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## PARALYTIC STROKE ENDS LIFE OF A. J. KNAPP, SR.

Remains Were Taken to Ypsilanti  
Where Funeral Was Held at  
Former Home of Deceased.

A brief service conducted by Rev. J. A. Schweitzer was held at the late residence of Alfred J. Knapp, sr., Wednesday morning, previous to the removal of the remains of Mr. Knapp to the Grand Trunk depot where they were shipped to Ypsilanti. On Thursday the funeral service was held at the former home of Mr. Knapp, north of Ypsilanti, and burial was made in the Highland cemetery.

Alfred J. Knapp, sr., was born in Ann Arbor in 1833. When he was 24 years of age, he was united in marriage with Miss Mary Jane Crosby, who survives him.

Mr. Knapp lived for 60 years on a farm 2½ miles north of Ypsilanti. Last fall he sold the farm and he and Mrs. Knapp moved to Cass City and purchased the residence of John W. Ball on Houghton St. He has been sick for about three weeks and the illness culminated in a paralytic stroke on Friday. This was the third attack of this disease that he suffered. Death occurred Monday evening at ten o'clock.

Besides the widow, there are left three children, Hiram I. Knapp of Traverse City, Mrs. Frank Augustus of Ypsilanti and A. J. Knapp, jr., of this city, a sister, Mrs. Olivia White of New York City, and a brother, Dr. Chas. Knapp of St. Johns.

## SUGAR TAX IS TO STAY

Wave of Protest Against Blow to  
Beet Growers Has Effect.

The sugar beet industry has frightened the Democratic senators and they have refused flatly to follow the Democratic house to elimination of all duty on sugar with resultant destruction of the beet sugar and domestic cane sugar business.

It became known Monday that Democratic and Republican insurgents, who held the balance of power in the senate, have agreed on a substitute bill which reduces the present sugar duty 20 per cent—not enough, it is felt, to injure the beet sugar business.

Furthermore the combination of Democrats and Progressives in the senate know that such Democrats will not agree to such a mangling of the free sugar bill, and there is no more thought on anyone's part that the substitute will become law than there is that free sugar will be secured.

## SALVATION ARMY MEETINGS

Adj. Keeler Will Conduct Meet-  
ings on Cass City Streets  
and in Hall.

Adj. Robt. Keeler, the Salvation Army musical evangelist, assisted by A. Johnson, will conduct revival meetings in Cass City. Week night meetings will be held on the streets and in the town hall. Sunday services will be held in the various churches. On Sunday, July 28, they will be at the Baptist church in the morning and at the Evangelical church in the evening.

Mr. Keeler has been conducting successful meetings around the country for a number of years. He will give a stereopticon lecture on the slum, social and rescue work of the Salvation Army during his stay here. Also a musical meeting.

### For Sale.

140 acre farm, situated just north of corporation line, 120 acres under high state of cultivation, 20 acres fine green timber, good orchard and buildings excellent, well with wind mill. For particulars enquire at farm. 7-26-2p.

### Colts for Sale.

Two yearling colts for sale. Frank Hegler, 5 miles south of Cass City. 7-26-2.

32-special Repeating rifle for sale, good as new. Enquire at printing office. 7-26-1.

### Notice.

All parties having an account at my meat market are requested to settle either with Johnson & Benkelman or with me before August 3rd. L. E. Wright. 7-26-2.

### 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 pieces can be bought right. E. W. Keating, Cass City. 3-15.

## NELSON BROWN.

Nelson Brown, aged 40 years, died at his home on Section 34, Novesta, Wednesday morning. He has not been well for two years, but his death came rather unexpectedly.

He was born in Canada on Feb. 11, 1872. He formerly lived in Presque Isle county, but came to Novesta township when his health failed. He is survived by his wife and two children, his father, Jas. Brown, a brother, Robert Brown of Novesta and a sister, Mrs. Emma Wade, of Union, Kentucky.

The funeral will be held at the Church of Christ Saturday afternoon.

## A. C. HAYES WILL START NEW STORE IN CEMENT BLK.

Empty Store Buildings Are at a  
Premium in Cass City.

Allen C. Hayes has leased the Cement Block on Main St. east for a period of five years and is placing a stock of dry goods, shoes and groceries in the same. He is making various improvements on the property and will occupy the residence rooms in the second story. Mr. Hayes expects to visit the wholesale centers all next week where he will purchase additional stock. He intends opening the store about August 15.

Chas. McCaslin, who has been in Flint for the past year, is preparing to establish the third barber shop in Cass City. He has secured the building now occupied by "Popcorn Charlie" and will move there as soon as the latter vacates the building for his new location in the Moore Block. This Mr. Travis expects to do about August 1.

These additions to the business activities of the city put business blocks at a premium. Empty store buildings are a scarcity; in fact there is only one in town.

## JOHNSON & BENKELMAN

Succeed L. E. Wright as Proprietors  
of Central Meat Market.

J. A. Benkelman and A. L. Johnson have purchased the Central Meat Market from L. E. Wright and took possession last Thursday afternoon. Both have been identified before this time with the meat business in Cass City and are practical men. Mr. Benkelman has had many years experience as a butcher. They plan to dispose of the grocery portion of the stock before fall and will then devote their entire energies to the meat end of the business. Johnson & Benkelman is the style of the firm name.

L. E. Wright has decided to go to Argentine Republic, South America, in the near future where he will be employed by the Circle Diamond Cow and Horse outfit. He will sell horses, buggies, gasoline engine, motor cycle and household goods at auction on Saturday, Aug. 3. Particulars on page three.

### Real Estate Bargains.

40 acres, 3½ miles from Deford, 35 acres in cultivation, land level, soil good clay loam and muck, ½ acre good fruit and berries, 6-room house in fair condition, small barn, a No. 1 well, school ½ mile. Price, \$1,400.

40 acres, 2 miles from Deford, Tuscola county, 32 acres in cultivation, balance brushed pasture land, soil 4 acres sand where the buildings are, balance good clay and sand soil, 2 acres of orchard all kinds of fruit, 104 foot well good water, fences good, house 20x22 small cellar, barn 32x40 with under ground stables, granary and corn crib 20x24, nice shade trees in front of house, 16 acres of summer follow, 1 mile to school. Price, \$1,000 if sold quick.

We also have some good village property for sale, both residence and business places. One good plant well located suitable for implement and machinery business. A good opportunity for the right man. If you do not see what you are looking for call or write us.

### FRITZ & RICKER.

Standard and Deering binder twine for sale. G. L. Hitchcock.

Remember our Ideal line of Shirts and Overalls. Cannot be beat for price or quality. E. W. Jones.

Kalamazoo buggies for sale by G. W. Goff.

\$1,000 stock still in hands of treasurer for sale. Paid 10 per cent dividends past two years. Farm Produce Co.

They're Swell! A brand new line of Olives at Jones'.

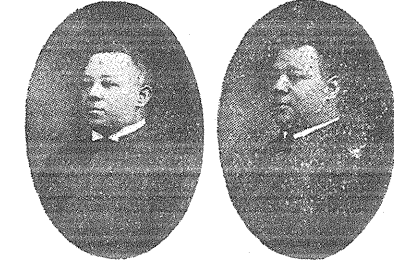
"Cow Ease" for flies on horses and cows at Wood's.

## STONE'S FAMOUS BAND AT THE CASS CITY FAIR

Secretary Marshall Captures Prize  
Organization of Musicians as  
an Attraction.

President Dodge and Secretary Marshall have shown excellent judgment in the selection of an organization to dispense musical numbers at the Cass City Fair which is now less than four weeks away. Their choice is Stone's Famous Band and Orchestra of Detroit.

Chas. and William Stone, the managers of the organization, have contracted with the fair officers to furnish a band of 14 musicians. The



Charles and William Stone.

Stone Bros. employ the most competent musicians and have an excellent reputation all over the state of Michigan. They play the latest hits and heavy overtures and intersperse the program with cornet, trombone and other solo numbers.

Stone's Band appeared at Cass City at the Columbus Day celebration last October and all who heard them at that time are anxiously waiting for their re-appearance here on Aug. 20-23.

## HERE AND THERE AROUND THE THUMB

News and Views of the People in  
the Neighboring Towns of  
Three Counties.

Mayville will have a home-coming celebration Aug. 11 to 17.

Unionville is raising a fund for a farmers and merchants' picnic. The Presbyterians of Greenleaf are considering plans for a new church building.

At a special election in Owendale it was decided to bond the district for \$10,000 to build a new school house.

Marlette will hold a farmers' festival Aug. 29 and 30 that promises to be the biggest thing of the kind in some time.

Revs. Carmichael, Kemp and Crouder of Bad Axe are arranging for a local option county mass meeting in the county seat early in August.

The Boy Scouts of Bad Axe, under the command of Scout Master B. E. Butler, will start about August 1 on their long hike to Bay Port, where they will camp for 10 days. The boys expect to make the trip in a day.

The Vassar post office has been made the depository for the postal savings funds of the postoffices at Reese, Richville, Fostoria, Shabbona and Silverwood, no bank in any of the places named having qualified to receive the postal saving fund.

Caro will have the following numbers on her lecture course this winter: Richard Hobson, hero of Santiago, lecture; the Pilgrim Girls' orchestra and soloists; Prof. Barimes Kaffir Boys quartette; Ralph Parlette humorous lecturer; the South Land Singers, a darky quartette and orchestra.

A large hay shed at McGregor belonging to Vernon Kerbyson of Deckerville was destroyed by fire. The fire is supposed to have originated from a spark from the engine on the afternoon train and the loss is estimated at \$3,500 with \$1,300 insurance. The building contained about 160 tons of hay owned by Mr. Kerbyson and John Leitch of Deckerville. Mr. Leitch is the heavy loser, the latter owning about half of the hay with no insurance.

The merchants of Harbor Beach are now buying eggs according to quality. The highest price will be paid for regular run of first grade eggs. Three cents less per dozen

Fruit cans, rubbers and can tops at Jones'.

Middlings \$1.55 per hundred. Farm Produce Co.

Wood develops films now.

Get your tumblers and jelly glasses at Jones'.

Harmony Rose Soap at Wood's. 15c

See Wood's Initial Stationary, 25c

will be paid for second grade stock or small and dirty eggs. Checks and shrunken eggs or third will bring five cents less. Thus Harbor Beach merchants are getting in line with a movement which is making its influence felt all over the country and is only another step toward the solution of the pure food problem.

Sanilac county democrats selected the following persons to seek nominations for the various county offices: Representative in state legislature, William Bettis, Bridgehampton; Judge of probate, John Mullett, Austin; Sheriff, A. C. Graham, Austin; Clerk, F. James Irvin, Marlette; Treasurer, Ambrose Herdell, Argyle; Register of deeds, George E. Paige, Deckerville; Prosecuting attorney, Fred S. Viets, Deckerville; Coronors, G. R. Smith, Carsonville; F. J. Sheldon, Lexington; Surveyor, Edward Walker, Marlette; Drain commissioner, Clark Parish, Elmer.

## NOTHING TO IT SAYS WEATHER BUREAU CHIEF

Prof. Willis L. Moore Takes Little  
Stock in Rain-making Experi-  
ments at Battle Creek.

Relative to the proposed rain-making experiments at Battle Creek, Mich., on the 24th instant, when it is intended to bombard the skies with quantities of dynamite, Prof. Willis L. Moore, Chief of the Weather Bureau, issues the following statement:

"Numerous reports have come to the Weather Bureau indicating that an epidemic of 'rain-making' has broken out in various part of the country, originating in some experiments of this character made by Mr. C. W. Post, near Post City, Tex., last summer. The method adopted was the familiar one of setting off powerful explosives until, as is alleged, the jarring of the atmosphere leads to the condensation and precipitation of moisture. A description of his experiments published by Mr. Post in a magazine article has been copied widely in the daily papers, and also circulated in pamphlet form.

"Mr. Post claims that copious showers followed three of the four experiments made by him last summer. He, however, ignores the fact that in each case when rain occurred it was general over much of the state of Texas, or at least over several hundred square miles of territory surrounding the place of experiments; and, what is more significant, had been predicted by the Weather Bureau on the basis of the general meteorological conditions of the country. Mr. Post's account of his results is therefore misleading, and is especially unfortunate because coupled with some very specious arguments in favor of the general adoption of his process as a cheap substitute for irrigation.

"It hardly seems necessary for the Weather Bureau at this late date to enter into elaborate arguments in order to convince the public of the utter futility of this and every method so far proposed for artificial producing rain. Almost exactly the same experiments as those of Mr. Post Dyrenforth, and although the results obtained were regarded as encouraging by the experimenters themselves, they were pronounced a complete fiasco by the intelligent public, as well as by scientific men. Moreover, entirely regardless of whether does or does not follow a particular experiment of this kind, the supposition that there is relation of cause and effect between the explosions and the rain is one that cannot be entertained for a moment by anyone familiar with the physical processes involved.

"That rain followed many of the battles of our Civil War was due, not to the effect of the discharge of firearms, but to the fact that in the regions where the battles occurred rain falls on an average one day out of three, and that commanders are more inclined to move armies and begin engagements in fair weather. In fact, while rain is in progress, such operations are commonly impracticable, on account of the condition of the roads."

Batteries left at Jones' store can be secured by proving property and paying for this notice.

Kodaks and supplies at Wood's.

Work horse for sale or exchange for driver weight 1400. Inquire at printing office. 7-19-2.

### Notice to the Public.

My wife, having left my bed and board, the public is hereby warned not to extend any credit to her on my account. Duncan Crawford. 7-19-4p.

## DR. C. W. CLARK AND MISS MARY ZINNECKER MARRIED

Ceremony Was Performed at Home  
of Bride's Parents, Mr. and Mrs.  
John Zinnecker.

A quiet home wedding was celebrated Thursday evening, July 18, at 8 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Zinnecker on South Seeger street when their daughter, Miss Mary, was united in marriage with Dr. C. W. Clark of Caro. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. A. Schweitzer of the Evangelical church and took place under an arch of ferns. The couple was unattended. The bride wore a gown of white lineweave and made a pretty appearance.

Following the ceremony a wedding supper was daintily served by the bride's niece, Miss Ethelyn Striffler, and Miss Florence Bigelow. The table was very prettily decorated with smilax and sweet peas.

Mrs. Clark is a graduate nurse of the Chautauqua School of Nursing of Jamestown, New York, and has followed that profession for a number of years. She is well known and has a host of friends here who wish her much happiness in her wedded life.

Dr. and Mrs. Clark left Thursday evening for Caro where they will make their home.

Those present at the wedding from out of town were Mr. and Mrs. Grover C. Ross and daughter, Marguerite, and Foster, Romain and Carol Clark, all of Caro.

## DROPS INTO CREEK

Vassar Barbers Surprised When  
Floor Suddenly Collapses.

About 7 o'clock Wednesday morning the rear end of the one-story building on Huron avenue at Vassar, owned by Gilbert Moore and occupied by Ernest Loss as a barber shop, fell into the creek. The water had gradually undermined the foundation of the building, causing the collapse. The barber shop had just been opened for business when the crash came and some goods stored in a rear room of the building went into the water. Most of the goods and fixtures in the front room were saved. The loss will be about \$300.



### H. S. WICKWARE

of Elkland township is the latest to announce his candidacy for a county office. He aspires to the position of county treasurer and petitions for placing his name on the primary ballot have been circulated among the enrolled republican voters of the county this week.

Good girl wanted for general household. Enquire at Chronicle office.

Hay racks in stock and made to order at Cass City Planing Mill.

Engraved cards and announcements. Leave your orders with the Chronicle, Cass City.

Leave your order for engraved cards and announcements with the Chronicle, Cass City.

Fresh groceries always at Mrs. Parker's.

Screen doors and screen windows in stock and made to order at Cass City Planing Mill.

Money to loan. L. I. Wood, agent.

Harmony Violet Soap at Wood's, 15c.

Hammocks and croquet at Wood's.

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.

Dry Summer Wood For Sale. Enquire at printing office.

Bliss sells Conkey's Fly Knocker.

## TAXING AUTOMOBILES.

Secretary of State Frederick C. Martindale, candidate for governor of Michigan, advocates a policy of more and better highways. "The state should maintain a good roads fund that would be sufficient to provide excellent roads," says Mr. Martindale. "One of the suggestions that I would make in that connection is that the automobile tax that now goes into the general fund be diverted to the good roads fund. The tax is \$3 a car. There are from 40,000 to 50,000 cars in Michigan, which makes the total tax returns \$150,000.

"But my suggestion in regard to automobiles goes further than this. According to my idea on the subject the automobiles in the state should be exempt from local taxation and provision made to substitute a higher state tax on each car. A tax of \$15 or \$20 would not meet with opposition on the part of car owners, and would make the amount available for the improvement of highways one million dollars."

## CROWD WAS PLEASED WITH SUN BROS.' SHOW

Performers and Horses Are All  
Highly Praised.

It was a highly satisfied crowd that came away from Sun Brothers' Shows at the fair grounds Friday afternoon and night. The circus was as had been promised, one of exceptional merit as to both performers and stock.

The attendance was good at both performances. Twice as many people were out as was expected and the management was pleased with the business done in Cass City.

The most frequent comment heard at the two performances was on the excellency of the horses. The circus has a fine lot of them, both performing and draft. The cake-walking handled by Miss Mona Barnett, did some really remarkable feats, that were highly appreciated.

Miss Blanche Reed, an attractive looking young woman, appeared in a swell equestrian act, and introduced a beautiful white horse, that certainly is a prize. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Griggs, appeared at a duo of society equestrians and were one of the big hits of the performance. They used two handsome white horses attached to an English trap cart.

The performers were all tiptop. The Mexican Morales, in a fine tremplin triple bar performance, gave a highly sensational display and one of the best acrobatic acts ever seen here.

Other good acts were, the Five De Kamos, in an aerial teeth display, called "the human butterflies", thrilled the onlookers with their daring attempts. The Tan Araki Royal Court Japanese troupe, gave an exposition of Oriental specialties, that were new to Cass City.

The clowns had many new stunts, and kept the audiences in roars of laughter. Another feature that attracted favorable comment was the band, Shelly's Musical Majestics, an organization of merit.

The circus went to Pigeon from here and appeared at Bad Axe, on Monday.

Wagon Umbrellas at Crosby & Son's for 50c.

Six feet long, 6 feet wide, 6 strong steel ribs, hard wood handle 1½ in. in diameter, very best standard drill cover, with fasteners to put it up with.

In making up your vacation outfit, don't fail to look over the line of trunks and bags at Bliss'.

For embroidery and laces see Mrs. G. W. Goff.

Gold Medal and Henkel's Flour at special prices. See us before buying. Cass City Grain Co.

House to rent or sell. Mrs. H. B. Snyder. 7-19-2.

### Team For Sale.

Black team for sale cheap, young and well matched. Stanley Warner, Route 4, Cass City. 7-19-4.

### Rose Island.

Is still the ideal spot to spend your vacation. We have fine boats for fishing, bathing suits to rent, furnished cottages to rent on reasonable terms, also large barn for horses or autos. A fine new flowing well on front of island. Correspond with P. W. Selee, Manager, Sebewaung, Mich. 7-12.

Try Rexall guaranteed remedies at Wood's.

Gold Medal Flour, 25 lbs. 50c; 50 lbs. \$1.50; 100 lbs. \$3.00. Farm Produce Co.

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GENERAL OFFICES  
NEW YORK AND CHICAGO  
BRANCHES IN ALL THE PRINCIPAL CITIES

**ELMWOOD.**

Fourth of July and the circus are past; now get ready for the Cass City Fair.

The rain on Saturday night flattened the oats badly in this part.

Most of the people were too busy haying to go to the circus on Friday.

Ernest Deming has been painting H. Deming's house.

Mr. Houghton of Cass City is painting Mrs. W. W. Hargrave's house.

Mrs. Thos. Jackson has a brother visiting her from Canada at present.

Hazel Belknap, who has been staying with her uncle, Jas. Belknap, for some time, went home on Sunday.

Reader Odell and I. Maidley have been having the lumbago the past few days, but are better again.

Bert Hendrick was in Saginaw part of last week.

Mrs. J. K. Turner visited her daughter, Mrs. C. H. Hammond, part of last week.

The social at O. A. Hendrick's on Tuesday evening for the Junior Agricultural Club was well attended.

Join the Clover Club.

**WEST ELMWOOD.**

John Chapel lost a fine cow last week.

Mrs. D. Chapel is visiting with her son, B. J. Bentley, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Pierce of Detroit spent last week with the former's sister, Mrs. Fred Howk.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Spaven spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Leach.

John Sugton of Mayville visited at the home of Mrs. W. W. Hargrave Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Seeley spent Friday and Saturday with Caro friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hunkins visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Burt Southard Friday.

Miss Tillie Southworth is spending the week with Miss Edith Burse.

Join the Clover Club.

"I was cured of diarrhoea by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes M. E. Gebhardt, Oriole, Pa. There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES.**

John R. Bruce, 19, Marion; Hazel Huant, 19, Lexington.

Chas. Stewart Hoover, 33, Vassar; Bertha Risk, 20, same.

John E. Bradley, 25, Wisner; Agnes A. Houghtaling, 22, Gilford.

Geo. Hunkins, 53, Vassar; Emma Almira Hunkins, 55, same.

Elmer W. Conant, 22, Columbia; Rosa Perry, 19, Ellington.

John Henry Bowns, 54, Arbel; Mary Almena Carr, 49, same.

Marshal Isaac Lewis, 27, Mayville; Myrtle E. Robison, 17, same.

Frank Emil Generous, 33, Elmwood; Margaret Bedore, 24, same.

Orville Otto, 19, Juniata; Anna Isabell, 19, Denmark.

One of the most common ailments that hard working people are afflicted with is lame back. Apply Chamberlain's Liniment twice a day and massage the parts thoroughly at each application, and you will get quick relief. For sale by all dealers.

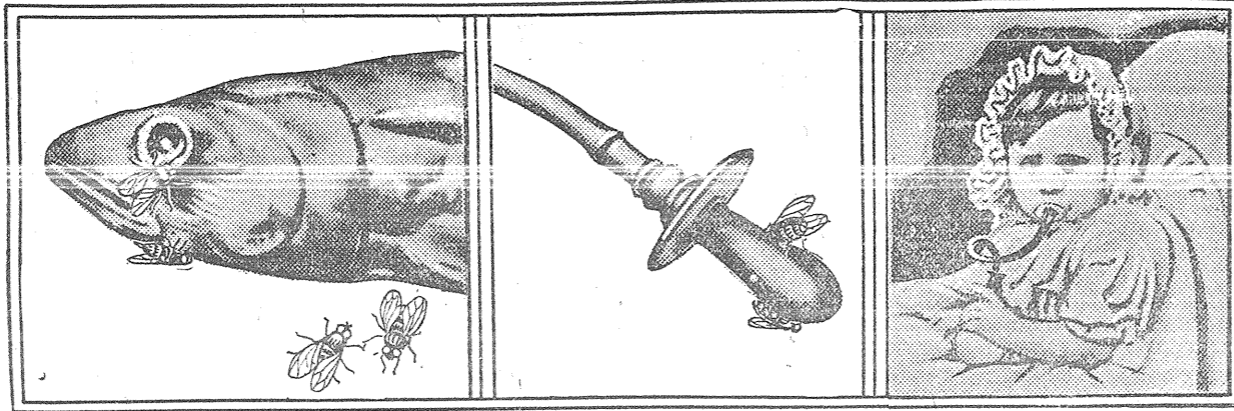
**STATESMEN.**

The great difference between the real statesman and the pretender is that the one sees into the future, while the other regards only the present; the one lives by the day and acts on expediency; the other acts on enduring principles and for immortality.—Burke.

**A Newly Married Couple.**

Is usually very happy, but the reverse is the case with people who have rheumatism, lame back, sore muscles, cramps in the bowels, dysentery, sick stomach. These latter can have their misery relieved by using Renne's Pain-Killing Magic Oil. It is a most efficient remedy for both internal and external pain. Insist on having the genuine. Price 25 cts. per bottle. Sold by Wood's Drug Store.

**Kill Flies and Save Lives**



From Putrid Matter Flies Carry Disease Germs to the Baby, as Pictured Here. (From the "Fly Pest" Moving Picture Film.)

This striking picture was sent out by the fly fighting committee of the American Civic association, an organization of public spirited men who have devoted a vast amount of time and money to the work of improving the public health by destroying the disease bearing housefly.

**They are doing their part. Do yours by cleaning up your premises, by destroying the breeding places of flies and by killing every fly you see.**

**RESCUE.**

Everybody is busy picking berries these days.

William Parker, jr., was an Owendale caller Monday evening.

Frank St. Mary of Caro is visiting at B. Webster's.

Miss Elda Quinn of Owendale spent Sunday at her parental home here.

O. D. Hopkins and son were callers in Owendale Saturday.

Chas. Britt spent Sunday at his parental home here.

Christina and Flora Parker attended the Sun Brothers show in Pigeon Saturday.

Mrs. Henry Smith, who is in a Detroit hospital, wishes to thank her many kind friends through the Cass City paper who sent her a shower of post cards on July 16. She received 39 post cards that day and 8 the next day. She is improving slowly and hopes to see her many friends soon.

Join the Clover Club.

**ELMWOOD.**

Mr. and Mrs. William Simmons are the proud parents of a little daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Dudenhofer, who have been visiting friends here, returned Monday to their home in Toronto, Canada.

E. W. Youmans and Stephen Moore have purchased a new bean thresher.

John Greenwood and sister, Mrs. Long, visited at the home of A. S. Evans Friday.

Miss Edith Evans is very sick with Malaria fever.

The birthday party at Frank Maxfield's Wednesday evening was well attended, and all report a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chaffee and daughter, Edith, visited at H. W. Youman's Thursday.

A large number from this place attended the Sun Bros' circus at Cass City Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Youmans were at Mud Lake picking huckleberries Thursday.

Hazel and Harold McCreedy spent last week with their cousins, Iva and Bernice McKellar.

**Mrs. John Evans is on the sick list.**

Frank Kelly lost a valuable horse last week.

Join the Clover Club.

**CANBORO.**

Mrs. Lester Pardo died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. D. Webster, late Tuesday night after an illness of only a short time.

The immediate cause of death was due to heart trouble. The deceased was 71 years of age, and leaves to mourn her loss, an aged husband and six children: Mrs. Eastman of Pontiac, Mrs. St. Mary, Geo. and Henry, all of Caro, Mrs. Webster of this place, Melvin of Seattle, Washington and a host of friends. They were all present at the funeral except Melvin. The funeral was held on Friday at one o'clock at the residence, and conducted by Rev. Nicholson of the M. E. church. The flowers were beautiful and numerous, being presented by the family and other friends. Although Mrs. Pardo was at an advanced age she was always bright and cheerful and will be greatly missed from among us.

The family have the sympathy of the community. Interment in the Williamson cemetery.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Jarvis and daughter, Helen, returned to their home in Detroit Monday after spending a week with relatives here.

Miss Maggie Burleigh of Gageton is visiting at her home here.

Mrs. Perry Parker will entertain the Ladies' Aid this week Thursday for tea.

Quite a number attended the races and ball game at Elkton Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hartsell were Elkton callers on Monday evening.

Mrs. Bert Libkuman and Miss Lena Kinitz attended quarterly meeting in Beaulieu on Monday.

Ray Lavigne is home from Detroit where he has been undergoing medical treatment in a hospital there.

The Canboro Ladies' Aid will give an ice cream social and program on July 31 at the Maccabee hall. Every one invited.

Join the Clover Club.

**SUPERIOR ROOFING.**

Chronicle readers have no doubt noticed the advertising of the Cortright Metal Roofing Company, 50 N. 23rd Street, Philadelphia, Pa., which has been appearing in the columns for several months with a change of cuts each week. It is hoped that subscribers who have been in need of such material have communicated with this company, as they offer a system of roofing possessing every point of superiority, — absolutely weather-tight, fire-proof, ornamental in appearance, durable, easily applied and low first cost. This company has local agencies established at many places, some of whom carry the goods constantly in stock, but where they are not so represented, are always pleased to get in direct communication with the prospective buyer. If in any way interested in roofing, write them for literature and further particulars.—Ad.

**Don't Read This Often.**

"Hi, mister," called the driver of a huge dray, "will you kindly hold my hoss' head for me while I get down?"

The pedestrian hesitated. "Well, I'll do my best," he observed, approaching gingerly, "though I don't know much about horses. Er—which one shall I hold?"

"The off 'un," replied the driver. "Dear me! Poor thing!" exclaimed the pedestrian. "Do you mean this sad looking one?"

"No, I don't!" cried the driver. "I said the off 'un, didn't I?"

"Yes, I know you did," replied the pedestrian testily, "but as I wasn't at his parents' funeral how the dickens am I to guess which is the orphan?"—London Answers.

**Knew Her Mamma.**

Policeman—Well, my little dear, if you can't tell me your mother's name or where she lives how are we to find her? Little Girl (lost while out shopping)—Jes' put me in a shop window, an' mamma 'll be sure to find me.

**The Trials of a Traveler.**

"I am a traveling salesman," writes E. E. Youngs, E. Berkshire, Vt., "and was often troubled with constipation and indigestion till I began to use Dr. King's New Life Pills, which I have found an excellent remedy." For all stomach, liver or kidney troubles they are unequalled. Only 25 cents at L. I. Wood & Co.

**Total Depravity**

By Former United States Senator WILLIAM E. MASON

"There is of God in all of you."  
—John the Unafraid.

**T**HE winter of 1878-9, I was, as a member of the Illinois legislature, a visitor at the Southern Illinois penitentiary. We went as a committee to get a general knowledge of the institution, to be better prepared to act upon its requests for appropriations.

On Sunday morning, the prisoners were in the chapel and I was walking along the corridor, with my infant daughter in my arms. As I passed one cell, I noticed that one man was still in there, and I stopped and spoke to him. He was sitting back on his cot, and when I asked him to come forward and speak to me, he declined in a growling sort of way. I told him what I was there for, and asked him how the food was and as to other conditions. I then got a view of his face and my first thought was, "Now, I have found an example of total depravity." The man's face indicated that he hated everyone, including himself. If there was a redeeming line, I could not find it, but I determined to search for it. I persuaded him to come to the barred door of his cell—told him I wished he would go to the chapel—said, in short, that I was sorry for him and wished to befriend him. Not a line or a single expression of his face changed. Presently my little babe, with her hands flying about and between the bars, caught him with her chubby fingers and pinched his cheek. . . .

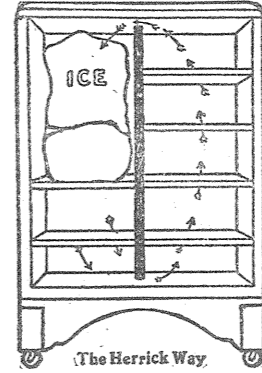
Have you ever seen the sun break suddenly through the clouds? If so, you can have some idea of the transformation in that man's face? The hard lines melted; the coarse lips trembled into a pathetic smile; the wandering eyes shone into the baby's face and great tears came rolling down his own. He staggered back to his cot and covering his face with his hands, sobbed like a child.

The baby's fingers had pointed out the spark of divinity that my grown up philosophy could not find. I held my child closer to me, walked into the chapel less wise in my own conceit with more faith in innocent childhood, and a firm faith that "there is of God in all of us."

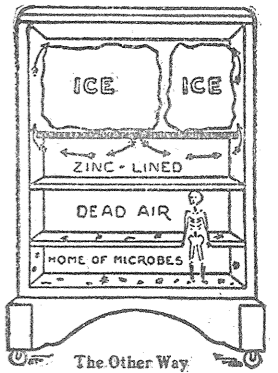
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Insure a dry, sanitary storage for food.



Note the difference between them and the ordinary kind.

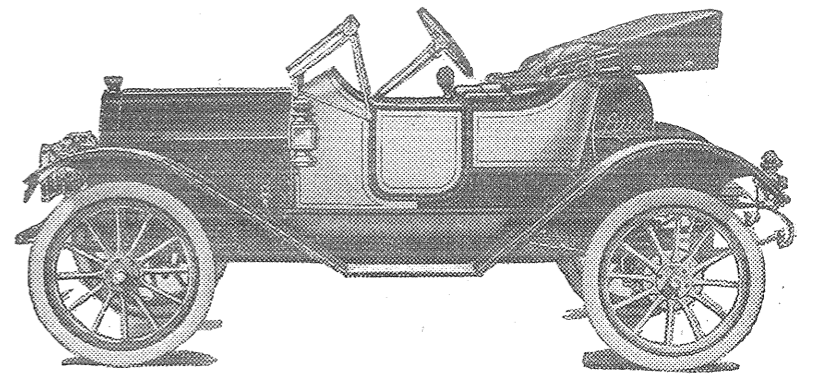


There are plenty of pretty refrigerators with handsome cases and bright interiors but only one Herrick.

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**MOTOR**—20 H. P., four cylinders, cast in pairs, L-head, 3 1/2 inch bore, 3 1/2 inch stroke, extra large valves with adjustable push rods. Spark and throttle control levers below steering wheel.

**COOLING**—Thermo-syphon, with fan.

**CARBURETOR**—Kingston, specially designed for this motor.

**IGNITION**—High tension magneto, and dry cells for starting.

**LUBRICATION**—Oilier, bolted solid to right side of crank cases, vacuum feed system; bearings and pistons lubricated by splash.

**CLUTCH**—Cone, large, improved type, with ball thrust and Raybestos facing.

**TRANSMISSION**—Selective, sliding gear. Two speeds forward and one reversed. Nickeled steel gears.

**DRIVE**—Shaft, through one universal joint.

**AXLES**—Front, tubular; Rear, semi-floating, with Hyatt roller bearings. Gear ratio 4 to 1.

**WHEELS**—Artillery type; 30 x 3, with Goodyear clincher tires.

**WHEEL BASE**—90 inches.

**TREAD**—56 or 60 inches.

**BRAKES**—Internal and external on rear wheel drums. Service brake operated by foot pedal; emergency brake operated by hand lever.

**STEERING GEAR**—Rack and pinion.

**FRAME**—Pressed steel channel.

**SPRINGS**—Semi-elliptic, front; three-quarter elliptic, rear. Rear springs are extra long to insure easy riding.

**BODY**—Two-passenger, torpedo type or straight line fore-door, large and roomy, upholstered with deep-buffed leather over plenty of curly hair. Deep cushions with plenty of springs. Floor boards removable and covered with linoleum with nickled binding. Extra large fenders bolted solid to frame.

**PAINTING**—Body Little gray; chassis, black; finely striped; all sheet metal parts, black.

**MOUNTINGS**—Full nickled throughout.

**EQUIPMENT**—Mahair top, with hood and curtains, wind-shield, Prest-O-Lite tank, horn, auto jack, pump, tire repair kit, and tools.

**NOTE**—Motor has full nickled mountings.

Prest-O-Lite Tanks, Tires and other Accessories.

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## SATURDAY, AUGUST 3

AT ONE O'CLOCK SHARP:

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| Black mare 12 years old, family broke | 6 parlor chairs, new                                     |
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| Light double harness almost new       | Center table Organ                                       |
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| Alamo gasoline engine, 5 h. p.        | Writing desk   |
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| HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE                   | Commode  |
| 2 steel ranges                        | Sewing machine almost new                                |
| Wood heater                           | Fur coat   |
| Base burner, hard coal                | All kitchen utensils                                     |
| 6 kitchen chairs                      | Forks, shovels, hoes, lamps and numerous other articles. |

EVERYTHING MUST BE SOLD.

TERMS: All sums of \$5 and under, Cash; over that amount 6 months' time on good bankable notes with interest at 7 per cent.

### L. E. WRIGHT, Prop.

#### How Pat Was Working When Eileen Arrived

A Labor Day Story

By NORA C. MCARTHY

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"Pat," said Eileen when Pat started for America, "I hope you won't get mixed up in the labor troubles in that country. They say sometimes there's fightin', and O'm skeert ov yer gittin' kilt."

"Niver moind, sweetheart, O'll take good care o' meself ag'in yer comin' over to jine me and we'll be married and live in a nice little shanty and have a pig and a goat and live loike gintle folk."

"But they say, Pat, that in America they don't have pigs. Anyway, they don't keep 'em in the house. O've heard that the pigs is all kep' together and killed together—sometimes a mather of tin or a dozen at one killin'."

"That won't mather to us. We'll have one just to remind us of home. And we'll have the shanty O'm tellin' ye about wid the ladder goin' up to the second story."

"Och, Pat, they don't have ladders in America, they have stairs."

"Well, we'll have a ladder in our shanty just as we'll have the pig. And by that same token we'll have a coo for milk."

"But O'm told people don't keep coos of their own in that country. All the milk is put in a big tub and it's peddled out in wagons."

"But we'll have the coo for the same reason we'll have the pig and

the ladder, to remind us of our beautiful islant and the home one couldn't have in it, because we're too poor. But in America O'll git together the money for the shanty and the pig and the ladder and the coo, and we'll live like fightin' cocks."

So Pat folded the poor girl in his arms, the tears streaming down her cheeks at parting with him.

"What's the mather, darlin'?" he said, patting her fondly. "Don't be cryin'. It'll not be long before I send ye the money to come over to me, and be the toime ye git there O'll have the shanty ready, so ye'll think ye're right here in ould Ireland."

"Och, Pat, O'm feared ye won't succeed!"

And so they parted, Pat with no more money in his pocket than to take him in the steerage across the ocean. The pair were too simple and uneducated to have formed any idea of America. Their dream of a home there was such as they might have at home had they the means to establish it, where the pig and the cow and themselves might all live together in domestic harmony.

Since Pat could not write, his letters from the new country, written by a friend, were of the simplest character. He realized that even if he could write his own letters he would never be able to convey to Eileen's simple mind the real America. He was too wise to attempt it. At first his letters began in the usual way with his class:

"I take my pen in hand to write you a few lines to say that I'm in good health, thanks be to God, hoping that you are the same at the present time.

Then followed hopes that the crops would be abundant and that different members of the family were well. One poor speller who indited a letter for Pat wrote, "This letter comes

hopping that you are well as I am, thanks be to God!"

"What's that?" said Eileen. "It comes hoppin'?" O'i thacht it come by a ship."

Pat remained several years in America before he sent for Eileen. When he got a start he wrote, "Darlint, O'm buildin' the shanty." When he made some money he wrote, "O've bought the pig." Then the cow followed, his shanty was ready and Pat was ready to send the passage money that was to bring his sweetheart to him in America.

Before starting Eileen wrote that she wished he could bring the shanty and the pig and the cow to Ireland, but she supposed that if he could he wouldn't be able to make the money necessary to keep up the establishment. So she made her preparation to join him.

Pat knew the day she sailed and the day the steamer was due in New York. He wrote her that she would arrive on a holiday they kept in America called Labor day. He would be busy on that day, and he would send his friend, Mike Fogarty, to the steamer to meet her and bring her to where he was working. Eileen thought Pat must be very industrious to work on a holiday, and she was glad and proud of him.

When the ship came up to the dock Eileen saw a man on it looking as if he might be Fogarty, and he was.

"Pat could me," he said, "to take ye where he's workin', and I will." He led Eileen to a street where great crowds were waiting for something to happen. Then came a band of music and men with sashes and scarfs on caracoling horses. Among these men in a black clawhammer coat and silk hat she saw her Pat.

Pat caught sight of her and, dismounting, joined her.

"Is this the way ye're workin'?" she asked, astonished.

"Take her to the shanty," said Pat to Fogarty, "and O'll be there directly."

Fogarty led the girl to a five story tenement house, where on the third floor she was ushered into a nicely furnished apartment.

"La sakes!" she exclaimed. "Did Pat earn the money for this ridin' on a horse wid a piece o' stove pipe on his head and a blue ribbon across him?"

#### A Proud Man

Is one who holds the lines over a spirited team. Harvell's Condition Powder puts spirit into a horse that is run down and in poor condition. Put a little in the feed for a few days and note the improvement. The frame gradually fills out with firm flesh, the coat becomes smooth and glossy and the run-down animal soon shows the vigor and spirit of colt. Price 25 cts. Sold by Wood's Drug Store.



Mrs. HARKELY E. PIERCE, of 244 Bright Street, Sarnia, Ont., writes: "I am now a well woman after suffering for three years and doctoring with several different doctors, each one saying it was something different, and the last one, after putting me through a thorough examination, said I was suffering from a growth, which, in time, would result in cancer, and said I would not live more than two years if not operated upon right away. I became hopelessly discouraged but would not consent to the operation as I was too weak and too much afraid, but at last, through the advice of a friend, I tried Dr. Pierce's medicines, and after using two bottles of the 'Favorite Prescription' I immediately felt a change. I also used two boxes of 'Healing Suppositories' and eight boxes of 'Lotion Tablets,' and can safely praise the name of Dr. Pierce's medicines to all who suffer from any female disease, for these medicines are all they are claimed to be, and I hope will help others as they have helped me."

Chronicle Liners make good salesmen—Try them.

#### CHARLES P. NEILL



Dr. Charles P. Neill, commissioner of labor, is known as the "strike fixer" by reason of his success in adjusting industrial troubles.

#### Titanic Captain Lives?

Capt. E. J. Smith, commander of the Titanic, was not drowned but has been seen safe and sound in Baltimore, it was persistently declared by Peter Pryal, a wealthy retired mariner, who was a shipmate of Captain Smith for more than 17 years.

Mr. Pryal says he met Capt. Smith on Thursday and accosted him, but the captain brushed by him angrily. The next day, he declares, he saw him again and followed him around the city to a railroad station, where the captain bought a ticket for Washington. Just as he was about to pass through the gates, Pryal declares, the man turned to him and greeted him by name.

"I am on business; don't worry me, Pryal," he said. "Be good to yourself, old shipmate, till we meet again."

#### Killing of Rosenthal Was Rehearsed.

A country wide search for slayers of Herman Rosenthal, the New York gambler, is on. The names of the gunmen who shot and killed the gambler have been known to the police officials through a grilling third degree given several prisoners now in custody in connection with the case.

The band of gunmen that were engaged in the killing after it had been carefully rehearsed in an uptown gambling house are believed to have fled within a day or two, having become convinced that the "police system" will not be able to protect them.

#### Parcels Post Bill.

After a dispute of more than two months the senate committee on post-offices and post roads Saturday reached an agreement on the postoffice appropriation bill.

The parcels post provision, the principal matter in dispute, was finally thrashed out by Senator Bourne and Senator Bristow of Kansas. The result was a compromise.

The bill retains Senator Bourne's scheme for a division of the country into zones within which rates for the transmission of parcels shall be the same.

#### Canal Nears Completion.

More than seven-eighths of the excavation work on the Panama canal has been completed. June 1, according to the canal record, 22,053,815 cubic yards, or less than one-eighth of the total amount of earth and rock to be taken out of the canal route, remained to be excavated. At the rate the great steam shovels are working, this can be done in time to have the waterway ready for opening on schedule, January 1, 1915.

#### Col. Roosevelt to Visit Saginaw.

Col. Roosevelt will visit Saginaw during the latter part of October according to a telegram which was received by the progressive Republicans, from Senator Dixon, the Roosevelt manager.

John E. Ferris, a trade journal publisher of Saginaw, announced his candidacy for state senator on the progressive Republican ticket. He has never before been actively concerned in politics.

#### Mikado's Condition Much Improved.

The bulletins issued from the palace in Tokio by the court physicians reporting the improved condition in the health of Mutsuhito, the emperor of Japan, have been received with satisfaction throughout the capital. The stock market improved generally as a result of the satisfactory news.

The Portage township board is advertising for the sale of \$25,000 bonds authorized by the electors for the building of the Otter Lake road.

The Chinaman who on July 3 attempted to assassinate Sir Francis H. May, the governor of Hong Kong, by shooting him with a revolver, pleaded guilty. He was sentenced to life imprisonment at hard labor.

The recent discovery of several choice 100-year-old hams in an underground passage near a historic old colonial mansion on Prudene Island has started Prof. David Greenberg of Columbia university on a systematic search of the old cellars of the island. The hams, heretofore found, are packed in wood ashes. Their flavor is so excellent that they have been readily marketed at \$1 a pound.

The Peter White estate will spend \$8,000 improving the Urban house at Ishpeming.

The world gathering of scientists now in London comprises delegates from 33 universities, including President Hadley of Yale, Dr. Robert S. Woodward of the Carnegie institution, Washington, Prof. Hargree of the Washington academy and Dr. Clarke of Johns Hopkins. The scientists attended a banquet at the Guild hall last night to celebrate the two hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the Royal society. The guests included Premier Asquith, Lord Morley and Rudyard Kipling.

#### NO BACK TAX COMPROMISE

Secretary H. B. Fisher, of the Citizens' Telephone company of Grand Rapids, approached Attorney General Kuhn Thursday with a proposal that a compromise settlement be made in the back taxes of the corporation over which there is now a contest in the United States courts. The tax amounts, with penalties, to about \$100,000.

Mr. Kuhn stated that he was not authorized to receive or consider any proposals of a settlement and is only interested in getting the matter before the United States supreme court as soon as possible, the state having won in the lower courts. The case involves the validity of the act passed in 1909, taxing telephone and telegraph companies on the ad valorem basis. The Citizens' company has always denied the legality of the tax.

#### Father Was Best Man.

When Fred T. Peck, a cashier of a Grand Rapids bank, and Miss Flora Shanahan, daughter of a carpet manufacturer of the same city, eloped to Chicago and stepped from a taxicab into the La Salle hotel, they suddenly came face to face with Mr. Peck, father of the young man.

The parent demanded an explanation, and was told by the confused young lady that she and the son had eloped.

Father Peck laughed, and showed his good wishes by arranging the wedding, which took place at the parish house of Grace Episcopal church, Rev. W. O. Waters officiating. The father acted as best man for his eloping son.

#### MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

A new and modern building will be erected for the Hancock Copper Journal.

Mrs. Matthew Sedar was struck by lightning near Alger, Wednesday, during a severe electrical storm. She may not recover.

West Branch wants a new telephone service. The citizens refuse to pay the 50 per cent increase in rates of the old company.

The state convention of the Ancient Order of Hibernians and Ladies' Auxiliary societies will be held at Ironwood on Aug. 20.

David R. Nichols, formerly of Saginaw, but of late assistant sergeant in the capitol at Washington, D. C., died there Wednesday.

A reward of \$1,000 is offered for the apprehension of the person who dynamited the residence of Mayor Hammond of Iron Mountain.

Menominee county will provide a poor farm for the maintenance of its dependents. One hundred seventy-two acres have been purchased for the purpose.

Saginaw's common council has designated Aug. 20 as the day on which the electors will vote on the Saginaw-Bay City Railway Co. franchise that the council has granted.

Judge Walter H. North, of Battle Creek, is being boomed for Justice Brooks's place in the supreme court, in the event the latter is appointed U. S. district judge at Detroit.

Since the collapse of an electric light tower on James street, Jackson, many people are anxious to see the towers removed. Four towers have collapsed in the last few years.

Many prominent men of the state attended the funeral of Judge Oren in Sault Ste. Marie. The pallbearers included Gov. Osborn and Supreme Court Justice J. M. Steere.

Grand Rapids is going to have a new hotel soon, at least business men are enthusiastic about the plan of erecting a \$2,000,000 building with 400 rooms on the present site of the Pantland hotel.

Of course the express companies are protesting against the "unreasonableness" of the interstate commerce commission's recommendations that express rates be cut from 15 to nearly 50 per cent.

John Smith, alias White, was taken to Chicago from Port Huron to face a charge of highway robbery. While shaking hands with a friend last week at the longshoremen's convention, he was tipped off to the officials.

Thirty years of hair culture are represented in the eight feet of flowing beard of Zach T. Wilcox, aged 65, a veteran gold miner of Carson City, Nev., who is visiting at the home of his brother, John Wilcox, of Flint.

The Ionia Fair association is planning a boosting campaign for Aug. 7 and 8, and has closed a deal for Lincoln Beachey and his Curtis flying machine as an attraction. The regular fair comes the last of September.

Clady Snyder, eight, was thrown from a row boat into St. Clair river and drowned when one of several little girls on shore jerked a rope that was attached to the boat. Two physicians were immediately summoned, but were unable to resuscitate her.

The Farmers' Institute officials say that in spite of the protest from Prof. L. R. Taft, of the state institute, against Ionia's proposed winter Chautauqua, now independent of the state farmers' institute, the winter Chautauqua will be held as planned.

Frank Leach, 40, attempted to kill a fellow prisoner at the county jail in Ann Arbor while violently insane. At the time he was arrested he attempted to kill a local officer and shot himself in the head. An officer who was standing nearby at the time of Leach's attack saved the fellow prisoner.

Thursday, July 25, will be suffrage day in Menominee. There will be a public demonstration by the women who desire to vote.

Mrs. N. C. Womach, wife of a prominent Jackson physician, was killed instantly last night by an electric shock received in turning on an electric light in her room.

Ernest Langlois of Flint went on a fishing trip last Saturday and intended to return Sunday, but as the fishing was good he did not come home until Thursday. When he reached home he found that a warrant had been issued charging him with deserting his wife and family.

#### HENRY L. STIMSON



Mr. Stimson is secretary of war in President Taft's cabinet.

#### MICHIGAN NEWS ITEMS.

Samuel Izen, a Bay City rag peddler, afflicted with leprosy, escaped from quarantine and cannot be found by the officers.

Ralph N. Seward will oppose Attorney John E. Tracy of Menominee for the office of representative of Menominee county in the legislature.

The Commercial club is back of a movement to secure a legislative grant of \$100,000 for an addition to the State Normal school at Marquette.

A postoffice has been opened at Neah-ta-wan-ta, a resort, with S. Fred Cummings as postmaster, mail being delivered by boat once a day from Traverse City.

Edward Frensdorf, of Hudson has decided to run for congressman-at-large on the Democratic ticket. He was one of Wilson's campaign directors in Michigan.

A number of children having been bitten by mad dogs at Birch Creek, in Menominee county, an edict has been issued by the health officer ordering all dogs to be muzzled.

Fourth district Democrats are booming George L. Yapple as the party nominee for the governorship. A statewide campaign will be waged in the Mendon man's behalf.

William Howland, 15, who was arrested in Lansing on a charge of burglarizing, a short time ago, escaped from the home of the county agent during the latter's absence.

A new hybrid tea rose called Mrs. Andrew Carnegie and exhibited by Richard E. Crocker at Aberdeen has won a gold medal at the exhibition of the National Rose society.

Attorney Fred Haggerson is a candidate for the Republican nomination for re-election as prosecuting attorney of Menominee county. Sheriff Joseph Kell also seeks renomination.

The Upper Peninsula of Michigan will not be represented at the Chicago Land Show this year, but will instead, send an elaborate exhibit to the Michigan State Fair, Sept. 16 to 21 next.

Lieut. Culp, of the torpedo destroyer McDonough, at present located at Newport, will take charge of the splendid navy exhibit which the government has granted to the Michigan Fair.

An extension of 60 days was granted in the Milton J. Daly bribery case in Jackson. Daly was convicted some time ago on a charge of bribing Allan N. Armstrong, former warden of Jackson prison.

David Dickerson, 75, a prominent farmer of Windsor township, Eaton county, took his life by cutting his throat and the arteries in both wrists. His body was discovered in a field by his daughter-in-law.

State Food and Dairy Inspector W. T. Hulsher is making a general cleanup in Traverse City. He has caused the arrest of one milkman on a charge of watering the milk. Several restaurant proprietors and fruit men have been ordered to clean up.

Leaving behind a note, "To all concerned," saying they intended to lead better lives, five prisoners of the Frederick county jail at Frederick, Md., crawled through a window on the ground floor, after sawing an iron bar, and dropped to the ground.

The police of Flint are endeavoring to find a man, who is said to have robbed a number of boarding houses in the past week. It is said he goes to a boarding house, rents a room for a few nights and then when the opportunity comes he ransacks the rooms and leaves.

At a meeting of the state board of health medical inspectors were appointed for each congressional district. This action was due to the fact that many times in the past it has been impossible to get physicians from Lansing when most needed. The inspectors will receive pay for actual days' work performed.

The steamer G. J. Grammer of Cleveland lies sunken in 25 feet of water a short distance above the Fort Gratiot light, near Port Huron, as the result of a collision with the steamer Northern Queen, which occurred in a fog. The Grammer was lying at anchor because of the fog, while the Northern Queen was bound for Duluth with package freight.

Moving Picture Men's association in session in Muskegon, elected Carl Ray, Muskegon, president; B. L. Converse, Owosso, first vice-president; J. J. Reider, Jackson, second vice-president; G. R. Durkee, Saginaw, third vice-president; H. F. Fowser, Jackson, treasurer; W. Lester Levy, secretary.

Michigan Probate Judges' association, in session in Alpena, elected the following officers: President, Judge Fred H. Stone, Hillsdale; vice-president, Judge Henry M. Gardner, Mason; secretary-treasurer, Judge Montgomery Webster, Ionia. The association will meet in Grand Rapids next year.

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Steel Die Initials on each sheet of writing paper and the price is only 25c per box.

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**Silverware**

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**A. H. Higgins, Jeweler and Optometrist**

This store will close Tuesday, Thursday and Friday evenings at 6:00 p. m.

**LOCAL ITEMS.**

A. T. Craft is on the sick list this week.

Herbert Frutchey made a business trip to Kingston Tuesday.

Mrs. Baxter returned to her home in Detroit Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wetlauffer were Elkton visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Ricker spent Friday at their farm in West Grant.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison of Rockford were visitors in town Tuesday.

Isaac Hall and Geo. Bartle were business callers in Caseville Monday.

James Brooker returned from Caseville Tuesday where he has been camping.

Morley Tindale and Edward Prize of Bad Axe were visitors in town Sunday.

Stanley Bien left Tuesday evening for Caseville where he will spend the week.

Mrs. Alex McEwen left Tuesday for Bad Axe where she will remain indefinitely.

Mrs. H. D. Schiedel went to Marlette Tuesday where she will visit several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nettleton of Caro were the guests of Mrs. A. Frutchey Sunday.

Mrs. John H. Kaercher visited at the home of her son, Erwin W. Kaercher, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus J. Mac of Bad Axe visited with Mr. and Mrs. Angus McGilvray Sunday.

Dalvin Schneider, who has spent ten days visiting friends at Snover, returned home Monday evening.

Rev. and Mrs. S. H. Edgcombe left last Monday for Cobourg, Canada, where they will visit several weeks.

Miss Emma Muck and Philip Muck returned from Caseville Friday where they have been camping the past week.

Mrs. M. M. Schwegler returned from Gortage, Wis., Friday evening where she has been visiting the past three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Wood and family of Marlette visited at the home of the former's uncle, J. H. Wood, last week.

Mrs. John Gordon left for her home in Jackson Tuesday morning after visiting with her sister, Belle Irwin, for several weeks.

Mrs. Lucy Longley of Marlette arrived here Saturday and will visit with her daughter, Mrs. H. D. Schiedel, several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Eli Travis and son of Newton, Kansas, are the guests of the former's father and brother, Absolum and Chas. Travis.

Mrs. B. F. Benkelman and two children, Benjamin and Lois, left Friday for Sturgis where they will visit with relatives about three weeks.

Mrs. Jno. A. Sandham and daughter, Pauline, spent part of the week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Striffler, in Argyle.

Do not forget the W. C. T. U. meeting at the Baptist church today (Friday) at 2:30 p. m. Mrs. A. J. Knapp has charge of the program.

E. A. McGeorge, Lewis McGeorge and Dr. S. A. Bradshaw went to Port Huron Tuesday and brought back with them a new Overland car for Dr. Bradshaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wetlauffer, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young and Otto Klinkman were visitors in Saginaw Friday. On their return they brought a car home for Mr. Young.

Miss Mabel Seeger has returned home from Frederick where she taught the past year. Miss Seeger has been engaged to teach in the Paul school, south of town, the coming school term.

Mrs. Lewis O'Grady and son, Wm. of Minneapolis, Minnesota, arrived here Saturday and are the guests of the former's niece, Mrs. J. D. Brooker. They will remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Krieman and daughter, Ola, of Saginaw arrived here Wednesday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Guy Landon and other relatives. They expect to remain about a month.

Miss Jennie Little left Tuesday morning to visit with Vassar friends until the latter part of the week. Miss Little has been engaged as teacher of the Deford school for the coming school year.

Venus Rebecca Lodge, No. 254, at their last meeting installed the following officers for the ensuing term: Noble Grand, Minnie Benkelman; Vice Grand, Kate Bailey; Recording Secretary, Mabel Brian; Financial Secretary, Bertha Benkelman; Treasurer, Chas. Travis; Warden, Lucy Lee; Conductor, Libbie Brian; I. G., Merle Gale; O. G., Bell West; R. S. N. G., Daisy Heller; L. S. N. G., Eleanor Usher; R. S. V. G., Maggie Hendrick; L. S. V. G., Jessie Travis; Chaplain, Lottie Schmidt; Past Grand, Sarah Caldwell; Organist, Della Lauderbach.

Join the Clover Club.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Allen on Monday, a son.

Clifton Ball left Friday afternoon for his home in Coldwater.

Miss Carrie Johnson is employed in Mrs. G. W. Goff's store.

Henry Wetlauffer went to Saginaw Tuesday on a business trip.

S. A. Bradshaw and Isaac Agar were callers in Cumber Monday.

Dr. J. E. Thompson of Elkton was a business caller in town Monday.

Miss Clara Kanger left Monday morning to visit in Pontiac and Detroit.

John and Wm. Dickinson were Caseville visitors from Saturday to Monday.

Fred Parker left for Flint and Detroit last Wednesday where he is visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Agar of Caro visited with Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Agar Sunday.

Miss Irene Renshler went to Caseville Monday where she is camping this week.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Doerr and family and Miss Stella Doerr visited in Argyle Sunday.

Burt Mead left Monday for Pontiac and Detroit where he will attend the Cadillac fete.

A little son is gladdening the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Butler. He arrived Monday.

Harley Keating and Marc Wickware went to Caseville Monday for several days' outing.

Editor Geo. A. Shaw, Wm. Schwalm and W. A. Scriber of Pigeon were callers in town Monday.

Alex Miller is employed as mail clerk in the post office, and commenced his duties Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Robinson and children visited at the G. A. Stevenson home in Vassar over Sunday.

Mrs. S. Thomas of Forest, Ontario, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Tibbals from Saturday to Monday.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Clark of Caro visited with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zinnecker, over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Campbell and daughter of Ellington visited with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Schenck Sunday.

Mrs. Howard Lauderbach, who has been visiting in Caro and Akron the past few weeks, returned home Saturday.

Irvin Miller, who has been visiting at his home in Elkton the past three weeks, returned to Cass City Monday.

J. L. Cathcart and son, Creighton, left Monday morning for Detroit where they will attend the Cadillac festival.

Mrs. W. N. Straube and little son, Glenfort, left Monday morning for Pontiac and Detroit for a two weeks' visit.

Mrs. Herbert Frutchey and little daughter, Elizabeth, arrived from Alpena Monday evening from an extended visit.

J. Yakes, Lester Wahling, Wm. Thornton and Gordon Caswell of Deckerville were callers at the home of Rev. Hayward last Wednesday.

I. K. Reid and Dr. S. A. Bradshaw are driving new automobiles. The former has an Overland touring car and the latter an Overland runabout purchased through the E. A. McGeorge & Co. agency.

"Swat the fly" is a good spring and summer time slogan, but it should not be taken too literally. The right time to attack the fly is in the embryo,—the making. A pail of water tintured with formaldehyde poured over a heap of refuse will destroy more flies in five minutes than you can kill by the swat method in a summer. "Swat the fly" but do it principally by keeping your premises clean and free of all garbage in which flies can breed.—Port Huron Times-Herald.

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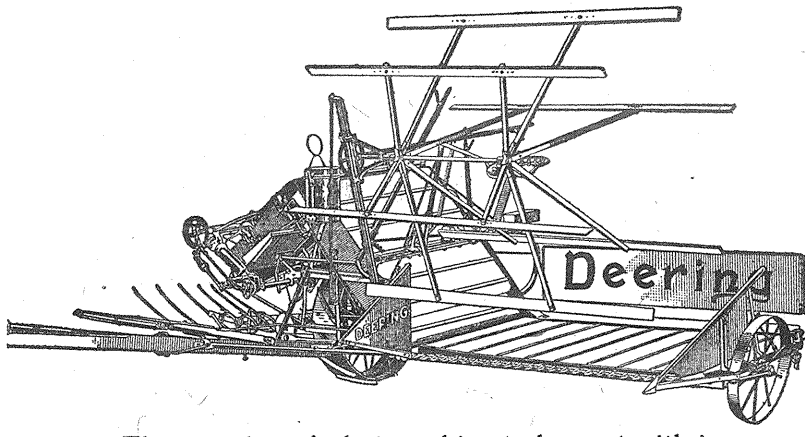
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Mrs. H. E. Webster and son, Henry, of Bad Axe visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rogers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler and son, Irvine, visited in Caro Tuesday. They were accompanied by Miss Eddythe Kolb.

Chas. McCaslin and Mr. Butler of Flint arrived here Monday evening and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Seeger.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bender of Flint arrived here last Wednesday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Walter W. Bender.

Misses Niva and Hazel Gable will leave Friday for an extended visit in Lenox. They will be accompanied by Norris Hartman.

E. W. Jones left Tuesday morning for Pontiac and Detroit where he will attend the Cadillac festival and transact business.

Miss Kate Davis, who has been the guest of the Misses Kolb the past few weeks, returned to her home in St. Johns Saturday morning.

A. S. Williams and three children left Monday morning for Stockbridge where they will attend the Williams family reunion. They expect to be gone about ten days.

Mrs. Anna Halleck of Pontiac arrived here Saturday noon and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weldon. She will also visit in Canboro before her return home.

Join the Clover Club.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison of Rockford spent Tuesday with Cass City friends.

Mrs. A. G. Houghton went to Detroit Saturday, where she is visiting this week.

H. P. Lee returned Tuesday evening from a week's business trip to Detroit and Toledo.

Mrs. H. S. Wickware returned from Caseville Monday where she has been camping.

Edward Fitch left Tuesday afternoon for California where he will remain indefinitely.

Mr. and Mrs. John Profit, sr., are visiting with their son, John Profit, of Bethel this week.

A. G. Houghton went to Detroit Wednesday morning where he will remain for the week.

Miss Mary Gulick and Geo. Collins visited with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Collins in Greenleaf Sunday.

Miss Florence Seeger of Pigeon visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Seeger, Monday. On Tuesday morning she left for Lansing where she will visit about two weeks. Miss Cora Seeger is expected to accompany her home.

Mrs. Lewis Darby, who has been visiting with her sister, Mrs. Anna Parker, and other relatives in this vicinity, left Tuesday morning for Detroit where she will meet Mr. Darby and together they will return to their home in Syracuse, New York.

Join the Clover Club.

Mrs. A. Summers is among the sick this week.

E. A. McGeorge and son, Lewis, went to Detroit, Wednesday.

John Rogers visited in Gageton last week and returned home Tuesday.

Miss Mary E. Terry of Pontiac is the guest of her niece, Mrs. Isaac Agar.

Chas. Rogers of Kingston visited at his home here from Saturday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Blakely of Bad Axe were visitors in town Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Strawn of Washington, Pa., are guests at the home of W. J. M. Jones.

Mrs. Elliott of Ellington arrived here Monday and is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wickware.

Miss Minnie Ross and nephew, Robert Ross, of Detroit, are guests at the home of Elias McKim.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ottoway and Mrs. Burt Ottoway of Gageton were visitors at Chas. Roger's Monday.

Mrs. M. J. McGilvray left Monday morning for a two weeks' visit in Detroit, Cleveland and Buffalo.

Leslie McChesney of Pontiac was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Randall Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Chas. Striffler and two sons, Stanley and Kenneth, have returned to Caseville, where they are camping.

C. H. Mellon has secured the exclusive privilege of dispensing ice cream products at the Cass City Fair Aug. 20-23.

Robt. Charlton, who has been visiting with his brother, Minard, at Ewart for a week, returned home Wednesday evening.

Asa N. Wilcox of Caro was a caller in town Saturday in the interest of his candidacy for the position of register of deeds.

Mrs. Fred Randall of Detroit, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Randall the past month, returned to her home Friday.

Mrs. Wm. Drew and Miss Drew of Detroit arrived here last Wednesday and are visiting with Mrs. Richard Clark and Mrs. G. A. Tindale.

Miss Florence Bowles, who has been the guest of Miss Ethel McGregory for a week returned to her home in Detroit Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Grace Rice returned to her home in Elkton Wednesday after visiting a week with Miss Helen McGregory. She was accompanied home by Miss Helen.

Miss Anna Adair, who has been the guest of Mrs. Della Lauderbach and other friends here the past six weeks, returned to her home in Ausable Thursday morning.

Tuscola county's share in the apportionment of the primary school money is \$61,447.60; Huron county, \$67,392.70; Sanilac county, \$74,537.25. The rate per capita is \$7.45.

Mrs. Chas. Strew of Lapeer, and Mrs. Oscar Heinbaugh and daughter, Isabelle, of Kalamazoo were the guests of their cousin, Andrew Smith, Wednesday and Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock left Sunday for Howell and Detroit where they are spending the week. They were accompanied by Norris Winslow. The trip was made by auto.

Mrs. Jas. Hutson of Argyle was called here last Thursday by the illness of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Schmidt. Mrs. Schmidt had so far improved as to be able to accompany her daughter home Tuesday where she will remain some time.

M. L. Moore returned from Crooket Lake and Kalamazoo Tuesday evening where he has been visiting the past few weeks. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. Wm. Winey, and her daughter, Welma, of Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kelsey have purchased the corner lot across the street from the residence of Chas. Wilsey on West Main street from the Seeger estate. The new owners intend to erect a modern residence upon the same.

Mrs. H. C. Hayward entertained the members of her Sunday school class yesterday. The day was also the tenth anniversary of Eva Hayward's birth and that young lady had several of her little friends present at the parsonage to help her celebrate the event.

Miss Ora Higgins left Thursday morning for Ransford, Montana, where she will visit at the home of her uncle, B. McKonkey. She will be accompanied as far as Havre, Montana, by Mrs. D. S. Cameron of Gageton. The ladies expect to visit with the latter's brother, B. H. Bingham, in Muskegon over Sunday. On Wednesday evening, ten of Miss Higgins' friends gave a farewell surprise party in her honor and presented her with a large box of bonbons. The time was spent in playing games and ice cream and cake were served as refreshments.

Membership in Clover Club \$4.50 Benefits \$6.00.

Cass City Fair August 20, 21, 22 and 23.

A. H. Higgins visited in Caseville went to Detroit Sunday.

Mrs. Oliver, who has been seriously ill, is improving.

Dana Losey took in the Cadillac festivities at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. John Klein and children are visiting in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. David Tyo and son, Jay, spent the first of the week with David Tyo, jr., at Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Young left Tuesday for Canada for a week's visit. The entire trip was made by auto.

Ray Gardner of Detroit was called home the latter part of the week owing to his mother's illness. He returned Tuesday.

Mrs. F. Harrison and son, Charles, of Lake Odessa arrived here Saturday and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bliss.

Mrs. Onor Wright is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Robert Watson, in Dowagiac. This is the first time in 53 years that the two sisters have met.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hollman and two daughters of Detroit came last Thursday evening to visit Mrs. Hollman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Vogel.

The subjects of Rev. Hayward's sermons at the Baptist church Sunday are as follows: Morning, "The Riches of Christ;" evening, "Christ, the Revealer."

Richard Parr, sr., will be 80 years of age on Dec. 23 and says that Tuesday was the first time he ever consulted a physician in regard to his health.

Mrs. E. W. Kaercher and son, Charles, left Tuesday to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kaercher in Elkton the remainder of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pitcher and daughter, Agnes, and two grandsons, Leon and Harry Bostwick, of Pontiac, arrived here yesterday morning to spend a few days with Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ball. The trip was made by automobile.

The republican state convention will meet at the Light Guard Armory in Detroit on Tuesday, Sept. 24, to nominate candidates for state offices. Tuscola county county is entitled to 21 delegates, Sanilac county 25 and Huron county 16.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Crosby left Friday on an automobile trip to St. Charles, Illinois, the birthplace of Mrs. Crosby. They expect to be absent about three weeks and will make the trip by way of Detroit, Cassopolis and Chicago.

Daniel Schneider has purchased the pea harvester building on Main street west from O. K. Janes of Lapeer. He intends fitting the same for a blacksmith shop and as soon as the alterations and improvements are made, he will move to that building.

While driving home from town last Friday evening the horse of Orton Klinkman became frightened by a bicycle and threw the occupants out of the buggy. Mr. Klinkman was bruised badly about his face and head but his little brother and Miss Kate Schwieger escaped with slight injuries.

Several auto loads of friends of Mr. and Mrs. John W. Ball enjoyed a six o'clock self-serve pot luck supper at the Ball country home Wednesday afternoon. Games of various kinds and a mock marriage ceremony provided fun for the company. Out of town guests were Mrs. Fred Harrison of Lansing, Mrs. Wm. Winey of Kalamazoo and Mrs. Krieman of Saginaw. The occasion was a surprise for Mr. and Mrs. Ball.

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Driver wanted. Enquire at Chronicle office. 7-26-1.

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Card of Thanks. To our dear friends and neighbors who so kindly assisted us in life's greatest trial, we tender our sincere thanks. Mrs. A. J. Knapp, sr., and family.

WEST ELKLAND. Misses Janet and Bessie Miller were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hoagland Tuesday.

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Do You Know. That if you have been feeling blue and cross all day you can rid yourself of the burden by taking one or two of Dr. Herriek's Sugar-coated Pills before going to bed. They cure biliousness, stomach disorder and irregular bowels and make you feel fresh, vigorous and cheerful. Price 25 cts. Sold by Wood's Drug Store.

OAK BLUFF BREEZES.

George Gollwitzer returned to Saginaw Monday.

Mrs. Cleaver is visiting her sister, Mrs. Gollwitzer.

Harley Keating is the guest of Marc Wickware.

Mrs. Amelia Cowan left for her home in Crosswell Monday.

Three auto loads from Cass City spent last Thursday at the Bluff.

Marc Wickware and A. H. Higgins arrived at the Bluff Saturday night.

Mrs. C. D. Striffler and sons, Stanley and Kenneth, returned to the Bluff Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wickware and niece and Mrs. Samuel Elliott returned to Cass City Monday.

William and John Dickson and their families and Irene Renshler are camping at Crawford's Grove.

Mrs. J. D. Brooker, sr., who has been spending the past week with her daughter, returned home Monday.

Philip and Emma Muck and Anna Adair returned home last Friday after spending several days at Dev Drop Inn.

Nikelo Hitchcock, Norris Hartman, Herman Doerr and Clayton Parker, who have been spending a week at Scramble Inn, returned home Wednesday.

Join the Clover Club.

EVERGREEN.

Quite a number from here attended the circus in Cass City.

Merle Craig was a caller at James Rodger's over Sunday.

Everett Mudge returned home this week from Port Huron and Detroit where he has been visiting friends and relatives for the past two weeks.

Merle, Zilpha and Arthur Craig visited their sister, Mrs. M. P. Karr, at Gageton Wednesday. Miss Zilpha remained for a few days.

Join the Clover Club.

THUMB NOTES.

The booze gets them every time. "It is an open secret" says one of the best known base ball writers of the Detroit newspapers, "that some of the Detroit players have been drinking heavily lately." This is one of the reasons that Detroit will get no pennant this year. It is also one of the reasons why lovers of clean sport, whose names are legion, get disgusted at times with professional base ball as staged in the Michigan metropolis.—Marlette Leader.

Not in a number of years have the June flies been so numerous in one evening as they were Saturday night in Sebawaing says the Blade. There was no breeze to speak of and that, together with the warmth of the evening, invited the pest by the billions. The street lights had to be extinguished early in the evening. Store fronts were fairly alive and the windows were so cluttered with them as to dim the light from within. There were wild gesticulations as shoppers entered, or departed from, the stores in efforts to fight off the flies. Early Sunday morning the sidewalks were swept off and the dead flies hauled away.

Frozen Apples.

Apples and potatoes when frozen can be restored in good condition if they are thawed slowly. But when thawed rapidly they become flabby and soon decay. The carpets and other coverings we place over plants in winter do not prevent their freezing and thawing, but they do prevent their freezing and thawing too quickly; hence the benefit.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Table with market prices for various goods in Cass City, Mich., July 25 1912. Includes items like Wheat, Oats, Beans, Butter, Eggs, etc.

FERRIS AND HELME ARE CANDIDATES

MR. WOOD WITHDRAWS, GIVING PROFESSOR FERRIS A CLEAR FIELD FOR DEMOCRATIC NOMINATION.

EXPLAINS WHY HIS NAME WAS TO HAVE BEEN USED.

Mr. Ferris Was Candidate Eight Years Ago and Made a Strong Run Against Warner, but Was Defeated.

Woodbridge N. Ferris received a call at his home in Big Rapids Wednesday afternoon from a delegation of original Woodrow Wilson Democrats from southwestern Michigan, headed by Wm. F. McKnight, of Grand Rapids. The committee urged him to consent to have petitions circulated for his nomination for governor on the Democratic ticket at the August primaries. Mr. Ferris says: "It will be a large inconvenience for me to be a candidate. The sacrifices of my private interests that it means to me is not small. But, I am willing to make the sacrifice if it is going to help Gov. Wilson in Michigan. The Michigan democracy owes it to our national candidate to make sacrifices. Had another than Gov. Wilson been nominated at Baltimore, I would not for a moment consider being a candidate."

Eight years ago Prof. Ferris was the Democratic nominee for governor and stumped the state, his main argument being for a comprehensive primary nominations law. There was then no state primary law. Fred M. Warner was running on the Republican ticket for a first term, and he had the hearty support of his party's state organization. Warner and the organization were then only lukewarm on the primary proposition. On election day Col. Roosevelt carried Michigan for president by a majority of 204,887, but Warner's majority over Ferris was but 60,228.

Edwin O. Wood, member of the democratic national committee for Michigan, today telegraphed the secretary of state that he was not a candidate for governor, and requested that no petitions for him be filed. Mr. Wood says he was at no time a candidate for the nomination for governor, and only consented to the use of his name when called out of the national committee meeting at Chicago Monday and informed by telephone that Judge Yaple was disqualified by the state constitution, which prohibits a circuit judge from holding public office for one year after leaving the bench, and that no definite acceptance was at hand from any source with only eleven days left in which to file petitions.

Under these conditions, he said the ticket must be filed and that if there was any fear that the head of the ticket was likely to be vacant, his name could be used, but under no other circumstance, and that if any worthy democrat would make the race, Mr. Wood's name would be withdrawn forthwith.

James W. Helme, who will be a candidate for attorney-general, in a formal statement, says: "The progressive Democrats met at Big Rapids and prevailed upon Prof. Ferris to allow his name to go on the primary ballot for governor. He said at the time that he would suggest me as a good running mate, so there will be a petition circulated for me for nomination for lieutenant-governor with Mr. Ferris representing the progressive wing as opposed to Wood and McDonald representing the reactionaries."

Some Phone Companies Cannot Sell Out.

The supreme court, in an opinion handed down held that a telephone company organized for services between its members, but not for profit and unincorporated, has no right to sell out its business, despite the fact that a majority of the stockholders so vote.

The decision was handed down in the case of the minority stockholders of a farmer's mutual telephone company of Waldron, Hillsdale county, against the Hillsdale County Telephone Co.

Bay City Leper Caught in East.

Samuel Isen, who was employed by Hirschfeld, a leper, and a junk dealer in Bay City, but who, as soon as it was discovered that he was also afflicted with leprosy, left the city, has been locked up in Buffalo, N. Y. The local health officer has made an examination, and states that he is satisfied that Isen is suffering from leprosy.

35,528 Autos Are Licensed in State.

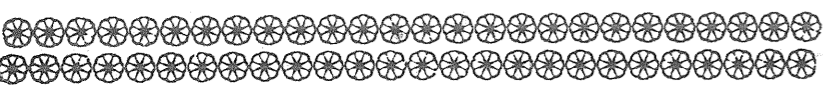
Automobiles are still much more popular in cities than in the villages and rural districts of the state, according to figures given out by Secretary of State Martindale. Of 35,528 licenses issued this year, only 14,205 are credited to the villages and country, while Detroit alone has 9,696, with 2,001 credited to Grand Rapids, and 966 to Lansing.

The Coldwater Portland Cement Co.'s factory was destroyed by fire Saturday.

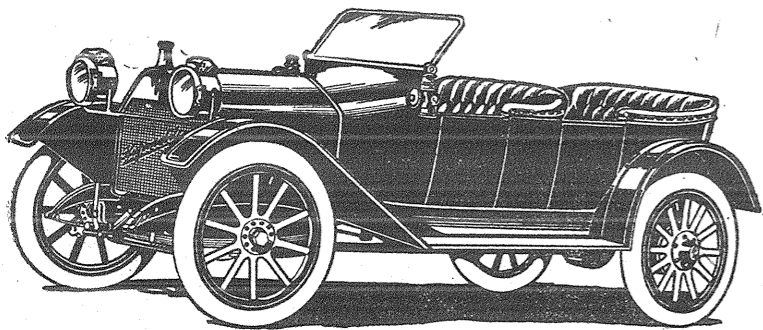
John Trowbridge, a convict who escaped from the Jackson prison farm Tuesday evening, returned Wednesday voluntarily. He told Warden Simpson he slept out of doors and that he awakened in the morning to a realization of his foolishness.

Robert Deiter, "the man of silence," as he has become known since being confined in Escanaba jail, is an escaped inmate of the Marinette county, Wis., insane asylum. When he was picked up he refused to talk or give his name. The sheriff left a piece of paper and a pencil in his cell, and when he returned the man had written his name on the paper.

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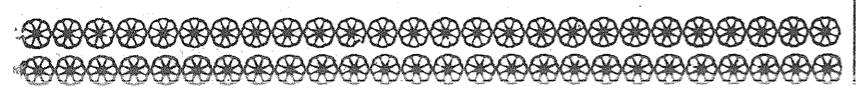
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# THE IMPEACHMENT OF JUDGE ARCHIBALD

### JUDGE ARCHIBALD'S CASE TO COME UP ON JULY 29, EXTENSION OF TIME HAVING BEEN GRANTED.

### HOUSE COMMITTEE VOTES TO UNSEAT REP. CATLIN.

### Various Matters of Note in and About the National Capital Briefly Told.

Request for time to file an answer to the impeachment charges against Judge Robert W. Archibald, of the commerce court, was the only action taken by his counsel, A. S. Worthington, when the defendant appeared at the bar of the senate. Senator Penrose, of Pennsylvania, spoke strongly in favor of granting the jurist ample time to prepare his answer. Seventy days was asked. Attorney Worthington did not enter on his defense proper and would give no intimation as to what line of argument he intends to pursue.

The impeachment court named July 29 as the date on which Judge Archibald must make answer to the 13 counts of his impeachment. The proceedings opened with an unusual degree of solemnity. The first order was a call of the roll of those senators to whom the oath as judges of impeachment had not been administered. None of the senators not sworn was present.

Senator Bailey declared he favored a trial before the summer adjournment and would urge such action, but that he favored giving the attorney for Judge Archibald time to answer the charges.

Mr. Clayton after a conference with the other house managers, suddenly withdrew his objection to the extension of time. The senate then ordered Judge Archibald to answer the charges against him Monday, July 29. The house managers were ordered to present their rebuttal answer August 1 and the limit of time for all supplementary answers was fixed as August 3. At this time the issues in the case will be required to be complete.

### Catlin Used Too Much Money.

By strict party vote the house election committee No. 2 Thursday voted to unseat Rep. Theron E. Catlin, of St. Louis, Republican, and to seat former Rep. Patrick Gill, Democrat. Mr. Catlin's campaign expenses were so great that the committee held his election to have been corrupt. It also held that Gill would have been elected but for the use of money by Catlin's managers.

The vote was six to three. Catlin's majority in the 1910 returns was 1,200. According to the record, Rep. Catlin's campaign expenditures aggregated more than \$13,000. It was contended by his counsel that much of the money was used by his father without the candidate's knowledge. The Missouri law permits the expenditure of \$622.

Rep. Catlin is the son of a millionaire tobaccoist of St. Louis. He is serving his first term in congress, and is 34 years old.

### THE HUDSON FUNERAL.

The body of J. L. Hudson, Detroit, merchant and philanthropist, who died in England July 5, where he had gone in search of rest and health, arrived in Detroit Friday morning. A private funeral service was held at the home on Boston boulevard, and a public service, conducted by Bishop Frederick Deland Leete, for many years Mr. Hudson's pastor, was held in Central M. E. church. The body was placed in the vault in Woodlawn cemetery temporarily.

### STATE BRIEFS.

Arthur Smith, a 19-year-old aviator of Fort Wayne, Ind., completed a successful flight from Hillsdale to Adrian, 36 miles, Friday.

Fire, which destroyed the big hog sheds in McGregor and consumed 200 live hogs, for a time threatened the destruction of the entire town.

James Martin of Escanaba is suing Victor Johnson, a saloonkeeper, for \$5,000 for injuries received when he was hit in the eye by a bear caged in the defendant's saloon.

Miss Beatrice Darby and Daniel T. Vriesema, both of Flint, were married in Alpena by Rev. Dean Hastings, of Trinity church. The people were enjoying an outing at Grand lake and decided it was better to get married now than later.

Battle Creek officials have collected about two dozen valuable round tables and many others of less value from the Battle Creek Table Co., now bankrupt. The raid was made for the purpose of collecting back taxes, which amount to about \$200.

It is said the Michigan Anti-Saloon league will, next spring, devote the greater part of its campaign to the upper peninsula and that an effort will be made to submit the prohibition question in every county north of the straits, except Marquette and Keweenaw.

The Duluth, South Shore & Atlantic railroad is to spend \$500,000 in the building of a new bridge and culverts. George S. Rementer, colored, who was discharged from Jackson prison Monday, is believed to have stolen two suits of clothes and skipped to Chicago. He had been serving a sentence for larceny, coming from Berrien county.

Mrs. William Langosky, wife of a wealthy farmer, is in jail in Grand Rapids, charged with stealing chickens. Her husband says he is too busy attending to business to furnish the required \$500 bail. The woman is the mother of 19 children.

# FORMAL OPENING A GRAND SUCCESS

### Wonderfully Beautiful Scene Unfolded at Belle Isle and Along River Front Never Equaled Before.

Cadillaqua's formal beginning, fireworks display at Belle Isle, brings out the biggest crowd in city's history. Entire lower end of island filled with good-natured swarm of humanity. Thousands of automobiles parked along island driveways.

River fairly covered with motor boats, launches, rowboats, canoes and other craft. River steamers along shore or anchored, and all filled with folk. Dancing lights all over the surface make striking scene.

River front on American side jammed for blocks with people scrambling over each other for best vantage points. Big crowd on Canadian side.

Continuous line of packed street cars moves out Jefferson avenue for three hours in early evening. Terrific crush at departure.

### THE MARKETS.

#### LIVE STOCK.

**DETROIT**—Cattle: Extra dry-fed steers, \$8.00@8.25; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$6.50@7.00; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$5.50@6.25; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$5.50@6.00; grass steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs., \$4.00@4.50; choice fat cows, \$2.00; common cows, \$2.00@2.50; canners, \$2.50@3.00; choice heavy bulls, \$4.00@4.50; fair to good bolognas, bulls, \$3.50@4.00; stock bulls, \$3.25@3.50; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$4.50@5.25; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$4.00@4.25; choice stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$4.00@4.50; fair stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$3.25@3.50; stock heifers, \$3.20@3.50; milkers, large, young, medium age, \$4.00@5.00; common milkers, \$3.00@3.50.

The veal calf trade was active and late arrivals fared better than those on hand early. The general market was \$2.00 for the opening, but at the close the best were closed up quickly at \$3.50, and on the whole good grades were a quarter to a half higher than they were last week, but not enough on sale to supply the demand.

In the sheep and lamb department the trade was also active at an advance of 25c over last week, bulk of the good ones bringing \$7.50. The close was strong at the advance. Sheep and lambs—Best lambs, \$7.50@8.00; fair to good lambs, \$6.00@7.00; light to common lambs, \$4.00@5.00; yearlings, \$4.00@6.00; fair to good sheep, \$2.50@3.75; culls and common, \$1.50@2.25.

The hog trade was steady to 5c higher, top bringing \$7.75. The run in this department was light and practically everything was sold. Hogs—Range of prices—Light to heavy, \$7.00@7.75; \$7.00@7.75; \$7.25; light Yorkers, \$7.50@7.60; stags, third off.

#### GRAIN, ETC.

Wheat—Cash No. 2 red, \$1.02 1-2; July, opened without change at \$1.25, 1-4, touched at \$1.61 1-2, gained 1-32c, declined to \$1.04, and closed at \$1.02 1-2; September opened at \$1.04 1-2 and closed at \$1.04, advanced to \$1.04 1-2 and closed at \$1.04 1-2; December opened at \$1.06 3-4 and declined to \$1.06 1-4. No. 1 white, \$1.01 1-2.

Corn—Cash No. 2, 71c; No. 2 yellow, 71c; No. 3 yellow, 1 car at 76 1-2c.

Oats—Standard, 4 cars at 54 1-2c; August and September, 34 1-2c; No. 3 white, 34c.

Rye—Cash No. 2, 73c.

Beans—Immediate, prompt and July shipment, October, \$2.00; October, \$1.75; Cloverseed—Prime, October, \$9.75.

Flour—In one-eighty paper sacks, patent, \$8.00; jobbing lots: Best patent, \$8.00; straight, \$5.00; clear, \$5; spring patent, \$6; rye, \$5.40.

Feed—In 190-lb. sacks, jobbing lots: Best, \$2.00; coarse middlings, \$2.50; fine middlings, \$3.00; cracked corn, \$1.00; coarse cornmeal, \$3.00; corn and oat chop, \$3.00 per ton.

#### GENERAL MARKETS.

Butter—Extra creamery, 25 1-2c; first creamery, 25 1-2c; dairy, 21c; packing, 19c per lb. Eggs—Receipts, 1,010 cases, candled, 29c per doz.

Apples—\$2.00@2.50 per bushel. Gooseberries—\$2.00@2.50 per bushel. Lemons—California, \$3.00 per box. Oranges—Valencias, \$4.00@4.75 per box.

Pineapples—Florida, \$3.00@3.75 per case. Blackberries—\$1.50@1.75 per 16-quart case. Huckleberries—\$2.00@2.25 per 16-quart case.

Grapefruit—California, \$5.00 per box. Cherries—Sour, \$1.50@1.75 per 16-quart case; sweet, \$2.00@2.25 per 16-quart case.

California cherries—\$1.75@2.25 per box. Apples—Willow twig, \$7.00@7.75 per barrel; new, \$4.50@5.00 per barrel.

Cantaloupes—Lumbos, \$3 per crate; standards, \$3.25 per crate. Raspberries—Red, \$4.50@5 per 24-quart case; black, \$1.40@1.50 per 24-quart case.

Peaches—Georgia Elbertas, \$2 per crate and \$2.25 per bushel; Texas Elbertas, \$2.25 per six-basket crate. New Potatoes—Southern, \$2.75@2.85 per barrel.

Dressed Calves—Fancy, 10@11c; choice, 9c per lb. Honey—Choice to fancy comb, 15@16c; amber, 12@13c per lb.

Tomatoes—Four-basket crates, 90c @ \$1; hot house, 15@18c per lb. New Cabbage—\$1.25@1.50 per crate; home grown, \$1.50@1.75 per barrel.

Onions—Texas Bermudas, \$1.25 for yellow and \$1.30 for white per bushel; Egyptian, \$1.25 per bushel, and \$2.25 per sack.

Live Poultry—Broilers, 24@25c per lb.; chickens, 14 1-2@15c; hens, 14 1-2@15c; turkeys, 16@18c; geese, 10@11c; ducks, 14c; young ducks, 15@16c per lb.

Cheese—Michigan flats, 16@17c; New York flats, 17@18c; brick cream, 17 1-2@18c; limburger, 17@19c; domestic Swiss, new, 22@23c; imported Swiss, 29 1-2@31c per lb.

New beets, 15@20c per dozen; carrots, 15@20c per dozen; cauliflower, \$2.50 per bushel; hot house cucumbers, \$5.00 per dozen; eggplant, \$1.75 per bushel; garlic, 10c per lb.; green peppers, 50c per basket; green onions, 12 1-2@15c per dozen; green beans, 75@90c per bushel; leaf lettuce, 30c per bushel; head lettuce, 75c per bushel; mint, 30c per dozen; parsley, 20@25c per bushel; radishes, 10c per dozen; turnips, 75c per bushel; vegetable oyster, 40c per dozen; watercress, 25@35c per dozen; spinach, 50c per bushel; wax beans, 75c per bushel; green peas, \$1.25 per bushel.

Sylvester "Dad" Hicks of Grant, one of the best known characters in Newaygo county, is dead as the result of injuries sustained some time ago in a motor car accident.

The treaty of mutual trade benefits, which was signed at Ottawa last April by representatives of the British West Indies and members of the Canadian government, has been ratified by all the islands with the exception of Trinidad. It is expected that Trinidad will ratify the treaty within a fortnight. This deal was put through after the Canadian conservatives snubbed American reciprocity.

# Doing Good

"I'm kind of uneasy about my health, doctor," said the major. "I have been suffering from shooting pains in my right side, where my heart is, and all my organs seem out of whack in one way or another, so I thought I'd ask you to examine me and tell me what's wrong and give me a prescription."

"I'll be glad to examine you and prescribe, Major Standoff," replied the doctor, "when you have settled that old account of yours, which has been running for three years. At the last meeting of our county medical association we passed drastic resolutions forbidding members to have dealings with certain people, who are notoriously bad pay, and your name was the first mentioned in this connection."

"Well, great guns!" cried the major. "That I should have to be insulted by a lantern-jawed sawbones right here in this town, which owes its very existence to my heroism and self-sacrifice in the times that tried men's souls! This surely must be an evil dream from which I shall presently wake! It doesn't stand to reason that any man, much less a one horse doctor, would dare to hand such an insult to the pioneer who made the wilderness blossom as the rose!"

"Why, sir, I have been the best friend you ever had since you hung out your shingle. I have boosted you in season and out of season. I took an interest in you from the first, and whenever a friend of mine fell sick I would say to him: 'Call on Doctor Standoff! He is the most divinely gifted physician in these parts.'"

"When old John Bonehead fell sick he was going to send for one of the old established doctors, but I labored with him and exhausted all my eloquence to get him to send for you. Now, I ask you, as man to man, did he send for you on my recommendation or did he not?"

"He certainly did, and I've always felt that it was a low trick on your part. Here I was a stranger in a strange land, a young physician trying to establish a practice, and you unloaded that old deadbeat on me and nearly broke me up in business! I treated him for six months and as soon as he was able to move he jumped the town and I haven't had a cent from him to this day."

"That's your idea of gratitude, sir, is it? When I go forth to the hedges and highways to find patients for you, you think I should be responsible for the bills they run up! I suppose you have forgotten who called you up when old Mrs. Toplofty fell sick. Just as soon as I heard of her illness I nearly founedered myself rushing to a telephone to notify you, knowing that you needed patients. I suppose you have forgotten that kindness?"

"No, I have not forgotten, major, and if it hadn't been for your gray hairs I'd have shown my appreciation with a wet elm club. I was just getting a footing in some of the wealthy homes of the town then. There was a mild epidemic of measles, and I was quite busy and the outlook was encouraging. Then you sent me your confounded telephone message, and I rushed down to see Mrs. Toplofty, and found that she had the smallpox! When my wealthy patrons learned that I was treating a smallpox patient they closed their doors to me. That experience set me back two years, and now you have the nerve to come here reminding me of it!"

"Well, of all the shameless ingratitude that ever defaced the annals of our glorious county this is the worst! This is the reward a man gets for helping the poor and needy, for straining his hind legs rustling around trying to do good! A man may shed blood and sever his heart-strings trying to aid struggling young men, and after years they turn and rend him!"

"Well, you can go to thunder with your medical association. I don't suppose you could tell an attack of glanders from a lunar eclipse, anyhow, and so your diagnosis wouldn't be worth a cent. If I had a sick cow I wouldn't let you prescribe for her. The undertaker was telling me only yesterday that he'll have to buy an extra hearse if you stay here. So I bid you good morning."

### To Make Advertising Pay.

"Use good bait, fresh bait, and patience," is the advice Izaak Walton years ago gave to fishermen, and fishing after all is what men engage in—fishing for business. Have for bait good live copy; fresh, up-to-date "set up" and patiently fish in one pool. You never heard of a successful angler who rushes first to one pool and then to another. Get the best pool known by experience to contain the fish, and lure him on by offering the best bait in your kit. Fishing and advertising are alike.—Philadelphia Inquirer.

### Have Confidence in Fellow-Men.

He who is suspicious not only does injustice to others but injures himself. It is our duty to regard others as being good until they prove themselves to be the contrary. According to this principle I have always treated everybody with whom I have had to deal. Of course, one will have some unpleasant experiences, but one must not be discouraged. One must always approach life and humanity with renewed confidence.—Emperor William of Germany.

# FARMERS MUST FIGHT THE PEST.

Don't allow the manure to accumulate about the barns. Manure is the principal breeding place for flies. Flies do not travel great distances. Most of their life is spent close to where they are hatched and where they get their food. Keep the garbage can closed. Screen the doors and the windows of the farmhouse. Do not pour slop, skim milk or other hog feed on the ground. Filth and flies have no place in modern standards of living.—Kansas Farmer.

# WINGED SCAVENGERS.

Travelers tell us that many oriental countries are content to let dogs be their scavengers and do the work of garbage cans and carts.

We have long been content to let flies finish up after our street cleaners and careless stablemen and to infect our houses by means of their dirty feet.

The fly's legs are well suited to carry bits of filth. Each foot has two claws, by which it clings to rough surfaces, and two pads covered with thousands of tiny sticky hairs, which assist in clinging to smooth surfaces. His feet are constantly becoming ballied up with the contaminating matter which he has traversed, and he frequently stops on our food or dishes to clear his feet.

This mechanical transfer is a slight matter in comparison with the matter excreted—flyspecks. The flies are born in filth too disgusting to describe. Probably ninety-five out of a hundred flies walking over our food were hatched in the filth of the stable or cess-pool.—Bulletin of Health Education League.

### Flying Men Fall

victims to stomach, liver and kidney troubles just like other people, with like results in loss of appetite, backache, nervousness, headache, and tired, listless, run-down feeling. But there's no need to feel like that as T. D. Peebles, Henry, Tenn., proved "Six bottles of Electric Bitters" he writes, "did more to give me new strength and good appetite than all other stomach remedies I used." So they help everybody. It's folly to suffer when this great remedy will help you from the first dose. Try it. Only 50 cents at L. I. Wood & Co.

# MORTGAGE FORECLOSURE SALE.

Notice is hereby given that a mortgage dated the 29th day of November, 1897, was executed by Wilmet Cryderman and Emma Cryderman, his wife, to Samuel Johnson and recorded in the Register of Deed's office in Tuscola county, and state of Michigan, in Liber 95 of Mortgages, on page 19 on the 7th day of December, 1897. That said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Samuel Johnson to Emma Cryderman by a written assignment, dated the 14th day of May, 1903, and recorded in the Register of Deed's office in said Tuscola county, in Liber 100 of mortgages on page 318 on the 15th day of May, A. D. 1903. That default has been made in the conditions of said mortgage and in payment of principal and interest due thereon, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of one hundred and forty-six dollars.

That under the power of sale in said mortgage contained, said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at public vendue to the highest bidder on Monday, the second day of September, 1912, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Caro in said Tuscola county, and that said premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: All those certain pieces or parcels of land situated and being in the village of Reese, County of Tuscola and state of Michigan, described as follows, to-wit: The south half (1/2) of lot No. two (2) and all of lot No. three (3) and lot No. seven (7) in A. M. Rogers addition to the village of Gates, now Reese, as duly recorded in the register's office in Caro and will be sold as aforesaid, to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage with the interest that may accrue thereon after this date and the cost of foreclosure.

Dated June 7th, 1912.  
Emma Cryderman,  
Assignee of Mortgage.  
Quinn, Wixson & Quinn,  
Attorneys for assignee. Business Address, Caro, Mich. 6-7-13

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# Scotia's Firebrand Signal.

Crantara was a military signal employed by the Scottish highland chiefs. It was a firebrand or wooden cross, which after being dipped in the blood of a goat was sent by a swift footed herald, who delivered it without a word save the name of the place of rendezvous. The fleetest runner of that hamlet was instantly dispatched with the signal to the next, whence it was borne to a third, and so on until every village within the chief's domain had received the summons. It was last circulated in 1745.

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Notice of Letting of Banker Imp. Drain

Notice is hereby given, That I, Wm. W. Kelley, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, will on the 6th day of August, A. D. 1912 at the Daugherty Hotel, Village of Deford in said township of Novesta, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain Drain known and designated as "Banker Improvement Drain," located and established in said township of Novesta and described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing in White Creek Drain, Sec. 30, T. 13, N. R. 11 E, and running in an easterly direction traversing said sections 30, 29 and 28, township of Novesta, county of Tuscola, Michigan.

Said job will be let by sections. The section at the outlet of the 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 office of the County Drain Commissioner, 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 bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the work, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, reserving to myself the right to reject any and all bids. The date for the completion of such contract, and the terms of payment therefor, shall be announced at the time and place of letting.

Notice is further hereby given, That at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place hereafter to which I, the Drain Commissioner aforesaid, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits and the lands comprised within the "Banker Improvement Drain Special Assessment District," will be subject to review.

Following is a description of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the Special Assessment District of said Drain, viz: S 1/2 of S 1/2 of NE 1/4 Sec. 30. NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 Sec. 30. N 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SE 1/4 Sec. 30. NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 Sec. 29. N 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and N 1/2 of N 1/2 of SE 1/4 exc. R. R. Sec. 29. S 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 and S 1/2 of N 1/2 of SE 1/4 Sec. 29, exc. R. R. N 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SV 1/4 Sec. 29. N 1/4 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 Sec. 29. N 1/2 of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 exc. R. R. Sec. 29.

S 5-8 of SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 29. S 7/8 of S 1/2 of NE 1/4 exc. R. R. Sec. 29. SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 exc. N 1/2 of NW 1/4 of same Sec. 28. W 1/2 of SW 1/4 Sec. 28. E 1/2 of SW 1/4 Sec. 28. SE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 28. S 1-5 of W 1/2 of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 28. S 1-10 of E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 Sec. 28.

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Now therefore all unknown and nonresident owners and persons interested and you W. S. Ostrander, Mrs. Taylor, C. Silverthorn, Mr. Conley, E. E. Wethey, H. E. Scott, W. A. Parks, H. E. Webster, D. Croop, C. Kilgore, Mrs. Kilgore, Geo. McArthur, Bert Myers, B. O. Watkins, Mrs. C. McArthur, Geo. Spencer, J. W. Spencer, — Seehass, E. R. Bruce, R. O. Curtiss, Wm. Bentley, B. Bentley, A. Stevens, Jas. Bruce, Geo. Roberts, Frutchey Co. Job, Hartwick, Geo. Portier, Sam'l Sherk, C. J. Malcolm, H. Malcolm, G. Hartwell, Misses Northrop and Brooks, C. W. McCain, Mrs. E. Schuhl, P. Daugherty, E. Hartwick, A. L. Howell, A. E. Webster, Mrs. A. J. Lewis, Mrs. Kennedy, J. R. Lewis, Mrs. Mary E. Spencer, Theron Spencer, Lyman Spencer, Wm. Neepner, Wm. McCracken, Mrs. W. W. Balch, Society Hall, Sam'l Powell, J. B. Gage, Ezra Robertson, Jas. Hack, Mack Shaw, John Reid, Allie Curtis, Carrie McCain, F. Curtis, Frank Striffler, R. J. Lewis, Mrs. A. A. Livingston, P. W. Spencer, H. Retherford, Sup. and Morley Palmateer, Highway Com. and each of you are hereby cited to appear and be heard with respect to your special assessment and your interest in relation thereto if you so desire.

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That said drain will traverse the Township of Novesta. Be it further known, That on the 3rd. day of August, A. D. 1912, a meeting of the township board of the township of Novesta will be held at Gekeler School House at 9 o'clock in the forenoon for the purpose of determining whether or not the said proposed drain is necessary and conducive to public health, convenience and welfare; that at such a meeting all persons owning lands liable to assessments for benefits, or whose lands will be crossed by said drain may appear for or against said drain proceedings. Given under my hand this 23rd. day of July, A. D. 1912. WILLIAM KILGORE, Township Clerk of the Township of Novesta.

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DEFORD

Special school meeting evening of 22nd. was a success for those who wanted an up to date house of learning. Business was conducted properly. A booth was erected for the voters to mark printed tickets that read, "To bond the school district for \$5,000 to build a school house—No or Yes." At 7:30 o'clock standard polls were opened and closed at 9:30. Edward Spencer, chairman; George Spencer passed out the ballots and Wm. Parks and Wm. Neepner acted as clerks. 94 votes cast. 54 Yes and 40 No. The bonds will move on ten years time. At the annual school meeting an expression of the voters was taken. The school to be constructed would consist of two rooms with two teachers, dispensing knowledge to the tenth

grade, which no doubt will be carried out. Mrs. Wm. Lamb of Cass City was entertained last week by her cousins, Mrs. E. R. and A. L. Bruce. Rex Nichol of north of Shabbona visited Miss Hazel Walker Sunday. The school meeting held Monday evening to see about building a new school house was a decided success. It was carried to build and proceedings will be started at once. Miss Fishel visited for a week at J. R. Lewis'. Kansom Spencer visited at Geo. Spencer's Sunday. Alger Clark of Kingston visited at Geo. Walker's Sunday. Join the Clover Club.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS. J. H. Mills to J. E. Vatters 40 A. sec. 26, Argyle, \$1. D. McRae to A. McRae 1/2 interest in 80 A. sec. 8, Greenleaf, \$1. A. W. Truesdale to H. VanConant, lot in Shabbona, \$50. E. McDonald to J. Wilson 40 A. sec. 3, Argyle, \$2,500. Emily Mills to Sylvester Harms, 80 A. sec. 12, Argyle, \$2,900. Henry C. Howey to Chas. Jaus, lot 3, blk. 2, Ale's add. to Cass City, \$475. Jas. H. Eno and wife to Luther E. Karr and wife, lot 2, Campbell's add, Cass City, \$350. Fred Lyster to Minnie Hamlin, w 1/2 of ne 1/4 of ne 1/4, sec. 8, Columbia, \$3,050. A. A. Hitchcock to Wm. Weldon, pt. village, Cass City, \$250. Minerva J. Lewis to Theron Spencer and wife, lots 5 and 6, blk. F, Deford, \$100. Theron Spencer and wife to Minerva J. Lewis, lots 5 and 6, blk. F, Deford, \$100. Julia Frost to Frank J. Nash, jr. and wife, lots 3 and 4, blk. 6, Cass City, \$1,525. Wm. H. Abke and wife to Julius R. Abke, ne 1/4 of ne 1/4 sec. 14, Columbia, \$1,525. Elizabeth McLean to John F. Emmons and wife, lot 8, blk. 12, Seeger's add, Cass City, \$200. Luke E. Wright and wife to Martin Anthes, lot 4, blk. 3, Seed's add, Cass City, \$1,000. Martin Anthes to Lavina Wright, pt. sw 1/4 of sw 1/4 sec. 34, Elkland, \$2,000. Caroline M. Fritz to Wm. McCartney, se 1/4 of sw 1/4 sec. 33, Novesta, \$500. Wm. Erwin and wife to Daniel Woodward, e 1/2 of se 1/4 sec. 12, Koylton, \$3,000. Join the Clover Club.

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# The American Home

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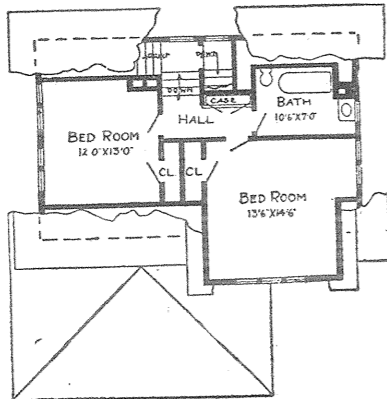
A very artistic cement story and a half cottage may be built after the design illustrated herewith. The size is thirty-six feet six inches in width and thirty feet in length from the front to the back. But these figures, as they read, are somewhat deceiving, as they include the projections, some of which are quite small.

The real size of the house may be estimated better by taking each room by itself, then add the vestibule, buffet, pantry, niche for stove and the back entry way to the kitchen. This is an unusual way to build a cottage house, but it is interesting and attractive.

There is such a thing as having a good deal of convenience in a small space and that is exactly what this plan is intended to give. It is an embodiment of the modern idea, that a small house may be made very comfortable, attractive and convenient, perhaps more so than a much larger house, and the first cost as well as after maintenance is a great deal less. In the dining room the arrangement for the buffet or sideboard is such that it does not project into the room. This is a special feature well worth careful study. The buffet itself is wide and low enough to have a window above to light that side of the room; and it contains many convenient compartments for china, drawers for linen and receptacles for silverware. It is a combination built-in piece of furniture that saves buying a regular sideboard; while its ca-

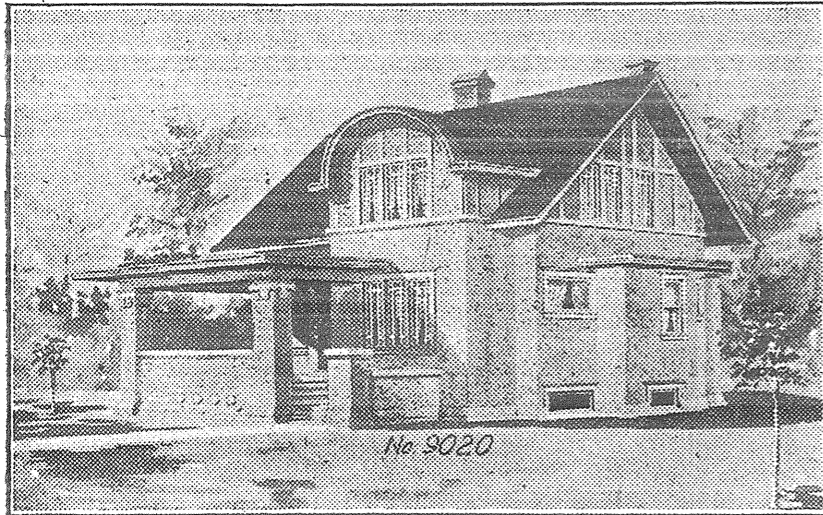
tramping during the day, but this much room seems all right and necessary because we have four doors, a door in each corner. You go down to the cellar, outside, to the pantry and up the combination stairway, all from the kitchen. There is another reason for placing the stairway here, it deadens the noise so you can't hear kitchen work from the large living room.

Every attachment to a machine requires a little extra space. The kitchen is the machinery end of this cottage house and it is a combination of modern improvements in house build-



ing. A peculiar arrangement of stairs is the bringing together of the front stair, which goes up from the living room, and the back stair from the kitchen, bringing them together on a common landing high enough up to give headroom for a little nook or den with a seat or book case at the side and back of the large chimney.

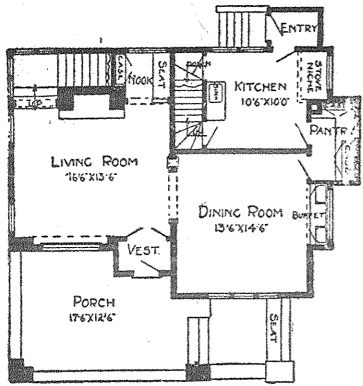
Such nooks are somewhat common in new houses, but most of them cut into the living room without returning an equivalent in extra comfort. This nook, however, is different, for it oc-



capacity is greater and the convenience about double that of the old-fashioned article.

Coming next to the pantry we have another improvement on the old-fashioned way of building pantries. It is done in such a way as to take no room from the house proper. In this respect it follows the plan of the buffet recess, but it is made large enough to furnish a passage from the dining room to the kitchen, with plenty of shelf room for the storage of pantry necessities.

In the kitchen we find another niche in the outside wall to accommodate a range. Sometimes the range is built into the niche in such a way as to prevent the accumulation of dust behind or underneath. Every woman has wondered at the amount of trash that persistently collects under and around the kitchen stove. You may clean it thoroughly one day and the next day find a dust-pan full of wool,



dust, hairpins, burnt matches, etc., that some imp has deposited there in some mysterious way. Then the next convenience is the built-on entry to the kitchen with a double door protection against cold, with another recess intended especially for the ice box. The refrigerator has no business in the kitchen. It is in the way and there is too much heat in the kitchen. Besides, the iceman brings in a great deal of dirt every time he delivers ice. With an entry like this a saving is effected in many ways.

With all these kitchen accessories the kitchen itself need not be very large. The plan calls for an open space ten feet by ten feet six inches, which leaves room for considerable

cuples space that you would otherwise have no use for. There is a large window which makes it light enough for reading or writing, and the book case is big enough to accommodate a fair sized library. A davenport or a built-in seat in this little nook may be long enough to stretch out on with your head to the window, where you get the best light for reading, and the seat or sofa should be wide enough to accommodate about a dozen sofa pillows. The nook really should be lined, both ceiling and sides, with cloth, tufted if you like, to bear out the comfortable, cozy corner idea in every respect, but this is a subject for individual taste. Nooks in cottage house construction offer an exceptional opportunity for decorative effect.

The entire coat of this building is estimated at \$3,000. This figure contemplates the use of high-grade materials throughout and all modern heating, plumbing and lighting equipments.

### His Courage Rewarded.

When the proprietor of a Boston journal gave a dinner to members of his staff a short time ago in Boston, all having in mind his objections to drinking, carefully refrained from indulging. When the dinner was over the publisher rose and said, "Now gentlemen, will any of you have a drink?" There was a chorus of declinations and then a voice of a reporter who had been in Boston newspaper work for many years, broke the silence with "If you do not mind, Mr. —, I will have a highball."

Heads of departments were a look of pain, and reporters waited for the explosion.

The publisher just smiled. "Just so, Mr. —," he said, "I guess I will have one with you."

And the two highballs were drunk with a dozen other diners feeling that after all nerve is a pretty good asset. —Boston Post.

### Looks Like It.

"I am afraid," murmured the czar, as he listened to more reports of projected assassinations, "that my namesake is breaking out again."

"Your majesty's namesake?" queried his minister respectfully.

"Yes," replied the czar. "Old Nick."

## THIRD POLITICAL PARTY IS FORMED

THE PROGRESSIVES ARE NOW ORGANIZED TO PUT UP FULL TICKET IN STATE.

FEATURES OF THE PLATFORM THAT WAS ADOPTED.

Roosevelt's Wishes Seem to Have Been Fully Complied With and "Stub Ticket" Eliminated.

For governor—Senator L. Whitney Watkins.  
For United States Senator—Theodore M. Joslin.  
For congressman-at-large—Nathan P. Hull.

The final result of the convention held by Progressive Republicans at Jackson is that a complete ticket will be put in the field. A separate state organization is formed and a resolution was adopted declaring in favor of new party state, county, congressional, legislative, city, township and ward tickets. Former Republican State Chairman Frank Knox had made himself the leader of the state-ticket faction. He fought hard against the third tickets locally. It was plain that the Knox faction were in a bad way before the convention convened and with the arrival of Sen. Dixon and his declaration for the go-the-limit policy, Knox surrendered. When the resolution introduced by W. H. Hill, of Detroit, declaring for the third state, county and local tickets came up for discussion, Knox took the platform and said:

"Col. Roosevelt has seen fit to change his mind as to the course we should pursue. The first orders I took from anybody as a boy just out of college were from Col. Roosevelt, as a member of his rough rider regiment. I am still taking my orders from Col. Roosevelt. I will support and work for a third party ticket all down the line."

The convention chose presidential electors, national delegates and alternates and state central committee as follows:

### Presidential Electors.

At large—Virgil Hungerford, Coldwater; Charles James, Detroit; C. C. Dekamp, Lansing. First district, W. H. Hill, Detroit; second, H. S. Dean, Ann Arbor; third, W. S. Powers, Battle Creek; fourth, F. R. Belknap, Randolph; fifth, Gilbert Hahn, Holland; sixth, Harry S. Chapman, Oakland; seventh, Edward S. Black, Marine City; eighth, Orson B. Randall, Tuscola; ninth, R. J. McDonald, Muskegon; tenth, Luther G. Beckwith, Bay City; eleventh, S. D. Eldred, Mt. Pleasant; twelfth, Bates G. Burt, Marquette.

### State Central Committee.

Charles P. O'Neil, Detroit, chairman; first district, Charles P. O'Neil and P. G. Davis, Detroit; second, John Breck, Jackson, and R. G. Dobson, Ann Arbor; third, F. A. Rothlisberger, and J. A. Wagner, Hillsdale; fourth, J. M. Harvey, Jr., Constantine, and R. H. Sherwood, Watervliet; fifth, Oscar Braman, Holland, and William Dekleine, Grand Haven; sixth, Ira T. Sayre, Flushing, and W. S. Kellogg, Battle Creek; seventh, W. T. Bope, Bad Axe, and Jefferson G. Brown, Port Huron; eighth, Charles Ganshaw, Saginaw, and Edward G. Mason, Corunna; ninth, Frank S. Burbank, Oceana, and E. V. Dana, Muskegon; tenth, L. G. Beckwith, Bay City, and E. L. Gardiner, Midland; eleventh, J. T. Dunwoodie, Clare, and Dr. Nelson Abbott, Missaukee; twelfth, Dr. W. T. Feetham, second member to be named.

### Features of the Platform.

The platform adopted contains these planks:

We favor a presidential primary law giving to the people the right to vote directly for their choice of president, with a clear provision that the delegates selected shall choose a national committeeman whose term of office shall begin immediately after the holding of said primary election and prior to the making of the temporary roll of membership in the national convention.

We favor the initiative, the referendum and the recall.

We favor the recall of all officials when corrupt or incompetent.

We condemn the usurpation by the judiciary of those functions of government which belong to the legislative department by giving to statute law the force and effect not intended by the elected legislative servants of the people.

We favor the separation of the judiciary from politics.

We favor principles rather than men.

We favor a law which shall compel all candidates for office upon the state ticket and candidates for United States senator and congressmen and each candidate for the legislature to file with the secretary of state, at least 30 days before election of principles upon state and national issues.

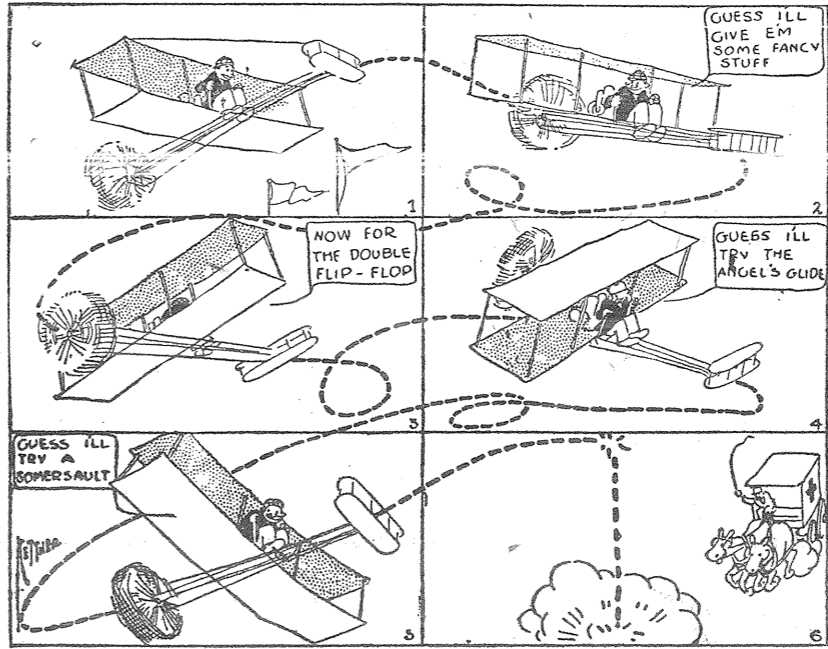
We favor the passage of a corrupt practices act governing both primaries and elections, with ample penalties for violations of the same.

We favor a continuance of the present policy of greater economy in state affairs, to the end that taxes shall not increase out of proportion to the increase of the state's population and assessable wealth.

Lieut. Preusser, a German military aviator, was killed in Leipzig as he was making a landing after a flight. The machine turned over twice after it struck the ground, the aviator being caught beneath the engine.

Corunna's council has instructed the city attorney to draw up a new franchise for the Michigan United Traction company. In the franchise drawn up by the company, they agreed to run their cars only partially through the city. The members of the council state that they will have to run them to their former terminal or give up their franchise.

## FOOLISH SEASON



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### SHABBONA.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fox spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Marlette.

A large number from here attended Sun Bros' show in Cass City Friday.

Miss Bess Burns of St. Louis, Mich., is visiting her cousin, Mrs. H. W. Ehlers.

Mrs. E. A. Phillips spent this week with her daughter, Mrs. Steve Mudge, near Deford.

Dist. Supt. Rev. Balmer preached in the M. E. church Friday evening.

Harve VanConant accompanied by his brother, Earnest, and wife visited Sunday with their sister at North Branch.

A young son arrived at the home of John D. Jones July 17 and intends to stay.

Geo. H. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Nique were Sandusky callers Tuesday afternoon.

The L. D. S. Sunday school held their annual picnic in Geo. Jones' grove Thursday.

The Ehlers Auto Co. sold a Sampson touring car to Thos. Colwell of Cass City last week.

Geo. Parrott spent a few days this week in Detroit attending the Cadillaqua.

Join the Clover Club.

### KINGSTON.

Mrs. Cynthia Pelton is numbered with the sick.

Mrs. Fred Henderson of Marlette spent the last of the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dockham.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Heineman and daughter, Margaret, are spending a week in Detroit and Port Hope.

Miss Ethel Reid returned Saturday evening from Detroit where she has been visiting relatives.

Miss Dollie Ross of Deford spent Saturday with her sister, Mrs. Chas. Wolven.

Mrs. Willis Sifert and Miss George of Hamilton, Ont., are visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bell, for a few days.

Mrs. Wm. Dixon of Lum spent a few days last week with Mrs. Henry Harris.

Ed. Hart of Wilmot was a caller in town the last of the week.

Miss Gladys McArthur of Elkton is spending a couple of weeks with Miss Laurel Ealy.

Mrs. Benj. Marshall of Orwell, Ont., is visiting at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Ryckman.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Hopps, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd W. Hops and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Hood spent Sunday with friends in Pontiac. They made the trip by automobile.

Master Carl Bolton of Lapeer visited his aunt, Mrs. Chas. Wolven, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. C. DeVon Soper and children are visiting relatives here for a few days.

Mrs. B. J. Flummeifelt of Detroit is spending some time with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Ryckman.

Mrs. Wm. Ross spent the first of the week at the home of Mrs. Jas. McCormick of Wilmot.

Albert Hunter of Dayton was a Monday caller in town.

Messrs. Martin Burns and Neil Burns were Caro callers Saturday.

Miss Hattie Van Horn is visiting friends in Marlette this week.

The Misses Cecile and Pearl Legg left Monday night for Pontiac and Detroit where they will visit relatives.

Winfield Cottrell, township clerk of Dayton and candidate for county clerk, was a caller in town Monday.

Henry Weaver left Monday evening for a few weeks visit with relatives in eastern Pennsylvania.

Arthur Legg was a business caller in Pontiac Monday and Tuesday.

Mrs. John Gray and son, Lloyd, of Pontiac are visiting relatives here this week.

Chas. Schmittka of Marlette was a Saturday caller in town.

Dr. Teller, V. S., of Marlette was a caller here Tuesday.

J. B. Beverly was a Caro caller Monday.

Miss Helen Warner of Almont is visiting Miss Vera Haskin this week.

Harvey Clark transacted business in Caro Monday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. Sutphen and Rev. Peter Upper and family spent Saturday in Wilmot.

Alger Clark was a Deford caller Sunday.

Miss Katie Gregor returned home from Hamtramck Saturday.

Mrs. C. L. Moore died Tuesday at her home west of town after an illness of about a year. Funeral was held at the house Thursday afternoon. Join the Clover Club.

### ELMWOOD.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley McCalf of Ellington visited at John Hartley's Sunday.

Mrs. Streeter has been suffering with tonsillitis for a few days, but is better at this writing.

Jay and Ethel Hartley visited their grandmother, Mrs. E. Hyzer, in Brockfield Wednesday.

John Peddie is very sick at his home in Elmwood with pleural pneumonia.

Harvey Streeter and John Hartley visited Fred Streeter at Unionville Wednesday and Thursday.

Wm. Ware moved in their new house Wednesday and will soon be nicely settled.

Mrs. John Nimean and children of Saginaw are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Hendrick.

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### PINGREE.

Quite a number from this locality attended the circus at Cass City.

Samuel Wheaton has completed a drilled well for Dugal Duncanson, going to a depth of over 200 ft., but the well is overflow and saves extra expense for wind mill, etc.

On a special price of farm land in or about this locality, the exact location cannot be learned, it is reported to be a certainty that paying quantities of ore have been struck, gold predominating.

Cultivate the cucumbers. There is gold on our backs when the vines begin to bear.

Well, we are all liable to make mistakes. But a friend is a friend who says be careful. Sunday school lessons are good literature but should not be mixed in with politics. The Deford scribe in a recent item mentioned something in regard to my piety. In answer, I remark, "Judge no man, lest ye be judged also."

James Mudge has treated his new barn to a coat of paint.

Mrs. Wellington Ritter and little son, Russel, are visiting at the home of William Flint.

Miss Edna Wallace of Minden City is reported to be engaged to teach our school for the ensuing year.

Robert Craig has just completed a new poultry house.

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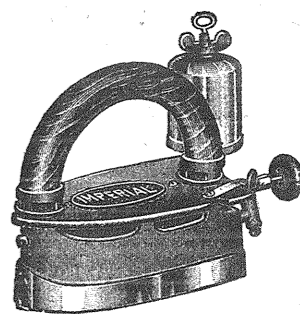
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