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CROSWELL GETS 63; CASS CITY 62 POINTS

ROBT. ORR HIGHEST INDIVIDUAL POINT WINNER.

Caro Leaves Grounds and Forfeits Ball Game to Cass City. Score 9—0.

Croswell high school carried off first honors in the Tri-county Field and Track meet held at Cass City Friday, May 24, securing 63 points to their credit. Cass City missed tieing the Croswell score by one point and secured scond place with 62 points. Bad Axe won third place with 22 points and Caro fourth with 6 points. Deckerville high school had but one athlete present and he participated in but one event and failed to score.

The promoters of the meet were more than pleased with the attendance which was estimated at 1,000. Six hundred tickets were ordered printed and the supply was exhausted by two o'clock. The ticket sellers found some "first premium" cards of the Cass City fair in the ticket office and these were passed out of the window after that hour and admitted the holders to the grounds.

The field and track events were conducted with satisfaction to all concerned and little, if any, kicks were in evidence. Frank McComb of Caro acted as referee and J. E. Kennedy of Cass City as score keeper.

Howard and Quail, two athletes in the field meet Friday from Croswell, were representatives of their school in the contest for the state championship last year and the result was a tie for first place between Croswell and the Detroit Central high school. Each school won 15 points and Howard was awarded a cup for the highest individual point winner. They were athletes of this class that the other four schools had as contestants and the Cass City boys have a right to feel elated because of the good showing they made with such strong competition.

Howard of Croswell made 34¼ points of the 63 points won by his school. Orr of Cass City secured 36¾ points of the total number won by the local school and he was the highest individual point winner of the day. Orr is considered the best all-round high school athlete in the Thumb.

After paying the expenses of the day, the track teams were awarded 75 cents for each point won. Croswell carried home $47.25 as her share, Cass City $46.50, Bad Axe $16.50 and Caro $4.50.

The events, winners and records are here given:

50 yard dash—1st, Howard, Croswell; 2nd, Orr, Cass City; 3rd, Healey, Bad Axe. Time 5 3-5.

Running high jump—1st, Orr, Cass City; 2nd, Hey, Bad Axe; 3rd, Campbell, Croswell. Height, 5 ft. 3 in.

Half mile run—1st, Howard, Croswell; 2nd, Hey, Bad Axe; 3rd, Miller, Cass City. Time 2:16 1-5.

120 yard low hurdles—1st, Orr, Cass City; 2nd, Howard, Croswell; 3rd, Healey, Bad Axe. Time 15 4-5.

Pole vault— 1st, Hey; 2nd, English, both of Bad Axe; 3rd, Orr, Cass City. Height 9 ft. 3 in.

Hammer throw—1st, Quail, Croswell; 2nd, Niles, Croswell; 3rd, Schwaderer, Cass City. Distance 127 ft. 2 in.

100 yard dash—1st, Howard, Croswell; 2nd, Orr, Cass City; 3rd, Fritz, Cass City. Time :10.

Stand hop, step and jump—1st, Orr, Cass City; 2nd, Campbell, Croswell; 3rd, Jones, Caro. Distance 29 ft. 1 in.

Mile run—1st, Miller, Cass City; 2nd, McGillvray, Cass City; 3rd, McDonald, Bad Axe. Time 5:56 3-5.

Stand broad jump—1st, Orr, Cass City; 2nd, Campbell, Croswell; 3rd, Jones, Caro. Distance 9 ft. 6¾ in.

220 yard dash—1st, Howard, Croswell; 2nd, Fritz, Cass City; 3rd, Orr, Cass City. Time :23 4-5.

Shot put—1st, Quail, Croswell; 2nd, Campbell, Croswell; 3rd, Schwaderer, Cass City. Distance 38 ft. 3½ in.

440 yard dash—1st, Howard, Croswell; 2nd, Miller, Cass City; 3rd, Fritz, Cass City. Time :58 3-5.

Discus throw—1st, Quail, Croswell; 2nd, Schwaderer, Cass City; 3rd, Cooke, Cass City, Distance 82 ft.

Running hop, step, and jump—1st, Orr, Cass City; 2nd, Jones, Caro; 3rd, Howard, Croswell. Distance 40 ft. 7 in.

Running broad jump— 1st, Howard, Croswell; 2nd, Orr, Cass City; 3rd, Jones, Caro. Distance 20 ft. 1½ in.

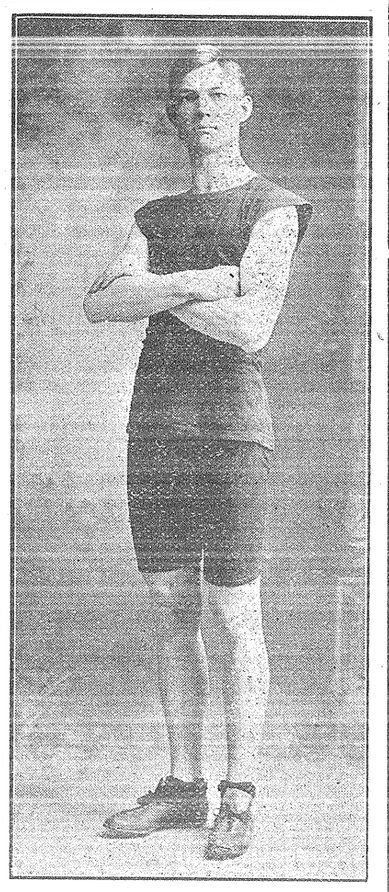
Half mile relay—1st, Bad Axe; 2nd, Cass City; 3rd, Croswell. Time 1:46 1-5.

The Ball Game.

The ball game concluded the day's sports. Caro proved strong contestants during the first period of the game and up to the sixth inning allowed Cass City but two scores, while the county seat boys had four to their credit. In the sixth, Caro secured four more and the locals three scores. Caro was scoreless in the seventh, while Cass City secured one and had more in prospect, when Umpire Beckton of Caro, with three Cass City men on bases, called the third local man out. The man in question was standing a short distance from the first sack, and drew a throw from the pitcher. The first baseman failed to touch him in his first attempt and made the second "jab" after the man had landed safely on the base. Spectators called the umpire's decision an unjust one and remonstrated with that official, but of no avail.

When the local team marched to the field to begin the eighth inning, the Caro team picked up their bats and started for the hotel. Umpire Beckton then declared the game forfeited to Cass City at a 9—0 score.

Caro gave as an excuse for quitting the game that the crowd "wasn't using them right." Spectators were of the opinion, however, that the local team was finding the county seat pitcher too well and the Caro team feared they would lose the game anyway. Another reason was advanced by an out-of-town superintendent of schools. He said that the Caro team, evidently, was ashamed to take advantage of the rank decision given in their favor by the Caro umpire at the close of the seventh period.



ROBERT ORR.

Highest individual point winner at the Track and Field Meet at Cass City May 24.

GEORGE A. LAND

Ellington Township Citizen Passed Away May 28.

Geo. A. Land died at his home in Ellington township Tuesday morning after an illness of about ten days with appendiceal abscess.

He was born on Nov. 2, 1863, in Clinton county and at the age of five moved with his parents to Caro. In early manhood, he came to Ellington township where he followed the occupation of farming and for several years was also employed during the threshing season as an engineer for a threshing outfit. His marriage occurred at Cass City 29 years ago to Miss Mary Ellen Cooper. She and two children, Mrs. John Peddie of Elmwood and Russell of Ellington, are left.

The funeral will be held at the family residence this afternoon at one o'clock, Rev. Cope of Ellington officiating. Wm. Brander and Edward McBryan of Stratford, Ont., are among the relatives from a distance in attendance.

Pop Corn Charlie for fine chocolates.

Eat maple walnut ice cream at Mellon's.

Like Caesar's wife, "above reproach" Crosby & Son's Colonial oxfords for women $3.50 and $4.00.

For Sale.

Three new bicycles and three second hand ones for sale. G. L. Hitchcock.

A full line of Rexall supplies at Wood's Drug Store.

Don't throw away the old porch chairs and lawn swing. Just give them one coat of my Chi-namel Porch Furniture Enamel, Willow, Green or Red, and they will look like new. A pint can covers 50 square feet of surface. Cootes.

Marshmallows. Pop Corn Charlie.

CREAMERY MEN MEET.

W. H. Bechtel, representing the Thumb Creamery Co., Archie McCallum of the Greenleaf Creamery Co., R. M. Riley of the Shabbona Creamery Co., and J. Phillips of the F. M. Warner Co. of Pigeon, were at Cass City Wednesday to attend a meeting of the creamery owners and managers of District No. 2. The object of the association and the meeting was to discuss conditions which would raise the standard of Michigan butter and secure a more uniform grade of the product. "Better butter from the creameries will bring better results to their owners and the farmer patrons," said Mr. Bechtel, who is president of the state organization. Another meeting will be held at Cass City on Wednesday, June 12, when the state field worker, J. P. Emerson, will be present.

NEW TEACHERS IN HURON AND SANILAC COUNTIES

Names of Those Who Received Certificates in the April Teachers' Examination.

The following is the result of the April teachers' examination in Sanilac county:

Second Grade Certificate.

John Tomlinson, Melvin; Mary Stecker, Croswell; Elmer Russell, Palms; Ethel Aichorn, Croswell; Iva Groat, Pt. Sanilac; Claude Groat, Melvin; Loretta Doyle, Deckerville; Carrie Claus, Minden City; Mathew Morrison, Peck; Harold Greenlee, Argyle; Mary Cawood, Marlette; Pearl Fletcher, Marlette; Ethel Sommerville, Cumber; Jessie McCallum, Tyre; Hazel Castator, Pt. Sanilac; Marguerite Johnson, Shabbona; Mae Elliott, Carsonville; Wm. Heronemus, Shabbona; John Kirk, Carsonville.

First Year Third Grade.

Bertha Arnold, Sandusky; Irene Wallace, Sandusky; Jacob Turnbull, Deckerville; Nina Williams, Pt. Sanilac; Jennie Powley, Deckerville; Marion McLellan, Cass City; Francis Hewitt, Deckerville; Vere Wood, Melvin; Elva Goodwin, Minden City;

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VASSAR ICE SUPPLY GONE

Ice Houses of E. H. Knight and C. J. Tetters Collapse in Flood.

At an early hour on May 22, the large ice houses of E. H. Knight at Vassar could not withstand the swirling waters of the Cass river, which had been rising inch by inch for several days, and collapsed. All day the big pieces of ice floated down stream. That afternoon the ice house of C. J. Tetters was also ruined and its contents carried away.

The quality of ice harvested last winter was exceptionally fine and an abundance of it was put up so there was no fear of a shortage. It is now a serious problem which confronts the residents of Vassar, and unless ice from the north or the manufactured article can be procured, much loss and inconvenience may have to be endured.

JUDGE OF PROBATE

D. Healy Clark Announces Candidacy for Second Term.

To the republican electors of Tuscola County:

My term of office as Judge of Probate expires on the 31st. day of December next, and it having been the practice in this County to accord to all county officers a second term, I take this opportunity of announcing my candidacy and to inform the public that my name will be submitted to the republican electors at the coming primaries.

In this connection I desire to advise the people of Tuscola County that I am more grateful than I can tell for their kindness in conferring upon me such an honor, and in asking their assistance once more, to assure them that I will still further appreciate their support, and if elected, administer the duties of the office to the best of my ability.

Caro, Michigan, May 25th, 1912.

Respectfully yours,

D. HEALY CLARK.

The young man who can walk with "her" past Heller's and not suggest a visit to the fountain deserves to lose her—and he probably will.

If your shoes fit well, feel well and cost little, 10 to 1, you buy them of Crosby & Son.

Corset with 6 hose supporters for $1.00. J. & F. Nimmo.

All kinds of crushed fruit ice cream at Mellon's.

Don't wait till snow flies before you see Bigelows about the furnace.

Brooms, brooms, all the way from 25c to 50c at Mrs. Parker's. 5-24-

VETERANS OF THE "SIXTIES" HONORED

BIG AUDIENCES LISTEN TO ADDRESSES.

Decoration Day Blessed With Fine Weather and All Enjoy Exercises.

At the Memorial service Sunday morning, the Presbyterian church held a large number of people who gathered to honor the heroes of the "sixties" and to listen to the address of Rev. J. A. Schweitzer.

The special musical numbers were greatly appreciated. Miss Eileen Edgcumbe sang "Love Eternal" by Fred E. Weatherly. Mesdames Schenck and Wickware carried the duet and the choir sang the chorus in "My Saviour Walks Beside Me."

A synopsis of Rev. Schweitzer's address is here given:

"Kingdoms, monarchies and empires glory in their royal palaces, personalities and their artillary and in the destruction of property and lives. A republican form of government glories in its patriotic citizens, liberty, equality and in the individual rights.

"War is just when waged in the interest of humanity and removes a greater evil than itself, and brings about a blessing that could not have been produced otherwise.

"There was a time when our beloved country was in the throes of destruction but the right man being in the right place, and also the loyal citizen of the north, east and west and under God's supervision, the nation was safe. The call for seventy-five thousand men by Abraham Lincoln and the ordinance of secession of the south, the war was on and a conflict of four years was waged with a literal carnage of human destruction. With the fall of Richmond and the surrender of Lee's army the war came to a close. The sad news of Abraham Lincoln's assassination brought sorrow to every heart in the land. The suffering and bloodshed in camp, battlefield, hospitals and prisons and the hardships experienced at home by wives, mothers and children were all borne cheerfully for the sake of the great cause of saving the nation.

"There have been great wars—of Babylon, Egypt, Greece, Rome and Europe in general. The world has had its Louis XIV, Napoleon, Wellington and the Caesars, but none of their conflicts were as great in influence, effectiveness, fruitfulness, and in achievement as the Civil war. The seed was sown in blood of which we are now reaping a golden harvest. It once and forever eliminated the idea of state sovereignty and the perpetuation of slavery as a governemntal institution. The federal form of government was more firmly than ever established, the individual rights, liberty, equality made more supreme, a nation cemented together as no people ever had been before and attained an exalted position in the estimation of the world. The Spanish-American war was just a little recreation before breakfast, but it gave us a decided stride forward in the international and commercial relations of the world.

"But with all of our achievements we have not attained our zenith of national glory, and have not defeated all our foes. There are internal enemies and problems that are threatening to destroy our country, which must be corrected and solved sooner or later, or our glory will be to our shame. The capital and labor problem and the present strikes are only the symptoms of a festering national sore which must be healed or it will poison the nation beyond redemption. The liquor traffic which has intrenched itself so permanently and finally upon our national fabric is the great evil of today in the world, and is more destructive than any war ever waged or known. It must be put out of existance. The woman's franchise question which is now before us and must be immediately solved needs no argument as there never has been a logical argument produced, to my mind, against woman suffrage.

"There is an evil in our land which I term 'The Great Evil' and that is the non-enforcement of our laws. We have great and good laws and according to them we could justly claim the designation of a Christian nation but according to the non-enforcement of these laws we are a corrupt people. This is a national sin and crime that we cater to criminals. It must be corrected or we will become a nation of crime and our destruction is assured if God deals with nations now as He did formerly.

"But there is a fight and warfare that is of more importance to the individual and the nation than any other struggle and if fought out on legitimate lines, would correct all other wrong. That is the warfare of faith, and by saving the individual, only, can the nation be saved. That is God's way of saving the world."

Decoration Day Exercises.

Decoration Day was a bright and sunny one and brought many visitors to town. The exercises in the afternoon attracted a large number to the M. E. church and the capacity of that edifice was taxed. The program as printed last week was carried out in splendid form and a large company, led by the band, marched to the cemetery where the graves of departed solders were decorated and ritualistic services held.

Rev. Edgcumbe, who gave the address, said in part:

"I believe I fully appreciate the honor confered upon me in being invited to address you on this occasion I only hope you may not be disappointed in the committee's selection of a speaker. Permit me just here to compliment the Ladies' Literary club in their splendid effort to keep alive the spirit that would honor the memory of those who so willingly offered themselves upon the country's altar.

"Some one said as the first decoration day after the Spanish American war drew near "Well the speakers this year will have something to talk about." I suppose he meant—something new to say. Surely the great struggle of the sixties, that time of wonderful sacrifice, when you or your fathers, and brothers stepped so willingly upon the altar can never become uninteresting to the people of this land. Ah, no, if the stirring events of that short fight had never occurred there still would have been enough to exhaust the eloquence of all the speakers and stir the hearts of all the hear-

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LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE WILL ELECT OFFICERS

Outcome of Recent Local Option Cases Will Be Discussed on Monday Evening.

The mass meeting for Sunday afternoon was well attended by those who have taken interest in keeping the moral tone of the community up to a high standard and desire a more strict enforcement of the local option laws.

Considerable enthusiasm was manifested when the local committee reported the work recently done here and elsewhere in the county and when the laxness of officials entrusted by the people of the county was commented upon, it was a call for several speeches not on the program. A committee was at once named to go thoroughly into the case which especially affected this community.

To show that all this was not mere talk, a tidy sum was subscribed toward placing all complaints now under consideration well in the hands of the proper authorities. The meeting was presided over by E. W. Keating and an adjournment was made to Monday evening, June 3, at eight o'clock in the M. E. church. At that time the Law and Order League will elect officers and both women and men are invited. The outcome of recent cases will be discussed.

POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENT.

I announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Clerk to the republican electors of Tuscola Co. I have resided in Dayton township 35 years, been school director, taught school and have been justice of the peace and township clerk. Your support at the primaries on August 27, 1912, will be fully appreciated.

Yours Truly,
WINFIELD COTTRELL.

For Sale.

Ten or twelve general purpose native horses and one Belgian and Percheron colt, 3 years old. Hawkins Bros., Wilmot. 5-31-

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Valley Sweets. Pop Corn Charlie.

Mellon's ice cream is fine. Try it.

Barrels of Jelly. Pop Corn Charlie.

For up-to-date and best groceries see Mrs. G. W. Goff. 5-10-2

For Sale.

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Try Mellon's Happy Thought ice cream.

All kinds of baked goods at Mellon's.

Don't forget Heller keeps home-made bread. Fresh every day.

All kinds of Amateur photo supplies at Wood's Drug Store.

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Do you pay taxes in Cass City, yet live in "Shabbyville?" Bigelows sell paint.

HERE AND THERE AROUND THE THUMB

TAX SALES IN TUSCOLA CO. GROW SMALLER.

Croswell Politicians Circulate Petitions for Osborn for Governor.

Harbor Beach is talking concrete pavements for the business street of that city.

Roscoe Wixson of Lexington, has accepted the position of cashier in the Huron County Savings Bank in Harbor Beach, and will assume the duties of that office, June 1.

Admiring friends of Governor Osborn at Croswell have secured blank petitions for his nomination for the second term. The petitions are being circulated in the different wards of that city and are being signed by many.

On Wednesday evening, June 12, the commencement exercises of the Gagetown schools will be held and Chas. Pike of Ford City will give the address. Four young ladies will recieve diplomas: Irene Chaffee, Mary Belle McGinn, Emma C. Bearss and Martha M. Clara.

One of the most severe electric storms in years visited Vassar and vicinity Thursday night, hail being an accompaniment of the rain that fell. Lightning struck and set fire to the farm home of Isaac Leonard, about a mile from the village, and it was destroyed.

Winter is officially past in Imlay City and the village dads last week ordered the covering removed from the municipal drinking fountain and had the water turned on.

The books of Tuscola County Treasurer Stoddard show that tax sales this year from May 7 to 18 on 154 descriptions for 1909 tax amounted to $489.57. Three descriptions for older tax were sold for $160.13, one of them being for back tax from 1890 to 1908, and on which the interest amounted to more than the tax. The tax sales are very few nowadays, compared with ten or twenty years ago.

According to the Bay City Times the postmaster at Reese has been notified by the postoffice department that the roads out of Reese must be improved or else the farmers on the neglected roads will not enjoy the free delivery service. The Gazette has always maintained and is still firmly of the opinion that the establishment of R. F. D. service in this state was in advance of its time. The good roads should have been a prior consideration and the government could well have afforded to contribute liberally toward their building. The money spent for rural free delivery service up to this time would have gone a long ways towards making the highways traversed by carriers passable at all seasons exclusive of the severe winter months.—North Branch Gazette.

Arsenite of Lead is the stuff to spray with. Wood sells it.

There are other Gasoline Stoves but only one Quick Meal. Bigelow's.

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120 acres, 5½ miles out of Cass City, 100 acres in cultivation, land level, soil gravel and clay, plenty of fruit, 3 wells, and good buildings. Price $6500.

40 acres, 4 miles north of Cass City and 3½ miles east of Gagetown. This is one of the best farms in the country and needs no further description. Call me up for terms and price.

40 acres 4½ miles northeast of Cass City, 1 mile off gravel road, 35 acres in cultivation, mostly clay soil or clay loam, good well, small orchard, fair house, small post barn, 1½ miles from school. Cheap at $1,500.

40 acres 5½ miles from Cass City, all in cultivation, soil good, mostly clay loam, 2 wells, good small orchard good large frame house, large veranda, kitchen, wood shed, hen house and corn crib. Good barn 36x50x16 and lean 16 x 50. Price, $2,800. Buildings would cost nearly that.

5-24-1 I. A. FRITZ.

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CARO.

S. J. Knips has bought the John Goodchild house, corner South State and Congress streets. Consideration $1,000.

Mrs. Mary Jamison visited her son, Ferris Jamison, in Bay City last week.

H. S. Johnson and Geo. Taggett were in Port Huron last week as delegates to the I. O. O. F. state encampment.

Miss Myrtle James has returned from Ypsilanti where she visited her brother, Howard. She also attended the May festival in Ann Arbor

Miss Josie Anderson of Delaware, Ohio, has been elecetd by the Caro board of education to fill vacancy in the teaching force caused by the resignation of Miss Laura Hollingshead. Miss Anderson is a graduate of Ohio Weslesan University.

Lloyd G. McKay, one of the firm of Ealy, McKay & Co., bankers, and cashier of the banks of East Tawas and Tawas City, was married at Houston, Texas, to Miss Rose McDonald, daughter of Neil McDonald, formerly of Tawas City. Mr. and Mrs. McKay took a wedding trip, sailing from Galveston through the Gulf of Mexico, around the coast of Florida and up the Atlantic to New York City, where they spent a week or more before returning to East Tawas, where they will be at home in the Waterman residence for the present.

Helps a Judge in Bad Fix.

Justice Eli Cherry, of Gillis Mills, Tenn., was plainly worried. A bad sore on his leg had baffled several doctors and long resisted all remedies. "I thought it was a cancer," he wrote. "At last I used Bucklen's Arnica Salve, and was completely cured." Cures burns, boils, ulcers, cuts, bruises and piles. 25 cents at L. I. Wood & Co.

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Sunday Excursion

Sunday, June 2

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VASSAR STREET SCENE DURING FLOOD.

Huron Avenue at Vassar Under Water. Courtesy of Vassar Pioneer.

WEST ELMWOOD.

Spring, beautiful spring,—rains.

B. J. Bentley and family visited in Caro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Youmans spent Sunday at Stephen Moore's.

W. J. McNeil, Miss Mary McPhail, Mr. and James O'Dell, and Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Leach visited at Thos. Wood's Sunday.

Miss Louise Corliss entertained her schclars and friends of Dist. No. 6 Elmwood, on May 24th, the school term having ended that day. Miss Corliss has been engaged to teach, No. 6, again next term.

The revival services which have been in progress at the Sunshine M. E. church closed Sunday night.

RESCUE.

A number from here attended the field day meet at Cass City Friday.

Our school closes Wednesday after a very successful term with Miss Gertrude Turner as teacher. We all hope to see her back again for next year.

Philip Stoddard and Oscar Parker went to Bay Port Saturday to get fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Swick of North Oliver visited at Jos. Mellendorf's Sunday.

Harvey and Ralph Britt and John Ashmore, jr., were callers in Cass City Friday to attend the field day meet.

William Dobson and Clark Jarvis were shearing sheep in this vicinity last week.

Mr. and Mrs. David Quant and baby were callers in Gagetown Saturday.

Mrs. A. Aldersen and son, Jesse, have moved onto their farm again.

J. Mellendorf and family were callers at Fred Mellendorf's in Oliver Saturday evening.

Mrs. S. Roberts is spending a few days with relatives in Caseville and helping care for her father who is ill there.

GREENLEAF.

Mrs. F. J. Stocking returned to Detroit Friday.

Miss Cassie Gillies has returned from Pontiac.

Mrs. D. Patterson and children, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hemton.

D. Rolston is making an extended visit with relatives at Palms.

Mrs. Alma Boomhower visited her daughter, Mrs. Milo Rathbon, last week.

Mrs. Duncan Livingston continues very ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roblin were visitors in Cass City several days last week.

Dan Livingston made a business trip to Ubly Saturday.

The heavy rains have done considerable damage to spring crops, some fields being completely covered.

O. Auten of Cass City was a business visitor in town Friday.

R. Mathews and son, Guy, made a business trip to Bad Axe Monday.

Dan Livingston was the guest of R. Mathews Friday.

Mrs. A. Autin and children left for Winnipeg, Can., Tuesday where they will reside. They were accompanied by Miss F. Patrick as far as Detroit.

Poor appetite is a sure sign of impaired digestion. A few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets will strengthen your digestion and improve your appetite. Thousands have been benefited by taking these Tablets. Sold by all dealers.

COOK'S CORNERS.

Lots of rain and not much work.

Miss Sadie Rabidue of Caro is spending two weeks at her parental home here.

A number from here attended the dancing party at Fred Keeney's Saturday evening.

Miss Edith Lafave is spending the week with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Henry Rabidue of Caro came Saturday to spend a week with her mother and sisters.

Mrs. Will Concenia who has been quite sick is better.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Montruel, a daughter.

Geo. Rocheleau has erected a fine barn on his farm and it greatly improves the appearance.

Dell Hutcheson is preparing to raise a large barn Monday afternoon.

WICKWARE.

The McConnell school closed Friday, May 24, after a successful term. The prize was won by Miss Minnie Dolwick, who was presented with a nice book of poems, by her teacher, Miss Mary E. Willerton.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kirton visited with their daughter, Mrs. Stanley Sharrard, of Hay Creek Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schiestel visited Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Murray Sunday.

Marvin Keyser is home from Flint visiting his grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fulcher are visiting their parents for two weeks.

Guy Watson lost a valuable horse.

Marvin Keyser and Mrs. Keyser visited Mrs. Sterle Spencer Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ritter were the guests of Mrs. Nevil Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt and Miss Mary and the Misses Nimmo were out this way for an auto ride Sunday.

The Hay Creek school has closed after a successful term of school.

George Kirton sports a brand new surrey.

Robert and Bennie Kirton visited last week at Marlette.

Wm. Cuddie, Byron Bennet, Laurel Howeey, Ruby Watson and Gladys Nichol wrote on 8th grade examination at Shabbona May 16 and 17.

No store now at Wickware, but the people are wishing some one would come soon.

Mrs. William Davis of Moose Jaw, Sask., is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Cridland.

Herbert Gibbons sports a brand new Elgin mixer. Cement work will go some now.

Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Reagh of Cass City were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Cridland Sunday.

Miss Mary Burt called on Miss Mable Gibbons Sunday.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Fred Rieck and wife to Anthony Gerow, pt se ¼ sec. 3, Columbia, $1,000.

Fred D. Hemerick and wife to Samuel A. Seekings and wife, lot 13, blk. 5, Jas. Cleaver's add, Gagetown, $1,075.

W. C. Wentworth and wife to Andrew Osburn, se ¼ of se ¼ sec. 3, Kingston, $1.

Fred L. Crittenden and wife to Andrew Osburn and wife, se ¼ of se ¼ sec. 3, Kingston, $1,350.

Guy Cleland to Francis Jane Cleland, 40 A. sec. 14, Greenleaf, $1,200.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Vivian Jones, 25, Pigeon; Mae Gaffney, 21, Midland.

Joseph Meyers, 25, Sebewaing; Kate Varon, 26, Sebewaing.

Frank Binder, 29, Fair Haven; Matha Joster, 27, Winsor.

Joseph H. Yaroch, 23, Port Austin; Barbara Elizabeth Korobuski, 19, Dwight.

Martin C. Karan, 24, Elkton; Mary M. Werseckly, 23, Sebewaing.

Constant Van Marle, 41, Croswell; Bertha Vermoni, 34, Croswell.

Wm. Chas. Schroeder, 21, Gagetown; Flossie Addie Crouch, 20, same.

Fred W. Schroeder, 23, Gagetown; Edna M. Moulton, 18, same.

Ludwig Bickel, 27, Tuscola; Emma Witt, 23, same.

Gustow Hessler, 21, Columbia; Mathilde Dricm, 19, same.

Thos. Frederick Harneck, 26, Koylton; Letta Allen, 23, Wilmot.

Jas. C. Hammond, 21, Mayville; Minnie M. Blackmore, 22, Silverwood.

ELMWOOD.

Rev. Ira Miller assisted by Rev. Wm. Butler of Lapeer closed a three weeks series of meeting at Sunshine M. P. church Sunday night. Although the weather was very unfavorable they had good crowds and splendid success, a large number making a decision for Christ.

E. C. Luther, teacher in the French school, has finished his term and returned to his home in Unionville.

H. McKellar purchased a horse in Cass City Friday.

Art Gerou raised the frame of his barn Saturday. Joseph Newcomb was the carpener.

Mrs. Farnum is on the sick list.

Mrs. James Goff and children of Gagetown visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kelly, Saturday and Sunday.

Arthur Livingston is putting up the cement basement for his new barn. Size, 36x60.

Albert Kelly is laid up with a sprained ankle.

Oscar Guild has his new house nearly finished.

Mrs. Mary Morse and Miss Bertha Evans visited at Mrs. Ida Wood's on Saturday.

Friends of Flavius Laforge will be pleased to hear that he is able to be around again.

Wm. McNeil and daughter, Mary, spent Sunday at Thos. Wood's.

The question is not will our seed corn grow, but will it stop raining long enough to get it in the ground.

CANBORO.

R. Ellis is quite poorly.

Ella Easton is staying at Fred Mellendorf's near Elkton for a couple of weeks.

Geo. Dulmadge of Onaway, Mich., visited old friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Lown were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Burgers of Elkton on Sunday.

Miss Cora LaVigne of Owendale spent Sunday at her home here.

Mrs. John Forshee and son, Glen, were in Elkton one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Jarvis spent Sunday with Oscar Rasmussen.

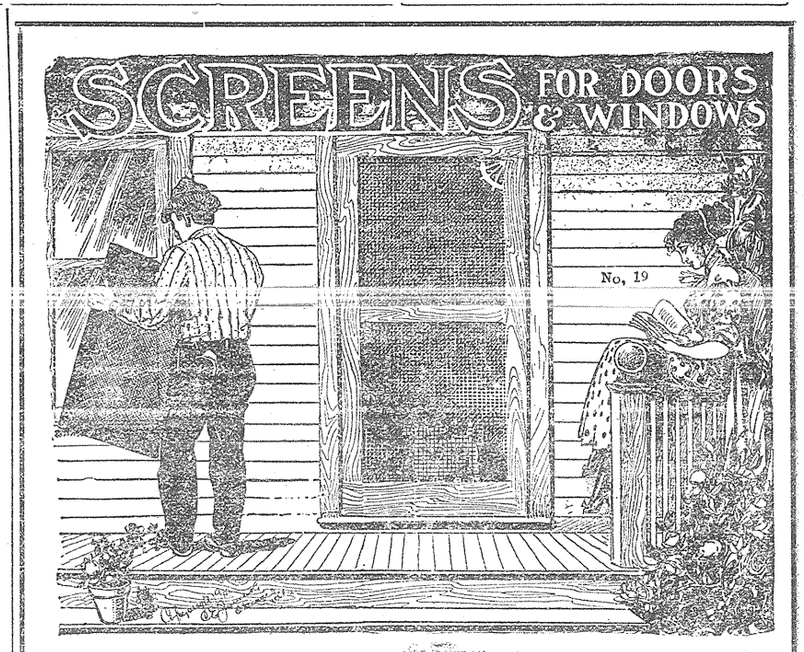
Dawson Ellis and wife of Owendale spent part of last week at the former's home here.

The Canboro Ladies' Aid will give an ice cream social and program in the Maccabee hall on June 5. Everybody welcome.

Bert Libkuman was called to Detroit last Thursday on account of the serious illness of his brother-in-law, Mr. Leslie.

A fine program is being prepared for children's day on June 16th.

Simon Walsh of Owendale was a caller at Geo. Jarvis' on Sunday.



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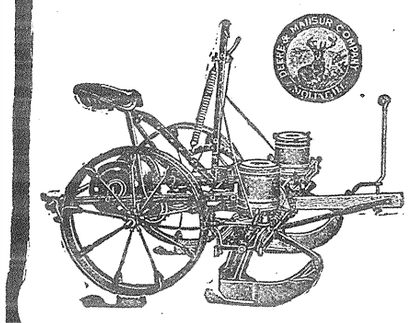

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PEDIGREE.

DAN LENO (13434), Vol. XXIX., is a beautiful brown, 7 years and 8 months old.

Sire, Hillhead Chief (10774).

Dam, Archina (15265).

Sire of Dam, Sir Archie (10134), by Sir Everard (5353).

Grandam, Princess of Kirkside (14034).

Sire of Grandam, Pandora's Prince (10391), by Prince Alexander (8890).

Great-grandam, Princess Charlotte (12651).

Sire of Great-grandam, Royalist (6242), by Darnley (222).

G.-G.-Grandam, Fulwood Queen (5383), by Top Gallant (1850), by Darnley (222).

G.-G.-G.-Grandam, Maggie (2222) by Young Lofty (987).

This will be recognized at once as a first-class pedigree. Through his sire and his grandam, he inherits the blood of the grand old Merryton, Prince of Wales, and through all the other crosses he inherits the equally valuable Darnley strain of blood. But Dan Leno is more than well bred; he is a grand, big, handsome horse, of superb quality, with rare good feet and legs, fine, thin, clean bones, and capital action. He won third prize as a yearling in a big class at Banff, and first and championship at Cornhill. When two years old he was first at Banff, and fourth at the great Central Banffshire Show at Keith, which is the only time he has been shown, and he has proved himself to be a very sure foal-getter.

Sire:—His sire, Hillhead Chief, is a splendid big horse, of great weight and substance, and has proved himself a very capable breeder, his stock coming well to the front at the North of Scotland Shows. As a two-year-old he won second prize at the Royal Northern Summer Show at Aberdeen; and as a three-year-old he was first at the Spring Show, and first and champion at the Summer Show. In 1900 he travelled in Aberdeenshire; in 1901 he was in the Penrith district. In 1902, 1903 and 1904 he had the Turiff and Lower Banshire Premium, and for two years had the Shotts and Holytown Premium. He was got by Scottish Crown (9851), a son of the noted Prince of Wales horse, Handsome Prince (10356), out of Nelly (16066), by the Prince of Wales horse, Prince of Drumlanrig (9368), who only travelled one season in Dumfriesshire, and was thereafter exported to the United States.

Dam:—His dam, Archina, is an exceptionally good mare. As a yearling she won first prize at Banff, and also at Aberchirder. When three years old she was second at Banff, and when four years old was first at Banff. When six years old she was first at Banff as a brood mare. Last year she was first at Aberchirder, and won the special prize as best mare. Her sire, Sir Archie, is a son of the celebrated Glasgow premium horse, Sir Everard, the sire of the invincible Baron's Pride, while his dam was got by Caractacus (5623), a son of the Glasgow premium horse, St. Lawrence (3200); grandam, a Top Gallant mare. Sir Ariche won numerous local prizes, including third at Dumbarton as a yearling, and also highly commended at the H. & A. S. Show at Glasgow as a threeyear-old.

Monday noon—Wm. Crandell's.
Monday night—Jas. Maharg's.
Tuesday noon—John Morrison's.
Tuesday night—Henry Craft's.
Wednesday noon—Mr. Dobson's.
Wednesday night—John Pettinger's.
Thursday noon—Joshua Fisher's.
Thursday night—Hugh McColl's.
Friday night—Clark Bixby's.
Saturday afternoon—Hugh McColl's

TERMS.

To insure, $15.00, payable February 1st, 1913. Mares coming a distance over two miles to stands, owners will get a discount of $1.00. Insured mares must be returned regularly to the horse or they will be charged as season mares. All accidents to mares at their owners' risk.

Wm. McKenzie, Groom.

NOTICE OF LETTING OF DRAIN CONTRACTS.

Notice is hereby given that we, James Nicholson, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Lapeer, and Wm. W. Kelley, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, will, on the 4th day of June, A. D. 1912, at the Boulton Hotel in the Village of Fostoria, in the Township of Watertown, in said County of Tuscola, at nine o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain drain known and designated as "Fostoria Drain", located and established in the township of Rich, County of Lapeer, and the township of Watertown, County of Tuscola, and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing on the SE ¼ of SW ¼ of section 33, township of Rich, (Town 10, North of Range 10, East), County of Lapeer, State of Michigan, at a point 8.42 chains east and 0.25 chains south of the northwest corner of said lands at a stake numbered 0, placed in the west bank of Squaw Creek Drain, from which a Black Ash 6 inches in diameter bears N 33 deg. W 72 links distant, and running thence S 88 deg. 45 min. W 26.40 chains.

Thence N 1 deg. 30 min. W 20.36 chains.
Thence N 70 deg. 15 min. W 1.72 chains.
Thence S 89 deg. 30 min. W 2.84 chains.
Thence N 25 deg. W 20.03 chains.
Thence S 88 deg. W. 11.95 chains.
Thence N 1 deg. 30 min. W 13.98 chains.
Thence S 88 deg. 45 min. W 9.52 chains.
Thence N 1 deg. 15 min. W 4.96 chains.
Thence S 88 deg. 30 min. W, 10.96 chains.
Thence N 5 deg. 45 min. W, 3.40 chains.
Thence S. 88 deg. 45 min. W, 4.54 chains.
Thence S 1 deg. 30 min. W 1.06 chains.
Thence S 88 deg. 30 min. W 32.02 chains.
Thence S 1 deg. E 8.60 chains.
Thence S 86 deg. 45 min. W 3.72 chains.
Thence S 39 deg. 45 min. W 10.40 chains.
Thence N 83 deg. W 10.54 chains.
Thence S 88 deg 30 min. W 7.06 chains.
Thence S 4 deg. E, 4.54 chains.
Thence S 88 deg. 30 min. W 13.20 chains.
Thence S 89 deg. 30 min. W 13.20 chains.
Thence S 1 deg. E 25.22 chains.
Thence S 89 deg. W 42.10 chains.
Thence S 28 deg. 30 min. W 7.47 chains.
Thence S 85 deg. 15 min. W 5.53 chains.
Thence N 38 deg. W 7.42 chains.
Thence N 75 deg. 30 min. W 11.32 chains.
Thence N 52 deg. 30 min. W, 36.64 chains.
Thence N 1 deg. W 12.72 chains.
Thence S 89 deg. 15 min. W 3.00 chains.
Thence N 45 deg. 45 min. W 7.36 chains.
Thence N 29 deg. 30 min. W 2.54 chains.
Thence S 88 deg. 30 min. W. 12.62 chains.
Thence S 1 deg. E 3.46 chains.
Thence S 88 deg. 15 min. W 18.06 chains.
Thence S 1 deg. E 13.42 chains.
Thence S 58 deg. W 20.26 chains.
Thence N 69 deg. 15 min. W 24.08 chains.
Thence N 1 deg. W 17.22 chains.
Thence N 48 deg. W 1.28 chains.
Thence N 1 deg. W 7.88 chains.
Thence S 88 deg. 45 min. W 34.00 chains.
Thence N 73 deg. 30 min. W 2.80 chains.
Thence W 25.62 chains.
Thence N 63 deg. 30 min. W 11.65 chains.
Thence N 2 deg. 30 min. W 24.27 chains.
Thence S 88 deg. 45 min. W 69.04 chains.
Thence N 49 deg. W 5.46 chains.

Ending on the SW ¼ of the NW ¼ of section 28, township of Watertown, (Town 10, North of Range 9, East), County of Tuscola, 3.45 chs. north and 6.24 chains west of the southeast corner of said lands, at a stake numbered 343, from which a Tamarack 8 inches in diameter bears S 86 deg. 30 min. E 128 links distant.

Said job will be let by sections; the section at the outlet of said drain will be let first, and the remaining sections in their order up stream, in accordance with the diagram now on file with the other papers pertaining to said drain in the offices of the County Drain Commissioners of the said Counties of Lapeer and Tuscola, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids will be made and received accordingly. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidders giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by us, reserving to ourselves the right to reject any and all bids.

The date for the completion of such contracts, and the terms of payment therefor, shall be announced at the time and place of the letting.

All bidders on section number one will be required to deposit with the commissioners a certified check, certified to by one of the banks in Lapeer or Tuscola Counties, in the sum of five hundred (500) dollars.

If the remainder of said drain shall be let as one job, the bidders for same will be required to deposit with the said commissioners a certified check, in the sum of five hundred (500) dollars, as above specified.

Notice is further hereby given that at the time and place of said letting or at such other time and place thereafter to which we, the County Drain Commissioners aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits and the lands comprised within the "Fostoria Drain, special assessment district," and the apportionments thereof will be announced by us and will be subject to review for one day (from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon.)

The following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the special assessment district for said drain, viz:

A square 3 acres in south west corner of W ½ of NW ¼, Section 33.
E ½ of SE ¼ except a square 2 acres in south east corner, Section 32.

W ½ of SE ¼	Section 32
E ½ of E ½ of SW ¼	Section 32
W ½ of E ½ of SW ¼	Section 32
SW ¼ of SW ¼	Section 32
NW ¼ of SW ¼	Section 32
S ½ of S ½ of NE ¼	Section 32
N ½ of S ½ of NE ¼	Section 32
S ½ of N ½ of NE ¼	Section 32
N ½ of N ½ of NE ¼	Section 32
E ½ of NW ¼	Section 32
W ½ of NW ¼	Section 32
NE ¼ of NE ¼	Section 31
NW ¼ of NE ¼	Section 31
N ½ of NW frl. ¼	Section 31
SW ¼ of NE ¼	Section 31
East 26½ acres of S ½ of NW frl. ¼	Section 31
South 25 36-100 acres of West 30 36-100 acres of S ½ of NW frl. ¼	Section 31
North 5 acres of West 30 36-100 acres of S ½ of NW frl. ¼	Section 31
NE ¼ of SE ¼	Section 31
SE ¼ of SE ¼	Section 31
SW ¼ of SE ¼	Section 31
NW ¼ of SE ¼	Section 31
SW frl. ¼	Section 31
A square 4 acres in south west corner of SE ¼ of SE ¼	Section 29
South 15 acres of SW ¼ of SE ¼	Section 29
S ½ of SE ¼ of SW ¼	Section 29
South 30 acres of SW ¼ of SW ¼	Section 29
SE ¼ of SE ¼	Section 30
SW ¼ of SE ¼	Section 30
S ½ of SW frl. ¼	Section 30
A square 7 acres in south west corner of NW ¼ of SE ¼	Section 30
South 10 acres of N ½ of SW frl. ¼	Section 30

All in the township of Rich, (Town 10, North of Range 10, East) County of Lapeer, State of Michigan.

Also the said township of Rich at large.

North 25 acres of NE ¼ of NW frl. ¼	Section 5
NW ¼ of NW frl. ¼	Section 5
N ½ of SW ¼ of NW frl. ¼	Section 5
North 40 acres of NE ¼ of NE frl. ¼	Section 6
South 24 acres of NE ¼ of of NE frl. ¼	Section 6
North 30 acres of S ½ of NE frl. ¼	Section 6
North 30 acres of south 50 acres of S ½ of NE frl. ¼	Section 6
NW ¼ of NE frl. ¼	Section 6
East 34 acres of NE ¼ of NW frl. ¼	Section 6
West 30 acres of NE ¼ of NW frl. ¼	Section 6
North 20 acres of NW ¼ of NW frl. ¼	Section 6
South 16 acres of NW ¼ of NW frl. ¼	Section 6
West 40 acres of north 45 acres of S ½ of NW frl. ¼, except a square 3 acres in south west corner	Section 6
East 8 acres of north 65 acres of S ½ of NW frl. ¼	Section 6

All in the township of Deerfield, (Town 9, North of Range 10, East), County of Lapeer, State of Michigan.

Also the said township of Deerfield at large.

NE ¼ of NE frl. ¼	Section 1
North 6 acres of SE ¼ of NE frl. ¼	Section 1
East 30 acres of NW ¼ of NE frl. ¼	Section 1
North 3 acres of west 30 acres of NW ¼ of NE frl. ¼	Section 1
North 20 acres of NE ¼ of NW frl. ¼	Section 1
NE ¼ of NW ¼ of NW frl. ¼	Section 1

All in the township of Marathon, (Town 9, North of Range 9, East), County of Lapeer, State of Michigan.

Also the said township of Marathon at large.

SE ¼ of SE ¼	Section 25
S ½ of NE ¼ of SE ¼	Section 25
SW ¼ of SE ¼	Section 25
NW ¼ of SE ¼ except a square 5 acres in north east corner	Section 25
SE ¼ of SW ¼	Section 25
South 22 acres of NE ¼ of SW ¼	Section 25
South 6 acres of north 12 acres of east 17 acres of NW ¼ of SW ¼	Section 25
Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7 and 8, Block 37, and Lots 3, 4 and 5, Block 35, and 9 acres lying east of Blocks 36 and 37, Village of Fostoria,	Section 25
4¾ acres lying east of Blocks 19 and 36, Village of Fostoria	Section 25
Block 18, Village of of Fostoria	Section 25
Blocks 54 and 55, and 13 acres lying east of Blocks 38, 54 and 55, Village of Fostoria	Section 25
E ½ of SE ¼	Section 36
W ½ of SE ¼	Section 36
S ½ of SW ¼	Section 36
N ½ of SW ¼	Section 36
E ½ of NE ¼	Section 36
W ½ of NE ¼	Section 36
S ½ of NW ¼	Section 36
NE ¼ of NW ¼	Section 36
NW ¼ of NW ¼	Section 36
S ½ of S ½ of SE ¼	Section 35
N ½ of S ½ of SE ¼	Section 35
S ½ of N ½ of SE ¼	Section 35
NE ¼ of SW ¼	Section 35
North 15 acres of E ½ of of SE ¼ of SW ¼	Section 35
W ½ of SE ¼ of SW ½	Section 35
E ½ of SW ¼ of SW ¼	Section 35
NW ¼ of SW ¼	Section 35
S ½ of NE ¼	Section 35
All that part lying south of P. M. R. R., of NW ¼	Section 35
N ½ of N ½ of SE ¼	Section 35
Blocks 86, 87 and 88, Village of Fostoria,	Section 35
All that part lying north of P. M. R. R. of NW ¼	Section 35
All that part lying north of P. M. R. R., of NW ¼ of NE ¼	Section 35
Blocks 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 82 83, 84, 85, and W ½ of Block 86, and including all streets and alleys, Village of Fostoria	Section 35
Blocks 67 and 68, Village of Fostoria	Section 35
Block 70, Village of Fostoria	Section 35
N ½ of NE ¼ section 34.	
NE ¼ of NW ¼ section 34.	
NW ¼ of NW ¼ section 34.	
S ½ of NE ¼ section 34.	
SE ¼ of NW ¼ section 34.	
SW ¼ of NW ¼ section 34.	
N ½ of SE ¼, except P. M. R. R., section 34.	
N ½ of N ½ of SW ¼ section 34.	
S ½ of N ½ of SW ¼ section 34.	
North 5 acres of E ½ of SE ¼ section 33.	
NE ¼ of NE ¼ section 33.	
NW ¼ of NE ¼ section 33.	
East 22 acres of N ½ of S ½ of NE ¼ section 33.	
S ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ section 33.	
5 acres in NW ¼ of SW ¼, Village of Fostoria, section 25.	
3 acres in SW ¼ of SW ¼ Village of Fostoria section 25.	
Blocks 62, 63, 46 and W ½ of Block 47, Village of Fostoria, section 26.	
Block 51, Village of Fostoria, section 26.	
A square 7 acres in south west corner of SE ¼ of SE ¼ section 26.	
Blocks 25, 44, W ½ of Block 29 and lots 3, 8 and south 3-5 of lot 9, Block 28, Village of Fostoria, section 26.	

A piece of land commencing at the south line of Saginaw St., at a point in the center of Tamarack St., 528 feet to the division line between lots 2 and 3, Block 28, and thence west on said division line between lots 2 and 3, Block 28, and the continuance on said line through lot 9, Block 28, 436¾ feet, to the quarter line, thence northerly along said line 528 feet to Saginaw St., 436¾ feet to place of beginning, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Blocks 48, 61 and E ½ of Blocks 47 and 62, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Block 33 and lots 2 and 8, Block 31, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Lots 3 to 8, Block 30, and Lots 3 to 9, Block 29, and Lots 1 to 4, Block 44, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Block 42 and W ½ of Block 41, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

A piece of land beginning on south line of Saginaw St., embracing all of Blocks 25 and 26 and lots 1, 2, 9 and 10, Block 29, and lots 1, 2, 9 and 10. Block 30, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Lots 11 and 12, New Addition, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Lots 7 and 8, New Addition, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

A piece of land beginning on south line of Genesee St., at a point in center of Tamarack St., 726 feet, to north line of Saginaw St., thence west on north line of Saginaw St., 437 feet to the quarter line, thence north along quarter line 726 feet to Genesee St., thence east in line of Genesee St., 437 feet to place of beginning, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Lots 2, 3, 8, 9 and 13, New Addition, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Lots 5, 6 and 7, New Addition, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Lot 4, New Addition, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Block 52 and S ½ of Block 39, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

5 acres in north east ¼ of SE ¼ Village of Fostoria, section 26.

Block 40 and E ½ of Block 41, Village of Fostoria, section 26.

10 acres in south east corner of NE ¼ of SW ¼ section 26.

West 30 acres of E ½ of SW ¼ section 26.

1½ acres, beginning 23½ rods sout from north east corner of E ½ of SW ¼, running on said line 30 rods long from north to south and 8 rods wide from east to west, section 26.

East 25 acres of SE ¼ of SW ¼ section 26.

SW ¼ of SW ¼ section 26.

West 8 acres of east 25 acres of NE ¼ of SW ¼, section 26.

NW ¼ of SW ¼ section 26.

SW ¼ of NW ¼ section 26.

North 75 acres of E ½ of NW ¼ section 26.

South 35 acres of NW ¼ of NW ¼ section 26.

A square 5 acres in north east corner of NE ¼ of SW ¼ section 26.

N ½ of NE ¼ section 27.

S ½ of NE ¼ section 27.

E ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼ section 27.

A square 1 acre in north east corner of W ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼ section 27.

A square 4 acres in north east corner of west 19 acres of NW ¼ of NW ¼, section 27.

West 19 acres of NW ¼ of NW ¼, except a square 4 acres in the north east corner, section 27.

East 21 acres of NW ¼ of NW ¼ section 27.

W ½ of NE ¼ of NW ¼, except a square 4 acres in north east corner, section 27.

S ½ of NW ¼, section 27.
N ½ of SW ¼, section 27.
S ½ of SW ¼ section 27.
S ½ of SE ¼ section 27.
N ½ of SE ¼ section 27.
SE ¼ section 28.
E ½ of SW ¼ section 28.
W ½ of SW ¼ except 10 acres in south west corner, section 28.
SW ¼ of NW ¼ section 28.
NW ¼ of NW ¼ section 28.
E ½ of NW ¼ section 28.
W ½ of NE ¼ section 28.
S ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ section 28.
N ½ of SE ¼ of NE ¼ section 28.
E ½ of NE ¼ of NE ¼, section 28.
W ½ of NE ¼ of NE ¼, section 28
NE ¼ of SE ¼, section 29.
SE ¼ of NE ¼, section 29.
NE ¼ of NE ¼, section 29.

South 20 acres of east 30 acres of NW ¼ of NE ¼, section 29.

E ½ of SE ¼ of SE ¼, section 20.

A square 1 acre in north east corner of NE ¼, section 20.

S ½ of SW ¼, section 21.
S ½ of N ½ of SW ¼, section 21.
N ½ of N ½ of SW ¼, section 21.
S ½ of SE ¼, section 21.
S ½ of N ½ of SE ¼, section 21.
N ½ of N ½ of SE ¼, section 21.

South 7 acres of SE ¼ of NE ¼, section 21.

W ½ of NE ¼, except a square 2 acres in northeast corner, section 21.

E ½ of NW ¼ section 21.

NW ¼ of NW ¼, except a square 5 acres in soutth west corner, section 21.

SW ¼ of NW ¼ except a square 7 acres in north west corner, section 21.

A square 3 acres in south west corner of SW ¼ of NW ¼ section 22.

West 20 acres of N ½ of SW ¼ section 22.

West 20 acres of S ½ of SW ¼ section 22.

West 15 acres of S ½ of S ½ of SE ¼ section 16.

SE ¼ of SE ¼ of SW ¼ sec. 16.
W ½ of SE ¼ of SW ¼ sec. 16.
South 15 acres of W ½ of SW ¼ section 16.

All in the township of Watertown, (Town 10, North of range 9 East) County of Tuscola, State of Michigan.

Also the said township of Watertown at large.

Now, therefore, All unknown or non-resident persons, owners and persons interested in the above described lands, and you Manley Clark, J. Burch, Daniel Schell, Chas. Layman, Mrs. Jane Tubbs, Chas. Smith, Warren Schell, Diodate Johnson, Chas. Johnson, Robt. Reed, Mrs. Ada H. McNish, Bert Baldwin, Frank Kincade, Geo. Tompkins, Earl McNish, James Ensign, Eliza Ensign, Edgar Raymond, A. Layman, Wm. Woodrow, Hugh Mathewson, Mrs. Martha Frankfort, Oscar Myers, L. L. Chapin, James Smith, Mrs. Adaline T. Bearss, James Halpin, Mrs. F. Hewitt, S. Merrill, Thos. Bowler, John Bell, Milton Bell, Albert Sanders, Frank Smith, Earl Ensign, John Harris, Chas. Taylor, Floyd Dutcher, O. G. Johnson, A. Plumb, John Gruary, Gale Est., Chas. T. Foster, Preston Curtiss, James Garvey, James Fralick, E. Robinson, Wm. Manwell, Robert June, Mrs. Minnie Lane, Edward Haver, C. B. Jones, Kittie Goodrich, Defiance Johnson, A. J. Johnson, Frank Johnson, Floyd Johnson, J. R. Goodell, John Bessie, Lester Lintz, Earl Linsey, Wm. Richardson, Moses Stratton, E. Wellington, W. W. Crapo, Thos. McGuigan, J. W. McGuigan, C. R. Taylor, Judson Griswold, Walter Cody, Walter Bowerman, Noah Tompkins, Chas. H. Kipp, Geo. Smart, James Thorn, Erastus Griswold, Levi Jerome, Wm. Sheldon, Geo. Goodrich, Mrs. May Church, W. Stipe, Henry Smith, John Day, Mrs. Maud McGuigan, W. B. Church, F. Hutton, Hiram Richardson, Mrs. Fowler, R. W. Kieth, Mrs. Margaret Hutton, E. Stebbins, Geo. Kinney, Chas. Hutton, M. H. Henry, Miles A. McGuigan, G. T. Bench, Joseph Dolliver, John Black, Chas. Kinney, Wm. Glass, Chester Kinney, T. Valentine, E. Stebbins, H. Seddon, Orson Stebbins, Geo. Bradshaw, Ellis Hasty, J. R. June, Mrs. McLaren, A. E. Meacham, Grant Johnson, H. Valentine, Amos Kinney, Roy Kinney, Wm. Johnson, Mrs. Minnie Johnson, Mrs. D. Sevey, S. Dwelling, Bert Johnson, Andrew Kinney, John Kinney, and the supervisor and the highway commissioner of the township of Rich, and the supervisor and highway commissioner of the township of Deerfield, and the supervisor and highway commissioner of the township of Marathon; and the supervisor and highway commissioner of the township of Watertown, are hereby notified that at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time and place thereafter to which said hearing may be adjourned, we shall proceed to receive bids for the construction of said "Fostoria Drain," in the manner hereinbefore stated; and also that at such time of letting from nine o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon, the assessments for benefits, and the lands comprised within the "Fostoria Drain," special assessment district will be subject to review, And you, and each of you, owners and persons interested in the aforesaid lands, are hereby cited to appear at the time and place of said letting, as aforesaid and be heard with respect to such special assessments and your interests in relation thereto, if you so desire.

Dated this 16th day of May, A. D. 1912.

JAMES NICHOLSON,
County Drain Commissioner of Lapeer County.
WM. W. KELLEY,
County Drain Commissioner of Tuscola County.

Lame back is usually caused by rheumatism of the muscles of the back, for which you will find nothing better than Chamberlain's Liniment. For sale by all dealers.

SCHOOL NOTES.

(In physical geography,) Mr. H.—"Where is the junction of Missouri and the Mississippi located?" C. K.—"At the place where they meet."

It is evident that A. S. has bad luck pinning flowers on H. L. in physical geography.

Irene Renshler is back in school after a four weeks' absence.

Mr. H.—"How are Canadian thistles distributed?" A. B.—"By seeds."

The physics and chemistry classes have completed their text books.

Friday's field meet goes to show that Cass City can get up a crowd.

Everyone was very glad to see Ray Wickware back to school again Monday.

Now if Duffy don't tell his papa, the chemistry class will have some fine rum manufactured some of these days.

Prof. Kennedy (in mod. hist.)—"Well, this is festival week." R. D.—"Let's have a passover."

The New-born Smile.

I spose you all are wonderin'
Why we school kids feel so good,
A smilin' round from ear to ear
As we was made of wood.

But you as what was at the meet,
And saw the fight we made
Had either better yell a bit,
Or else you'd better fade.

Or when the mile was closin'
And Buck was drawin' near,
I guess you ain't got any heart,
Or else you'd have to cheer.

And Nork he's a lucky Mutt,
He helped us win you know.
So I just guess we've got a cause,
To grin aand cheer and crow.

You'll say oh! well you weren't first
But then we weren't the last
And we made them work some
We showed 'em we were fast.

The other fellows who did some work
Were Chic and Fritz and Cooke
And believe me chaps, when they went in,
They made the crowd all look.

And now you old Rheumatics,
Who failed to get the spirit,
If you warn't at the meet
Just stay at home and hear it.

Croswell had 'bout sixty-three
And Bad Axe twenty-one
And Caro got but seven points
Oh! gee but it was fun.

We carried off our sixty-two
As proudly as a rooster,
So don't be a sour old grouch
Get out and be a booster.

—J. B.

HELP THE KIDNEYS.

Cass City Readers Are Learning the Way.

It's the little kidney ills—
The lame, weak or aching back—
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That lead to dropsy and Bright's disease.

When the kidneys are sick.

Help them with Doan's Kidney Pills,

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There never was a time when people appreciated the real merits more Chamberlain's Cough Remedy more than now. This is shown by the increase in sales and voluntary testimonials from persons who have been cured by it. If you or your children are troubled with a cough or cold give it a trial and become acquainted with its good qualities. For sale by all dealers.

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Physician and Surgeon. Office days: Wednesdays, 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Saturdays, 1 to 5 p. m.

DR. M. M. WICKWARE,
Physician and Surgeon. Office in Fritz Block, over Mellon's Candy Store. Residence two blocks south of Cootes' hardware store on Seegar St., east side. Office days: Wednesdays, 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. Saturdays, 1 to 5 p. m.

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Graduate of the University of Michigan. Office over Wilsey & Cathcart's store, Cass City, Mich.

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Hours 8:00 to 12:00 1:30 to 5:00
Other hours by appointment.

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No. 826, meets every fourth Tuesday evening of each month in Craft's Hall. Companions and brothers of the order always welcome. S. Champion R. S. T. Schenck, C. R.

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Baptist.
Morning worship, 10:30; evening, worship, 7:30; Bible school, 11:45; Prayer meeting on Thursday evening, 7:30; Covenant meeting, last Thursday previous to first Sunday of each month; Lord's supper, first Sunday of each month. A cordial invitation and a warm welcome to all. Miss Bertha McKenzie, S. S. Supt., H. C. Hayward, Pastor.

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left me with a frightful cough and very weak. I had spells when I could hardly breathe or speak for 10 to 20 minutes. My doctor could not help me, but I was completely cured by
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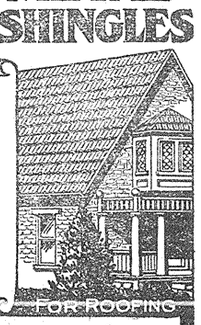

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That is a "clothes fan"----

If you wear Clothes of Quality for Men.

When your particular favorite at the ball game scores a home run---you feel a thrill of enthusiasm. Well, your enthusiasm is also aroused when you put on a "Clothes of Quality" Suit for Men. It's just your own idea in style---and will carry out your idea of how well it should wear

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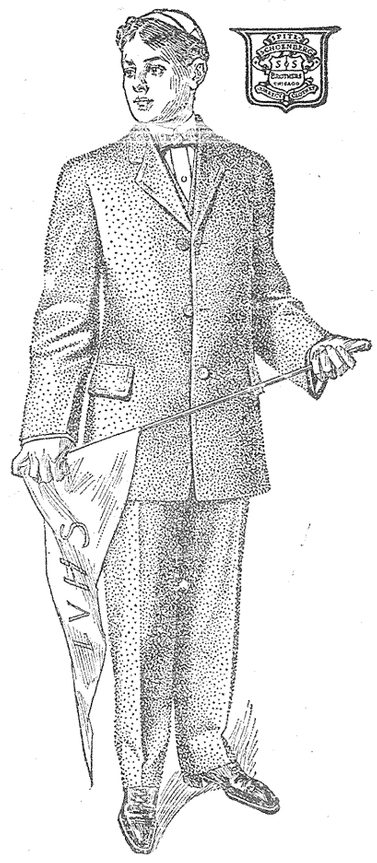

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To the average young men of today---on account of its various comfortable and practical features. Today the popular shirt is made of light-weight soft material with soft turn back cuffs and with soft high collar.

We are prepared with a very complete showing of soft shirts in all sizes from 14 up.

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We know of none better.

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June the month of brides and graduates, permits us to offer you the opportunity to make appropriate gifts befitting such important events of a lifetime. If you would be held in living remembrance by the recipient of such a gift, select from our stock something that will last as long as the memory of the occasion.

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Pretty Zephyr Ginghams, pretty Summer Silks. Underwear and Hosiery. Just step in and be convinced.

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Wedding invitations, birth announcements and memoriam cards. Have them printed at the Chronicle Printery, Cass City. First quality stock and first quality printing.

Pocketbook lost containing $1.29. Mrs. Chas. I. Cooke. 5-31-

Beans to Contract.

I will be at the beaan house each and every Saturday to contract for beans. David Law. 3-22-

Get ready for fly time. Our No-Sag Screen Doors are the best to be had. At Cootes'.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Base ball today—Bad Axe vs. Cass City.

Lester Childs spent Sunday at his home in Unionville.

Miss Ida Brown visited in Gagetown over Sunday.

Miss Lura DeWitt visited in Flint over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Schenck visited with Caro friends Sunday.

Sam Striffler transacted business in Saginaw Friday and Saturday.

Henry Wettlaufer transacted business in Akron and Flint Saturday.

Miss Mamie Cullen of Shabona visited with her sister, Miss Margaret Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Auten and Miss Madeleine spent Sunday with friends in Caro.

Misses Marie White and Helen Atwood were the guests of Miss Leone Kile Friday.

Miss Edna Shales went to Flint Wednesday morning where she will be employed.

Mrs. Burt Burton and little son, Leslie, of Gagetown visited with Mrs. S. Body Monday.

Mrs. Norman Kitchen of Wilmot spent Decoration Day with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler.

Mrs. F. A. Gorsline and her little daughter, Helen, of Williamston are guests at the home of F. A. Bigelow.

I. A. Fritz sold the Arthur Helwig 40 acre farm as advertised last week to Myron Karr of Owendale for $2500.

Mrs. Mary Orr of Saginaw arrived here Wednesday noon and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Bigelow.

Misses Ruby Taggart, Laura Hollingshead and Worden of Caro were the guests of Miss Madeleine Auten Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Westerby of Wilmot spent Decoration Day with Mr. and Mrs. David Law and Mr. and Mr Wm. Dodge.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler and son, Irvine, visited in Wilmot Sunday. They were accompanied by Miss Letta Kitchen.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Helwig of Northeast Elkland entertained the Misses Cora and Minerva Helwig and Harve Klinkman and Clare Spurgeon at dinner Sunday.

Mrs. John Higgins was called to Cleveland Tuesday evening to attend the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. McConkey. She was accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Henry McConkey.

Mrs. E. Presley of Detroit, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Mellon the past two weeks, returned to her home in Detroit Saturday.

At the W. C. T. U. convention held in Fairgrove, Mrs. Frederick Klump, of Cass City was elected president, Mrs. C. E. Hawley, recording secretary; Mrs. Joseph Martis of Cass City, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Jennie Martin, of Deford, treasurer, and Mrs. A. B. Moreland president at large. The "County Banner" went to Vassar for having secured 45 new members. Miss Merle Craig, of Fairgrove, won the silver medal in the contest Thursday evening.

James Klump returned Wednesday evening from Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brooker were Caro visitors Sunday.

Mrs. Burt Ottoway of Gagetown visited in town Monday.

Jas. Wallace and Jas. Perkins of Argyle were in town Friday.

Mrs. A. J. Knapp visited with friends in Argyle over Sunday.

John Carruthers of Argyle visited with his niece, Mrs. E. J. Usher, Friday.

Delbert Burton and Newark Maynard of Gagetown visited in town Friday.

John Rogers visited with his sister, Mrs. R. J. Ottoway, of Gagetown Monday.

Henry Rubard of Caro was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wettlaufer Saturday.

Miss Emma Muck, who has been visiting in Detroit for several days, returned home Monday evening.

Mrs. John Hall and Miss Fenabelle Blinn of Caro were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lee Friday.

Mrs. Chas. Lee and two daughters, Irene and Grace, of Owendale visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Lee Friday.

Mrs. O. Rosenburg of Azalia arrived here Monday noon and is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Rogers.

Mrs. Hart Mickle visited in Imlay City over Sunday. She was accompanied home by her nephew, Charles Fritz.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Ballard of North Branch visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crosby, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. C. Hughes, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Rogers, the past week, returned to her home in Kingston Monday.

Mrs. H. Hallack and two children of Jackson arrived here Tuesday evening and are the guests of Mrs. Hallock's sister, Mrs. Chas. Kosanke.

Miss Frankie Lennard and Miss Pearl Doerr, Claude Avery and Mr. O'Connor of Bad Axe were guests of Anthony Doerr and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Deming were called to Springbank, Canada, Saturday to attend the funeral of the latter's mother, Mrs. John McLeish.

John Dickson and daughter, Miss Winnifred, of Newport are visiting with the former's sister, Mrs. John McLarty. They will remain several weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Wettlaufer and Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ricker made an auto trip to West Grant Sunday and were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Ricker.

Miss Minnie Whitehead of Stillwater, Minn., and Miss Nellie Whitehead of North Bradley, Mich., who have been visiting their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoagland, returned to their homes Tuesday.

Mrs. S. H. Brown returned from Bad Axe Monday where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. Albert Goff. Mrs. Goff and little son accompanied her home. Mrs. Goff is much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Patterson received a box of beautiful flowers from Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McDermott of Los Angeles, California, Tuesday evening. The collection consisted of callah lilies, roses and rose buds.

I swat 'em in the parlor; I swat 'em in the hall. I swat 'em spring and summer; I swat 'em in the fall. I swat 'em on the ceiling; I swat 'em on the floor. I'll have to keep on swatting till I mend that old screen door.

"I want you to keep on sending the Chronicle," said Mrs. Geo. Brown of Shabbona as she stepped into the office Saturday and paid for the paper. "We have taken the paper since it started and couldn't keep house without it."

While handling gasoline in his tailoring establishment on Main St. east, F. W. Drager came near having a serious fire Wednesday morning. Prompt service from a private hose of the Cass City Milling Co. put out the flame. A fire alarm was turned in but the fire was extinguished by the time the fire apparatus arrived on the scene.

Ferdinand W. Drager, tailor, was taken in custody by Deputy Sheriff R. J. Hutchinson of Caro on Wednesday morning on a warrant charging him with violation of the local option law. Deputy Chas. D. Striffler had detained Drager at the request of Mr. Hutchinson, who was unable to reach here the same night after warrant was issued.

Many of the graves have no G. A. R. markers by which they can be identified as soldiers' graves and in order that they may be properly marked and to aid in decorating their graves the Woman's Study club obtained markers for the soldiers buried in Elkland cemetery. The cost was $30. The women of the G. A. R. contributed $10 to the fund, the men of the same organization $3, and the remainder was subscribed by citizens.

More locals on fifth page.

Stood The Test of Time

In any number of homes in this vicinity for many years, they have used White Foam Flour and White Lily Flour, and they have come to be known as the "old dependables," because of their reliability. That's the secret of practically all good home baking that you read about. Our flours are made especially for family use. Try a sack today.

We sell Oil Meal, Cotton Seed Meal, Gluten Feed, Bran and Middlings. Also Corn Flakes, a fine feed for pigs.

Feed Grinding Every Day.

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Always makes one feel better and is an actual saving in the end. Our

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White and Yellow Pine, in Siding, Barn Boards, Flooring, Finish, Moulding will satisfy the most particular purchaser.

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We have 40c paper for	30c
35c Paper for	20c
15c Paper for	12c
8c Paper for	4c

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Treadgold's Drug Store,

Successor to Peter Bros.

ARGYLE.

Abe Hillicker is quite ill at this writing.

Mrs. John Sandham and little daughter, Pauline, of Cass City are spending a few days at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Striffler.

Mr. and Mrs. John Baker transacted business in Cumber last Saturday.

Clare McLean of Cass City spent Sunday at his parental home here.

Mrs. A. J. Knapp of Cass City spent Sunday with Miss Jennie McIntyre.

Miss Margaret Campbell spent Sunday at her home at Cumber.

Mrs. Joseph Clement of Detroit is spending a few weeks with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Starr.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Osentuski are the proud parents of a baby girl born May 24.

Big cut in millinery. J & F Nimmo.

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Do you like them? The kind that are salted just to suit your taste. Here they are==the choicest kind, that are sold the world over for 20 cents per pound. Our special price for a limited time is only

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Try a pound and you will want another.

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The Real Value of a Watch is Hidden

The best advice we can offer to anyone contemplating the purchase of a watch is to buy it from a house in which he has absolute confidence.

We Guarantee Every Watch We Sell

We sell only high grade, reliable movements, movements that we know absolutely to be right, and we stand back of every watch we sell. Our watches are more than mere articles of beauty, they are timekeepers, as good as can be had for the money.

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BAYSIDE BLACK HAWK

American Morgan Register No. 5647 Vol. 3. The only Morgan stallion in the Thumb of Michigan. Black with small star, 16 hands high. The Morgans still hold the position of "King of the Road."

Bayside Black Hawk will make the season of 1912 at owner's barn. Terms to insure, $10. Mares disposed of before time of foaling will be considered in foal and service due. Mares not returned regularly will be returned as season mares.

G. W. Goff,

Cass City.

Garden Hose, Lawn Mowers, Grass Catchers, Sprays and Spray Pumps. at Cootes'.

Don't forget Heller keeps home-made bread. Fresh every day.

For the past two years all screw Doors at Bigelow's had morticed joints.

That new pocket kodak at Wood's is a good one.

Can screen up those old window and door frames in bronze, galvanize or black. Coootes'.

Prussian Poultry Tonic cures diseases and makes hens lay. Sold at G. W. Goff's.

See the Quick Meal Oil Stove—it's hotter. Bigelow's.

Birth announcements printed at the Chronicle Printery, Cass City, New line just in.

Heirrick Refrigerators keep matches dry all summer. Try it in yours. Bigelow's.

The Easy Washing Machine makes washing blankets, quilts, etc., a pleasure. For sale only at Cootes'.

For millinery call at Mrs. Goff's. The cheapest and best in town. 5-10-2

Real Estate.

10-room house, 2 lots and barn in south part of town. House and lot on Third St. 3 large size lots on West Main St. These places can be bought right. E. W. Keating, Cass City. 3-15-

That rusty old floor you're so ashamed of can be made to look and wear like new hardwood with my Ready-to-Use Graining Material and 2c per square foot covers the cost. For sale only by Cootes.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Don't let the clean-up spirit die out.

Tom Agar of Caro was in town Friday.

J. D. Brooker was in Caro Tuesday on business.

Floyd Hopps of Kingston was in town Friday.

H. D. Fritz was in Kingston Friday and Saturday.

Dr. Wm. Morris transacted business in Caro Tuesday.

C. R. Montague transacted business in Saginaw Monday and Tuesday.

Hugo Kaiser and Chester Graham were in Bad Axe Sunday.

N. Karr of Kingston transacted business in town Friday.

The Priscilla club met with Miss Beulah Whitney Tuesday evening.

Miss Sybil Burton of Gagetown visited with Miss Lena Rice Friday.

Miss Aletha Styles of Bad Axe was the guest of Miss Ethel Carson Friday.

Hugo Cowan of Deckerville was in town Tuesday, on his way to Saginaw.

Clarence Davis, and Jack Eckstine of Deckerville visited with friends here Friday.

Harry C. Striffler of Argyle passed through town Sunday on his way to and from Caro.

Miss Rosetta Crawford of Bad Axe visited with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Crawford Friday.

A. A. Hitchcock and Dr. S. A. Bradshaw were business callers in Shabbona Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Striffler of Caro were guests of relatives here Friday and Saturday.

Charles Kleinschmidt of Pigeon was the guest of Miss Bernice Kolb Friday and Saturday.

The ladies of the M. E. church will serve a 20-cent supper in the church parlors on Wednesday, June 5.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Blakely of Bad Axe visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crosby several days this week.

Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Howell and two children of Deford visited with Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Tindale Friday.

Mrs. H. C. Hayward and Mrs. Dan Schneider became members of the Rebekah lodge Monday evening.

Rev. J. Neuber of Elkton visited with Rev. and Mrs. J. Schmaus Monday on his way home from Snover.

Luther E. Karr who has been visiting in Strassburg, Sask., for several weeks, arrived home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Agar went to Caro Monday with their little son for medical treatment. He remained several days.

Herb Frutchey and W. E. Harnish made a trip to Bay Port Sunday by auto, bringing back with them a quantity of fish.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Lennard, Miss Frankie Lennard, and Mr. Truex of Bad Axe visited with Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Doerr Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Vader of Colwood and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roblin of Greenleaf visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Montague Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burt Eddy visited with Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Doerr Saturday on their way home from Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Doerr accompanied them to Pigeon Saturday evening.

Miss Eileen Edgcumbe of Bowling Green, Ohio, arrived here Friday evening to spend her vacation with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Edgcumbe. Miss Edgcumbe is supervisor of music and drawing of the schools at that place.

Chas. Wilsey transacted business in Detroit Wednesday.

The Evangelical Ladies' Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. Jno. Zinnecker, Thursday, June 6.

Local fans have arranged for a ball game between the Bloomer Girls and Cass City next Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Corkins and daughter of Silverwood, spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wettlaufer.

One carload of cattle, a carload of calves and a double deck car of hogs were shipped by local buyers to Buffalo Saturday.

The library of the Woman's Study club will be open to the public during the summer months on Wednesdays from 3:00 to 5:30 p. m.

H. L. Pinney of Seattle, Wash., will be one of the speakers at the regular meeting of the Cass City Improvement association next Tuesday evening.

The local high school will have an amateur field meet on June 10 or 11 when all high school boys that never won points in an interscholastic meet may participate.

G. E. Perkins received a telegram Sunday from his son, Lieut. E. A. Perkins, with the U. S. S. Rhode Island, which read: "Start for Cuba today. Expect trouble."

Mrs. M. J. Attridge and daughter, Rena, who have spent the past six weeks with the former's daughter, Mrs. Wm. Crandell, left Thursday for Pontiac where they will visit before returning to their home in Niagara Falls.

E. A. Geitgey has received word of the death of his brother-in-law, Henry Butler, who has spent late years in Virginia. Mr. Butler practiced law here in Cass City's early days and is known by all the older residents.

Village Marshall Striffler is determined to put a stop to the disturbances which have occurred occasionally during the evenings on the streets. Two more arrests have been made. Harry Noland and Horace Wolverton appeared before Justice Corkins Monday and fines and costs which they paid amounted to $12 and $6 respectively.

Cook wanted at Gordon Tavern. A. Doerr. 5-31-2

The McCrea residence on Garfield Ave. for rent. Inquire of Samuel Blades. Citizen's phone. 5-24-

For Sale.

Six galvanized tanks, seed corn and seed peas for gardens, Planet Junior garden drill, 1 colt, 1 horse, 3 second-hand cream separators in good repair and six new ones. G. L. Hitchcock.

Watch Lost.

Open face watch, gold filled case, on R. R. No. 3, Cass City. Return to W. F. Kelley. 5-31-1p.

Notice.

Strayed into my inclosure, one Jersey bull about one year old. Owner may have same by paying expenses. John Fox, Cass City. 5-31-

Eat Mellon's home made candy.

For Sale.

Peter Daugherty will sell his hotel in Deford. Reason for selling, Mrs. D's poor health. Will leave the house partly furnished. A good chance for the right parties. Peter Daugherty, Deford, Mich. 5-12-

To Rent.

Eleven room house and four lots, one block off east Main St. Enquire at Striffler & Patterson's. 5-17-

Heller's Banana Splits are fine. Try one and be convinced.

Good box candy is a specialty with us. Heller.

Fresh butter and eggs at Mrs. Parker's.

All the cream in Heller's Ice Cream comes from ex-Gov. Warner's Prize Dairy Cows.

For Sale.

100 acres E ¾ of W ½ of NE ¼ Sec. 26, T 14, 11 E and SE ¼ of NE Sec. 26, T 14, 11 E. For price write J. C. Scott, Vanderbilt, Mich. 5-17-4-

Heller's whole raspberry and strawberry sundaes are luscious.

Lost—Black silk glove between M. E. church and Heller's Ice Cream Parlors. Please return to Chronicle office.

Cash for Poultry and Eggs.

I have established headquarters in the building east of the express office and will pay cash for poultry and eggs. Oscar Auten. 3-29-

Bicycles and sundries at G. W. Goff's.

A Real Bargain.

40 acres 3 miles from Cass City on main road, 38 acres improved, 80 fruit trees, fair house, log barn, fences good on outside. Price, $1600.

80 acres, 2½ miles from Deford, land level, soil good clay loam, 60 acres in cultivation, balance good pasture, 45 fruit trees, good 5-room house, new basement barn 36x50, granary, 1 pump, ½ mile to church and school. Price, $65 per acre.

One country store and one house and lot for sale cheap.

I. A. FRITZ.

House, barn and lot for sale on Woodland Ave. Chas. Bixby. 4-26-2p

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy

Cures Colds, Croup and Whooping Cough.

NEW TEACHERS IN HURON AND SANILAC COUNTIES

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Camilla Zwicker, Minden City; Fred Foss, Deckerville.

Olive Willoughby, Brown City; Edmund Foss, Deckerville; Merle Nichol, Brown City; Carrie Artman, Minden City; Lloyd Henderson. Carsonville; Geo. McKellar, Brown City; Roy Alexander, Marlette; Will Kirkendall, Carsonville.

Second Year Third Grade.

Florence Dennis, Sandusky; Marie Thompson, Minden City; Irene Johnson, Carsonville; Mary Provost, Sandusky; Catherine Gunn, Brown City; Edith McAllister, Marlette; Eva Smith, Sandusky; Mae Willis, McGregor.

Third Year Third Grade.

Maud Munro, Brown City; Mary Willerton, Shabbona; Edna McQueen, Shabbona; Edith Wagner, Forestville; Julia Dwyer, Deckerville; May Powley, Deckervile.

Below is the result of the April teachers' examination in Huron county:

Second Grade.

Sylvester W. Helfrich, Audrey H. Clark, John J. Burns, Peter C. Burns, Flora M. Mack, Beatrice Melick, R. V. Chisholm, Vera C. Fitchett, Ethel Vahle, Mrs. Orville McClew.

Second Grade Renewals.

Mrs. Mary Kolburg, George Hall, Lydia Campbell, Edward H. Smith.

Clarence Corpron was granted a second on standings made last June before he had taught the required seven months.

Third Grade.

Carrie Storbeck, Helen F. Smith, Irene Priemer, Mary McKenzie, Robert Hobkirk, Anastasia Kavanagh, Lillie M. Wade, Kate Cochran, Nina Rolph, Willard Arkills, Floyd C. O. Meara, Alma Decker, Linda B. Yageman, Mabel Smith, Johanna Bauer, Mary McDowell, Arthur Morgan, Edna McIlhargie, Florence R. Kent, Otto Schultz, Frances Anclam, Louise P. Diebel, James N. Cobb, Mabel Henderson, Gertrude Quick, Emma D. Cook, Edna Young, Adah M. Colon, Frank C. Heineman, Jennie Ahearn, John J. Spoutz, R. F. Long, Hazel Meade, Emma C. Barss, Charles B. Winter, Beatrice Tinsey, James B. Johnson, Grace Rogers, Stewart McDonald, Ruth Hobkirk, Ethel A. Lackie, Lillian R. Toner, Rilla Lane, Margaret Ahern, Virginia Bingham, Hazel Richardson, Ella Livingston, Cora E. Schantz, Esther Myers, Margaret I. Bruce, Mabel E. Taylor, Ernest Reid, Gladys Coulter, Jennie McArthur, Ada McArthur, Ida R. Johnson, James L. Ross, Jessie A. Sellars, Mabel R. Carpenter, Sada Coddington, Etta Kinch.

Third Grade Standings, Under Age.

Agnes McGeachy, Annie E. Brown, Wealtha Carpenter, Walter C. Ross, Helen I. Toner, Ethel Osborne, Laura M. Jurgess, Mildred I. Rowland, Clara A. Gettel, Gladys Melick.

John J. and Peter C. Burns wrote the first grade examination and their papers have been sent to Lansing for the endorsement of the Superintendent of Public Instruction. A number of applicants whose names do not appear in the above list wrote the second grade examination and will finish in August.

House for sale. Enquire of Mrs. A. A. MacKenzie. 4-10-

Timothy seed for sale. D. Law. 3-29-

Our line of Builders' hardware invites the inspection of those building or planning to do so. Cootes' Hardware.

Notice to Elkland Twp. Voters.

All voters desiring to secure affidavit blanks for enrollment can secure same at B. F. Benkelman's store. John A. Benkelman, Township Clerk. 5-24-2

Notice.

Notice is hereby given to all tax payers that the Board of Review of the Township of Elkland will meet at the Town Hall, Cass City, on Tuesday, June 4th, and again on Monday and Tuesday, June 10th and 11th, to review the assessment roll of said township for the year 1912. The Board will be in session from 9 o'clock a. m. until 5 o'clock p. m. of each day. Any persons deeming themselves aggrieved by said assessment may be heard at this meeting.
Geo. Hall, Supervisor. 5-31-2-

Teaching Him a Lesson.

Mrs. Poorly—The grocer called here today with a bill nearly a year old. He was very impertinent about it. Mr. Poorly—Impertinent, was he? I'll teach him a lesson. I'll make him wait awhile for his money.—Exchange.

Escapes an Awful Fate.

A thousand tongues could not express the gratitude of Mrs. J. E. Cox, of Joliet, Ill., for her wonderful deliverance from an awful fate. "Typhoid pneumonia had left me with a dreadful cough," she writes. Sometimes I had such awful coughing spells I thought I would die. I could get no help from doctor's treatment or other medicines till I used Dr. King's New Discovery. But I owe my life to this wonderful remedy for I scarcely cough at all now." Quick and safe, it's the most reliable of all throat and lung medicines. Every bottle guaranteed. 50c and $1.00. Trial bottle free at L. I. Wood & Co.

SHABBONA.

Geo. Gotham left for Detroit Saturday to spend Sunday with Mrs. Gotham.

Chas. Parrott of Wolverine visited friends and relatives here last wek.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Riley were in Cass City Friday.

Wm. Fox was in Marlette, Sandusky and Deckerville the fore part of last week in the interests of the Indiana motor cycle.

Mr. Slack and his mother have moved into the Edward Riley house.

Ezra Travis and family and Mrs. Elizabeth Travis were in Cass City Saturday.

Geo. Collins and Don McCaughna of Novesta have each purchased Brush runabouts of the Ehlers Auto Co.

School closed Friday, May 24, with a dinner and a program at the school house. To show their appreciation of their teacher, Miss Maud Phillips, the pupils presented her with silverware.

Peter, Dan and Mrs. Davis Leslie were summoned to Detroit Thursday by the illness of their brother, John Leslie.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nique and Marve Ehlers were in Detroit the fore part of the week and returned with two Brush runabouts for the Ehlers Auto Co.

GREENLEAF.

Archie McRae was numbered with the sick last week.

Miss Lillie McLellan is ill with pneumonia.

Miss Ada Tanner was ill last week with rheumatism.

Duncan McDougal left Friday for Port Huron where he has secured employment.

Mr. Mills of Minden was a business caller in town the first of the week.

Miss Lela Flint attended the eighth grade examination at Shabbona last week.

A. Livingston is visiting friends in Detroit.

The L. A. L. met at the home of Mrs. Jas. Dew last Wednesday.

Auction Sale.

C. T. Palmerton will sell his household goods at auction at his home on Garfield Ave. on Saturday,

If your liver is sluggish, try Wood's Liver Pills.

Heller's whole raspberry and strawberry sundaes are lusclous.

A few ladies' suits left going at cost. Mrs. G. W. Goff. 5-10-2

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The future problems of business in this community will soon devolve upon you. Upon the care with which you guard your PERSONAL CREDIT will largely depend your success in business.

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When a Man Marries

By MARY ROBERTS RINEHART

Author of The Circular Staircase, The Man in Lower Ten, Etc.

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CHAPTER XX.

Breaking Out in a New Place.

Hunger roused everybody early the next morning, Friday. Leila Mercer had discovered a box of bonbons that she had forgotten, and we divided them around. Aunt Selina asked for the candied fruit and got it—quite a third of the box. We gathered in the lower hall and on the stairs and nibbled nauseating sweets while Mr. Harbison examined the telephone.

He did not glance in my direction. Betty and Dal were helping him, and he seemed very cheerful. Max sat with me on the stairs. Mr. Harbison had just unscrewed the telephone box from the wall and was squinting into it, when Bella came downstairs. It was her first appearance, but as she was always late, nobody noticed. When she stopped, just above us on the stairs, however, we looked up, and she was holding to the rail and trembling perceptibly.

"Mr. Harbison, will you—can you come upstairs?" she asked. Her voice was strained, almost reedy, and her lips were white.

Mr. Harbison stared up at her, with the telephone box in his hands.

"Why—er—certainly," he said, "but unless it's very important, I'd like to fix this talking machine. We want to make a food record."

"I'd like to break a food record," Max put in, but Bella created a diversion by sitting down suddenly on the stair just above us, and burying her face in her handkerchief.

"Jim is sick," she said, with a sob. "He—he doesn't want anything to eat, and his head aches. He—said for me—to go away and let him die!"

Dal dropped the hammer immediately, and Lollie Mercer sat petrified, with a bonbon half-way to her mouth. For, of course, it was unexpected, finding sentiment of any kind in Bella, and none of them knew about the scene in the den in the small hours of the morning.

"Sick!" Aunt Selina said, from a hall chair. "Sick! Where?"

"All over," Bella quavered. "His poor head is hot, and he's thirsty, but he doesn't want anything but water."

"Great Scott!" Dal said suddenly. "Suppose he should—Bella, are you telling us all his symptoms?"

Bella put down her handkerchief and got up. From her position on the stairs she looked down on us with something of her old haughty manner.

"If he is ill, you may blame yourselves, all of you," she said cruelly. "You taunted him with being—fat, and laughed at him, until he stopped eating the things he should eat. And he has been exercising—on the roof, until he has worn himself out. And now—he is ill. He—he has a rash."

Everybody jumped at that, and we instinctively moved away from Bella. She was quite cold and scornful by that time.

"A rash!" Max exclaimed. "What sort of rash?"

"I did not see it," Bella said with dignity, and turning she went up the stairs.

There was a great deal of excitement, and nobody except Mr. Harbison was willing to go near Jim. He went up at once with Bella, while Max and Dal sat cravenly downstairs and wondered if we would all take it, and Anne told about a man she knew who had it, and was deaf and dumb and blind when he recovered.

Mr. Harbison came down after a while, and said that the rash was there, right enough, and that Jim absolutely refused to be quarantined; that he insisted that he always got a rash from early strawberries and that if he did have anything, since they were so touchy he hoped they would all get it. If they locked him in he would kick the door down.

We had a long conference in the hall, with Bella sitting red-eyed and objecting to every suggestion we made. And finally we arranged to shut Jim up in one of the servants' bedrooms with a sheet wrung out of disinfectant hung over the door. Bella said she would sit outside in the hall and read to him through the closed door, so finally he gave a grudging consent. But he was in an awful humor. Max and Dal put on rubber gloves and helped him over, and they said afterward that the way he talked was fearful. And there was a telephone in the maid's room, and he kept asking for things every five minutes.

When the doctor came he said it was too early to tell positively, and he ordered him liquid diet and said he would be back that evening.

Which—the diet—takes me back to the famine. After they had moved Jim, Mr. Harbison went back to the telephone, and found everything as it should be. So he followed the telephone wire, and the rest followed him. I did not: He had systematically ignored me all morning, after having dared to kiss me the night before. And any other man I knew, after looking at me the way he had looked a dozen times, would have been at least reasonably glad to find me free and unmarried. But it was clear that he was not: I wondered if he was the kind of man who always makes love to the other man's wife and runs like mad when she is left a widow, or gets a divorce.

And just when I had decided that I hated him, and that there was one man I knew who would never make love to a woman whom he thought married and then be very dignified and aloof when he found she wasn't, I heard what was wrong with the telephone wire.

It had been cut! Cut through with a pair of silver manicure scissors from the dressing table in Bella's room, where Aunt Selina slept! The wire had been clipped where it came into the house, just under a window, and the scissors still lay on the sill.

It was mysterious enough, but no one was interested in the mystery just then. We wanted food, and wanted it at once. Mr. Harbison fixed the wire, and the first thing we did, of course, was to order something to eat. Aunt Selina went to bed just after luncheon with indigestion, to the relief of every one in the house. She had been most unpleasant all morning.

When she found herself ill, however, she insisted on having Bella, and that made trouble at once. We found Bella with her cheek against the door into Jim's room, looking maudlin while he shouted love messages to her from the other side. At first she refused to stir, but after Anne and Max had tried and failed, the rest of us went to her in a body and implored her. We said Aunt Selina was in awful shape—which she was, as to temper—and that she had thrown a mustard plaster at Anne, which was true.

So Bella went, grumbling, and Jim was a maniac. We had not thought it would be so bad for Bella, but Aunt Selina fell asleep soon after she took charge, holding Bella's hand, and slept for three hours and never let go!

About two that afternoon the sun came out, and the rest of us went up to the roof. The sleet had melted and

"Do you mean—?"

the air was fairly warm. Two housemaids dusting rugs on the top of the next house came over and stared at us, and somebody in an automobile down on Riverside drive stood up and waved at us. It was very cheerful and hopelessly lonely.

I stayed on the roof after the others had gone, and for some time I thought I was alone. After a while, I got a whiff of smoke, and then I saw Mr. Harbison far over in the corner, one foot on the parapet, moodily smoking a pipe. He was gazing out over the river, and paying no attention to me. This was natural, considering that I had hardly spoken to him all day.

I would not let him drive me away, so I sat still, and it grew darker and colder. He filled his pipe now and then, but he never looked in my direction. Finally, however, as it grew very dusk, he knocked the ashes out and came toward me.

"I am going to make a request, Miss McNair," he said evenly. "Please keep off the roof after sunset. There are—reasons." I had risen and was preparing to go downstairs.

"Unless I know the reasons, I refuse to do anything of the kind," I retorted. He bowed.

"Then the door will be kept locked," he rejoined, and opened it for me. He did not follow me, but stood watching until I was down, and I heard him close the roof door firmly behind me.

To be continued.

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Fresh Bread,
Best in the town.

Staple Baked Goods

A good square Meal 25c

VETERANS OF THE "SIXTIES" HONORED

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ers, even though the story be over 50 years old.

"How the years multiply! Can you believe it you old soldiers that 51 years have passed since that war in which you took part began. For some reason God has spared your lives through all these years. We cannot tell why you have been spared and others taken, but the great Creator has surely had some purpose for you to work out. It is not by chance that you are here today any more than it is by chance that spring time has come with its grass and flowers and sweet perfume. I am glad that we can think that we surely have a part to do in the working of the plans of the infinite.

"God has a purpose for nations, then for individuals, for nations are made up of individuals. Sometimes nations fail in fulfilling their mission. Rome failed, Greece failed, Spain failed. This last named nation has had wonderful opportunities. The wealth of the world was in her hands, but oppression has followed every opportunity, and for years she has stood before the world disgraced. What of our own great land? What think you was the purpose in the mind of the eternal in planting such a nation on this western hemisphere? What think you was the great purpose in His mind when His sword was unsheathed 51 years ago? Shall we guess at it? Might it not have been to teach the great wide world the lesson of the brotherhood of man? It seems to me as I read history that as nations ignored this thought and tried to exist half slave and half free, one a poor half starved, half clothed, over worked, underpaid menial, the other clothed in 'purple and fine linen' those nations drifted to hopeless and helpless bankruptcy. In Greece 'tis true the common people had a larger plac than in many other nations but the equality and brotherhood of man was an unknown quantity. To the Hebrew people was revealed the common fatherhood of God, which constitutes the core of the brotherhood of man. You cannot really separate them. If you do, the two lose all.

"But the Jewish people failed; then came Jesus of Nazareth, preaching the divine theme as no man had ever dared preach it before, by word and deed to the astonishment of all. They nailed him to the cross, they pierced his side, they laughed and jeered while he suffered the pangs of a cruel death. John Stuart Mills said, "A great crisis it seems to me in the history of human liberty came to the world at the cross of Jesus of Nazareth. Ah, how it has revolutionized the world. The Roman emperor scarcely realized the full import of his own words when he said, "O, Galilean thou hast conquered." But it was a victory followed by a ceaseless warfare.

"This lesson of brotherhood was the hardest of all the lessons. Rome the dominant power of the day could not comprehend it, but it must be learned, and out of the German forests God called the worshippers of Thor and Odin and committed to them His sword to chastise the haughty Roman power. Back into their forest homes, after they had scourged so called civilization, they carried christian prisoners who quietly told by word and deed the story of Jesus. At length it reached the north of Germany where dwelt the sturdy flaxen haired Saxon, your ancestors and mine, wild and fearless men, whose dress suit was made from the skins of wild animals. Bravery was to them a virtue, fear a crime. Laws had they, but simple and represented the popular will. They were enacted by the shout of the people, and the clash of spear and shield. This sturdy race was henceforth to be the champion of human liberty. Their history has been a chequered one but the trend was ever upward, and this thought of brotherhood.

"We see them with resolute hand wresting from potentate the Magna Charta, putting in the plan of the divine right of one man, the divine right of all. It was a mighty struggle; it was the birth pains of the American nation. What a strange nation, having a government of the people, for the people, by the people. In 1775 when the continental congress declared its purpose to raise an army against Great Britain, it closed the declaration with the assurance that we do not mean to dissolve the union which has so long and happily existed between us, but God planned otherwise. The scribe must write yet again. Let me read you what God inspired him to write, "We hold these truths to be self evident that all men are created equal, that they are endowed by their Creator with certain inalienable rights, that among these are life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness, that to secure these rights governments are instituted among men deriving their just powers from the consent of the governed." This was the strangest statement the nations had heard for many long centuries.

"Bancroft, the historian, says, 'The astonished nations when they read that all men were created equal started out of their lethargy like those who exiled from their childhood suddenly hear the dimly remembered accents of their mother tongue.' Never before had the thought been so clearly and boldly expressed. It was the gathering of centuries. Let me tell you its source. The doctrine of brotherhood as given to the Hebrew people, uplifted upon the cross of Calvary, written in characters of blood, in the struggles of the early church, strangest of all strange things, seen in the struggles of the English people, the brotherhood and equality of man, had become the controling maxim of a nation. The monarchs of the east laughed and said it can never stand; kings have a divine right to rule wherever man is found? 'Twas a mighty problem, but the God of all the earth has compelled this people to work it out. It has cost many a precious life and untold treasure. American history seems to revolve around this theme. Was it not the secret of the carnage which you faced? How clearly we can see it all now as we look back. Let us go over it briefly.

"In the southern states the awful incubus of human slavery had fastened itself. It was hated by many and was in direct opposition to the principle upon which the government rested. The south tried to force a compromise which would lead each individual state to settle the question as they pleased. God would not permit it. The nation must be free. He had determined that this nation should establish forever this equality and that the world should know with him a man was a man whether his face was black or white. As we go on with the fascinating story I find the south was aggressive, and domineering. The north willing to sacrifice many of her ideas if peace and the union might be secured. Many proposed compromises, but they did no good. It is always so. When a thing is wrong it is wrong, and a nation or individual cannot have true peace until the wrong is righted.

"At last the North cried with a firmness, you possibly remember it, 'No more slave states,' and did not the south echo back, 'More or disunion.' Do you remember the compromise of 1850 how it fired the whole north and for the next 11 years the whole country became one vast debating ground. In the struggle the old Whig party was swept away and a new party was born which would bring no compromise and the footsteps of God's conquering host were heard. The crack of John Brown's rifle echoed through all the land, they killed him, but his spirit went marching on, and touched here and there a noble soul, with patriotic fire until the whole land blazed again.

"The republicans met to nominate Seward but God took Abraham Lincoln and set him in the midst. The south understood and seceeded. Her heart was hardened. God was driving her to the Red Sea. Then came the shot at the flag as it waved over Fort Sumpter. It electrified the north, It is said, one time a great chasm opened in the forum at Rome. They said it would not close until some willing living sacrifice leaped into its yawning depths. Marcus Curtius, a hero soldier, clad in coat of mail astride his gallant charger, for love of city made the sacrifice. When the echo of the rebel gun had died away and the north had once more caught its breath, lo, Marcus Curtius multiplied a million times in the brave volunteer soldiers of the United States.

"On July 22nd, 1861, with only two dissenting votes congress declared the purpose of the north to defend the constitution with all the rights of the slave states, and so the armies were sent out to meet defeat. God scourged the conscience of the north till there seemed no relief only in abolition. In Sept. '62 Lincoln vowed that if Lee was driven from Maryland, he would abolish slavery. His prayer was answered at Antietem. Five days later he issued provisional proclamation and on the first of Jan. '63 he made it absolute. * * * *

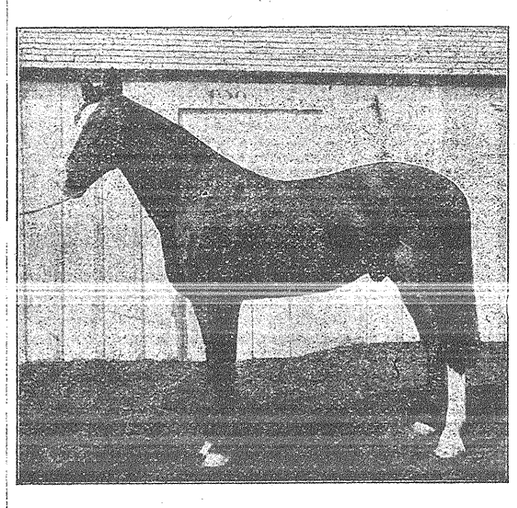
"Soldiers of the Grand Army and you wives, mothers and sisters, to you were accorded the great honor of making a fact the supreme purpose of the centuries. And so long as liberty has a place in the hearts of mankind, so long shall your achievement be told. We read of another great crises day in Roman history. The people sat dazed and dumb and deaf to all the glowing words of many orators. Then there came forward the tottering form of an old veteran the relic of many a battle. As though touched by electric fire the people stood before him wild with enthusiasm. Not a word did he speak, he only raised aloft the stump of an arm lost in battle. What shall these decoration day exercises profit us, unless the feeling of patriotism be deepened, unless the brotherhood of man be held more sacred. How helpless I feel to accomplish one little part of this desired result. I think just now the effort is not needeed for have we not with us today scattered over the land, battle scarred veterans, veterans who fought a more glorious warfare than Rome ever dreamed of.

"Members of the G. A. R. would it be out of place for me to commend you for the brotherhood feeling you exercise among yourselves. My heart is always touched when an old soldier gets his final discharge. The care, the kind words, the flowers, the gentle hands of comrades is a scene upon which God looks with approval. "War is hell" some one said. It seems to be so, but yet who can estimate the good which has resulted from that awful war, not only to our nation but to the world.

"My talk would be incomplete if I failed to speak of our later war. Thank God it was a war of months instead of years. Suffering humanity near our very doors for years wept tears of blood. Piteously she called to us for help. Diplomats tried their skill, Pope and potentate, but all failed. The red blood of three hundred thousand cried aloud from the ground. Bismark said as United States stepped forward to champion the cause of Cuba, and to underscore the splendid gospel of the brotherhood of man, once more Bismark said, "America is taking a backward step.' Not so, 'twas a mighty step onward. The roar of the mighty guns of our battle ships told to all the world that oppression must cease. May not this be the mission of the Anglo Saxon race to whom this splendid gospel was carried so many centuries ago? England felt the impulse of this thought during the fight with Spain and the poet voiced it in a superb poem when he said:

"Now fling them out to the breeze,
Shamrock and thistle and rose
And the star spangled banner.
Unfurl with these, a message to
friend and foes
Wherever the sails of peace are seen
And wherever the war wind blows
A message to bond and thral to wake
For wherever we come we twain.
The throne of the tyrant shall rock
and quake
And his menace be void and vain,
For you are the Lords of a strong
young land
And we are the Lords of the main.

"That's the song they sang on that sea girt isle. It should be the song on this broad continent and Great Britain and America ought to police the world for God and for humanity's sake. We could do it. We count it a high privilege to join with you in this decoration day service. The graves of your fallen comrades are not yours alone, they are ours as well, and we too would scatter flowers upon the sacred mounds, and over the forever sacred dust as we shall bend and as the memories of battle fields and wounds and death surge through the mind, as we think of the stupendous price paid for the splendid liberties we enjoy, let us pledge ourselves anew to the purpose and plan of this glorious century. A more complete and active conception of the brotherhood of man and the Fatherhood of God."



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DEFORD

At the close of three picnics George Martin buzzed his wood.

Some oat sowing this week. Never mind, a late fall spoken for.

Test your seed corn. Don't you remember the weather last winter.

Geo. Ensley was in this locality last week. George don't grow fat a bit.

The gathering of the clans on the morrow to bid off the turf heaving on Vorhes drain.

Fifty percent of our population are carpenters and the other half are architects.

Frank McCracken will go to Rochester to confer with kindred and look for an opening.

If you don't marry you may do well but if you marry you doeth better. Edward, my boy, "doeth better."

"Officer" Niles visited on the townline last Sunday. Wicked? No. The better the day the better the deed.

John Moshire has his new house about ready to plaster. We intend to ask him this week about marrying.

Growing? Yes. Language can't express it. Would you be surprised if Deford had a "World's Fair" in 1912?

Between the city of Wilmot and a town southeast of there named Peck there seems to be a peck of trouble about the right of way for the new railroad.

Garfield Smith accompanied by wif and other kindred visited at Howard Retherford's on Sunday. They live west of Caro and report late crop getting in there even on their highlands.

John D. Russell from near Gagetown who bought out Frank McCracken came to the townline last week and took away all the personal. His neighbors turned out and assisted so they must consider the "critter" a pretty "white headed boy."

Picked out ten bad beans to test them. Two of the ten sprouted. Don't put them in, boys.

Birthday party at J. D. Funk's for Miss Ruby Funk May 24. Kids a good time. Ruby pleased with the presents.

Why, brother scribe, we didn't boom our old bachelors. Couldn't you tell that was a woman's work? If you think we belong to the gentler sex come up and look us over.

When you cook the potatoes cut off the seed ends to plant, except you have plenty of potatoes or lots of money. My advice is to the poor; I don't have any truck with the rich.

In our younger days we sometimes ran horses but they could always see, but when a man runs a blind pig the humane society should take the matter in hand if the Sheriff is too busy.

Did you ever think that among the great nations there are two that are looking cross-eyed at each other just who have never tried titles on the field of carnage? England and Germany, distant kin, stubborn as mules, gigantic in strength and grit to the back bone. It wouldn't be a small fight "tell your folks."

C. J. Malcolm was a business caller in Kingston Wednesday.

Mrs. B. O. Watkins, Mrs. A. L. Bruce and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bruce attended the W. C. T. U. convention in Cass City Thursday.

A. D. Conley of Imlay City was in town Thursday in the interest of his farm.

Mrs. Ed. Hartwick and daughter, Lucy, left Friday for a short visit with friends in East Dayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Northrup of Marlette visited friends here last week.

Mrs. D. Croop spent a few days last week with friends in Pontiac and Detroit.

Mrs. W. Balch and daughter, Gladys, left today for a two weeks' visit with friends in Lapeer, Attica and Dryden.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kennedy were Cass City callers Sunday.

Grace Palmerton of Cass City spent Saturday with friends in town.

Mrs. James McGregor, who has been on the sick list the past week, is convalescent.

Gladys Nesbit visited friends in Cass City Sunday.

The Ladies' Aid society meets with Mrs. E. R. Bruce this evening.

Mrs. Thornton and daughter of Rudyard arrived Wednesday and will remain a month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nesbit.

KINGSTON.

Mrs. L. Ealy is very ill at this writing.

Roy Grover, who has been employed in the printing office at Ashley, Mich., for some time returned to his home here Sunday.

Earl Huffman spent Sunday in Marlette with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Huffman.

Mrs. May Hicks of Cass City is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hopps were Caro callers Sunday.

Com. H. P. Bush of Caro was a business caller in town Monday.

Charles N. Meidlein is in Detroit this week.

Miss Bessie Skinner spent Sunday with friends in Cass City.

Miss Susie Vorhes spent part of last week with relatives and friends in Pontiac.

Mrs. McMonagle of Marlette called on old friends here last week.

Miss Vera Smith of Fairgrove is visiting Miss Hazel Legg for a few days.

Miss Myra Gray of Pontiac is visiting relatives in town this week.

Miss Clara Bird is spending a few weeks with friends in Port Huron.

Bird Miller of Clifford was a business caller in town Saturday.

Mrs. James Ernest of Pontiac is spending a couple of weeks with friends and relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Willis Siflert of Hamilton, Ontario, are visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bell, this week.

Mrs. Walter Nedry spent Friday and Saturday with relatives in Mayville.

Warren Swartwout was a North Branch caller Friday.

Sheriff Hanna of Caro did business in town Friday and Saturday.

Miss Zoe Shields of Marlette called on friends here Friday.

H. C. Clark did business in Caro Saturday.

Miss Ella Ryckman returned Monday morning to Detroit after spending a few weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryckman.

Wm. Ross is spending a few days in Detroit.

Miss Ethel Neal left Saturday for Caro where she will spend a few days before leaving for Urbana, Ill., where she will remain indefinitely.

Mr. DeVall of Clifford visited at Frank Lester's last week.

John Annin is very ill at his home east of town.

Miss Ethel Charlton spent Saturday and Sunday at her parental home in Cass City.

The seniors of the high school will give a farcical entertainment "Examination Day at Wood Hill school" in Burns' hall Saturday evening, June 1.

Herbert Taylor transacted busi- in Caro Saturday.

Miss Grace VanHorn left Tuesday morning for Marlette where she will spend a few days with friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Antis Moyer of Pontiac spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in town.

George Meidlein died Wednesday at his home east of town after an illness of several weeks. Funeral was held at the house Saturday, Rev. Sutphen officiating. Remains were laid to rest in Newberry cemetery.

Mrs. James Hartsell is spending a few days with relatives in Owendale.

The ball game of Lum vs. Kingston which was played here Tuesday resulted 7 to 1 in favor of the local team.

Mr. and Mrs. Z. Bartholomew spent Saturday and Sunday with their son, Charles, in Detroit.

Edmund Payne left Saturday for Wayne where he will spend a few days before leaving for his home in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

The L. O. T. M. M. pleasantly surprised Mrs. Frank Webster at her home last Thursday, the occasion being her birthday. About thirty were present and all reported an enjoyable time.

Mr. Melcher, who has been visiting relatives here for a few days left Tuesday morning for Clifford where he will spend some time before returning to his home in Minnesota.

Mrs. A. Gabert is spending the week with relatives in Pontiac.

John Noble of Detroit is visiting at his parental home here this week.

Quite Often.

Figg—Two negatives make an affirmative, you know. Fogg—With a woman it takes only one.—Exchange.

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PROMOTION WORK NEEDED FOR BOOSTING THUMB

Business Organizations of Thumb Towns Could Form a Parent Society.

The way some of the counties of western Michigan are spending money to boom and advertise that part of the state speaks well for the progressiveness of the people living there. And the success they are meeting with in the efforts to better conditions, should make other counties set up and take notice.

Boards of supervisors in a majority of western Michigan counties, at their annual October meetings, in one way or another, gave recognition to development work that has been carried on during the past three years. Nine of the boards made direct appropriations to the Western Michigan Development bureau for the purpose of furnishing the wherewithal necessary to push the campaign for the advertisement of the region as a whole.

What could be better for Tuscola county, and Sanilac and Huron as well, to have such a plan carried out in their behalf, and to boom the Thumb of Michigan as a whole. "A farmer for every forty" is the slogan for the Western Michigan Development Bureau and the Thumb boosters should also stand for small farms and more of them, better farmers and more of them, and above all such a price for the land as the crops warrant. Farms and crops in Michigan compare favorably with those of other states in the union in all paritculars save one and that is the price of the land.

The plan of developing territory is a good one and when intelligently carried out brings results. It would be a good idea for the several business organizations in the Thumb towns to take up this promotion work and organize a parent society whose purpose it would be to boom and further develop this whole section.

NAME DEPOSITORY

School Districts Now Able to Designate Banks for Their Funds.

The school electors at the annual school meeting to be held Monday, July 8, in the various districts of the state, under a new law passed at the most recent regular session of the legislature, may designate a depository for the funds of the district. When the bank designated files a bond with the district to cover loss in case of bank failure, the treasurer of the district must deposit the district funds in the bank under the direction of the school board and the account is open to public inspection at all times. In case the bank fails, the treasurer and his personal bondsmen are released from their liability.

This law safeguards both the treasurer and the district. In a number of recent bank failures, school treasurers have been among the unfortunate depositors. They, and not the districts, suffered the loss as they were held personally responsible. The law also protects the district as it insures safety of the funds and also the payment of interest to the general fund of the district. Any treasurer who appropriates the interest on district money for his own use or loans it, lays himself liable to criminal prosecution. District money must either be on hand in actual cash at any time it is called for, or it must be deposited in a bank in the treasurer's name as treasurer.

420,965 SOLDIERS SHARE IN NEW PENSION BILL

Rate Varies From $13 to $30 a Month According to Age and Length of Service.

President Taft has signed the increased pension bill. The bill carries an increase fo $35,000,000 for pensions during the first year of its operation. During the first three years the increased payments to veterans will average $22,000,000.

As finally agreed to the bill provides increased pensions for 420,965 veterans, according to the estimates of the house conference committee. Every veteran serving 90 days or more in the naval or military service during the Civil war who has been honorably discharged, and who is over 62 years old, is cared for by the new law.

For veterans sixty-two years and over, rate provided in the law for ninety days' service is $13 a month, and it ranges to $16 a month up to three years of service. For 66 years old and over, the rate is $15 a month for ninety days and ranges up to $19 for three years. For seventy years old and over the rate is $18 a month and ranges up to $25 a month for three years. At seventy-five years old and over the rate for ninety days service is $21 and ranges up to $30 for three years.

MRS. VERNON SCOTT

Funeral Held at Novesta on Decoration Day.

Mrs. Vernon Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Boughton of Novesta township, died at her parental home on Monday afternoon, May 27.

Elizabeth E. Boughton was born in Novesta Nov. 9, 1886. While teaching school at Roscommons, she met Vernon Scott, and last November was united in marriage with him. She has been ill about six months. Mrs. Scott was a member of the Episcopal church, uniting with that society while she attended school at Mt. Clemens.

The funeral services were held in the Baptist church at Novesta on Thursday afternoon, Rev. Willerton officiating, and burial was made in the Novesta cemetery. Besides the parents, two brothers and one sister are left to mourn.

Table Talk coffee. Try same at Mrs. Parker's. 5-24-

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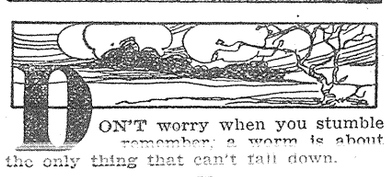

DON'T worry when you stumble remember a worm is about the only thing that can't fall down.

Things ill got have ever bad success.
—Shakespeare.

VEGETARIAN DISHES.

For those of our readers who find it pleasurable and profitable to subsist on fruits, grains and vegetables, the following suggestions may be helpful:

For breakfast food there is none more wholesome or tasty than wheat cooked until it cracks open, served with cream and sugar. Hominy and rice are also good, as is farina and cornmeal mush.

The numbers of soups that may be prepared without meat are many, the nourishing cream soups and those of nuts and vegetables are fully as satisfying as soups prepared from meat.

Navy Bean Soup.—Cook together a cup of beans and a slice of onion; add five cups of water and simmer until the bean may be put through a sieve. Season and serve with the addition of butter.

Tomato Bisque.—Take a cup of strained tomato, add five cups of water, a half cup of peanut butter, three-fourths of a teaspoonful of salt. Cook all together until well blended. Salt, if needed, and serve.

Creole Soup.—Cook together a small carrot, a small turnip, a large onion, two tablespoonfuls of rice and a pint of water. When all the ingredients are tender rub through a sieve. Add a cup of tomato, season and serve.

Fruit Salad a la Creme.—To a cup of sliced pineapple add a cup of seeded grapes and a large banana. Over this fruit pour the following dressing: Cook together two tablespoonfuls each of butter and flour, half a cup of lemon juice, three beaten yolks, two tablespoonfuls of sugar, a cup of cream and a fourth of a teaspoonful of salt. Cool and add whipped cream.

Make a circle of cold baked beans, in the center put a stuffing of bread crumbs, seasoned with sage, onion juice, butter, salt and celery. Mix with an egg and cover the stuffing with the beans; bake and serve hot.

Nellie Maxwell.

Would See Things Differently.

Socrates was of opinion that, if we laid all our adversities and misfortunes in one common heap, with this condition, that each one should carry out of it an equal portion, most men would be glad to take up their own again.—Plutarch.

BASE BALL.

Fat and Slim Base Ball Game Awarded to Slims.

The time honored custom of a ball game between the Fats and Slims that has been pulled off on Decoration Day for the past two years went by the board this year much to the regret of the Slims. It seems that the Fat men are getting thin in number and were unable to score up the necessary nine members and they refused to appear on the grounds. The Slim men appeared on the grounds in uniform and all necessary paraphernalia, but were unable to get any game. The umpire finally awarded the game to the Slims by a score of 9 to 0, because the Fats refused to play. The Slims much regret to have to win in this manner, but had the Fats appeared on the grounds it would undoubtedly meant that they would have gone down to defeat, as the Slims appeared in fine shape and fettle and looked fit to beat Philadelphia.—Slim Sporting Correspondent.

NOVESTA.

The Greenbank Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Dan Graves Wednesday, June 5, for dinner. The public is cordially invited.

Rev. and Mrs. W. L. Moore and daughter of Armada were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Brown on Wednesday.

Children's day exercises will be held in the Church of Christ on Sunday morning, June 9, commencing at 10:30 o'clock. An offering will be taken for foreign missions. Every one invited.

Robt. Warner has had a City telephone in his residence for three years lacking one month and during all that period the original set of batteries have been working and the 'phone has not needed the attention of the repair man. Can you beat it?

An Exception.

"Do you believe," asked young Dudeleigh, who is only five feet tall, "that brevity is the soul of wit?"

"Not in your case," replied Miss Biffington in a tone redolent with acrimony.

Appropriate.

"She dyed her raven hair."

"Possibly to go with her crow's feet."
—Baltimore American.

It would surprise you to know of the great good that is being done by Chamberlain's Tablets. Darlus Downey, of Newberg Junction, N. B., writes, "My wife has been using Chamberlain's Tablets and finds them very effectual and doing her lots of good." If you have any trouble with your stomach or bowels give them a trial. For sale by all dealers.

WERE BOUND OVER TO THE CIRCUIT COURT

Case of the People vs. Genereaux & McNeil Heard Before Justice Quinn Tuesday.

The case of the People vs. Genereaux & McNeil was heard at the court house in Caro at two o'clock on Tuesday, May 28, Justice William Quinn presiding.

The prosecution first placed on the stand, Roy Wolfe, the complaining witness, who is superintendent of the secret service departmnt of the Michigan Anti-Saloon League. He stated that on his first visit to the pool room run by the defendants that he, in the company of James Hyde, drank liquor which the complainant considered was beer and therefore purchased two bottles to take with him as evidence and which were exhibited in court by the prosecution. Mr. Wolfe was cross examined by J. D. Brooker, the defendant's atttorney.

Vern Shannon, state chemist of Lansing, was next examined, he having analyzed a part of each of the bottles exhibited. He testified that the bottles came to him in the care of Deputy Sheriff R. J. Hutchinson, and that evidently they were the original packages as put up by the works where the contents were manufacured. The percentage of alcohol in one bottle by the specific gravity test was 4.77 per cent and by another test in use in his laboratory 4.46 per cent. The other bottle showed 4.75 per cent by specific gravity and was identical with the first bottle by the second test.

Mr. Shannon's ability was not questioned by the defense, he being a graduate of the University of Michigan and was for some time a teacher in his line of work in the same institution, or until he was appointed state chemist. The effort of the defense was to secure an admission from Mr. Shannon that the bottles showed signs of having been "doped" with stronger liquor than they had contained when they left the manufacturers, which effort was not successful, Mr. Shannon maintaining that the appearance and qualities of the liquors would be noticably affected had any air been allowed to enter the bottles by removing the cap.

After completing the examination of the two witnesses, the defense waived further examination and the defendants were bound over to the circuit court.

Pliny W. Marsh of Detroit, attorney for the Michigan Anti-Saloon League, was present and on request of Mr. Wolfe was counsel for the complainant as provided by law. S. A. Dean, district superintendent of the same organization was also present to confer with the workers on several matters not now ready for announcement.

There were present quite a company of representative "drys" from all parts of the county and the Caro branch of the W. C. T. U. was in attendance and took a keen interest in the proceedings.

22ND. ANNUAL CONVENTION.

Port Huron District Leaguers Will Meet at Sandusky.

The twenty-second annual convention of the Epworth Leagues in the Port Huron district will be held at Sandusky June 5 and 6. The special speakers on the program are Rev. Spence of Saginaw and Rev. Field of Detroit. A model devotional meeting will be exemplified by the Carsonville League.

Each local organization in the district is invited to send at least two delegates and as many other members as possible to gain the inspirations that will come from the convention.

HAN-SELL COMING.

Han-Sell, a versatile entertainer, who whistles two parts of a tune at once, plays one tune and whistles another, and does other novel and amusing stunts, will appear at the opera house next Thursday evening, June 6, in "The Old Man and the New."

The entertainment is given under the auspices of the High School Athletic association. Han-Sell will introduce rapid chalk drawing, stunts in magic and other clever acts during the evening's entertainment.

ATHLETICS HURT BAR.

"Two much athletics is putting the saloonkeepers out of business," says Tom Sharkey, former prize fighter and now proprietor of a New York cafe. "Everybody wants to be an athlete nowadays and they can't be athletes and drink liquor. School athletics are bringing about the change. A boy is taught not to drink or smoke and he does not start when he grows up. I'm not against it, however. It's a good thing."

EVANGELICAL CHURCH NOTES.

The quarterly meeting service will be held as follows: Saturday at 2:00 and 7:30 p. m. Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Communion services will be held after the Sunday morning sermon. In the absence of the presiding elder, Rev. O. C. Penticoff of Caro will officiate and all services will be held in the English language.

BAPTIST CHURCH NOTES.

In the absence of Pastor Hayward, the following brethren have kindly consented to occupy the Baptist pulpit next Sunday, June 2: Morning, Rev. Fenn; afternoon at Elmwood, Rev. Schweitzer; evening, Rev. Schmaus.

Fresh groceries always on hand at Mrs. Parker's.

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Everything Men and Boys Wear

Women's shoes, Children's shoes, Women's hose, Children's hose.

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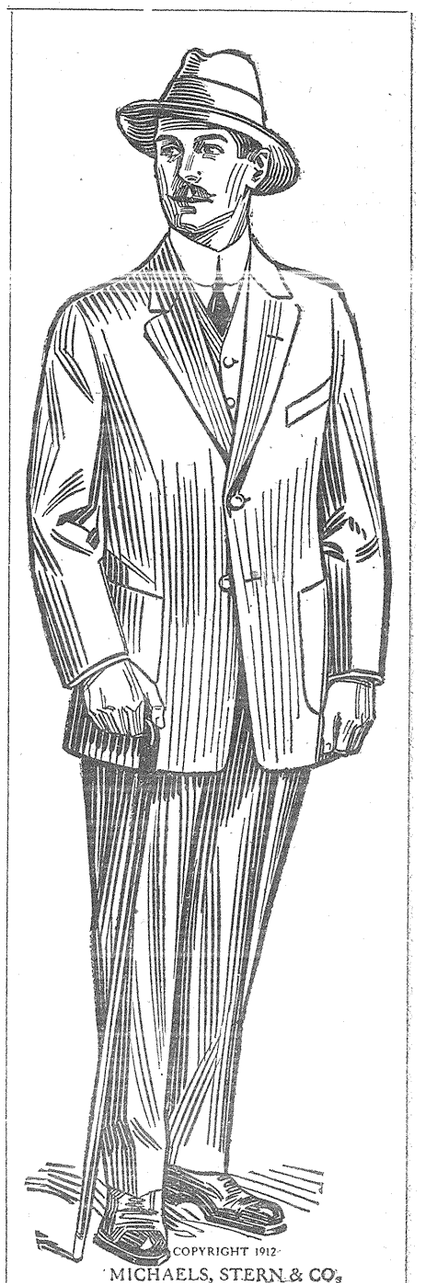

June Special Sale

will begin

Saturday Morning June 1

Watch for large bills which will be mailed this week.

PALMER BROTHERS,
Gagetown.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ashley spent Sunday with the former's sister, Mrs. Curtis Cooper, at Northeast Kingston.

Mr. Thomas is spending a few days at Owosso.

Mrs. Kipp of Dakota is visiting old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Ashley were visitors at Geo. Martin's Sunday.

Miss Irene Retherford is spending a few days at Caro.

Frank McCracken has sold his farm and will move his family to Rochester this week.

The sad news reached us of the death of Mrs. Scott, formerly Miss Bessie Boughton, at the home of her parents Monday afternoon. The family have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood in their sad bereavement.

We wish to correct a statement made in the Deford items last week which stated that the parties going to Fairgrove to a convention got wet. We wish to say that although they went in a rain they did not get wet at all. Also that a real temperance person never stops for a little rain when there is anything going on in the temperance line.

Miss Ruby Funk entertained a number of her friends Friday night, the occasion being her birthday. The evening was spent in music and games after which a fine lunch was served by Mrs. Funk.

The Demons of the Swamp.

are mosquitos. As they sting they put deadly malaria germs in the blood. Then follow the icy chills and the fires of fever. The appetite flies and the strength fails; also malaria often paves the way for deadly typhoid. But Electric Bitters kill and cast out the malaria germs from the blood; give you a fine appetite and renew your strength. "After long suffering," wrote Wm. Fretwell, of Lucama, N. C., "three bottles drove all the malaria from my system, and I've had good health ever since." Best for all stomach, liver

THE SECRET OF LONG LIFE.

Do not sap the springs of life by neglect of the human mechanism, by allowing the accumulation of poisons in the system. An imitation of Nature's method of restoring waste of tissue and impoverishment of the blood and nervous strength is to take an alterative glyceric extract (without alcohol) of Golden Seal and Oregon grape root, Bloodroot, Stone and Mandrake root with Cherrybark. Over 40 years ago Dr. Pierce gave to the public this remedy, which he called Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. He found it would help the blood in taking up the proper elements from food, help the liver into activity, thereby throwing out the poisons from the blood and vitalizing the whole system as well as allaying and soothing a cough.

No one ever takes cold unless constipated, or exhausted, and having what we call mal-nutrition, which is attended with impoverished blood and exhaustion of nerve force. The "Discovery" is an all-round tonic which restores tone to the blood, nerves and heart by imitating Nature's methods of restoring waste of tissue, and feeding the nerves, heart and lungs on rich red blood.

MRS. DORN.

"I suffered from pain under my right shoulder blade also a very severe cough," writes MRS. W. DORN, of New Brookland, S. C., to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y. "Had four different doctors and none did me any good. Some said I had consumption, others said I would have to have an operation. I was bedridden, unable to sit up for six months—and was nothing but a live skeleton. You advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. When I had taken one bottle of the 'Discovery' I could sit up for an hour at a time, and when I had taken three bottles I could do my cooking and tend to the children. I took fourteen bottles in all and was then in good health. My weight is now 167 pounds.