Chronicle is not only seen but read thoroughly by hundreds of people. If you make your story interesting enough it will receive the attention of people interested in what you are offering. The cost is small compared with the results received.

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H. F. LENZNER, Publisher.

THIS PAPER REPRESENTED FOR FOREIGN ADVERTISING BY THE



BRANCHES IN ALL THE PRINCIPAL CITIES

ARGYLE.

Goldie Doerr and Clarence Dene-worth were married last week. Con-gratulations.

Mrs. John Austin of Deckerville is visiting friends west of Argyle.

The Ladies Aid met at Mrs. A. Walker's last week Wednesday.

The Baptist Ladies Aid met at Miss Ida Brooks's last week Thursday.

Bert Brooks is hauling lumber from Ubyly for his barn.

Mrs. John Pratt is still very ill.

Marvin Walker will soon be rais-ing his barn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sandham were pleasant callers here last Friday.

David Kitchen was calling in this vicinity recently.

Sheriff Graham and family passed through town last week.

Owing to the shower the picnic which was to have been held in Walker's grove by the West school last Friday was held at the school house.

The happy youngsters were served with a dinner by their parents after which a short program was en-joyed by all. Then came a game of ball between the old men and the boys, the score being 29 to 18 in fa-vor of the boys.

Frank Garner is on the sick list.

George Stevenson and wife were calling in this vicinity Sunday.

Harl Paterson and wife visited at Jim Starr's Sunday.

Miss Johnson has gone to her home in Detroit after having taught a very successful term at the Starr school. She has been re-engaged for the next term.

Poley Kidney Pills contain the in-gredients necessary to regulate and strengthen the action of the kidneys and bladder. Try them yourself. L. I. Wood & Co.

GAGETOWN.

Mrs. E. E. Duffie of Brown City has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Dan McCarthy, the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Wells of Vas-sar were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Rogers Wednesday last, re-turning home Thursday.

James, eldest son of D. S. Murphy, while playing with other boys, was accidentally pushed into the trench where workmen were putting in the water mains on Church street Wed-nesday last striking on his head and remained unconscious for several hours. He is not seriously injured, however.

R. S. Brown is visiting a brother in Bay City this week.

Miss Maggie Quinn of Bad Axe was a caller at the Rogers' home Tuesday.

Mrs. Rosa Bartholomy of Brook-field died Tuesday, June 6, at the age of 79 years. Funeral at Agatha church Friday morning.

The Hotel Truesdell is being deco-rated with paint and paper and the sitting room in an elegant green.

WHAT'S THE REASON?

Many Cass City People in Poor Health Without Knowing the Cause.

There are scores of people who drag out a miserable existence with-out realizing the cause of their suffering. Day after day they are racked with headache and head-ache; suffer from nervousness, diz-ziness, weakness, languor and depres-sion. Likely the kidneys have fallen behind in their work of filtering the blood and that is the root of the trouble. Look to your kidneys, assist them in their work—give them the help they need. You can use no bet-ter remedy than Doan's Kidney Pills.

Below is grateful testimony from a sufferer in this locality.

J. H. Newman, Main St., Sebawa-ing, Mich., says: "I have no hesitation in recommending Doan's Kidney Pills for I consider them a valuable reme-dy for kidney complaint. A few years ago I had a severe attack of this trouble and my back pained me intensely. At that time I procured Doan's Kidney Pills and it did not take them long to give me relief. I have had no occasion to use a kid-ney medicine 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. 1

CUMBER.

Still lots of rain.

Mr. C. W. Law underwent an op-eration for appendicitis at the Hub-bard hospital at Bad Axe. At the last reports she was getting along nicely.

L. Peter called on George Schies-tal Sunday.

Miss Eva Master and Clare Mc-Lean were the guests of George Schiestal and wife Sunday evening.

Ethel Somerville is going to Ida-ho to visit her sisters.

Doris Morrell and Josie Osintoriski were married Tuesday. Congratula-tions.

Josephine Karl of Detroit is visit-ing at her home here.

Louis Shagena, jr., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Franzel and Claude and Percy Shagena went to Saginaw last Sun-day by auto.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Arm-stead, June 10, a daughter.

Lem McConnell died at his home at Holbrook last Wednesday. His widow has the sympathy of the en-tire community.

Mary Kittendorf is working for Mr. Helwig near Cass City.

Cass City fair in August, 1911. Everybody turn out and go.

Steve Peter and wife called on Mrs. Geo. Schiestal one day last week.

Mrs. Nada P. Mills, who has been visiting at her parental home, has returned to her home at Oscoda.

Albert Guigor made a business trip to Cass City recently.

Jas. Somerville made a trip to Port Sanilac last Sunday. What's the attraction, Jim?

John S. Peter made a business trip to Argyle recently.

H. C. Spencer is building a fine new house.

B. C. Birdsell has a sick horse.

Mrs. A. H. Birdsell has gone to Fletcher, Ont., for an extended visit.

Guy Flannery makes his trip quite frequently to the blacksmith shop. It takes a long time to get his shoes fitted.

Mother Gray's Sweet Powders for Children.

Relieve Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regu-late the Bowels and are a pleasant remedy for Worms. Used by Moth-ers for 22 years. They never fail. At all Druggists, 25c. Sample free. Address, A. S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y. 5-12-4.

EVERGREEN.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Mudge of Shab-bona will be pleased to know that they are the great grandparents of a bright little man, born May 28, 1911, weighing eight pounds and named Charles Melvin. His parents are Mr. and Mrs. Clair M. Sumner of Hur-man, Los Angeles, California.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Earl G. Clothier and wife to Wm. B. Wilson, n 118 a of ne ¼ sec 35, Koylton, \$4,000.

James L. Purdy and wife to Wm. J. Sugnet, lot 8 of blk 1 James Cleav-er's add, Gagetown, \$175.

James D. Brooker and wife to Jno. Spurgeon, sr. and wife, pt village of Cass City, \$400.

Harvey E. Delling and wife to Geo. W. Smith, e ½ of e ½ of sw ¼ of sw ¼ of se ¼ sec 1, Ellington, \$3500.

N. M. Richardson and wife to Her-bert L. Powell, nw ¼ of nw ¼ sec. 10, Kingston, \$425.

Edwin Eno and wife to Walter C. Schell and wife ne ¼ of sw ¼ sec. 33, Elkland, \$2500.

Joshua Watson to Frederick W. Matt and wife nw ¼ of se ¼ sec 24, Columbia, \$2500.

Frederick W. Matt and wife to Joshua Watson, pt nw ¼ sec 25, Col-umbia, \$625.

Wm. H. Address and wife to Josh-ua Watson, e ½ of n ½ of se ¼ of sw ¼ sec 24, Columbia, \$625.

Henrietta Smith to Norman O. Hut-cheson and wife, pt sec 16, Elling-ton, \$200.

Sarah J. Borland to Christian G. Seeger, pt ne ¼ sec 34, Ellington, \$800.

Deafness Cannot be Cured

By local applications, as they can-not reach the diseased portion of the ear. There is only one way to cure deafness, and that is by consti-tutional remedies. Deafness is caused by an inflamed condition of the mucous lining of the Eustachian tube. When this tube is inflamed you have a rumbling sound or imperfect hear-ing, and when it is entirely closed, Deafness is the result, and unless the inflammation can be taken out and this tube restored to its normal condition hearing will be destroyed forever; nine cases out of ten are caused by Catarrh, which is nothing but an inflamed condition of the mu-cous surfaces.

We will give One Hundred Dollars for any case of Deafness caused by catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. Send for cir-culars, free. F. J. Cheney & Co., Tol-edo, O.

Sold by Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipa-tion.

WICKWARE.

Preaching next Sunday afternoon.

Robert Feuster has returned home after spending a few days on the jury at Sandusky.

Mrs. Bennett and daughter, Car-rie, on their way home from town, had a narrow escape from being se-riously hurt. Their horse became frightened at an automobile, upset-ting the buggy and breaking it but they escaped with a few bruises.

Mr. George Cridland intends go-ing to the northwest in a short time.

Jake Spencer of Cass City passed through our vicinity Monday.

Gene Hartwick, who has been on the sick list for the past two weeks, is improved so that he is able to be out of doors.

The woman of today who has good health, good temper, good sense, bright eyes and a lovely complexion, the result of correct living and good digestion, wins the admiration of the world. If your digestion is faulty, Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will correct it. For sale by all dealers.

NOVESTA.

Miss Elizabeth Beebehyser is home for a few days from Oxford.

Misses Maude Parrott, Ethel Charl-ton and Minnie Talmage and Rinard Knoblet are all in Caro attending the teachers' examination a couple of days this week.

Miss Perry closed her term of school in the Quick district Friday. She gave the pupils a treat of ice cream and cake.

Misses May and Jennie Little are home from teaching in the western part of the county.

The ice cream social at the resi-dence of Mr. Johnson Wednesday for the benefit of Elder Beedon was well attended. The proceeds amount-ed to \$10.50.

R. Warner thinks he can go Mc-Cracken and Spittler one better. He had his phone put in the 9th of Ju-ly, 1909, and has not had a pair of batteries or any one to look at it since and it is in good running order yet and Rob says he does some rub-bering once in a while.

Friday morning while M. Anthes and crew were moving C. Schwader-er's barn on a wall there was a wind storm and blew it down and the men and horses that were employed about it had a very narrow escape from getting hurt. Mr. Schwaderer has it all torn apart and will rebuild it at once.

William Parrott left last week for Brown City where he has secured employment in the creamery at that place.

Miss Margaret Stirton visited her sister, Mrs. N. McCullough, over Sun-day. She left Monday morning for Big Rapids where she will attend school during the summer.

The Ladies Aid met last Thursday at the home of Mrs. H. Stone. A large crowd attended and the pro-ceeds amounted to \$6.85.

Miss Hazel Livingston, who has been very ill, is improving slowly.

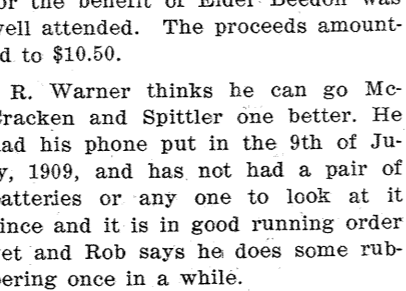
Easter in Russia.

Easter is regarded as the greatest festival of the year in Russian and is celebrated by much kissing.

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THUMB NOTES.

Kingston will celebrate July 4.

Bad Axe's graduating class num-bers 21. This is the largest class in the school's history.

A few of our Thumb exchanges are giving Barnum's circus five dollars worth of advertising for one dollar's worth of tickets.

At a meeting held at Caro recently, a county organization of the U of M alumni was formed. Dr. F. P. Bender of Caro was chosen president; Ed-ward Pinney of Cass City vice presi-dent; L. G. Seeley of Caro secretary; Mrs. W. S. Wixson of Caro treasurer.

The entire plant, business and good will of the Caro Light and Power Co. has been purchased by Hon. T. W. At-wood from Dr. R. M. Olin and Dr. J. M. Ealy, who have been the owners for the past two years. Mr. Atwood intends to make some radical im-provements in the plant.

Bad Axe has the distinction of hav-ing the only band in the state con-sisting of nearly all Sunday school boys, and of one class. It is known as the Military Star band of Bad Axe and made its first appearance on Dec-oration Day.

The Independent Farmer Newspa-per of Kinde has been incorporated and will be published by the Indepen-dent Farmer Company. The first meeting of stock holders these offi-cers were chosen: President, James H. Hall; vice president, John H. Cole; secretary and treasurer, H. Le-Roy Hall.

GETTING ON.

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Japan Will Hold an Exposition

JAPAN is to hold a grand expo-
sition in 1917 in commemora-
tion of the golden wedding anni-
versary of the emperor. The
Japanese government has appropri-
ated 20,000,000 yen, which is equal to
\$10,000,000 in American money. All
the nations of the world are expected
to participate, and the United States
has already promised, through Presi-
dent Taft, to do so.

Y. Bryan Yamashita is at present in
this country as special commissioner
of the exposition. He was introduced
to President Taft by William Jen-
nings Bryan, whom Yamashita some
years ago adopted as his father, after
a custom prevalent among the Japa-
nese. Yamashita gives an interesting
recital of the incidents leading up to
this adoption and his assumption of
the name "Bryan."

In the Japan Gazette he read of
Bryan's famous cross-of-gold-crown-
of-thorns speech at the Democratic
national convention at Chicago in
1896. He was impressed with Bry-
an's purpose to aid the common peo-
ple and wrote to the Nebraskan, stat-
ing that he should like to adopt him
as his father and acquire an Ameri-
can education under his tutelage.
"Can I come to your home?" woun-
d up Yamashita's letter. He got no re-
ply.

Starts For America.

Yamashita asked his father for mon-
ey to pay his way to America and
urged some friends to induce his fa-
ther to let him make the trip. Ulti-
mately his father sold a piece of land
and gave his son the proceeds. When
he landed at San Francisco Yamashita
had only \$30 and went to work on a
farm. He kept on writing to Mr.
Bryan and repeating his request. Still
no reply.

After five months he had saved \$40.
He had talked with his employer about

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Honors For Mme. Nordica, Who Wears
Only American Made Clothes.

Even American singers, it seems, are
subject to the command of the German
emperor in matters artistic at least, for
the most prominent American dramatic
soprano, Mme. Lillian Nordica, has
been commanded by Kaiser William II.
to sing "Tristan and Isolde" at the
Royal Opera in Berlin on May 27.

Although Mme. Nordica defers to the
imperial command in the matter of
singing, she is asserting her American-
ism in a thoroughly practical manner.
In the declaration which she made be-
fore sailing the singer invoiced fifty
pieces of luggage which contained
more than a hundred house, street and



NORDICA AS "ISOLDE."

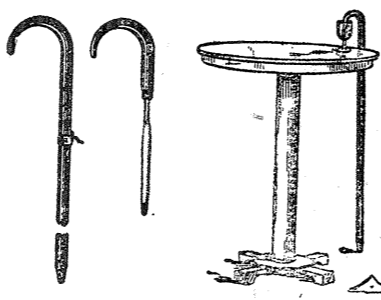
evening gowns, beside hats and theat-
rical costumes, all of which were made
in New York by American dressmak-
ers and milliners. It is not entirely
through patriotism that the singer
wears American clothes only. She de-
clares they fit better, wear better, look
better and cost less than those made in
Europe. For years Mme. Nordica has
had all her clothes made in New York.
Berlin and Paris modistes do not ap-
peal to her. By having all her luggage
examined and invoiced she is spared
the usual customs inquisition upon re-
turning.

After the Berlin engagement Mme.
Nordica will sing the operas of the Ni-
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provide something for the morning.

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and running through both handle and
stick is a rubber tubing, forming a
siphon. By raising and lowering the
lever shown part way down the cane
air is expelled, and the siphon begins
to act, rapidly emptying the glass.
The capacity of the caner is several
glasses. It may be relieved of its con-
tents by giving the screw tip a few
turns.

MOUNTAIN CLIMBING.

Agility of a Goat Needed by Those
Who Attempt the Stunts.

The mountain goat can hardly outdo
the students of the University of Colo-
rado, at least so far as pictorial effec-
is concerned, when a leap from one
crag or shelf to another is to be accom-
plished. It would seem also that the



MOUNTAIN CLIMBER LEAPING FROM ONE
ROCKY SHELF TO ANOTHER.

young men are making ready to photo-
graph as human files, according to photo-
graphs recently made of a party of
students who were doing a few moun-
tain feats for exercise.

There are five or six very precipitous
peaks known as "the Flatrons" about
thirty miles from Denver, and some of
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There were no pews in the churches
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or chronic rheumatism. All that is
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Her Outlook.
"There shall be no marrying or giv-
ing in marriage in heaven," quoted the
wise guy.

"That's pretty tough on the girl who
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for her," added the simple mug.—Phil-
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Satisfied Her Curiosity.
A bright boy who was a pupil in one
of the earliest institutions for the
blind, says Fanny Crosby in her "Life
Story," was vastly bored by the fool-
ish questions asked by visitors whom
he had to escort about the school. The
climax was reached when he took
them to the dining hall.
"Dear me!" exclaimed a wondering
dame. "How do you blind folks ever
manage to see the way to your
mouths?"
"Well, ma'am," replied the boy sol-
emnly, "each of us hitches one end of
a string to his tongue and the other to
the leg of his chair. By following that
he manages to prevent the victuals
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LOCAL ITEMS.

John Carruthers of Argyle was a visitor in town Saturday.

Mrs. Eleanor Usher is spending the week with friends and relatives in Argyle.

Mrs. David Law was called to Uby last Thursday by the illness of Mrs. Ward Law.

For novel attractions the Cass City Fair will be in the front row this year.

Miss Mary Zinnecker left Tuesday for Owendale where she is employed as nurse.

Henry Wettlaufer and daughter, Miss Christine, visited friends in Elkton Saturday.

Miss Ora McKim, who has been teaching in the Elkton school, returned home Saturday to spend her summer vacation.

David Stitt of Oxford was the guest of his brother, T. W. Stitt, the first of the week.

James Oathout has returned from Hillman, where he has been employed for several months.

George Zinnecker of Saginaw visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zinnecker, Monday.

Mrs. C. A. Sherman has returned from Ellington where she had been visiting for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Landon were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Johnson near Deford over Sunday.

Mrs. Earl Ryan left this week for Sault Ste. Marie where she will visit at her parental home indefinitely.

Mrs. Henry Wettlaufer left Tuesday morning for a visit at the home of her son, Dr. E. J. Wettlaufer, in Detroit.

Miss Vida McConnell of Detroit was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McConnell, Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cameron of Detroit visited at the home of Mrs. C. W. Snell Sunday and attended the funeral of L. McConnell.

Mrs. C. A. Scott and Mrs. Allen Armitage and son, John, of Uby were the guests of the ladies' sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Blackmore, last Thursday.

Jonas Lauderbach, who has been spending several weeks with his sons, Byron and Howard Lauderbach, left for the home of his daughter, Mrs. P. S. Stiner, in Columbia on Tuesday.

Ernest Schwaderer and Glen Benkelman, who have been attending Purdue University at Lafayette, Ind., have returned home to spend their vacation here.

Mrs. Louisa Schwegler, who has been a patient at Pleasant Home hospital was taken to her home, northeast of town, Saturday. She is greatly improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace of Hay Creek and the Misses Violet Gillies and Lillian Goff made a trip to Caro Saturday in Mr. Wallace's automobile.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Heller went to Caseville Sunday in their auto. They intended to return the same day, but were detained by the storm until Monday.

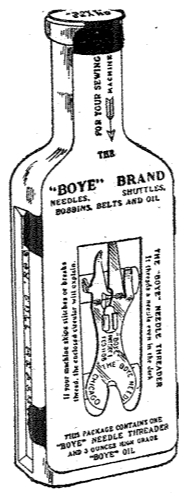
Mrs. C. B. Perkins had daughter, Mrs. Fred Hoenes, who have been the guests of Mrs. Emma Dykeman expect to leave the latter part of the week for Adrian. Mrs. Perkins will return to Cass City in about two weeks.

Miss Effie Wallace went to Port Huron Saturday and returned home Monday, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Robert Wallace, who underwent an operation in that city a few weeks ago. Mrs. Wallace is much improved in health.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Schweitzer expect to leave next Monday on a three weeks' trip through various states. They intend to go as far as Saginaw by auto, and from that city by rail to Rockford, Ill., Calvier, N. D., Iroquois, S. D., and Stanton, Neb. They will visit friends and relatives at all these points.

Cass City Lodge, I. O. O. F., held a memorial service at their hall on Sunday afternoon after which the members marched to Elkland cemetery where they decorated the graves of departed brethren. Several members of Venus Rebekah Lodge were also at the cemetery and decorated the graves of former members of that society.

Miss Lillian Goff entertained the members of the Priscilla Club Monday evening at a conundrum dinner. The event was in honor of Miss Violet Gillies, who goes to Ypsilanti within a few weeks, to attend summer school. Miss Laura M'Webb was successful in winning the first prize, a silver spoon. Miss Bertha Benkelman carried away the consolation.



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Hugh Ackley is very ill. Norris Winslow is visiting friends at Coleman.

Frank Holshoe of Beaufort was a visitor in town Tuesday.

Peter Lawson of Uby was a visitor in town the first of the week.

C. H. Mellon made a business trip to Inlay City and Port Huron Tuesday.

F. L. Pettit of Uby was the guest of his mother, Mrs. Edwin Pettit, on Sunday.

Clifford Gracey has returned home from Mt. Pleasant where he has been attending school the past year.

Miss Myrtle Orr, who has been teaching in Hope, North Dakota, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Emily Orr.

Miss Violet Gillies was a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. James Wallace, at Hay Creek Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. T. A. Powell and son, Orrin, spent Sunday at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Ed Hartwick, at Wickware.

Mrs. E. G. Fancher, who suffered a paralytic stroke a week ago Sunday, is reported a little better. Mrs. May Hicks is caring for her.

Thos. Stitt cut his hand recently and that member has been causing him considerable trouble, being threatened with blood poisoning.

Miss Lola Fritz left Monday morning to visit relatives at Albion, and from that place she expects to go to Colorado to remain indefinitely.

Born, on Friday, June 9, a daughter, to Mr. and Mrs. C. Lackie of Saginaw, at the home of Mrs. Cleaver. The young lady has been named Joyce.

Mr. and Mrs. George Ackerman and daughter and Miss Lizzie Snyder of Elkton were guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. N. McLaren on Sunday.

A horse belonging to Gene Groezinger which had been left standing in front of the residence of C. W. Hulbert, became frightened at a lighted lamp Monday evening and ran away. The buggy to which it was hitched was left in the road on west Houghton street, but the horse has not been found yet.

J. A. Rensler went to North Branch Monday morning, returning in the rain.

Mrs. George McCrea and babe of West Grant were the guests of relatives in town Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Moore and grandson, Gordon Bliss, spent Sunday with Shabbona friends.

L. E. Karr left on Wednesday for Akron where he will visit at the home of his son, Dr. Herbert Karr, for a few days.

Misses Lillian Striffler and Cassie McPhail of Argyle were the guests of the former's sister, Mrs. John Sandham, Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Geno and niece, Miss Hazel Kilbourn, and brother of Yale spent Wednesday with Mrs. Geo. Hillman, northeast of town.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Doerr and Mr. and Mrs. Orson Hopkins left Saturday for Bay City by auto. They returned home Monday afternoon.

Mrs. Charles Geno scalded a thumb and three fingers Tuesday while attempting to cool a flat iron in water. The injury, while not serious, is very painful.

Miss Esther Clark, who has been residing at the home of her aunt, Mrs. J. H. Hays, the past year, left on Wednesday for Albion where she was met by Miss Lola Fritz. Together the young ladies will go to Omaha, Nebraska, where the former will visit relatives for a short time and then at Lincoln. From that city Miss Clark will go to her parental home at Bridgeport, Nebraska, to remain.

The pesky house fly will soon be with us; but scientists claim that the war which has been waged will make them less numerous than heretofore. In some countries this pest has been entirely exterminated and bacteriologists urge everybody to aid in the work for the prevention of the spread of disease. An experiment recently tried shows that flies are loaded with disease germs of all kinds and was proven by immersing a fly in a bottle of sterilized water and after its removal the aqua was badly polluted. Even if some of us do scoff at "germology," it would be getting rid of a nuisance if we succeeded in making it so hot for the fly that he would give us the "go by."

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weldon visited friends in Kingston Sunday.

Miss Myers of Elkton is the guest of Miss Ora McKim this week.

Mrs. O. Van Horn entertained her daughter from Kingston last Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bailey and two children spent last Friday with relatives at Kingston.

Hans Titterman left Monday for Marlette where he has accepted a position in a blacksmith shop.

Miss Minerva Helwig left Thursday for Flint where she will spend several weeks with her sister, Kate, of that place.

D. A. Graham of Vassar came Monday evening, to visit his daughter, Mrs. E. W. Jones. He returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. J. B. Cootes, who has been the guest of her parents at Lapeer the past few weeks, returned home Saturday evening.

Mrs. Mary Orr, who has been the guest of relatives in town for the past week, returned to her home in Bay Port Wednesday.

Miss Sophia Helwig of Carson City is spending several weeks at the home of Geo. W. Helwig and other relatives of this place.

Mrs. Joseph Rankin of Bad Axe is the guest of Mrs. A. J. Knapp this week. She is also attending the Woman's Home Missionary convention.

Mrs. Jean Whitcomb Fenn and mother, Mrs. Whitcomb, of New York City are visiting at the home of F. A. Bigelow. They will remain for an indefinite time.

Mrs. Elijah Tanner of Marquis, Saskatchewan, accompanied by her little granddaughter, Frances Hurd, are the guests of relatives and friends here for a few weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Kilbourn of Port Huron have returned home after spending several days with J. F. Kilbourn, south of town, and their daughter, Mrs. Charles Geno, of Cass City.

Mr. and Mrs. Jonathan McConnell and son, Mrs. Freeman, and Mrs. Maria Caldwell of Detroit were called here last week to attend the funeral of Lem McConnell, which occurred Sunday afternoon.

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THE OLD STONE DOORSTEP

The Trouble It Caused to a Pair of Lovers

By Clarissa Mackie

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Angeline Mason was driving to the Willow mill. The month was June, and the early morning was fresh and dewy and fragrant with the scent of roses and new grass. The wheels of the buggy cracked and crunched the pebbles on the shore road where the lapping waves of a flood tide would soon obliterate the tracks of the little rat tailed sorrel horse.

"Get up, Nemo," said Angeline sharply as they turned the corner into the main road, which ascended sharply to the woods beyond. Nemo did not accelerate his dignified amble in the slightest degree. A contemptuous shiver ran along the high ridge of his backbone and down his drooping flanks.

Miss Mason stared straight ahead as they passed Newton Foster's house. It was a snug little two storied, old fashioned house with an ell on the west. There was the squeaking of a well rope, and Angeline knew that Newton was drawing water from the new well. Although it had been dug for twenty years, she always thought of it as the "new well."

She peered through the little pane of glass in the back of the buggy top and saw Nathan bending under the weight of a pail of water. He disappeared, and her glance wandered to the ell where the blinds were tightly closed and overshadowed by tall, untrimmed shrubs. The grass and weeds grew rankly underfoot and choked the path up to the closed door. Everywhere else the place was tidy and trim with neatly defined walks, closely shorn grass and thrifty plants. The windows of the main part of the house were open to the sun, and smoke curled from the kitchen chimney, but all looked cold and dark and gloomy.

Angeline's curious glance wandered again to the closed door and then fell to the brown doorstep. She frowned and clicked sharply to the sorrel. Her interest in the closed portion of the old house would never abate. When she drove past alone she would peer back at it through the pane of glass. In company with others she always stared straight ahead and evinced not the slightest interest in it. For that reason people said Angeline was hard hearted.

But Angeline was far from being the possessor of an adamant heart. She had as much of human tenderness as any woman and was famed throughout the community for her sympathy with the unfortunate. Many kindly deeds of charity and neighborly thoughtfulness had gained for Angeline the universal respect and good will of all. Nevertheless she was known to have a temper of her own, and once she made up her mind she held to her way with a tenacity that might be called stubbornness. Folks said that this characteristic was responsible for the act that left her still a maiden at

the new room, and then the day before the wedding Newton showed Angeline the doorstep which he had just laid. "It looks like a gravestone," she had remarked disapprovingly. "So 'tis," returned Newton carelessly. "I bought it down to the old Appleby place, in Sparling Hollow. There was a family burying ground in the orchard, so Bigot says."

"I guess Bigot is right if he is a foreigner," Angeline had said sharply. "Do you mean to tell me, Newton Foster, that you never knew that that tombstone is probably one of her ancestors?"

Newton stared at his sweetheart. Ordinarily he would have laughed at the doubtful meaning conveyed by her question, but the sharpness of her tone stirred a dormant perversity within him. "Of course I knew it," he had replied quietly.

"Turn it over," commanded Angeline imperiously.

Newton Foster went away and presently returned with a crowbar, with which he pried up the stone and turned it over. Angeline brushed the loose earth away eagerly.

"Ah, I thought so!" she said bitterly as she bent over the inscription chiseled in the stone:

Sacred to the memory of Anna Maria Appleby, who was born April ye first, 1756, and departed this life Novr ye fourth, 1820 Aet 64 years.

"Anna Marie Appleby was my great-great-great-aunt," said Angeline severely. "Of course you can't expect me to walk over her gravestone. It's the most disrespectful thing I ever heard of."

Newton Foster replaced the stone with careful deliberation. "It's going to stay right there, Angeline," he said quietly.

"I shall never enter the house then," returned Angeline hotly. And it had been so. There was no wedding the next day nor afterward. Angeline Mason and Newton Foster were strangers.

Now Angeline was driving through the sweet smelling woods, twenty years older, but with a certain youthful freshness about her round face in spite of her sad eyes. Now she entered the Honeyspot road, and it was right here that Newton had proposed to her. How she hated it! She thought of the matter which was taking her to the Willow mill, and a glow of content crept over her.

Years ago it had been necessary for her to mortgage her little home. Her only brother, the miller at Willow mill, had made the loan. Of late years he had needed the money and had pressed her sorely for it. He was a hard man, yet so far he had not foreclosed upon the mortgage. Now Angeline had come into a little legacy, and with the money in her pocketbook she was going to pay off the mortgage.

"I've come to pay up the note, James," she had said after she had greeted her brother and his wife.

The miller glanced at his wife and then thrust his thumb into the armpits of his dusty waistcoat. "I've transferred it," he said abruptly. "You mean you've sold it?" asked Angeline in amazement.

"Yes."

"You didn't say anything to me about it."

"It wasn't necessary. I asked you time and again for the money and you didn't have it, and as I needed it badly, why, I had a chance—somebody wanted to buy a mortgage, so I sold it." He shuffled uneasily as he met Angeline's suspicious glance.

"Who did you sell it to?" she asked. James Mason hesitated and again glanced at his wife. "I never thought you'd pay it," he muttered sullenly.

"He sold it to Newton Foster," announced Mrs. Mason, with a note of spite in her sharp tones.

Angeline flushed from brow to chin. "To Newton Foster?" she repeated in a half whisper. "How could you, Jimmy?"

The miller blushed furiously at the sound of the old childhood's name which had slipped unconsciously from his sister's lips. "I needed the money," he repeated shamefacedly, "and I tried to get it from Lawyer Meade, but he didn't have it, but he said Foster was looking for investments, and so Mr. Meade got it for me, and we fixed it up that way."

"When did you transfer it?" asked Angeline dully.

"A year ago."

"And the interest I paid you?"

"I sent to Mr. Meade."

Without a word Angeline turned her horse about. Mrs. Mason with vindictive eyes stepped in front of Nemo, with her stout arms akimbo. She had been a daughter of Bigot, the German who lived in the old Appleby place, and she disliked her sister-in-law most heartily. "You needn't be so uppish, Miss Angeline Mason," she sneered. "It don't pay to put on too many airs, ma'am! Years ago when you quarreled with Newton Foster over that old doorstep I could have told you that my father sold your father two of the same kind. One of them is the white marble step at your front door, and the other is a grindstone in the barn to your place. All the bodies—and I guess there wasn't much left of them—was moved to Long Point by that rich Appleby, and he put up new stones, and—"

"Thank you, Bertha," interrupted Angeline, with unexpected gentleness, and with a little cluck to Nemo she drove away, with dazed eyes and quickly throbbing heart.

It had been a shock to her pride and sensitiveness to learn that her brother had sold the mortgage upon her home to Newton Foster and that now she must approach Mr. Meade, the lawyer, and make arrangements to pay the

promised sum through his hands. Even that stung her to faintness. Through all her lonely years she had looked back on her disappointed love as one looks on a faded, familiar picture or remembers a dream. Her high spirit had died with her youth, and if her lover had approached her at any time during those twenty long years she would have welcomed him timidly, gladly, yet unbelieving that it was really he.

To realize at this late day that she had been in the wrong was an added bitterness. The very minute that she reached home she would verify the truth of her sister-in-law's statement. If it was true that she had been using an Appleby gravestone for a doorstep and another for a grindstone she would apologize to Newton Foster and go away. She had a cousin out in New York state who had invited her to come and live with her. She would rent the little house and go to her.

Unseeing and unheeding, she had driven through the rustling woods and reached the summit of the long hill that led down to the main road. She



A STRONG BROWN HAND GRASPED THE BRIDLE REIN.

must manage to drive very quickly past Newton's house. She could not bear to look again upon the closed and darkened ell and the weed grown grass plot. She reached forward and took the whip from its socket and touched the old horse sharply.

Nemo started with surprise, and there was the snap of a breaking trace. Terrified by the accident, the animal shot down the declivity, the broken trace slapping his heels and adding terror to his excitement. The wheels of the buggy revolved dizzily, and Angeline's face paled white and strained from the gloom of the swaying hood. "Whoa, boy! Whoa, boy!" she gasped breathlessly.

She was still gasping, with fright when they reached the foot of the hill. For a few rods the old horse trotted madly along and then suddenly stopped and reared back as a strong brown hand grasped his bridle rein. After that Angeline fainted for the first time in her life.

When she recovered consciousness she was sitting on the doorstep of the ell and Newton Foster was fanning her awkwardly with his hat.

"I had to bring you here, Angeline; it was nearest. The blamed old horse stopped right in front of the gate."

Angeline sighed. "I don't mind," she said wearily. "I'd like a drink of water from the new well, Newton."

He stared at her in silence for a minute and then went into the house. Presently he went to the well, and Angeline heard the squeak of the well rope. She smiled as Newton held a glass of water to her lips. "It's so good," she murmured. Suddenly full recollection came to her and with it an overpowering embarrassment. She struggled to her feet and leaned against the lintel of the closed door.

"I guess I'll be going now," she said slowly. "I'm much obliged to you. I guess you saved my life."

"It wasn't anything 'tall," said Foster shyly. He was still pondering over the matter of the "new well." She had not forgotten, and he had put in eight new well ropes since then.

"Where is my horse?" asked Angeline as she stepped down the path.

"I put him in my barn. He was all tuckered out. I'll bring him over to your house by and by," returned Foster.

"I'm much obliged," said Angeline again.

"Say," ventured Newton Foster, with evident embarrassment—"say, Angeline!"

"What is it?" breathed Angeline, leaning against the gate for support.

"I'm thinking of taking up this here old doorstep!" he blurted forth with crimson face.

"Oh, no!" exclaimed Miss Mason feebly. "You see, I've heard all about how we've had two of those stones at our house all my life. Somebody told me about it today, and I was going to tell you I was sorry I spoke as I did that day."

"That day" lay twenty years back in the past, but it was vividly present to these two.

The Scrap Book

Still In Suspense.
Private Donahue and Private Leahy were the best friends, but when Private Donahue became Sergeant Donahue, Private Leahy saw the failings of his former companion with amazing clearness.

"Sergeant," he said one day after long fixed gazing at his superior in rank. "If a private stepped up to a sergeant and called him a constipated little monkey, what wud happen?"

"He'd be put in the yardhouse," said the sergeant.

"He wud?"

"He wud."

"But if the private only knew the sergeant was a constipated little monkey and said niver a wurd wud he be put in the yardhouse for that?" inquired Private Leahy.

"Av coorse he wud not," said the sergeant loftily.

"Well, thin, for the present we'll lave it go at that," said Private Leahy.

A Beautiful Hope For You.
Every day is a new beginning; Every morn is the world made new. Ye who are weary of sorrow and sinning, Here is a beautiful hope for you. A hope for me and a hope for you.

All the past things are past and over. The tasks are done, and the tears are shed. Yesterday's errors let yesterday cover. Yesterday's wounds which smarted and bled Are healed with the healing which night hath shed.

Every day is a fresh beginning. Listen, my soul, to the glad refrain And spite of old sorrow and older sinning And puzzles forecasted and possible pain Take heart with the day and begin again.

Only the new days are our own. Today is ours, and today alone. —Susan Coolidge.

The Doctor's Twins.
An Irish doctor while enjoying a holiday in the country took the opportunity, along with a friend, to go fishing. During operations the doctor's sinker came off and was lost. Here was a dilemma—no sinker, no more fishing that day. Happy thought—the he had a bottle in his pocket. The bottle was filled with water, carefully corked and sent down on its mission.

After a few minutes' interval the doctor had a bite and pulled up his line at racing speed, finding a fine pair of fish, one on each hook.

"Ha, doctor, twins this time," exclaimed his companion.

"Yes," quoth the doctor, "and brought up on the bottle too."

Changed His Mind.
When Representative Brown was practicing law at Newton he fell out with the district judge over some trivial matter. One day the court wanted him as a witness in a case and sent the sheriff after him.

"Just tell the judge to go to —," said Brown when the sheriff told him to come to court.

"All right," said the sheriff. The latter wheeled around and started toward the courthouse. Brown turned and looked at him. The longer he looked the more convinced was he he had made a mistake. So he started after the sheriff. But the sheriff was too fast for him and reached the courtroom unmolested.

"May it please the court," said the sheriff, "Mr. Brown, told me to tell the court to go to —."

Just then Brown rushed through the door to the courtroom, and before anything could be said or done by the judge Brown remarked:

"May it please your honor, I have changed my mind. You needn't go. I'll testify."

The incident caused so much merriment that the staid old judge forgot the insult and ordered Brown to the witness stand to testify.—Kansas City Journal.

The Lawyer's Business.
A Scotsman got himself into some legal difficulty and went to consult a solicitor. After he had heard his client's story the solicitor was still doubtful whether he had got all the facts.

"Now, are you sure you've told me the whole truth?" he asked.

"Ay, oh, ay!" was the reply. "I've telt ye the hale truth. I thocht ye'd be better able to put in the lees yersel'."

Queer Handshakes.
Joseph Jefferson and Wilton Lackaye were one season in the same company. It was the custom of Mr. Jefferson to take curtain calls and make a speech to the audience. He liked it, the audience liked it, and everybody but Lackaye liked it. Lackaye contended that no actor should step out of his part and make a curtain speech.

One night Mr. Jefferson made his speech and afterward happened to pass Lackaye as he was going to his dressing rooms.

"Well, Wilton," Jefferson said, "how did I do tonight?"

"Oh," Lackaye replied, "it was the same old story. You went out there and made the usual blunder."

"Blunder?" Jefferson exclaimed. "What blunder did I make?"

"Why," Lackaye replied, "you said, 'As I look into your faces I feel that I should like to shake hands with each and every one.'"

"What's wrong with that?" Jefferson demanded.

"Wrong with it?" Lackaye retorted. "It's absurd. John Drew's face is the only one I ever saw that you could shake hands with."—Saturday Evening Post.

SIGHTED AN ELK.

One Party Lost the Game, While the Other Side Won the Match.
Sometimes the autumn is very hot in the Rockies—hot, still, glittering weather, with the thermometer at 90 or more.

Three hunters on such a blazing autumn day sat on the hotel porch of a small mountain town. Their shirts were open at the throat, and they were fanning themselves with their big felt hats. But suddenly one of them exclaimed:

"Look, boys, look!"

They looked where the man pointed, and a wonderful sight met their eyes. On a peak at the summit of the high trail, 3,000 feet above their heads, stood a superb elk. There he stood like a statue, his antlers beautifully outlined against the bright blue sky.

"Bucks are scarce enough, but an elk!" gasped the three hunters, and in



"AN ELK" GASPED THE HUNTERS.

a jiffy, forgetting the heat, they were tearing in the red hot sun up the steep trail with their rifles on their shoulders.

Up and up they climbed. The thermometer in the sun was about 120. Finally as their red, dripping and breathless leader peered on hands and knees across a log at the top of the trail he saw a man calmly chewing the stem of an unlighted cigar.

"Did you—did you see—the elk?" panted the leader.

The other, with a laugh, pointed with his cigar to where a little group of campers were unstrapping a pair of old antlers from the head of a mule.

"Pardon me, old man," he said, "but we've just run out of matches, and the day being too hot for a trip down below, we thought we might perhaps decoy a few of you fellows up here to help us out."

Pulling Teeth in Scotland.
An old Scotchwoman journeyed to London to visit her son. She was taken with a jumping toothache and upon the advice of her son visited a dentist, who soon had the offending molar flying in the air. With a sigh of relief the old lady climbed out of the chair and asked:

"How mooch?"

"Ten shillings, mam," replied the dentist.

"Tin shillings, is it, ye robber?" screamed the woman. "Why, I'll ha' ye know, Sandy MacPherson 'ud haul me all about the smithy for saxpence."

Youthful Pangs of Hunger.
There's a youngster in Boston whose appetite is a constant source of amazement to his family and relatives.

On one occasion this lad was taken to spend the day with an uncle in the suburbs. At dinner he ate so much that finally it became actually necessary to forbid him to eat any more. Later, when the family were taking their ease on the porch, the irrepressible William pulled something from his pocket and began gnawing it.

"What have you there?" demanded his father.

"Only a dog biscuit," came in apologetic tone from Willie.

"Where did you get it?"

"I knew I'd be hungry before I got home," explained the lad, "so I took it away from Fido."—Lippincott's.

His Good Resolution.
In a little Irish village there lives a certain worthy who never could pass a public house without "calling in just to ax the time."

One night, however, he made up his mind to pass by for once. It was a very hard job for him, and at intervals he stood still and said, "Stand firm, resolution, stand firm!"

After a hard struggle he gained a little bridge just beyond the inn, and, halting there, was heard to say: "Begorra, resolution, but yer did stand firm that time. Ye deserve a reward, so ye do, and, begorra, I'll just go back and trate ye."

Kith and Kin.
"The small boy," said Robert Edeson, "is an invention of Satan. At least that is what my friend Jackson thinks. Poor Jack is the devoted slave of a fair damsel cursed with a strict father and an imp of a brother. The other night dad came into the parlor about 9:30 with a 'good night' expression on his face and tactfully asked what they had been talking about to keep them so interested so late.

"Oh," said Jack carelessly, "we were discussing our kith and kin."

"Just then the imp's head popped from behind the piano.

"Yeth, dad," he hisped exasperatingly. "I heard 'em. He said, 'kin I kith you?' and she said, 'you kin!'"

—Young's Magazine.

More Than He Meant.

The parishioner was explaining matters to the pastor.

"I don't go out much," he said, "either to church or anywhere else. I am a sufferer from insomnia."

"I am going to preach a sermon on that subject next Sunday morning," said the Rev. K. Mowatt Laightly. "Come and hear it. I am sure it will bring you some relief."—Chicago Tribune.

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Easy Jobs.
"An easy job will suit me senator." "How about winding the clocks every week?"

"I might make that do. But what's the matter with tearing the leaves off the calendars every month?"—Washington Herald.

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"Two dollars a year." "Is it intended for any particular class of readers?"

"Yes, for those who have the two dollars."—Boston Transcript.

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HERE IS A POSITIVE CURE

With the advent of warm weather comes foot troubles to thousands of people. The increased temperature and heaviness of the atmosphere causes swelling and excess perspiration. This brings on a series of foot troubles. The treatment given below will be welcomed with joy by an army of sufferers. It acts like magic. "Dissolve two tablespoonfuls of Calocide compound in a basin of hot water; soak the feet in this for full fifteen minutes, gently massaging the sore parts. Less time will not give the desired results.) Repeat this each night until the cure is permanent." All soreness disappears immediately. Corns and callouses can be peeled right off. Bunions are reduced to normal and the inflammation drawn out. Sweaty and smelly feet, tender and swollen feet need but a few treatments. This Calocide is a remarkable drug. Formerly used only by doctors but any druggist now has it in stock or will quickly get it from his wholesale house. A twenty-five cent package is claimed to cure the worst feet.

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"AH, I THOUGHT SO!" SHE SAID BITTERLY.

middle life, for there was a story connected with Angeline's single blessedness, a story well known to all the neighborhood roundabout. In her youth Angeline had had her romance, and it was unhappily ended largely through her pride and because she felt that injustice had been done her by the man of her choice. So that is why she set her lips firmly and her eyes straight ahead on that June morning as she drove past Newton Foster's house. So again she spoke sharply to Nemo and tried to urge him from his dignified pace.

Twenty years before Angeline Mason and Newton Foster were on the eve of being married. Newton had dug a new well and had built the addition on the west of the house so that Angeline could have a sitting room. Together they bought the furniture for



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Wins Fight for Life.

It was a long and bloody battle for life that was waged by James B. Mershon, of Newark, N. J., of which he writes: "I had lost much blood from lung hemorrhages, and I was very weak and run down. For eight months I was unable to work. Death seemed close on my heels, when I began, three weeks ago, to use Dr. King's New Discovery. But it has helped me greatly. It is doing all that you claim." For weak, sore lungs, obstinate coughs, stubborn colds, hoarseness, la grippe, asthma, hay fever or any throat or lung trouble it's supreme. 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by L. I. Wood & Co.

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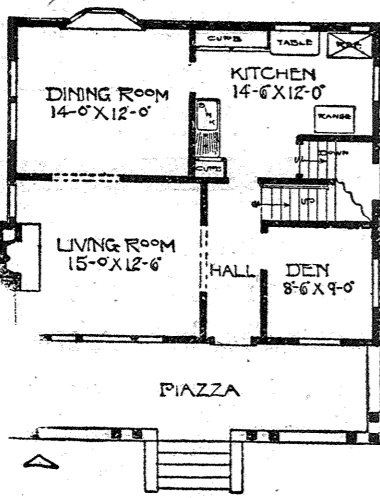
There is but one spot in the world where the bergamot tree can be cultivated with profit, a fact of some importance, since its essence is indispensable in the manufacture of numerous perfumes and medical preparations. The spot referred to is Reggio, in Calabria, that extremity of the Italian peninsula which is familiarly known as "the toe of the boot."

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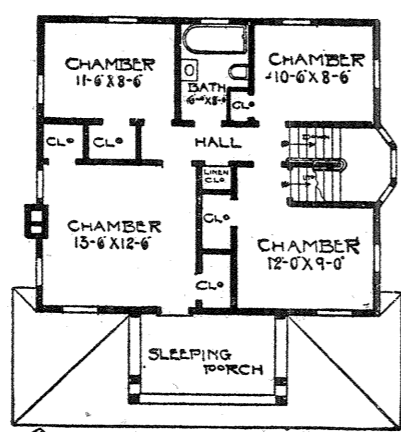
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FIRST FLOOR PLAN.



SECOND FLOOR PLAN.

This design has much individuality and is widely admired. It makes a splendid eight room house, the rooms being well laid out and the house easy to care for. There is an attractive open fireplace in the living room and Dutch window in the dining room for flowers. On the second story are four good chambers, large closets and a good sized bathroom, with attic space above. Rooms are all light and airy. The first story can be finished in birch, oak or Washington fir and the second story pine to enamel. Size of house 30 by 26 feet. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, \$3,300.

By special arrangement with me the editor of this paper will furnish one complete set of plans and specifications of design No. 865 B for \$25. GLENN L. SAXTON.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Leslie Collins of Melvin is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Collins, a few days.

Mrs. Randy Weeks returned home Sunday after a week's visit with relatives at Deckerville.

Misses Ila Gooden and Alfreda Hicks spent Sunday with Miss Elva Collins.

Mrs. Wm. Shermer and nephew of Detroit returned to their home Saturday after a week's visit with the former's mother, Mrs. E. Warner.

The Novesta F. W. B. Ladies Aid will serve ice cream at Novesta Corners Tuesday evening, June 20. Everybody is invited to attend.

Misses Edith and Helen Carpenter spent Thursday with their aunt, Mrs. Emily Warner.

SHABBONA.

Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Jones visited Sunday with relatives in Snover.

W. F. Ehlers was a business caller in Gageton Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Fox spent Sunday with her parents in Lamotte.

Thos. Brown attended the funeral of his sister at Yale a week ago last Monday.

Mrs. Marshall returned home after having closed out all her hats. She will return again this fall.

Children's day exercises will be held next Sunday, June 18, at 10:30 in the M. E. church.

Miss Flossie Durkee, who spent last week with friends here, returned to Cass City Saturday accompanied by Verne McGregory.

F. S. Rexford, 615 New York Life Bldg., Kansas City, Mo., says: "I had a severe attack of a cold which settled in my back and kidneys and I was in great pain from my trouble. A friend recommended Foley Kidney Pills and I used two bottles of them and they have done me a world of good." L. I. Wood & Co.

Deford Items

Mrs. Sim Pratt is still very sick. The rain continues to fall alike on the just and unjust.

Mrs. Abel Koppelberger and family visited at J. R. Lewis's over Sunday.

Mrs. Peter Daugherty's health is still quite poor.

Mumps are still in our neighborhood.

School closes today. Miss Bruce has given good satisfaction.

The new hotel is receiving a coat of white paint.

Frank Spencer and wife visited their parents, Lyman Spencer and wife, Sunday.

Mrs. McPhail visited at R. Kennedy's last week.

Mrs. Geo. Walker returned home from Pontiac Saturday where she spent the week visiting her son, Fred, and family. Another small son gladdens their home.

Elder Beadon will move his family to their farm home this week. He will be here every Sunday to finish out the year as pastor of our church.

Ransom Spencer and family visited Sunday at Lee Patch's.

Ball game Saturday between a picked nine from Koylton, Clifford and Kingston with the home team.

The Visiting team won by a score of 1.

Miss Marilla Kelley visited with Blanch Bruce Sunday.

Grandma Hickey is visiting her daughter, Mrs. P. Daugherty.

Jim Hegler visited his brother, Frank, Sunday.

Orlando Pratt is visiting his sister, Mrs. G. Kilgore, for a short time.

Mrs. A. L. Bruce and Mrs. Frank Drace spent Saturday afternoon in Cass City.

Ira Rock of Kingston was distrib-

uting Fourth of July bills in town one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Stock visited their daughter near the dead waters Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Gage and Mrs. Maud Quinn visited the school Wednesday afternoon.

A large line of farm implements are being exhibited east of A. A. Livingston's store on the site purchased by Mr. Caldwell of Cass City. A building will be erected in the near future. The business here is being handled by Albert Wilson at present.

We learn that Frank Kregier's little girl, residence section 11, Kingston, was badly bitten by a dog.

J. R. Lewis is in very poor health at present.

The writer would agree to go to church if we could find a minister who would find the word philosophy in the Bible and sermonize therefrom.

So-called able men do not know it all. When the revolution first started in Mexico, the Detroit Journal editorially made all manner of sport calling it like unto a bar room riot. But behold, a change was in the hearts of the people, and a change came.

Mrs. Adell Vance of Clifford visited her father, Jesse Sole, the past week.

Willie longed to see his girl—but it was a busy time. An idea struck him. Hitched the team and let them run away in the right direction. "Wisdom is the proper use of knowledge"—Webster.

Mrs. Geo. Martin is still very poorly. Dr. Bates of Kingston attends her.

Mrs. J. H. Hays in her paper, "Influence of Dress on Character," we consider one of the best along that line we have read in many years. If her advice was followed, which in substance is let us dare to be sensible in dress as well as other matters, how much happier our world would be.

Any farmer of the good old school well knows that the excessive rainfall is caused by the birds known as "Bob Whites" that are ever calling for "more wet." Now we want seventeen youths to stone the "varmint" on the Town Line. Big wages and "chuck" for a "kid" who can hurl a sixteen ounce rock and land just behind the ear of the "more wet pest," but no "snivellers" need apply.

Nelson Brown of near the Straights has come to his father-in-law, Wm. Patch, in hopes to find medical aid in this locality for neck and head trouble that has been a source of trouble for some time past.

Mrs. George Alward, who has been helpless for some time, is now almost totally so.

Some corn will be planted this week although it seems too late. The farmers are not to blame.

As a rule it is considered that the mule is lazy, but there are exceptions to all rules. Marvin Eastman owns a team of the "long ears" that is as lively as an Irishman when he has put himself around a quart of "corn juice." There is no horse team in the settlement that can roll over soil equal to them. Jake Hilderbrand, who has handled plow teams from here to the "Rockies" asserts that with a single mold board walking plough behind them, he can turn over four acres a day without shedding a tear.

Mrs. Sim Pratt is very sick. She has not been ailing long but her decline has been rapid.

When you have fitted the land four times ready to plant and as many times get knocked out with a freshet and still smile without an effort, your education is all right.

DODGING.

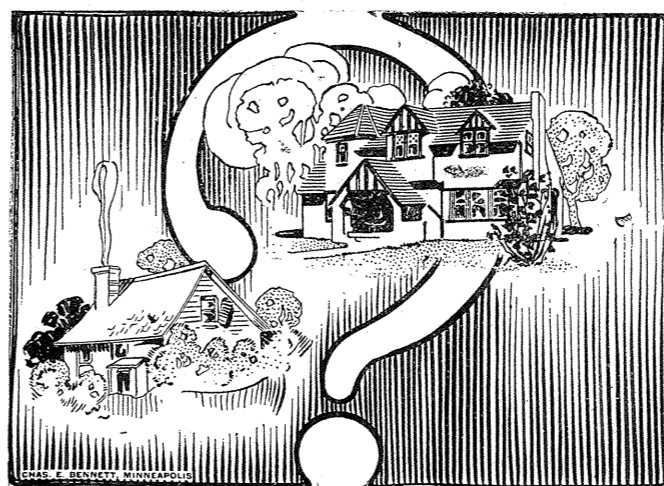


Her—What did you mean by saying that the march of years might leave me in a pretty pickle?

Him—What other kind of pickle could you be in?

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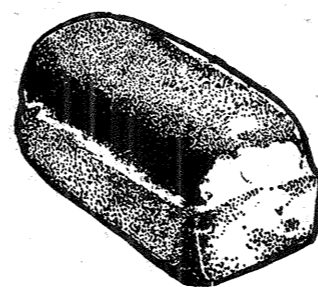
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During the wind storm Friday morning, a barn which was being moved on to a wall on the farm of Chris Schwaderer, southwest of town, was blown down and totally wrecked. The barn was partly on the wall when the workmen saw the storm approaching. They blocked the rollers and then endeavored to get the horses out of the building. They only succeeded in getting one out and the two others were knocked down by falling boards, but were otherwise uninjured.
The barn was a large one 40 by 76 feet in size.

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Parents or Guardians Must Notify School Board Not Later Than Fourth Monday in June.

Any pupil who has passed the eighth grade can have his tuition at one of the three nearest high schools paid by his home district, providing an application is filed with the local school board not later than the fourth Monday in June.
Parents and guardians are warned that it will be necessary to file new notice if you desire the tuition paid each year. This must be repeated every year so long as the pupils attend school and the tuition is paid.
The notice must be in writing, must state the name of the pupil, the school it is desired to attend and the amount charged for tuition at that school and signed by a parent or legal guardian of the pupil.
The giving of the notice is imperative and the local board has no legal right to waive notice and pay tuition even although they may know the child is entitled to it. File your notices even though you are in doubt whether you will send the child. Should you decide against it, the tuition will not be paid and no harm is done.
A student whose tuition was paid last year under the old law without possessing a diploma is entitled to have his tuition paid this year without it.
Parents not provided with application blanks may obtain the same from the County School Commissioner, before the fourth Monday in June.

DAN CUPID HAS A VERY BUSY MONTH IN JUNE
June, the month of weddings, is unusually busy for the license clerks at the county seats. The present indications are that there will be many brides during the thirty days of blissful June.
County clerks issued licenses recently to the following parties in the three counties:

Sanilac County.
Ernest Thayer, 25, Wheatland; Elva Teepie, 19, Wheatland.
William D. Williams, 35, Bridgeport; Minnie Prutow, 28, Lapeer Co.
William Seltz, 25, Delaware; Lydia Meyers, 20, Delaware.
Isadore I. Morrell, 21, Austin; Josephine Ossentoski, 18, Austin.
Elmer Krack, 33, Fremont; Ethel S. Brooks, 23, Shabbona.
Walter L. Wolfe, 25, Austin; Catherine McLean, 23, Fernhill, Ont.
Fred W. Warczynski, 29, Delaware; Jennie Kerbyson, 19, Delaware.
Wm. F. Mitchell, 21, Watertown; Phoebe Tubbs, 20, Washington.
Arthur Tarzwell, 22, Marion; Lena Swedford, 21, Forestville.
Arthur Mardlin, 21, Austin; Caroline Karl, 18, Austin.
Frederick T. McInnis, 21, Evergreen; Zaida Mudge, 21, Evergreen.
George W. Simmons, 22, Argyle; Lena Spatezel, 23, Argyle.

Tuscola County.
Herman Sarow, 24, Unionville; Olga M. F. Killinger, 18, Unionville.
Conrad Peter Kern, 34, Richville; Lizzie Bernthal, 26; Reese.
Lee Parmalee, 26, Flint; Bessie Randall, 25, Caro.
Floyd Ostrander, 26, Millington; Elizabeth Sebert, 24, Millington.
Edward Emerson Pellow, 24, Cleveland; Lena May Stone, 24, Cass City.
John C. Sharrow, 23, Cass City; Ruth E. Mudge, 18, same.
Ernest Orson Drake, 23, Edmonton, Alta.; Hazel Fern Brown, 21, North Grove.
Joseph A. Benkelman, 22, Cass City; Esther S. Akermann, 23, same.
Wm. John Schmandt, 28, Tuscola; Rose M. C. Bickel, 24, same.
Geo. Schmandt, 29, Tuscola; Lena Huber, 22, Denmark.
Edgar L. Hammermark, 20, Flint; Susan C. Kile, 18, Vassar.
Orwell Bartlet Garner, 21, Vassar; Mary Marprie Roe, 20, Vassar.
Leon G. Pomeroy, 25, Akron; Viola May Burgess, 18, same.
Geo. N. Leclair, 24, New York State; Lottie C. Montreid, 18, Gagetown.

Huron County.
Albert Luttko, 28, Winsor; Louise Schambers, 21, same.
Edward Anklam, 22, Pigeon; Clara Louise Zimmer, 21, same.
Matthew Pepinski, 25, Paris; Lucy Zurich, 19, same.
Hal A. Abel, 21, Flint; Irene P. McAllister, 20, Pt. Austin.
Robt. Hyzer, 21, Colfax; Mabel May hew, 20, Pinnebog.
Fred Baslock, 27, Meade; Nettie M. Cox, 21, same.
Bernard Clemms, 23, Meade; Gertrude Santhony, 19, Grant.
Deealit Kerr, 24, Bad Axe; Mayme Hurd, 24, same.
Peter Janowick, 23, Paris; Magdalena Jasowski, 23, same.

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HARBOR BEACH TO HAVE CO-OPERATIVE ELEVATOR

The New Company Was Organized by Alfred L. Chamberlain of Sandusky.

The Binkle elevator interests in Harbor Beach have been sold to the Producers' Co-operative Elevator Co. that has been organized by Alfred L. Chamberlain of Sandusky.
Representatives of the company are now out placing the stock among the farmers of the eastern part of Huron county. The form of procedure is in giving farmers an opportunity of purchasing preferred stock that has the company's guarantee paying 7 per cent on the investment, thus taking it above all speculative features.
Mr. Chamberlain will be general manager of the company. Although located and in business in Sandusky, he will give the Harbor Beach plant more or less of his personal attention.

MICKLE FAMILY RE-UNION ON BOIS BLANC ISLAND

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to one another. No introduction was necessary. It was just a question of what connection and where from. For some months the reunion had been worked up. A diligent search for the members of the different branches of the Mickle family was made by an energetic committee. The principal part of the work was left in the hands of Henry J. Mickle, of this town, and the success of the whole affair proves how well he had done his work. The day did not look too promising in the early morning, but it cleared up and proved an ideal one for such a gathering.
"They came from all directions, by electric and steam railway, by boat, by auto and in carriages, all carrying well-filled baskets. By noon there were 200 present, and by that time they had become pretty well acquainted. All were anxious to explain what branch of the family they represented, whom they married, where they resided, and how many members in the family they represented, and a hundred more questions.
The baskets were unpacked and several long tables laid under the hickory trees, and soon a dinner fit for a king was spread. Alanson Mickle, of Colchester South, presided, and after grace by Rev. Thomas Natress, all sat to and did justice to the good things provided. After all had supplied the inner man, the chairman called upon Henry Mickle, who welcomed them all and gave a short address in which he referred to William Mickle as the original head of the Mickle clan, who had come from Ayrshire, Scotland, before the American revolution. About 1793 he was engaged in the construction of the British Government navy at Fort Malden and later at York (now Toronto), where he died of typhoid fever. He said there were about 600 descendants.
"Short addresses were also made by J. A. Auld, Rev. Thomas Natress, A. H. Clarke, M. P., Isaac Jackson, Thos. Mickle, of Highgate, and William Waldron.
"On motion of Henry Mickle and Hart Mickle of Cass City, Mich., it was unanimously decided by a standing vote to make the Mickle family reunion a fixed annual gathering at about this season of the year."

PUPILS OF ANNA BLACK JOIN IN TESTIMONIAL
Teacher of 1,500 During Continues Service of Nearly Half Century to be Given a Treat.
Friends and former pupils of Miss Anna Black, when they heard that she would relinquish her position as regular teacher of the eighth grade at the Caro schools, were stirred by a common impulse to do something out of the ordinary in celebration of the close of 49 years of continuous service. They, therefore, chose a committee consisting of Mrs. W. H. Carson, Miss Orpha Hunter, F. E. Schall and L. G. Seelye, who have joined in a letter inviting subscriptions to a fund for her use in making a trip to Europe or for any other purpose she may choose.
The idea has met with enthusiastic support and already checks of from one to five dollars each are being received by L. G. Seelye who is acting as treasurer of the fund. It is estimated that more than 1,500 persons have passed under the influence of her sweet nature and noble character, and nobody can estimate the good she has done in her half-century of earnest efforts to improve the young. She has taught three generations of several families in Caro, and not a single pupil is known who would speak of her in other terms than those of praise and love.—Advertiser.

CLASS OF EIGHTEEN GRADUATES NEXT WEEK
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Awarding of Diplomas
Music (Written by Jason Kitchen)
Class Song - - - - - Orchestra
Music - - - - -

CLASS ROLL.
James R. Hurley, President; Jason A. Kitchen, Vice President; Hester E. McKim, Secretary; Nina M. McAllister, Treasurer; Dora Hoadley, Joanna McRae, Alice Brown, Mary J. McLellan, Maebelle C. Brian, George A. Livingston, Alex B. Cleland, Flossie Sommerville, Winifred M. Chaffee, Stanley Bien, Irene L. Martin, Jessie McCallum, N. Maybelle Seeger, Harry C. Striffler.
Admission to the Senior play on Tuesday evening will be 25 and 25 cents. Seats to be reserved at L. I. Wood's drug store. Admission to class day exercises will be 25 cents and no extra charge for reservation.
Eighth Grade Exercises.
March - - - - - Mae Benkelman
Invocation - - - - - Dugald Duncanson
Address - - - - - Woodland Voices
Class Song - - - - - Myrl Rowley
Class History - - - - - "The Hunter's Call"
Piano Solo - - - - - Zella Weaver
Reading "Dorothy's Auction" - - - - - Beatrice Young
Piano Duet "The Virginia Dance" - - - - - Ruth Fritz, Helen McGregory

STARTED IN CASS CITY.
A. C. Heid Now Has Large Bakery in Saginaw.
The Chronicle this week is printing an announcement of the A. C. Heid Baking Co. of Saginaw, and this will bring to the minds of old settlers here that Mr. Heid was in business in Cass City 25 years ago, conducting a bakery in the building now owned by Dr. A. N. Treadgold and occupied by him as an office.
Included in Mr. Heid's present plant in Saginaw is a building 66x77, two stories high, which is used entirely for baking bread. The present output is between 3,000 and 4,000 loaves and is largely distributed in the city and among the smaller towns surrounding Saginaw, within a radius of 90 miles. The capacity of this plant is 10,000 loaves, it having been built to take care of future needs.
Croquet sets at Wood's.

SUCCEEDS J. E. BLAND.
Fred A. Farr Will Be Assistant U. S. District Attorney.
Fred A. Farr, former prosecuting attorney of Sanilac county, will become assistant United States district attorney Aug. 1, when Arthur J. Tuttle of Ingham county, steps into the place of District Attorney Frank H. Watson. Farr will succeed J. Edward Bland.
Mr. Farr first started the practice of law in Deckerville and later was elected prosecuting attorney, having his office in Sandusky. He recently came before the public as the attorney who defended and acquitted two Michigan boys who were accused of holding up a Southern Pacific train in Idaho and killing two negro porters. Mr. Farr soon proved to the satisfaction of the western court that the young men had nothing to do with the crime and since that time the real robbers have been arrested.

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Class Song - - - In Woods Is Peace

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A GAIN IN ALL LINES OF THE WORK
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Miss Mae Clark, a teacher of Kent Home, Greensboro, North Carolina, told of the workings of that home for colored girls. At this session the audience was favored with a duet by the Misses Mead which was much appreciated.
In the evening, devotions were conducted by Rev. Weaver, followed by a selection by a double male quartette, which was much enjoyed. The delegates then listened to an inspiring address by Rev. W. R. Fruit, of Preston church, Detroit. He emphasized the fact of first building up the immediate church and community, then efforts for missionary work will be greatly enlarged. He cited facts to show that the backbone of the large city churches are the men and women who have come from rural districts and smaller towns. He also related many instances where a negro stands first in school, art, poetry; then efforts for missionary work and boxes were read, all of which were very encouraging. Reports from the Auxiliary Corresponding secretaries were also given which were not only inspiring, but helpful and suggestive along lines of missionary work.
The following is the result of the election of officers which followed: President, Miss H. E. Whiting, St. Clair; first vice president, Mrs. Rankin, Bad Axe; second vice president, Mrs. Gwinn, Caseville; recording secretary, Mrs. Weeks, St. Clair; corresponding secretary, Mrs. N. G. Moore, Jodo; treasurer, Mrs. R. H. Grady, Bad Axe.
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M. Brakeman, Port Huron; Queen Esther Circle, Miss Zella Hurlburt, Davis; Home Guard and Mother's Jewels, Mrs. Chas. Calkins, Sebewing; Literature, Miss Vania Gable, Cass City; Systematic Beneficence, Mrs. A. Wood, Marine City; Temperance, Mrs. A. B. Reed, North Branch. They were then favored with a solo by Harold Weaver.

The last session of the convention was opened with devotions conducted by Rev. Trask of Caseville. Mrs. Earle told a beautiful story of how a Swedish family filled their mite-box. Mrs. Dennis related her experience in the rebuilding of the Kent Home and how God led and blessed every effort put forth.

The committee on Resolutions read their report in which they resolved to do better work in the future, thanked the people of Cass City for their gracious hospitality and the helpfulness of Mrs. Dennis, Mrs. Earle and Rev. Fruit of Detroit.

The committee on enrollment reported an enrollment of 27 delegates in all.

The meeting closed by singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," and benediction by Rev. Trask.

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