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The WEEK'S DOINGS

Shop early.
Supervisor Geo. Hall drives a Ford touring car.
Mrs. Arthur Wood of Brookfield was a caller in town Tuesday.
J. A. Sandham was in Mayville on business the first of the week.
Sam'l Champion and Clifton Champion are in Bad Axe on business this week.
Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Ward returned home Tuesday after spending several days with friends in Flint.
Mrs. James Young of Grant visited Mrs. A. T. Craft Friday and Saturday.
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wood of Brookfield called on friends here Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Moore of Colwood were guests at the home of A. T. Craft Sunday.
Miss Hazel Pell of Saginaw was the guest of her sister, Miss Audrey Pell, from Wednesday to Saturday.
D. J. Gillam of Polon, Montana, was a guest at the home of F. E. Kelsey Tuesday and Wednesday.
Harley Keating of Detroit was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Keating, over Sunday.
Miss Bessie Russell, who has been employed with Mrs. M. J. McGillyray, expects to return to her home in Royal Oak Friday.
Mrs. Ray Johnston and son, Lee, returned to their home in Boyne City Thursday after spending a week at the home of J. B. Tindale.
Miss Etta Schenck entertained the Priscilla Club at her home Tuesday evening. Plans for a Christmas party were discussed during the evening.
The M. E. Ladies' Aid society will hold the business meeting at the home of Mrs. W. T. Schenck next Tuesday afternoon, Dec. 9. The election of officers will be held at this time.
Miss Mary Ann Murphy and Master Clinton Helwig returned home Monday after spending two weeks with friends in Detroit, Sandusky and Bad Axe.
Hugh Seed received a letter Saturday from his sister in County Down Ireland, informing him of the death of his brother, William Seed, of that county. The funeral services were held November 13.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Black and daughter, Irene, of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Black of Greenleaf, and Charles Mitchell of Elmwood spent Thanksgiving at the home of E. W. Keating.
W. N. Straube was called to Lafayette, Indiana, Tuesday on account of the serious illness of his sister. Mrs. Straube accompanied him as far as Pontiac where she will visit a short time.
Mrs. Edmond Treadgold left Monday with her daughter, Mrs. Henry Waldon, for the latter's home in Detroit. She will visit there three or four weeks and on her return to Cass City will make her home with her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Karr.
The Presbyterian church parlors present a pretty scene today. The ladies of that society are conducting their first annual bazaar. Tonight there will be fun galore when Mrs. Bangs entertains with her rag doll concert.
Thursday evening, Dec. 11, is the date of the lecture of Mac Innes Nelson, the Scotch poet, at the opera house. This lecture is given as a number of the lecture course and Mr. Neilson is recognized as an entertainer of unusual ability.
Mrs. I. B. Auten and daughter, Miss Madeleine, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Seeley at Caro the first of the week and on Monday evening attended the lecture on "Abraham Lincoln," one of the numbers of the lecture course at the county seat.
A civil service examination will be held at Cumber on Saturday, Dec. 13, for the purpose of filling the position of postmaster at that point, D. A. Preston, the present postmaster, having offered his resignation to the department because of ill health. The compensation of the postmaster at this office last year was \$215.
Today is the second day of the second annual show of the Cass City Poultry and Corn Growers Association. This exhibition is of special interest to tillers of the soil and poultry breeders and should have a liberal patronage from the public in general as well. The show closes Saturday night.
The funeral of Edmond Treadgold was held at the Baptist church Friday afternoon, Rev. H. C. Hayward officiating, and interment was made in the Elkland cemetery. Relatives from a distance in attendance at the funeral were Elight Treadgold, a brother of the deceased, of Forest, Ont.; Dr. and Mrs. G. H. Treadgold of Pt. Huron, the former a son; Mrs. Henry Waldon of Detroit, a daughter; and Dr. H. S. Karr, a grandson, both of Akron.
The first regular meeting of the Junior Ethical Culture Club was held at Miss Auten's home Friday afternoon at 2:30. The following officers were elected: Helen Wilsey, president; Theima Hunt, vice president; Irene Bardwell, secretary; Neva Johnson, sergeant-at-arms. The first lessons in character building, etiquette, hygiene and art were given, followed by physical culture exercises. Occupation work for the afternoon was basketry. Puffed rice candy was served. The Junior Club will be composed of 20 members.

E. W. Jones made a business trip to Detroit Tuesday.
Stanley Graham returned Friday from Detroit where he spent several days.
Jno. Crocker returned home Monday after a few days' visit with relatives in Saginaw.
Mrs. Frank White and Miss Irene Bardwell were callers in Caro Friday.
Thomas Whitfield and Mrs. William Robinson went to Gray County, Ontario, Saturday to visit relatives for a short time.
Miss Malvina Campbell returned home Monday after spending several days at the home of C. H. Mellon at Pontiac.
Miss Della Martin returned Tuesday from Shabbona where she has been employed as nurse for the past month.
J. H. McConkey and two daughters, Viola and June, of Cleveland are the guests of Mr. McConkey's sister, Mrs. John Higgins.
John Copland, Harry Crandell and Neil Fletcher left Monday afternoon for Chicago to attend the International Live Stock Exposition.
Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Goodyear, who have been visiting at the home of B. B. Yoder, left Monday for their home in Middlebury, Ind.
Mrs. L. B. Middleton of Croswell and Mrs. Frank Middleton of Volga were guests at the home of E. L. Middleton the first of the week.
Mrs. M. M. Schwegler, Mrs. W. F. Keiser and children, Irene and Kenneth, and Miss Mattie Striffler were the guests of Mrs. George Zinnecker at Owendale Saturday.
Michael Sheridan suffered a stroke of paralysis on Thanksgiving Day shortly after 5:00 p. m. His condition was considered quite serious at first, but the last few days have shown much improvement.
Rev. and Mrs. Hamblin, Misses Ethel McGregory and Madeline Auten and Meredith Auten dined at the Bepfgen home Friday night. The dinner was given in honor of Miss Blair of Caro, guest of Miss Beryl Koepfgen for the week end.
Mrs. J. N. Dorman has received word that her sister, Miss Louise Wood, was united in marriage to Walter McMillan on Nov. 18 at Coscut, D'Alene, Idaho. They expect to make their home at Warden, Idaho, this winter, later going to California.
Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath, jr., entertained Mr. and Mrs. Charles Randall and two children, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Spaven and son, Watson, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Spaven, Mrs. Mary Randall and Mr. and Mrs. John McGrath, sr., at their home Thanksgiving Day.
Michigan is gradually waking up to the necessity of medical and dental inspection in the schools, Saginaw, E. S., is the latest recruit to the ranks of progressive districts which have dental inspection. Medical inspection in the Rochester, N. Y., schools brought out the fact that twenty-five children of every one hundred had enlarged tonsils or adenoids, seventy-five of each one hundred had enlarged glands, and ten of every one hundred had deformed or broken noses.
The Y. P. A. of the Evangelical church held their monthly business meeting at the home of Rev. D. J. Feather, Tuesday evening. During the business meeting, the semi-annual election of officers was held and the following results obtained: President, Lena Mark; vice pres., E. W. Kaercher; corresponding secretary, Elsie Buchler; recording secretary, Alvin Benkelman; treasurer, C. J. Striffler; missionary secretary, Martha Striffler; organist, Margaret Striffler; chorister, William Bien. After the business session refreshments were served and a very pleasant social hour was spent.
Joseph Rushio lost a fine horse when the animal ran into a telephone pole and received so severe an injury when its ankle was broken that it had to be killed. The accident happened in an automobile mix-up west of town Friday evening. Isaiah Waidley, the driver of the machine, says he was driving west and he overtook Mr. Rushio at the Allard farm. He sounded the auto horn and thought that the buggy was turning out. When he was quite close to the rig, he discovered that the buggy was still keeping straight ahead. He was going at good speed and was heading towards the tree which stands near the highway at that point. He was too close to the tree to stop before reaching it and attempted to go between the tree and the buggy, colliding with the latter. The rig was overturned but fortunately Mr. and Mrs. Rushio escaped without injuries.
More Locals on Page Four.

Order your flowers for the holidays early in order to avoid the rush. All phone, mail or telegraph orders will receive prompt attention. Cut flowers, palms, ferns, etc., for all occasions at Oxford Greenhouse, R. W. Unger, successor to O. A. Stoll, Oxford, Mich. 11-28-5

Best line of leather purses, handbags and mesh bags in town at Treadgold's Drug Store.

For sale cheap. Brown mare, 6 years old. W. C. Morse, Gageton, R. 2. 11-21-5p.

All winter coats sold at great reductions at Mrs. G. W. Goff's 12-5-

Jones' 10c counter and souvenir line is complete.

For Sale.
All kinds of second hand cook stoves and heating stoves in good shape; also one hard coal burner good as new. See me before buying. W. L. Ward. 12-5-2p.

PURITY CONGRESS

Nothing Like Sunlight to Purify and Cleanse Darkened Places.

Bluff Park, Minn., Nov. 22, 1913.
Dear Chronicle:
It was my privilege a short time ago to attend some sessions of the 7th International Purity Congress held in Minneapolis Nov. 7-12, so thought perhaps I could convey, through the columns of the Chronicle, some of the splendid work being accomplished in favor of social purity.
The Congress was a marked success. It was held in the Westminster Presbyterian church, one of the largest in the city. The house was generally filled at each session, one feature being that there was no music or any special function to draw the people other than the speaking. There were speakers from all parts of the United States, Canada and some of the foreign countries. Each were given from thirty to forty minutes to speak, so we had a chance to hear various speakers at each meeting.
Living in a small town like ours, one can hardly imagine the social evils existing in the large cities. We often get glimpses of them in the newspapers, but to listen to one tell of different instances makes them seem vitally real.
Much is being done to bring to light, and expose many places of these evils. As one speaker told us, that there was nothing like sunlight to purify and cleanse darkened places, likewise such deadly vipers could not stand the light.
There was much stress put upon the fact that many were led astray through ignorance. If parents would only teach their little ones that they are to be the fathers and mothers of the future, and help them to realize the sacredness of being the best kind, that when they were a little older their minds would not be poisoned by some of their playmates.
It was pointed out too, that a parent should not hush up or give some evasive answer to a child who entreated an answer about some things beyond its knowledge. But to answer plainly and with serenity, so that there would be no doubt left in the child's mind to grow and gain satisfaction elsewhere. And too, if parents could realize what a sacred trust it was to have a little life given into their care to mould and fashion so as it may have the highest God-given privilege—perfect manhood or womanhood. There is certainly much good being done by these Congresses held every year or two. And I am sure every one who attends deems it a great privilege.
I am enjoying myself very much in Minnesota. We were very much surprised to hear of the awful storm which passed over Michigan, because we have been having such mild weather here most of the fall. It is a very pretty country here. The hills are beautiful, the land being so rolling. I have a great time standing up for Michigan, because every one here thinks there is no state like their own Minnesota.
Yours respectfully,
MYRTLE MEAD.

WELLS-RAWSON

Pretty Home Wedding on Afternoon of Thanksgiving Day.
A quiet wedding ceremony was performed Thursday at 2:00 p. m. at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Wells of Kingston township, when their daughter, Sybil, was united in marriage to Everett Rawson of Northeast Elkland. The couple was attended by Miss Laura Wells, sister of the bride, and Audley Rawson, brother of the groom, and Rev. G. A. Pee of the First M. E. church tied the knot. After the ceremony a wedding dinner was served to the fourteen guests, which included only the immediate families of the bride and groom, at tables prettily decorated for the occasion.
The bride is well known to Cass City people, having attended school here and been employed at Jones' Grocery for some time. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Rawson, prosperous farmers in North east Elkland, and is interested vitally in agricultural pursuits. At present the couple are visiting at the groom's parental home.
Ask to see those handsome manure sets in leather travelling cases at Treadgold's Drug Store.
Span of mules for sale. Harry Young. 9-19-
Treadgold's line of Xmas stationery, fountain pens and Lowneys Box candy is the best ever.
Thoroughbred Rose Comb Brown Leghorn roosters for sale. Matt Parker, R. 2, Cass City. 11-21-2p
Little pigs for sale. John Crocker. 12-5-2
Residence rooms over Doerr's sample rooms for rent. Enquire at Gordon Tavern. 12-5-2
For Service.
Thoroughbred Red Jersey boar 1 mile west, 80 rods south of Shabbona. Samuel Hamilton.
Pencil free with every 5c purchase of stationery on Saturday and Monday, Dec. 6 and 8. Thos. Cross.
Fur caps at Crosby & Son's from \$2.00 to \$3.00.
Yes, John Striffler has some apples to sell. 9-7-8p

PROMOTED ENTERTAINMENTS

Merely a Graft Being Successfully Worked in Small Towns.

Every once in a while, lately considerably oftener, a smooth individual blows into the smaller towns and proceeds to promote an entertainment for the benefit of some local church or charity, allowing the locals the privilege of furnishing the talent, expenses and nearly everything pertaining to the show, and the added pleasure of dividing the receipts with the promoter on a basis of 60 and 40, the long end going to the outsider. Croswell has had several of these during the past year and all have tried out about as that of the Presbyterian ladies last Friday night says the Jeffersonian.
This was a case where the ladies worked their heads off to get up a performance, drilled the youngsters for over a week and the promoter arrived one day before the show, furnished some costumes and took 60 per cent of the \$50 taken in at the door, while the ladies paid all the expenses and netted some \$13 for their week of hard work.
The promoter also takes advantage of the public spirit of the people inasmuch as all have to "boost" for the show, the newspapers give the advertising, and the friends of the particular institution that is chaperoning the venture attend whether they want to or not, because it is for their benefit. It is for their benefit, that is 40 per cent of it, is the balance goes to an individual who goes to the next town with a feeling that there is no graft easier to work, and the writer has personally heard many of them boast of their success along the line of "working" the people during his 12 years experience managing an opera house.
We do not know how the ladies feel about the graft, but we do know that hereafter any "promoted" show that gets any advertising in the Jeffersonian will pay the full rates for the same. We have no objection to doing a reasonable amount of free advertising for the local institutions, but will not donate 60c to some outsider in order to give the home people 40c.

NEW SHERIDAN SOLD

J. W. Honsinger of Lexington is New Proprietor.
The Farmers and Lenox Real Estate Agency announce the sale of the New Sheridan hotel and furnishings to J. W. Honsinger of Lexington. Michael Sheridan, who parts with the model hotel he built in 1900, receives Mr. Honsinger's 150-acre farm on the deal. This farm is located just outside the village limits of Lexington and is four miles from Croswell.
Mr. and Mrs. Honsinger, the new proprietors, are experienced hotel people, having conducted a hotel at Kindo and the Croswell House at Croswell for several years. They have not taken possession yet at the New Sheridan.
Mr. and Mrs. Sheridan have been in Cass City for many years, first commencing business in the building now occupied by Schwaderer's Restaurant. They are well known to the travelling public and have conducted one of the best houses in the Thumb.

CIRCUIT COURT CASES

More Added to List Published Last Week.
In addition to the list of criminal cases of Tuscola county published last week, the following have also been placed on the circuit court calendar:
The People vs. John Robie, Gottlieb Rheinhardt, assault with intent to do great bodily harm less than the crime of murder.
The People vs. Wellington Durfy, same charge.
The People vs. Michael Gordon, larceny from the person.
The People vs. Luke Flynn, larceny from the person.
The People vs. Chas. Connors, larceny from the person.
The People vs. Frank Gable, larceny by conversion.
Notice.
50 pr. men's rubbers at A. A. Hitchcock's for lower than cost. 85c rubbers 60c; 95c rubbers 60c; \$1.15 rubbers for 75c. Fine new warm shoes to close out very cheap. Men's warm caps, 50c caps for 35c; \$1.00 caps for 60c. Men's and boys' Duck-lined coats 75c and \$2.00. Must close them out. A. A. Hitchcock.
For Sale.
Thoroughbred Duroc sow with 10 pigs; also grade sow with 7 pigs. Phil Quinn, first house west of Bethel church. 12-5-1p
Lost—Neckyoke of sulky plow. Leave at Chronicle office. 12-5-1p
Fine Single Comb Brown Leghorn cocks and cockerels for sale; laying strain. Chas. S. Karr. 12-5-2
Thoroughbred S. C. Brown Leghorn cockerels and a few yearling hens for sale. Write Harry Rockwell, Brown City, Mich. 12-5-4
House to rent or for sale on easy terms. Mrs. L. E. McConnell. 11-21-
Wanted at Once.
Experienced men for lumber woods. Inquire of Thos. B. Townsend. 12-5-1
Money to loan. L. I. Wood, agent.

FILLWOCK-GRAHAM.

Miss Freda Fillwock of Croswell and Chester Graham, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Graham of this place, were quietly married at the home of the bride's sister, Mrs. Grace Ferguson, of Detroit, on Wednesday, Nov. 26. On Thursday the bride and groom were given a dinner at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Graham at Detroit.
Mrs. Graham was employed at Mrs. M. J. McGillivray's last year and won many friends during her stay here. Before her marriage she was employed in a millinery store at Port Huron. Mr. Graham is one of our Cass City boys and until a short time ago was employed in a local barber shop. At present he is employed in a barber shop at Port Huron. The young couple will make their home in that city.

MAIL XMAS PARCELS EARLY

That is the Request of Post office Department.

This year is the first "Christmas test" of the parcel post, as it had its inception last New Year's day and plans are being formulated to eliminate all chances of a congestion of the postal service during the holidays.
"Of course we will do all in our power to avoid a serious congestion," said an official of the postal service, "but it is up to the patrons to assist in not waiting to mail parcels at the last minute."
"The department will permit them to use the label of 'Do not open until Christmas,' so I don't see why they should wait until the last few days before Christmas, to mail their gifts."
"How much better it will be to have their Christmas gifts reach their destination a few days before Christmas than to take a chance by waiting until the last minute and then have them arrive a few days late."
"We expect the biggest year's business in the postoffice of the United States has ever known and it is not improbable that the rush will far exceed our expectations. At the very least we will be taxed to our utmost efficiency. Thousands of parcels and packages which the express companies have been handling will now be ours and as it will be the first parcel post Christmas for us we hardly know what we will be up against."
"We are especially anxious to impress upon the public the necessity of wrapping their parcels properly to insure against damage, complete loss and loss of the addresses. Carelessness in the wrapping of parcels may mean the entire loss of the contents, extra work for the clerks and much loss of valuable time during the rush."

COMING FARM SALES

Three Are Advertised in the Chronicle Today.
Wm. J. Sinclair has rented his farm, 2 miles east and 1 1/2 miles north of Greenleaf station, and will sell his personal property at auction on Tuesday, Dec. 9. A complete list of the property offered may be found on page 7.
Barney N. Perry, 1/2 mile east of the Sunshine church, will have an auction sale on Monday, Dec. 15. Particulars on page 6.
Mrs. Edmond Treadgold will have a furniture sale on Saturday, Dec. 13. The list is advertised on page 6.
Striffler & McCullough are the auctioneers at all the above sale.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Gilford Ruggles, 53, Canada; Mrs. A. J. Henderson, 44, Kingston.
Arthur T. Garner, 28, Denmark; Clara Frahm, 23, Frankenthum.
Emil J. Zwerk, 25, Denmark; Elizabeth Sigelkow, 20, same.
Nelson Sherman, 21, Watertown; Flossie German, 18, Arabela.
Emery O. Rutledge, 25, Silverwood; Jeannette M. Campbell, 25, same.
Stewart G. Phelps, 21, Silverwood; Edith E. Bates, 22, Vassar.
Evard Rawson, 21, Cass City; Sibyl Wells, 22, Deford.
Jay C. Gould, 19, Ellington; Jane Hiller, 18, Caro.
Eddie Wisenbaugh, 21, Unionville; Viola Schwalm, 19, same.
Charles Schafer, 27, Mayville; Bertha Brando, 20, same.
Frank Guthrie, 25, Denmark; Myrtle Wise, 20, Gilford.
Harry E. Burton, 27, Ewart, Washington; Leah C. Lennox, 26, Millington.
Ferdinand Schem, 21, Reese; Freda Haeke, 21, Gilford.
Otto Ewald, 26, Colling; Susanna Shane, 17, same.
Sweater coats at Crosby & Son's from 50c to \$7.50.
Sittingroom and bedroom to rent to lady roomers. Apply Faustina Brown 12-5-
For Sale.
Two spring calves. Wm. Ewald, Gageton, R. 2, Owendale phone. 12-5-2p.
Buy your charcoal at Auten's Grocery. For building fires and feeding chickens. 10-17-
For Sale.
Berkshire boar 7 1/2 months old and Avershire bull 9 months old eligible for registration. Kenneth McRae. 11-29-
I have some obsolete numbers in ranges and soft coal heaters that I'm selling at wholesale prices. G. L. Hitchcock.

HAPPENINGS IN OUR NEIGHBORING VILLAGES

Jas. McCarren, of Bad Axe, has been appointed trustee in bankruptcy of the J. W. Haller & Co. interests at Caseville.
The Linkville postoffice was discontinued on November 15. The patrons will receive their mail over the rural route from Owendale.
The safe of the Saginaw Bay Fish Co., at Caseville which was carried to the bottom of the river at Caseville by the storm four weeks ago, has been recovered.
A soil expert will be brought to Tuscola county to aid farmers in increasing their products and earnings. The movement is one projected by Caro's Business Men's association.
Extradition papers have been received from Washington for Mrs. Nellie Shadwick and Chas. Quackenbush, who have been held at Bad Axe since October. They will be returned to Canada and the latter turned over to officers at Toronto. They had been living as man and wife.
Sheriff Dupuy of Sandusky was a Croswell visitor Tuesday. The sheriff states that at the present time the county jail is free from prisoners, the only occupant being a crippled boy against whom no complaint has yet been made. Tom says that he leaves the doors open each night in hopes that the fellow will run away. But with winter so close at hand there is no chance of him doing that and it looks as though the sheriff will have at least one companion.—Jeff.
The proposition to buy the road roller engine, stone crusher and other quarry equipment of the Globe Construction Co., which company has finished its contract of building 14 miles of new road in Winsor township, was brought before a large number of voters of that township, evidently did not deem it a good investment and turned the proposition down by a vote of 4 to 1. The Globe people are dismantling the quarry and are shipping the machinery to Kalamazoo.
Mart Spaeth cleaned up \$840 on 14 acres of beets this fall. Mr. Spaeth tried an experiment with a part of his beets that were being badly cut up by the worms. He cultivated and rolled them, the roller following the cultivator closely. This he kept up until the beets were quite large, so large in fact that some of his neighbors thought he would ruin them. However he followed out the idea that he could do no more damage than the worms would, anyway. Then the rains came. Well \$840 tells the story.—Owendale Herald.
Hope of finding the bodies this fall of Paul Emrich and Bert Cornwell, who were lost in the storm of November 9, has practically been given up, although searchers are still daily hunting over the Middlegrounds and vicinity says the Selawing Blade. Quite a number of men were out last Sunday and a quantity of dynamite was shot in the hope of bringing the bodies to the surface. The weather on that day, however was such that a thorough search could not be made and every day this week the water has been too rough to do a great deal. Since the finding of the false bottom of the duck boat used by the boys, many are of the firm opinion that they lost their lives in the marsh and as soon as the weather permits a thorough search will be made of that part of the Middlegrounds.
Register of Deeds Joseph Walton, in exploring the vault of his office the other day, ran across about 75 old papers which had never been recorded. There were 52 deeds, the remainder being discharges of mortgages, land contracts, etc. The register is not required by law to record papers until the fees are paid, and this evidently is the reason why these are still not of record after many years. Some of them are state tax land deeds from the auditor general, some warranty deeds, some quit claim deeds, and a few United States patents of sheepskin in a good state of preservation despite their age. These patents date as far back as Sept. 1, 1848, the one of that date bearing the signature of James K. Polk and conveying to Paschal Richardson a tract of land in Almer township. Another, dated 1856, signed by Franklin K. Pierce, conveys to Wm. Wilcox 40 acres in Ellington.
For Sale.
Sunny Side Farm; on account of illness Charles Gilbert offers his farm of 86 acres two miles east of Caro for sale at a bargain. Call at the farm and see him. 11-28-2p
For Xmas gifts books, calendars and post cards see Treadgold's line first.
10c Feed Barn and Livery.
We have purchased the foundry building on West St. and are remodeling it into one of the best feed barns and livery in the Thumb. We are arranging a waiting room with modern conveniences and expect to be ready for business on Saturday, Dec. 8. Ladies will be given courteous attention and their horses will be hitched and unhitched and given the best of treatment. Andrew Schmidt & Father. 11-28-2p
All the latest designs in Parisian Ivory Xmas goods at Treadgold's.
I am prepared to do plain sewing, and all kinds of pressing, altering and coloring. Located over Wood's Drug Store. Mrs. Etta Rowley. 12-5-1p

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GAGETOWN.

Miss S. Vanstone was called to Marlette Monday to attend the funeral of her grandmother.

Clayton Palmer went to Holly last Monday to resume his studies at the Adelpian Academy.

L. C. Purdy entertained at dinner Thanksgiving. Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Palmer and son, Clayton, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Palmer and daughter, Helen, Mr. and Mrs. W. Car and daughter, Marian, of Flint, Mr. and Mrs. Carr remained until Friday morning.

Mrs. Chas. McComb was visiting friends in Cass City last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunter entertained at dinner last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hunter of Marlette and Leo FitzStephens and Jack Snyder of Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Burton entertained at dinner last Sunday Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Palmer and son, Clayton.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Seigweirt entertained a few friends at an oyster stew Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Case spent Thanksgiving in Detroit, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Alden Moden.

Mrs. O. A. Rogers entertained a few friends last Monday evening. A dainty luncheon was served after which the company presented her with a nut dish and six individual nut dishes.

Miss Ida Hennessey came Monday night to spend her two weeks vacation at the home of her father, Wm. Hennessey.

Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Croft and little son, Stewart, returned Monday to their home in Webster, N. Y., the evaporator having closed for this season. Mr. and Mrs. Ed Croft remained to finish up the work and will leave soon for their home.

Rt. Rev. Chas. D. Williams, D. D., held services in the Grace Episcopal church Sunday morning and evening. A large number were in attendance and confirmation was administered to a few.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Allen went to Detroit last Tuesday afternoon to attend the marriage of their son, Fred. Mr. and Mrs. Garret Teller Lane purchased a house and lot in Caro and expect to move their soon. Consideration \$1,000.
The bazaar of St. Agatha's congregation was a great success. The proceeds amounted to \$450.58 clear which will go to the building of the new church.

ELMWOOD.

Sherman Evans and daughter, Bertha, visited friends in Bay Port last week.

Mrs. Fred Congar and little daughter, Blanche, of Bay Port, who has been calling on relatives here, returned home Monday.

Mrs. John Farnum is visiting her son, Frank Farnum, in Owendale.

Miss Leonie Kennedy is on the sick list.

Harry Evans is very sick with fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McKellar went to Cass City Monday to see the former's brother-in-law, Mike Sheridan, who had a stroke of paralysis.

Frank Maxfield purchased a fine young horse from Smith Luther last week.

There will be a Christmas tree and entertainment at Sunshine M. P. church Christmas Eve. All are cordially invited.

Our road boss, Henry Brandon, has got the road grader started again and is fixing up the roads in fine shape.

Murphy's dredge is again idle caused by a crank shaft on the engine breaking Monday. A few days will finish the ditch now and the taxpayers are beginning to hope.

WICKWARE.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Berett and daughter, Florence, of New Haven spent part of last week with their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Watson spent Thanksgiving with the former's brothers of Port Huron.

Mrs. Floyd Emigh is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Wm. Brown of Detroit is visiting relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Gibbons and family left last Wednesday for their home in Birmingham.

Mrs. Robert Ervan of Cumber spent Sunday with Mrs. Tom, Nichol.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gracey and Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Fisher spent Thanksgiving with Robert Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Barnes have moved on the J. Gibbons farm.

Wm. Howell of Caro spent a few days with friends here last week.

Miss Vina McPhail spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. D. Heberton.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

Miss Addie Sole of Caro visited at her home here a few days last week.

Herbert Stephens and family spent Thanksgiving with relatives near Lamotte.

Mrs. W. Coleman and daughter, Mrs. Donaghy, were entertained at J. Whale's for dinner Sunday.

Mrs. Carrie Leek spent Thanksgiving at Robert Jeffery's at Kingston.

O. E. Niles from near Cass City spent a few days of last week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Holcomb are rejoicing over the arrival of a baby boy who came to their home November 30.

Misses Goldie and Lillie Martin were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ashley Thanksgiving Day.

Mason Leek has returned to Fostoria where he is working on the dredge.

Mr. and Mrs. John Donaghy of Sandusky, spent a few days last week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coleman.

Miss Bessie Moshier of Kingston visited relatives here the latter part of last week.

Everett Rawson of Cass City and Sibly Wells of this place were married at the Wells home Thursday. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Martin of this place and Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bruce of Deford visited Mrs. John Vandemark of Ellington township last Wednesday. She has been very sick.

The social at John Whale's last Tuesday evening was well attended in spite of the stormy night. All report a fine time.

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Too many Cass City citizens are handicapped with bad backs. The unceasing pain causes constant misery, making work a burden and stooping or lifting an impossibility. The back aches at night, preventing refreshing rest and in the morning is stiff and lame. Plasters and liniments may give relief but cannot reach the cause if the kidneys are weak. To eliminate the pains and aches of kidney backache you must cure the kidneys.

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KINGSTON.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Rossman spent a few days last week with relatives in Omer.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Moshier and daughters, Florence and Bessie, spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Deford.

Prin. E. R. Nethercott visited his family in Orion over Sunday.

Miss Amy Rothermel of Akron visited friends here last week.

Mrs. Wm. Dickson of Detroit is spending several days with her mother, Mrs. Mary Weldon, and other relatives here.

Miss Ethel Milner of Clifford was a visitor at the home of J. D. Hunter the last of the week.

Miss Laura Palmerton of North Branch visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Palmerton, from Thursday until Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Elliott and little son spent Thanksgiving with relatives in Cass City.

Mrs. Chas. Baker of Clifford was a caller in town Friday.

Miss Alice Brown visited her parents in Caro the last of the week.

William Grunwald of Pontiac visited at the home of L. A. Chellis last week.

Mrs. John Roy and daughter, Joy, spent the week end with relatives in Deford.

J. Elliott of Pontiac was a guest at the home of Arthur Legg on Thursday.

Mrs. Martha Hartsell visited relatives in Grant from Thursday until Monday.

Theodore Haebler of Saginaw was a Thursday caller in town.

Miss Bessie Skinner spent a few days last week with her parents in Clio.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Reid and daughter, Alice, and Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Barber and children of Detroit visited at the home of Mrs. A. Reid last week.

Earl Haskin, who has been employed at Gagetown for some time, is spending a few days with his parents here.

Arthur B. Payne visited his daughter, Mrs. May Hicks, of Cass City Thursday last.

The Misses H. Doyle and H. Lloyd of Detroit were visitors here Monday and Tuesday.

Von Soper of Marlette transacted business in town Monday.

J. Bartholomew was a Clifford caller Tuesday.

Mrs. J. S. Newman visited her parents in Lansing last week.

Miss Evelyn Banghart visited her parental home near Mayville over Sunday.

Clinton Best of North Branch was calling on old friends here this week.

ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.

Sale or Mortgage of Real Estate. State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 22nd day of November A. D. 1913.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Anna Oliver, deceased

Marc Wickware, administrator, having filed in said court petition, praying for license to sell the interest of said estate in certain real estate therein described.

It is Ordered, That the 22nd day of December A. D. 1913, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition, and that all persons interested in said estate appear before said court, at said time and place, to show cause why a license to sell the interest of said estate in said real estate should not be granted.

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

D. HEALY CLARK, Judge of Probate.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Watters and daughter, Margaret, spent Sunday in Marlette.

Postmaster, Wm. Ross, under recommendation of the post office department, has moved the post office into the N. H. Burn's block where he is now located in commodious quarters.

Wm. Berman returned home Tuesday evening from Detroit where he has been for several weeks, having undergone an operation for appendicitis in the Harper hospital.

Croup and Cough Remedy. Croup is a terrible disease, it attacks children so suddenly they are very apt to choke unless given the proper remedy at once. There is nothing better in the world than Dr. King's New Discovery. Lewis Chamberlain, of Manchester, Ohio, writes about his children: "Sometimes in severe attacks we were afraid they would die, but since we proved what a certain remedy Dr. King's New Discovery is, we have no fear. We rely on it for croup, coughs and colds." So can you. 50c and \$1.00. A bottle should be in every home. At L. I. Wood & Co.'s.

NOTICE OF LETTING FERGUSON DRAIN.

Notice is hereby given that I, Albert Hunter, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Tuscola, State of Michigan, will on December 17, A. D. 1913 at the residence of J. W. Mudge, section 14, township of Novesta at nine o'clock in the forenoon of that day, proceed to receive bids for the construction of a certain Drain known and designated as Ferguson Drain located and established in the township of Novesta and traversing sections numbered 13 and 14 in town 13 north range 12 east in said county and state.

Said job will be first offered in sections and will be let in sections, or otherwise, as may be determined by me to be for the best interests of all concerned, which determination will be announced on that day; if let by sections that at the day it 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 my office, to which reference may be had by all parties interested, and bids must be made and will be received accordingly. Each bidder will be required to deposit, in advance, with the County Drain Commissioner a check, properly endorsed, in the sum of not less than five hundred dollars (\$500.00) certified to by the cashier of some bank or banker doing business in Tuscola County, as a guaranty of good faith and of a purpose to enter into a contract for the performance of the work if making a successful bid. Contracts will be made with the lowest responsible bidder giving adequate security for the performance of the contract, in a sum then and there to be fixed by me, but the right to reject any and all bids is hereby expressly reserved to myself. The date for the completion of the work, and the terms of payment therefor, will be announced at the time and place of letting.

At the same time and place bids will also be received for the construction and erecting of the several necessary bridges incidental to said drain, and bidders therefor will be required to deposit checks certified and in like amount as hereinbefore required of the other class of bidders. Bridge bids must in all respects conform to specifications prepared therefor and which will on the day of letting, be made fully known to prospective bidders.

Notice is further hereby given that at the time and place of said letting, or at such other time and place thereafter to which I, said County Drain Commissioner, may adjourn the same, the assessments for benefits and the lands comprised within the special assessment district of such drain and the apportionment thereof will be announced by me and will be subject to review for one day; such review will be held from nine o'clock in the forenoon until five o'clock in the afternoon of the day named.

The following are descriptions of the several tracts or parcels of land constituting the special assessment district of such drain.

Township of Novesta at large T 13 N R 12 E

School District Site No. 6 Novesta Twp, sec. 14.

SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 Except NE 1/2 of NE 1/4 of same, sec. 13

SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of SE 1/4 of SW 1/4 sec. 13.

N 15 A of NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 sec. 24

N 15 A of NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 sec. 23

E 2 A of N 15 A of NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 sec. 23.

S 1/2 of SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 Except school site sec. 14, in the township of Novesta being town 13 north, range 12 east, Michigan Meridian, and also the township of Novesta at large.

Now, therefore, all unknown and non-resident, persons, owners and persons interested in the above described lands, and every person whose lands are affected by such assessment, and you Samuel Wagg, Colin Ferguson, Chas. Henderson, David Glazier, Wm. H. Churchill, Director School District No. 6, Morley Palmateer, Highway Commissioner and Howard Rethford, Supervisor of the Township of Novesta and each of you are hereby notified that at the time and place aforesaid, or at such other time and place thereafter to which, said hearing may be adjourned, I shall proceed to receive bids for the construction of said Ferguson Drain in the manner hereinbefore stated; and also at such time of letting from nine o'clock in the forenoon to five o'clock in the afternoon, the assessments for benefits, and the lands comprised within the Ferguson Drain Special Assessment District will be subject to review.

And you, and each of you, owners and persons interested in the aforesaid lands, are hereby cited to appear at the time and place of said letting and be heard with respect to such special assessment and your interests in relation thereto, if you so desire.

Dated December 1, A. D. 1913.

ALBERT HUNTER, County Drain Commissioner of the County of Tuscola, State of Michigan.

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CHAPTER VI.
Freddie Ulstervelt.

THE Rodneys descended upon the Bristol at 5 o'clock, rushing down from the Nord-Bahnhof as if there was not a minute to spare. Constance pursued Katherine to her room, where they revelled in the delights of a reunion, gradually coming out of its throes as the hour for dressing approached.

"We dine early, dear," said Constance, "with supper after the opera I must be off to dress."
 "I am so eager to meet Mr. Medcroft. Is he nice?"
 "He's the dearest thing in the world!" cried the other, her cheeks aglow.
 "I'm so glad, on Edith's account. Most of these English matches turn out abominably," commented Miss Rodney, who was twenty, very pretty and very worldly. "Oh, did I tell you that Freddie Ulstervelt is with us?"
 "No!"
 "We came across him in Berlin, and dad asked him to join us if he had nothing better to do, so he said he would. He was with us in Dresden and Prague and—don't you think he's awfully jolly?"
 "Ripping!" said Constance with deplorable fervor.
 "How awfully English! He said he'd seen you in Paris this spring."
 "Yes," said Miss Fowler, her cheeks going red suddenly. "I told him you'd asked me to be with you in June." She could have cut out her tongue for saying this, but it was too late. Katherine laughed a trifle hardly after a stiff moment; then a queer light flitted in to her eyes—the light of awakened opposition. Constance was saying to herself: "She's in love with Freddie! I might have known it." Back in her brain lay the memory of Freddie's violent protestations of love, uttered during those recent days in Paris. He had threatened to throw himself into the Seine; she remembered that quite well—and also the fact that he did nothing of the sort, but had a very jolly time at Maxim's and sent her flowers by way of repentance. Knowing Freddie so well, it would not have surprised her in the least to find that he had become engaged to Katherine. His heart was a very flexible organ.

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 And thus it transpired that Freddie Ulstervelt—addepled, good looking, inconstant Freddie, just out of college—was transformed into a bone of contention, whether he would or no.

He was of the kind who love or make love to every new girl they meet, seriously enough at the time, but easily passed over if need be. Rebuffs may have puzzled him, but they left no jagged scar. He belonged to that class which upsets the tranquillity of inexperienced maidens by whispering intensely, "Heavens, it's grand!" And he means it at the moment.

Katherine Rodney was in love with him. He belonged to a fashionable New York family of wealth, and he had been a young lion at Pasadena during the winter just past. He owned automobiles and a yacht and an extensive wardrobe. These notable assets had much to do with the conquest of Mrs. Rodney. She looked with favor upon the transitory Mr. Ulstervelt, and believed in her heart that he had something to do with the location of the shining sun. But of this affair more anon, as the novelists say.

Brock was presented to the Rodneys just before the party went in to dinner. He managed his eyeglass and his drawl bravely and got on swimmingly with the elder Rodneys, until Constance appeared with Katherine and Freddie Ulstervelt. It was not until then that it occurred to Miss Fowler that Freddie, being from New York, was almost certain to know Brock either personally or by sight. She experienced a cold chill, the distinct approach of catastrophe. Brock had just been told that young Ulstervelt of New York was to be of the party. His

blood ran cold. He had never seen the young man, but he knew his father well. He had even dined at the mansion in Madison avenue. There was every reason, however, to suspect that Freddie knew him by sight. Even as he was planning a mode of defense in case of recognition the young man was presented. Brock's drawl was something wonderful.

"I—aw—knew your family, I'm sure—aw, quite sure," he said. "You know, of course, that I lived in your aw—delightful city for some years. Strange we never met, 'pon my soul!"
 "Oh, New York's a pretty big place, Mr. Medcroft," said Freddie good naturedly. He was a slight young fellow with a fresh, inquisitive face. "It's bigger than London in some ways. It's bigger upward. Say, do you know, you remind me of a fellow I knew in New York!"
 "Haw, haw!" laughed Brock without grace or reason. Miss Fowler caught her breath sharply.
 "Fellow named Brock. Stupid sort of chap, my mother says. I—"
 "Oh, dear me, Mr. Ulstervelt," cried Edith, breaking in, "you shan't say anything mean about Mr. Brock. He's my husband's best friend."
 "I didn't say it, Mrs. Medcroft. It was my mother." Brock was hiding a smile behind his hand. "She knows him better than I. To tell the truth, I've never met him, but I've seen him on the Fifth avenue stages. You do look like him, though, by Jove!"
 "It's extraordinary how many people think I look like dear old Brock," said the false Roxbury. "But, on the other hand, most people think that Brock looks like me, so what's the odds? Haw, haw! Ripping! Eh, Mr. Rodney?"
 "Ripping? Ripping what? Good heavens, am I ripping anything?" gasped Mr. Rodney, who was fussy and fat and generally futile. He seemed to grow suddenly uncomfortable, as if ripping was a habit with him.

Dinner was a success. Brock shone with a refulgence that bedimmed all expectations. His wife was delighted. In all of the four years of married life Roxbury had never been so brilliant, so deliciously English (to use her own expression). Constance tingled with pride. Of late she had experienced unusual difficulty in diverting her gaze from the handsome impostor, and her thoughts were ever of him—in justification of a platonic interest, of course, no more than that. Tonight her eyes and thoughts were for him alone, a circumstance which, could he have felt sure, would have made him wildly happy instead of inordinately furious in his complete misunderstanding of her manner toward Freddie Ulstervelt, who had no compunction about making love to two girls at the same time. She was never so beautiful, never so vivacious, never so resourceful. Brock was under the spell; he was fascinated; he had to look to himself carefully in order to keep his wits in the prescribed channel.

His self esteem received a severe shock at the opera. Mrs. Medcroft, with malice aforethought, insisted that Ulstervelt should take her husband's seat. As the box held but six persons, the unfortunate Brock was compelled to shift more or less for himself. Inwardly raging, he suavely assured the party—Freddie in particular—that he would find a seat in the body of the house and would join them during the entr'acte. Then he went out and sat in the foyer. It was fortunate that he hated Wagner. Before the end of the act he was joined by Mr. Rodney, horribly bored and eager for relief. In a nearby cafe they had a whisky and soda apiece and, feeling comfortably re-enforced, returned to the opera house arm in arm, long and short, thin and fat, liberally discoursing upon the intellectuality of Herr Wagner.

"Say, you're not at all like an Englishman!" exclaimed Mr. Rodney impulsively, even gratefully.
 "Eh, what?" gasped Brock, replacing his eyeglass. "Oh, I say, now, 'pon my word, haw, haw!"
 "You've got an American sense of humor, Medcroft—that's what you have. You recognize the joke that Wagner played on the world. Pardon me for saying it, sir, but I didn't think it was in an Englishman."
 "Haw, haw! Ripping, by Jove! No, no! Not you, I mean the joke. But then, you see, it's been so long since Wagner played it that even an Englishman has had time to see the point. Besides, I've lived a bit of my life in America."

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blood ran cold. He had never seen the young man, but he knew his father well. He had even dined at the mansion in Madison avenue. There was every reason, however, to suspect that Freddie knew him by sight. Even as he was planning a mode of defense in case of recognition the young man was presented. Brock's drawl was something wonderful.

"I—aw—knew your family, I'm sure—aw, quite sure," he said. "You know, of course, that I lived in your aw—delightful city for some years. Strange we never met, 'pon my soul!"
 "Oh, New York's a pretty big place, Mr. Medcroft," said Freddie good naturedly. He was a slight young fellow with a fresh, inquisitive face. "It's bigger than London in some ways. It's bigger upward. Say, do you know, you remind me of a fellow I knew in New York!"
 "Haw, haw!" laughed Brock without grace or reason. Miss Fowler caught her breath sharply.
 "Fellow named Brock. Stupid sort of chap, my mother says. I—"
 "Oh, dear me, Mr. Ulstervelt," cried Edith, breaking in, "you shan't say anything mean about Mr. Brock. He's my husband's best friend."
 "I didn't say it, Mrs. Medcroft. It was my mother." Brock was hiding a smile behind his hand. "She knows him better than I. To tell the truth, I've never met him, but I've seen him on the Fifth avenue stages. You do look like him, though, by Jove!"
 "It's extraordinary how many people think I look like dear old Brock," said the false Roxbury. "But, on the other hand, most people think that Brock looks like me, so what's the odds? Haw, haw! Ripping! Eh, Mr. Rodney?"
 "Ripping? Ripping what? Good heavens, am I ripping anything?" gasped Mr. Rodney, who was fussy and fat and generally futile. He seemed to grow suddenly uncomfortable, as if ripping was a habit with him.

Dinner was a success. Brock shone with a refulgence that bedimmed all expectations. His wife was delighted. In all of the four years of married life Roxbury had never been so brilliant, so deliciously English (to use her own expression). Constance tingled with pride. Of late she had experienced unusual difficulty in diverting her gaze from the handsome impostor, and her thoughts were ever of him—in justification of a platonic interest, of course, no more than that. Tonight her eyes and thoughts were for him alone, a circumstance which, could he have felt sure, would have made him wildly happy instead of inordinately furious in his complete misunderstanding of her manner toward Freddie Ulstervelt, who had no compunction about making love to two girls at the same time. She was never so beautiful, never so vivacious, never so resourceful. Brock was under the spell; he was fascinated; he had to look to himself carefully in order to keep his wits in the prescribed channel.

His self esteem received a severe shock at the opera. Mrs. Medcroft, with malice aforethought, insisted that Ulstervelt should take her husband's seat. As the box held but six persons, the unfortunate Brock was compelled to shift more or less for himself. Inwardly raging, he suavely assured the party—Freddie in particular—that he would find a seat in the body of the house and would join them during the entr'acte. Then he went out and sat in the foyer. It was fortunate that he hated Wagner. Before the end of the act he was joined by Mr. Rodney, horribly bored and eager for relief. In a nearby cafe they had a whisky and soda apiece and, feeling comfortably re-enforced, returned to the opera house arm in arm, long and short, thin and fat, liberally discoursing upon the intellectuality of Herr Wagner.

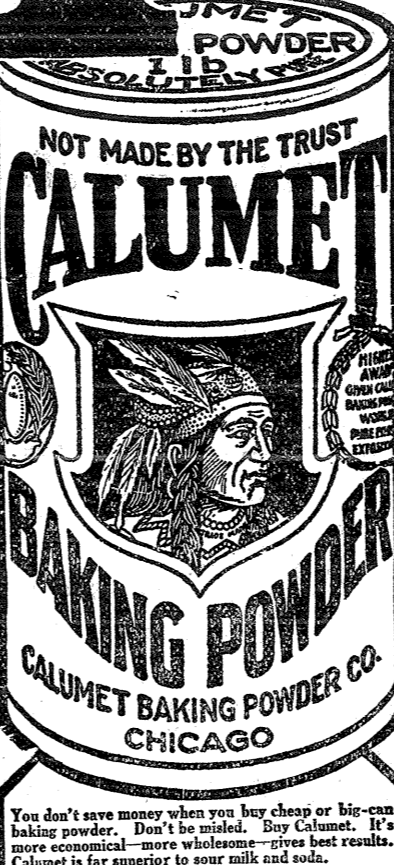
"Say, you're not at all like an Englishman!" exclaimed Mr. Rodney impulsively, even gratefully.
 "Eh, what?" gasped Brock, replacing his eyeglass. "Oh, I say, now, 'pon my word, haw, haw!"
 "You've got an American sense of humor, Medcroft—that's what you have. You recognize the joke that Wagner played on the world. Pardon me for saying it, sir, but I didn't think it was in an Englishman."
 "Haw, haw! Ripping, by Jove! No, no! Not you, I mean the joke. But then, you see, it's been so long since Wagner played it that even an Englishman has had time to see the point. Besides, I've lived a bit of my life in America."

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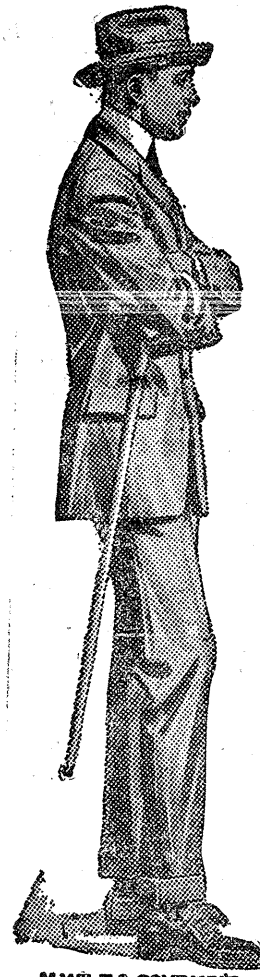
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LOCAL ITEMS.

Read the ads.
 Miss Ella Sheridan visited friends in Detroit a few days last week.
 Miss Lucy Parker of Caro spent Thanksgiving at her home here.
 Lloyd Reagh of Caro was a visitor here the first of the week.
 Mrs. C. Tims, who has been visiting in Detroit, returned home Friday.
 Mrs. Thomas Agar and little son of Kingston are visiting at the home of I. Agar.
 Floyd Reed of Detroit spent Thanksgiving and the week end at his home here.
 Miss Clara Foster returned Monday from Brown City where she visited her parents.
 B. Foster of Brown City was a guest at the home of T. L. Tibbals Monday.
 Mrs. A. J. Ratz and daughter, Lorraine, returned to their home in Detroit Friday.
 Mrs. William Weldon is spending the week with relatives in Wilmot and Kingston.
 Mrs. M. Robinson and two children of Saline are guests at the home of Wm. McBurney.
 Stanley Striffler returned to Ypsilanti Monday after spending a few days at his home here.
 Miss Lillian Goff went to Unionville Wednesday to spend a few days with friends there.
 Miss Jennie McGregor spent her Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Clothier at Marlette.
 Miss Hester McKim of Clifford spent Thanksgiving and the week end at her home here.
 William Montague and son of Caro were guests at the home of C. R. Montague over Sunday.
 Mrs. Mary Randall returned to her home in Lansing Saturday after spending several weeks here.
 Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Lenzer on Tuesday, Dec. 2, a daughter. She has been named Phyllis Marie.
 Miss Beryl Koepfen of St. Charles visited at her parental home on Thanksgiving and for the week end.
 Hazen Carson spent Thanksgiving and the week end at the home of his brother, Gerald Carson, at Flint.
 Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Kaercher and son, Charles, spent Thanksgiving at the home of J. H. Kaercher at Elkton.
 Leon and Harry Bostwick of Pontiac spent Thanksgiving with their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. John Ball.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pitcher of Pontiac came Monday to visit at the home of their daughter, Mrs. John Ball.
 Mrs. M. A. White of Detroit and her sister were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. A. Greenleaf on last Thursday.
 David Long of Port Huron came Wednesday to spend several weeks with his daughter, Mrs. H. C. Hayward.
 Mrs. Norman McLeod of Greenleaf was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Anna Parker, from Thursday to Saturday.
 Mr. and Mrs. R. Wood Clow of Marlette spent Thanksgiving with their sister, Miss Eliza Clow, at J. N. Dorman's.
 Misses Catherine Whitfield and Cora Mathewson of Detroit were guests at the home of Thomas Whitfield for Thanksgiving.
 Mrs. Charles Anderson and son, Vivian, returned home Friday after spending several weeks at Ann Arbor and Melvin.
 R. F. Wellwood spent Sunday with his daughter, Mrs. J. N. Dorman, taking in also the re-opening services of the M. E. church.
 The Senior Ethical Culture Club held an interesting meeting at Doerr's hall Saturday afternoon. The club has 30 members.
 Mrs. Wm. Kile's dressmaking parlors were closed from Wednesday to Monday and the apprentice girls enjoyed a short vacation.
 Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Wheeler, who have been visiting at the home of L. H. Wood, returned to their home in Shelby Friday.
 Mrs. H. M. Bearss left Tuesday for Corinth, Ont., where she will spend three weeks with her father. Miss Flossie Crane accompanied her.
 Samuel Champion, Henry Ball, Charles Wickware and William Ball returned Friday from Northern Michigan where they have been hunting.
 Rev. Schmaus expects to move to Carlton, Michigan within the next week. Rev. Schmaus received a call to the Evangelical charge at that place and has accepted.
 Mr. and Mrs. Herbert E. Greenleaf and little daughter, Effie, and Mr. and Mrs. Alec. S. Greenleaf of Cumber are their Thanksgiving dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Greenleaf on East Pine St.
 The Volunteer Class of the Evangelical Sunday school held their monthly business meeting, Monday evening at the home of Miss Laura Striffler. During the business meeting an election of officers took place with the following results: President, Laura Striffler; vice president, Agnes Pitcher; secretary, Esther Wagner; treasurer, Mae Benkelman; organist, Ruth Bittner; reporter, Grace Meiser. A delightful luncheon was served by the hostess. The next meeting will be held Jan. 12 at the home of Miss Mae Benkelman and something special is planned.



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Just a few Xmas suggestions, any one of which will please and satisfy the older man or the younger man.

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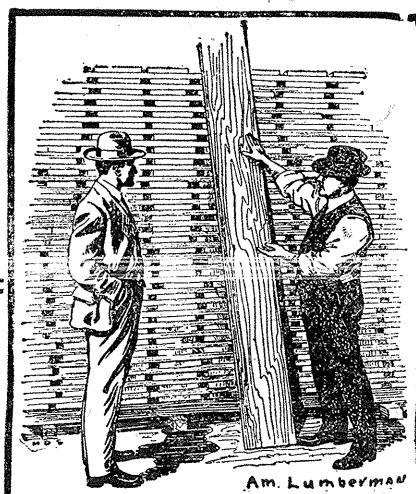
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CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

The Christian Science lesson sermon subject for next Thursday evening is "God, the Preserver of Man."
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 All contracts on Gleaner binder twine are past due and all farmers who have not paid same are requested to make prompt settlement. Isaiah Waidley. 11-28-2p.
 For Sale—Seven room house and barn on Garfield Ave. Enquire of Jos. Martus. 11-21-3
 C. Allard for wood.
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 Two second-hand hard coal stoves good as new, value \$23 and \$35. G. L. Hitchcock. 11-14
 Three houses for sale. Enquire at Chronicle office. 9-19-
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 Forty-acre farm for sale. Enquire at Chronicle office. 11-7-1f
Please Pay Accounts.
 All persons indebted to A. C. Hayes are requested to call on C. D. Striffler and settle the accounts at once. A. C. Hayes. 11-14-3p
Please Settle.
 All parties owing J. A. Caldwell on account are requested to call and settle same at once. Prompt payment will be appreciated as the money is very acceptable now.
 Residence lots for sale. Fritz & Waidley. 10-17-
 Cash for Poultry, Eggs and Cream.
 I have established headquarters in my store on Main street and will pay cash for poultry, eggs, cream, hides and fur. Oscar Auten.
 Bunch of keys found on east Main St. Party proving property and paying for notice may have same at Chronicle office. 12-5-
Card of Thanks.
 Mrs. Edmund Treadgold, and family wish to thank the pastor, the choir and friends, for their kind words, sympathy and flowers during their late bereavement.
 House to rent or will sell on reasonable terms. P. S. McGregory. 12-5-
 K. O. T. M.
 Sir Knights of Tent 74 are requested to meet at the office of record keeper over Cootes' store Friday night, Dec. 12 at 7:30 sharp.
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PROBATE NEWS.

In the matter of the estate of Gottlieb Fred Fox, late of Vassar, deceased, claims were allowed.
 In the matter of the estate of Wm. J. Cooper, late of Warren, Pennsylvania, deceased, final account allowed and residue assigned.
 In the matter of the estate of Marian Rocholeau, late of Columbia, deceased, license granted to sell real estate.
 In the matter of the estate of R. S. Weaver, late of Watrousville, deceased, annual account allowed.

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and that the city having shut its gates, expecting a long siege. Joshua was aware that the first place of attack would be Jericho, but evidently not aware of the character of the battle. Reconnoitering near Jericho, he met an armed soldier, and at once inquired whether he was friend or foe. The answer was that he was Captain of the Lord's host.

An angel had been commissioned to materialize as a human and to communicate to Joshua the Divine plan for the capture of Jericho. Joshua immediately put it into execution.

Every day there was a solemn procession around the doomed city. First went a military escort from the various tribes. Next followed a company of priests blowing rams' horns. Then came a rear guard—presumably warriors. In harmony with the explicit directions not a voice was heard, not a shout. Everything was most funeral, except the blowing of the rams' horns.

These solemn processions encompassed Jericho once each day for six days. Then on the seventh day they went about the city seven times, the last time vociferously shouting—the seven priests constantly blowing the rams' horns. When they had made the seventh circuit, they stopped in front of the city, still blowing. Forthwith the wall crumbled and fell.

The translation of our Common Version, "down flat," seems too strong properly to represent the original. The wall fell immediately in front of the Ark of the Covenant. But the account tells that the portion of the wall where Rahab's house was built did not fall. The wall fell to such an extent that Israel's soldiers could easily accomplish the work of destruction.

Quite probably an earthquake tremor, under Divine supervision, caused the fall of the wall in front of the Israelites. It does not seem impossible that God thus intervened to carry out His own purposes.

Professor Wright declares, "The 'mediate' cause of the fall of the wall was some subterranean earthquake, which shook down the walls of the part of the city where the men were standing, or undermined them so that they sank. This is easily possible in that region of

earthquakes.

"The record is that at the appointed time the walls fell; and we are free to believe that the catastrophe was connected with an earthquake, which was made to synchronize with the final blasts of the rams' horns. In the light of history and geological conditions of this region, the story bears every mark of being a genuine and authentic account of an event so remarkable that it could not have been modified by tradition without rendering it fantastic and incredible."

Typical Significance of the Event. The six days of quiet marching around Jericho with nothing accomplished except the witnessing, represent the six great days of the larger week—each a thousand years long. During the world's history, sin has been entrenched and impregnable. The Lord's people have merely witnessed against it—blowing the trumpets—giving forth the message that ultimately sin shall be destroyed.



The Wall Crumbled and Fell.

But little has come of the witnessing. We are waiting for the great Seventh Day—the thousand years of Messiah's reign. In it the citadel of evil will be surrounded seven times, or completely. The shout of victory will go up; and the strong walls of sin and error, of Satan's falsehood, of human deception, will fall. Satan shall be bound for a thousand years. Ultimately every evil thing and all who love sin will be forever destroyed in the Second Death.

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The proper disinfecting of school property is a most important health consideration both in districts threatened with contagious disease epidemics and other districts. The burning of sulphur and formaldehyde is five so the State Board of Health now regarded as only partially effective. A thorough washing of the floors, furniture, woodwork and, if possible, the walls with water in which is placed a disinfectant of high phenol efficiency. Some of the widely advertised disinfectants on the market are declared worthless by the government but these guaranteed under the government co-efficient test are safe. Too many districts fail to disinfect the outhouses despite the fact that they are often the source of disease epidemics.

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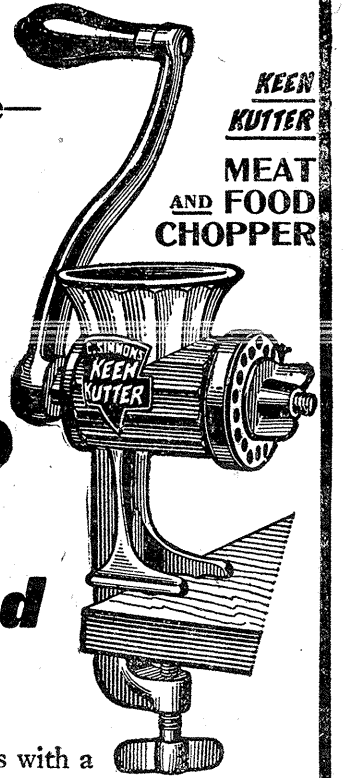
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Captain of the Lord's Host. After crossing Jordan, the Israelites encamped midway between the river



Captain of the Lord's Host.

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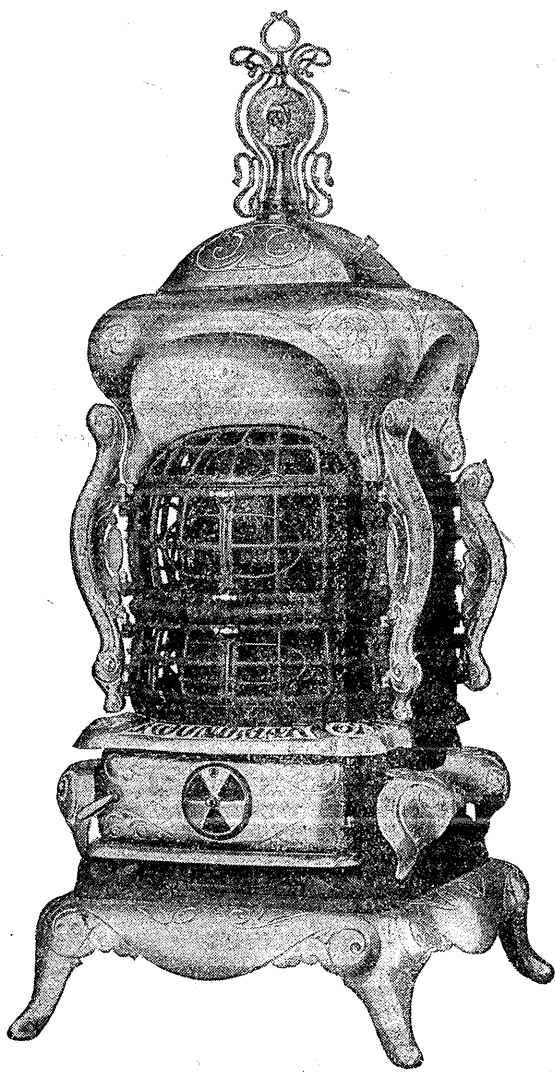
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Yours truly,
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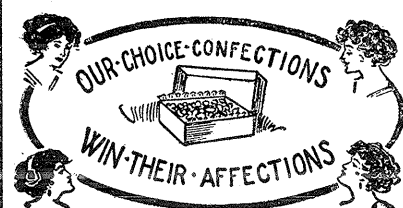
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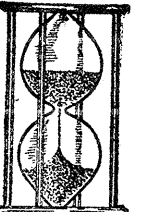
A Box of Our Fine Confections

They add to the Romance!

MIDDLETON'S CANDY LAND



Time Proven Flour



IN hundreds and hundreds of homes—homes noted for the excellency of their cooking and baking Stott Flour has won the enviable reputation of the "old dependable."

Stott Flour

is "year-in-and-out" good flour, more than 30 years experience back of every sack. Once you use it, good results will come like clock work instead of guess-work.

If your grocer doesn't keep STOTT FLOUR, write us and we will tell you where to get it.



DAVID STOTT, Miller
Detroit, Mich.

E. W. JONES, The Grocer

An Old Puritan Name. Among the millions of our fellow countrymen you would expect to find some curious survivals of names. Well, the other day I found the name, still surviving in Lancashire, "Trample-pleasure." It does not occur in the London telephone directory. It has never before occurred in my experience, but it is obviously a survival of the "Praise God Barebones" period. And the last man with that name should be forgiven if he shortened it to Smith.—London Standard.

The Long and the Short of It. Mrs. Bearne in "A Court Painter and His Circle" tells a good story of the Chevalier de Coigny. When a very young man, fresh from college, he was supping with Mme. Geoffrin and telling an overlong story. In order to interrupt it his hostess asked him to carve a chicken. He began to do so, making use of much too small a knife. Madame, noticing his difficulty, remarked, "M. le Chevalier, take my advice, and if you want to succeed tell short stories and use long knives."

Advertise your auction in the Chronicle

Photographs for Christmas Presents



A good photographic portrait of yourself is always a very acceptable gift to your friends, and especially so at Christmas time. It is only a little over two weeks until all our work will have to be delivered to the Christmas trade. We are not as a merchant who takes his goods from his shelf and hands them to you. We have to make ours first and must have time in which to do it, and for that reason we take this early opportunity to call your attention to the fact that you should not put off sitting until a few days before Christmas, but come in early. Rainy or cloudy weather does not interfere with taking photographs. Come any time.

We handle picture frames from 8x10 to 18x20, oval or square.

J. MAIER, Photographer

SCHOOL NOTES.

See how those supposed to be green freshies are winning foot ball games, contests, etc., from the sophs who are old attendants of the H. S. A remarkable foot ball game between the freshies and sophs was played Monday night, the score being 20-18 in favor of the freshmen.

Beatrice Koepfgen has returned to school after a short illness.

Mr. E. in Zoology, "Miss O. tell us about the whale." G. O.—"The whales live in the swamp. They are large birds."

Foot ball game at Lapeer between C. C. and that town, the score, Lapeer 47, Cass City 0.

Heard from Dutch at noon hour—"There's one thing I do wish and that is I wish I were born rich instead of handsome."

Mr. K. (in Mod. Hist.)—"Why is a crow?" Miss S. "Well why?" Mr. K. "Oh 'cause," (caws).

A reward will be given to any person who will give information to the freshmen as to what the sophomores are going to do if the freshman's banner is put up in the high room this year.

Miss N. (in Am. Lit.)—"Women are a mystery." R. Y. nodded his head. Miss N., "Mr. Y. seems to know." We wonder where he obtained his knowledge.

Miss McL. (in Zoology), "I've seen men who looked just like a bull dog." Why did she look at the science teacher.

Miss F. (in Geom.), "Mr. Fritz, what have we given?" Mr. F., "That's more than I know." Miss F., "Well, what have we to prove?" Mr. F., "Search me!"

Mr. Martin has proven himself to be a very good artist. Examples of his work may be found at the Carnival.

Miss P. says Mr. B. always smiles out loud.

Indade an' 'twas Lloyd who opened up his heart and his home for us this toime. Yea, he did that an more too fer ather we had arrived he made us pail the pertatas and mash them, an' thin we tuk a turn at the piano. Whin we were all toire out completely et that, we were very cliverly invoited to have a rare bit o' the feast, an' that we did with a will. Indade an' not only that yet, but the meal was cooked by a man, and a foine man indade. Aftther the meal we danced an' made merry hilariously so as to prepare us fer the long and laborious journey home where we wint an' all of us a singin' "Oirland, isn't Oirland anymore."

COLWOOD.

Miss Adeline Cross spent Sunday at the home of her uncle, Isaiah Timleck.

George Buerker, Ben Einwachter and Miss Martha Begalls of Linkville spent Sunday at the home of Ned Buerker.

The Remington Ladies' Aid served dinner at the home of Mrs. Bliss on Wednesday.

James Cross left on Monday for Bay City where he expects to secure employment.

C. D. Andrews and E. E. Fuelling made a business trip to Fairgrove on Wednesday.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Jane Schmidt to The Orion State Bank, lot 1, blk. 3, Deming's addition to village of Cass City, \$1.

Charles J. Minns to Ella C. Minns, pt village of Millington, \$1.

Lewis F. Bird and wife to Edward McClew, n 1/2 of nw 1/4 section 33, Millington, \$5000.

Horace Ottaway to Mariah Conley, pt village of Gagatown, \$460.

Wilson J. M. Jones and wife to Stanley Jones, n 1/2 of ne 1/4 of sw 1/4 section 35 Elkland, \$350.

Ealy Evans and Co., to Katy Yorton, pt village of Millington, \$450.

A. A. Hitchcock to Nelson Summers and wife, lots 5 and 6, blk. C, Hitchcock's addition to village of Cass City, \$275.

VICTORIES.

Victories that are easy are cheap. Those only are worth having which come as the result of hard fighting. —Henry Ward Beecher.

Constipation Poisons You

If you are constipated, your entire system is poisoned by the waste matter kept in the body—serious results often follow. Use Dr. King's New Life Pills and you will soon get rid of constipation, headaches and other troubles. Recommended by L. I. Wood & Co.'s.

Auction Sale!

I will offer the following property at auction at my farm, 1/2 mile east of Sunshine church, or 6 miles west of Cass City, or 1 mile south and 2 miles east of Colwood, on

MONDAY, DECEMBER 15

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK SHARP:

WELL BRED HOLSTEINS FROM PONTIAC STATE FARM HERD

Cow 6 yrs. old due in Jan.

2 heifers 3 yrs. old due in Jan.

Heifer due in Jan.

Heifer due in June

Yearling heifer 3 heifer calves Steer calf

Thoroughbred Holstein bull 2 yrs. old

HORSES AND IMPLEMENTS

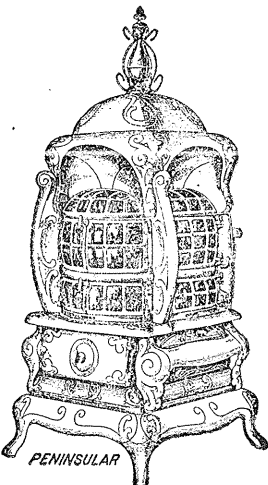
Span of horses, bays, 6 and 10 years old

Set double harness nearly new
Good wagon and beet box
12 h. p. Rumley engine in good shape
Bidwell bean thresher in good shape, with self feeder and wind stacker
Tank, wagon and new Case pump
Well drilling machine and 300 ft. pump rods double strength and 2 lengths triple strength, drilling bits and all tools necessary

TERMS—All sums of \$5 and under, cash; over that amount, 12 months' time on good approved endorsed notes at 7 per cent interest.

BARNEY N. PERRY, Proprietor

STRIFFLER & McCULLOUGH, Auctioneers



My triple heating

HARD COAL BURNER
will save you \$7 per year
in economy of fuel.

I have no competition on
this hard coal burner.

G. L. Hitchcock

Detroit and Huron Railway New Line

Between

Cass City and Bad Axe

Operating passenger and freight service between Cass City and Bad Axe. Through double daily except Sunday passenger service from Cass City to Bad Axe, making close connections with P., O. & N. trains at Cass City.

D. & H. TIME CARD

Lv. Cass City for Bad Axe 11:25 a. m. 8:00 p. m.
Ar. at Cass City from Bad Axe 7:07 a. m. 3:10 p. m.

C. E. WAGER, Ticket Agent.

AUCTION!

I will sell the following property at Auction on Dr. Treadgold's lawn on Seeger Street, on

Saturday, December 13

at one o'clock

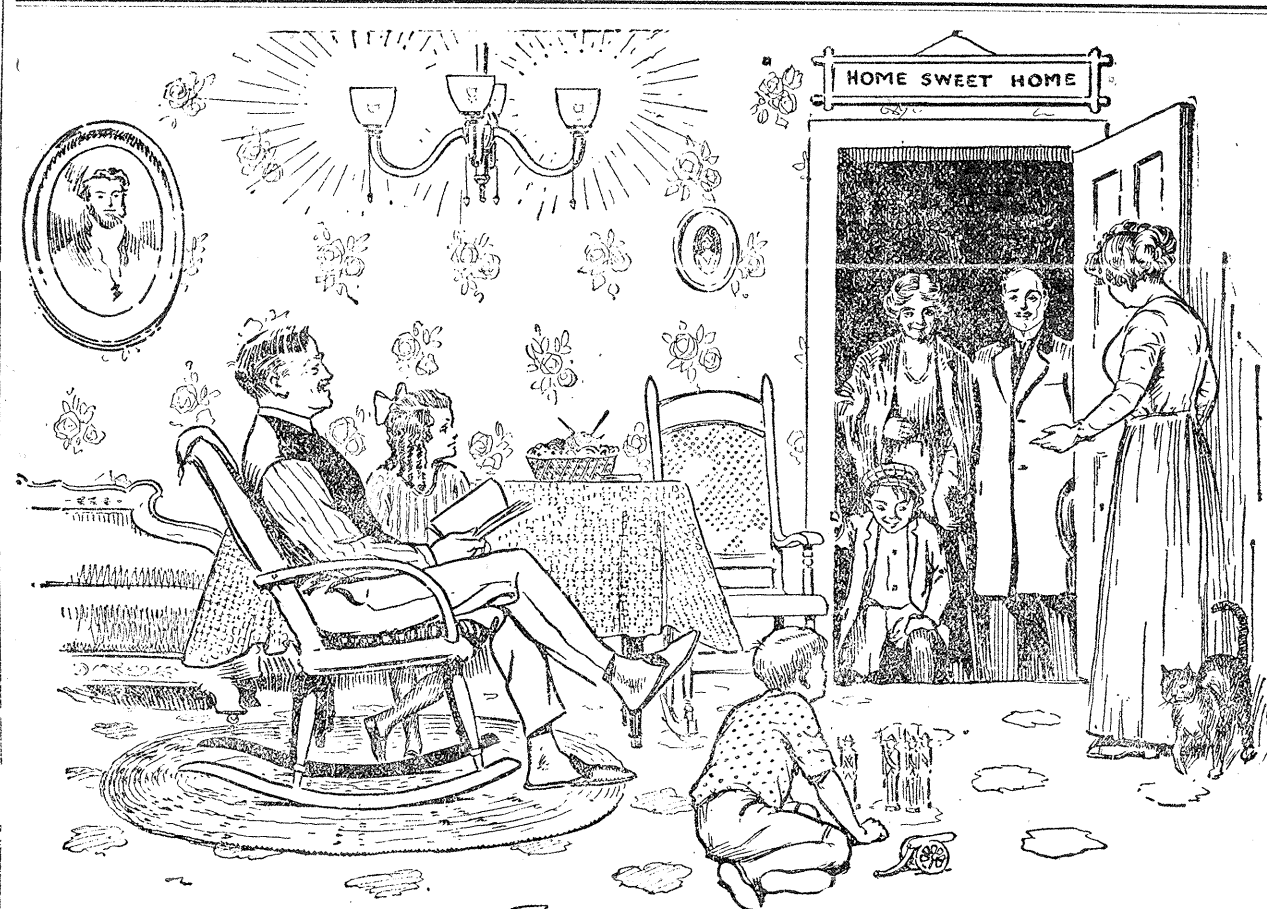
4 hole range nearly new
Good hard coal heater
3 burner oil stove
Wood bedstead
Iron bedstead
3 mattresses
3 bed springs Sideboard
Kitchen cabinet
Large cupboard
Extension table
2 center tables

3 stands
2 wash stands
2 rocking chairs
Dining room chairs
Kitchen chairs
2 carpets
Canned fruit
Crocks, pails, churn, dishes, lamps, kettles, spiders, dish pans
Numerous other articles

Terms: All sums of \$5 and under, Cash; over that amount 12 months' time on approved notes at 7% interest.

Mrs. Edmond Treadgold, Prop.

Striffler & McCullough, Auctioneers



You Have Neighbors Who Use Home-made Acetylene For Lighting and Cooking

For the asking you can have the name and the address of the nearest one. Then you can, if you wish, make an evening call and get the facts first hand.

All told we have sold no less than six thousand Pilot Acetylene Plants to the people in your state.

These people are our friends. Anyone of them will be proud to show you just how these Pilot plants work—how they automatically mix the gas producing stone, Union Carbide, with plain water. How they make just enough Acetylene to keep the lights and the range going—no more, no less.

They will show you also how the Pilot starts making this gas when the lights are turned on—and stops when the lights are turned off. How this gas is piped to handsome light fixtures in every room in the house—as well as to big, round safety lights in all barns and out-buildings.

The women folks in these homes will be glad to show you too just what a boon the Acetylene range is—how it furnishes heat on tap that can be regulated with a little valve—how it does away with handling wood, coal and ashes and makes the kitchen work easy.

You cannot judge the Pilot Acetylene Light Plant by what you have seen and heard of other Acetylene plants.

You must see a Pilot plant and talk to the people it works for. Then you will have a clearer understanding as to why

over two hundred thousand country families now find home made Acetylene indispensable.

The Pilot makes Acetylene the right way—makes it so well that it provides country homes with even a better light and fuel than the gas which twenty million city people are enjoying.

After you have inspected a Pilot plant we will leave it to you to say whether it doesn't make the whitest, the most brilliant, and most beautiful light you have ever seen.

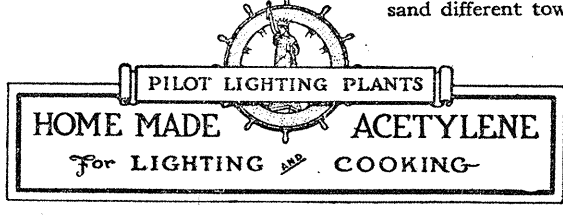
We will leave it to you also to say whether or not stationary Acetylene fixtures are not much safer than oil lamps, which can be tipped over.

As a matter of fact—only two accidents have been charged to the misuse and abuse of Pilot Acetylene, while ten thousand accidents have been charged to oil illuminants in a single year.

That is why the Oxweld Company, makers of Pilot Light machines, has grown to be the largest concern of its kind in the world.

Complete Pilot Light Plants may be purchased from dealers in Oxweld Acetylene Company products. These dealers are permanently located in some three thousand different towns.

In this district the undersigned distributors of Pilot Plants will be glad to mail you the Oxweld Company's free advertising books, telling the whole Acetylene story—with full details about the installation of the Pilot, its cost, economies, etc. Just address a postal to—



A. M. MILLER
SAGINAW, MICH.
Salesman
OXWELD ACETYLENE CO.
CHICAGO

Closing Out Sale

of Blankets and Robes from
December 13 to 20.

F. A. BLISS, Cass City

BE JEALOUS OF THE BEAUTY OF YOUR HAIR

In other words, be careful of it. The beauty of your hair depends upon its health. If it's beautiful, it's healthy. To make it glossy, bright, silky-soft—to make it fall more easily into the graceful, wavy folds of the coiffure—to make it stay where you put it—use Harmony Hair Beautifier. This dainty liquid dressing is just what it is named—a beautifier. If your hair is beautiful now, use it to make it even more so, and to preserve its loveliness. If it is not beautiful now, Harmony Hair Beautifier will improve its appearance in a way to please you, or money back. Its rose fragrance will overcome the oily smell of your hair. Easy to apply—simply sprinkle a little on your hair each time before brushing it. Contains no oil; will not change color of hair, nor darken gray hair.

To keep hair and scalp dandruff-free and clean, use Harmony Shampoo. This pure liquid shampoo gives an instantaneous rich lather that immediately penetrates to every part of hair and scalp, insuring a quick, thorough cleansing. Washed off just as quickly, the entire operation takes only a few moments. Contains nothing that can harm the hair; leaves no harshness or stickiness—just a sweet cleanliness.

Both preparations come in odd-shaped, very ornamental bottles, with sprinkler tops. Harmony Hair Beautifier, \$1.00. Harmony Shampoo, 50c. Both guaranteed to satisfy you in every way, or your money back. Sold in this community only at our store—The Rexall Store—one of the more than 7,000 leading drug stores of the United States, Canada and Great Britain, which own the big Harmony laboratories in Boston, where the many celebrated Harmony Perfumes and Toilet Preparations are made.

L. I. Wood & Co., Cass City.—Adv.

And the World Isn't Theirs: There are hundreds of men today who are richer than Monte Cristo ever dreamed of being.—New York Globe.

SHABBONA.

Miss Florence Dunham returned to her home in North Branch Saturday after a week's visit at the home of her uncle, Earnest Van Conant.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Jones ate Thanksgiving dinner with their daughter, Mrs. John Harriman, at Snover.

Miss Ona Foot spent Thanksgiving at her home in Argyle, remaining over Sunday.

Miss Jennie Cullen of Melvin and Margaret Clark of Peck visited their parents over Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal. Harrington are the happy parents of a baby boy born one day last week.

Mrs. Milo Van Conant and two children of Northern Michigan are visiting her mother, Mrs. Minnie Avery, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Riley and children were in Caro Saturday afternoon on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Petteplace visited Thanksgiving Day with relatives at Smith's Creek.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb W. Ehlers of Decker visited Sunday with the former's parents.

Ed. J. Riley and Mr. Gessingburger of Elmer City have been assisting R. M. Riley in putting in a new boiler in the Creamery at this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Parrott left last Wednesday for LeGrande to spend Thanksgiving day with his parents. It will be a family reunion and Mr. Parrott will meet his oldest sister whom he has not seen for 20 years.

For Christmas. One dollar pays the subscription price of the Chronicle for one year. A very acceptable Xmas gift.

COOK'S CORNERS.

Mr. and Mrs. John Repshinska were in Auctionville last week attending a wedding of Mrs. Repshinska's sister.

Mrs. Niel Fournier and two children returned from a month's visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lesperance entertained a number of friends at dinner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Boshay are entertaining their daughter and her husband of Detroit.

Miss Stella Wood spent Sunday at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Decordy entertained a few friends Tuesday evening in honor of the latter's sister who is visiting here.

Monday, Miss Mable Patenode was 14 years old and several of her friends came to spend the evening with her. She received several pretty gifts and all had a pleasant evening.

Mose Montruel has gone to Montreal to visit his brother.

Alex Longois will move to Pinconning this week where he will make his future home.

Alfred Goshlin has disposed of his interest in the general store at Ashmore and left Saturday morning for a trip through California.

Miss Stella Wood is working for Mrs. Ben Geruo.

A number of friends spent a pleasant evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennie Longois Saturday.

Milse Torna gave a party to the young people Saturday evening.

A surprise party at the home of Joe Pine last Friday evening was enjoyed by a large crowd.

ARGYLE.

Miss Gladys Walker returned home Saturday after spending a week visiting friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. McNaughton and son, Kenneth, were Pt. Huron visitors from Thursday until Saturday.

Miss Mildred of McLaughlin spent part of last week of her parental home at Marlette.

Miss Jennie Foote of Deckerville spent Thanksgiving at her home here.

Miss Winnie Doerr of Mt. Clemens was the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Doerr, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King were business callers in Ubyly last Tuesday.

Guy and Edwin Umphrey spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. J. W. Umphrey.

Mr. and Mrs. B. Brooks spent Thanksgiving at Deford.

Lee Starr spent last week with friends in Detroit.

Mrs. Wm. Miller died very suddenly of heart trouble. Funeral was held at the M. E. church at Argyle. The remains were laid to rest in the Argyle cemetery.

A pretty wedding took place at the St. Joseph's church last Tuesday when Miss Bernice Doerr, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Doerr, was united in marriage to John Kroetch of Laing. A bountiful dinner was served at the bride's home to about seventy-five of the friends and relatives. Both young people have a legion of friends in this community who wish them every joy.

Need some calling cards? The Chronicle Printery can supply you with either printed or engraved cards.



Gee! Get A Move On You

Some men have to be kicked into action. Others have to have a brick house fall on them before they "take a tumble." But the wideawake, aggressive, successful fellow requires no prodding. He acts. He doesn't wait for things about the place to get into a "rickety" condition. He knows that after things get started going to the bad, they go fast. He finds it much cheaper to keep things in shape than to put them in shape after they've gone to smash.

Which class do you belong to? Take another look about the place and see if a little lumber used in certain places, right now, will not save a big bill a little later on.

Deford Grain and Lumber Co.

Phone Deford Bank.

PUBLIC SALE

Striffler & McCullough, Auctioneers

Having rented my farm 2 miles east and 1½ miles north of Greenleaf station or 5 miles west and 1½ miles north of Ubyly I will sell the articles listed below at public sale, on

Tuesday, Dec. 9

AT TWELVE O'CLOCK SHARP:

HORSES

Black gelding 8 yrs. old, wt. 1650
Grey gelding 12 yrs. old wt. 1400
Bay driving horse 1300 yrs. old wt. 1000

CATTLE AND SHEEP

Red cow 4 yrs. old due Feb. 20
Roan cow 4 yrs. old due March 28
Black cow 3 yrs. old due Feb. 3
Spotted heifer coming 3 yrs. old due Apr. 10
Red heifer coming 3 yrs. old due April 6
Black heifer 2 yrs. old due Aug. 1
Red heifer 2 yrs. old due in July
Black heifer 2 yrs. old
Yearling heifer 3 calves
10 young ewes 100 chickens

IMPLEMENTS, HARNESS, ETC.

Osborne binder
McCormick corn binder
McCormick mower good as new
McCormick hay rake
Empire grain drill Scraper
Syracuse riding plow
2 walking plows
23 tooth Gale spring tooth harrows
Walking cultivator
Wide tire wagon Hay rack
Kemp manure spreader nearly new
5-gal barrel churn
10-gal. milk can
Cutter
Set bob sleighs
Top buggy
Set dump boards

DeLaval cream separator good as new

Grindstone Log chain
Grass scythe and snathe
Brush " " "
3 sets two horse eveners and whiffletrees
Neck yoke, shovels, hoes, rakes, stump auger
Hay fork and blocks
175 ft. rope
10 tons hay
Quantity of bean straw
2 sets heavy harness, one set nearly new
Set buggy harness
24 grain bags
12 cow chains
Numerous other articles

TERMS: All sums of \$5 and under, Cash; over that amount 11 months' time on good approved notes bearing 7 per cent. interest.

WM. J. SINCLAIR, Prop.

ANGUS McLEOD, Clerk

DEFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Gough of Toronto and Wesley Gough of Gagetown spent Thanksgiving with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Gough.

Miss Myrtle Parks of Caseville spent Thanksgiving with her mother, Mrs. Wm. Parks.

A. L. Bruce and family, Roland Bruce and family, Howard Malcom and family, Rev. and Mrs. Stubbs and family and Walter Kelley took dinner Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bruce.

Mrs. Ray Walker spent Saturday and Sunday at the Deford Hotel.

Election of officers of Lady Macabee Friday, Dec. 12. Every Lady Macabee is requested to be present.

Mrs. Rosalind Silverthorn and Mrs. Howard Silverthorn left Saturday night for Flint to visit relatives.

Ransom Spencer's are moving into the R. O. Curtis house lately vacated by M. Shaw.

Bert Curtis has moved into the house which he purchased from Perry Spencer.

Mrs. Ben Gage transacted business in Cass City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. McArthur visited Sunday at Lyle Spencer's.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Franklin ate dinner at Geo. Spencer's Thanksgiving.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kilgore, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Kilgore and Dolly Ross ate Thanksgiving dinner at Wm. Kilgore's home.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Valentine of Buchanan are here visiting relatives for a few weeks.

Chas. Osborn and Ed. Clothier spent Thanksgiving with their families at Clifford.

Mrs. M. Livingston and son, Geo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Kennedy and son, Roderick were guests at the home of Archie McPhail Thanksgiving Day.

Frank Roberts and family of Bad Axe spent part of last week with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Theron Spencer ate Thanksgiving dinner with their son, Geo.

Geo. Hamilton and wife of Pontiac are here visiting relatives for a few days.

The friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Sheriff surprised them by gathering at their home Nov. 26. After reading and prayer, they were presented with a nice purse containing \$57.00 besides other donations. Mr. Sheriff lost his sight about a year ago and they wish to thank all for their contributions and sympathy in their time of need.

NOVESTA.

Mrs. Robt. Warner and two sons, Franklin and Harold, visited friends in Yale this week.

Mrs. James Tracy is visiting her mother, Mrs. Bearup, in Evergreen.

Stomach Troubles Disappear.

Stomach, liver and kidney troubles, weak nerves, lame back and female ills disappear when Electric Bitters are used. Thousands of women would not be without a bottle in their home.

Eliza Peel of Deepw. Okla., writes: "Electric Bitters raised me from a bed of sickness and suffering and has done me a world of good. I wish every suffering woman could use this excellent remedy and find out, as I did, just how good it is." As it has helped thousands of others, it surely will do the same for you. Every bottle guaranteed, 50c. and \$1.00. Recommended by L. I. Wood & Co.'s.

Do You Feel Chilly ?

OR
Feverish and Ache all Over

Feel worn out—blue and tired? Don't let your cold develop into bronchitis, pneumonia or catarrh. The reliable alternative and tonic which has proven its value in the past 40 years is

DR. PIERCE'S Golden Medical Discovery

Restores activity to the liver and to the circulation—the blood is purified, the digestion and appetite improved and the whole body feels the invigorating force of this extract of native medicinal plants. In consequence, the heart, brain and nerves feel the refreshing influence. For over 40 years this reliable remedy has been sold in liquid form by all medicine dealers. It can now also be obtained in tablet form in \$1.00 and 50c. boxes. If your druggist doesn't keep it, send 50 one-cent stamps to R.V. Pierce, M.D. Buffalo.

The Common Sense Medical Adviser—a book of 1008 pages—answers all medical questions. Send 31c in one-cent stamps to R. V. Pierce, M. D.

HOLIDAY SALE

Our holiday sale which started last Monday certainly has been a record breaker judging from the amount of goods sold during the first three days. The assortment we carry and the prices we make must appeal to the public.

Cloaks and Furs

Marked at from 1/4 to 1/3 less the regular prices.

- Some \$25 Coats cut to \$15, others to \$16.67
- \$22 Coats for \$17.50, \$19 Coats for \$16
- \$15 Coats for \$12.50, \$12.50 Coats for \$10
- 12.50 Muffs or Scarfs for \$9.50, \$10 Furs for \$8

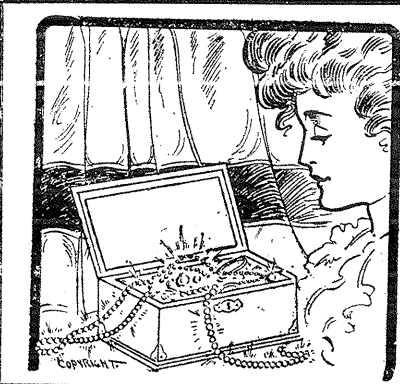
Until Saturday night, Dec. 6

- 8 lbs. Rolled Oats for 25c 12 Boxes matches 25c
 - 7 lbs. Gloss Starch " 25c 4 cans choice Corn 25c
 - 22 lbs. Granulated Sugar for \$1.00
 - 24 1/2 lb. Sack Flour, any kind 49c
- As previously advertised.

Buy your Christmas Candy here at 10c per lb.

The same quality as you would pay 20c lb. for elsewhere. Large assortment only 10c per pound.

PALMER BROS., Gagetown



The most loved of all gifts

No gift could possibly convey such affection or give such life-long pleasure as jewelry. Just now we call your attention to our excellent display of Christmas things, which are in a variety to please you all.

T. L. TIBBALS
Jeweler and Optometrist.

Central Shoe Repair Shop

P. P. WEBBER, Proprietor

Headquarters for the Best Repair Work in the Thumb of Michigan. Our work not only is durable and workmanlike in every respect, but the finish is pleasing and fine. With Crosby & Son.

ELMWOOD AND ELLINGTON.

Mrs. Nelson Perry, who underwent an operation at Pleasant Home hospital, is doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Woolman are visiting friends and relatives before leaving for Gravenhurst, Ont., where they will make their future home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peddie visited at the home of Robt. Campbell in Novesta Sunday.

Miss Ella Lounsbury is staying with Mrs. Emery Lounsbury.

There was a large crowd at Cedar Run Sunday school.

Miss Flossie Crane is on the sick list.

The Dodge Brothers lost one of their horses last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McConkey were in Cass City Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Smith and family and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen visited at the home of Thomas Leach Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dillman are visiting relatives in Detroit.

Mrs. Geo. Land is sewing for Mrs. L. I. Wood this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harve Streeter are visiting friends in Akron this week.

Geo. Predmore is seriously ill with heart trouble.

Herbert W. Predmore of Detroit spent Tuesday with his parents.

None Better.

When selecting gifts, remember that hand-painted china makes ideal wedding, anniversary or Christmas presents. You can secure the genuine at Mrs. M. J. McGillivray's, the up to date millinery store. 11-28-

House and two lots one block from Main St. for sale. Wm. J. Wilson. 11-21-2p

Suggestion for Xmas Gift. The Chronicle would make an acceptable Xmas gift for your friend, \$1 a year.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., Dec. 4 1913

Buying Price—

Wheat	82
Oats	37
Beans, new	1 05
Rye	69
Barley Cwt.	1 25
Alyke	10 00
June or Mammoth	9 00
Peas	1 25
Corn	80
Baled hay—No. 1 Timothy	14 00
No. 2	13 00
No. 1 Mixed	12 00
Eggs, per doz.	30
Butter, per lb.	25
Fat cows, live weight, per lb.	4 43/4
Steers	5 6
Fat sheep	6 3
Lambs	6 6
Hogs	7 7
Dressed hogs	9 9
Dressed beef	9 10
Calves	6 9
Hens	9 9
Broilers	9 9
Ducks	12 13
Geese	9 10
Turkeys	15 15
Hides green	9

XMAS

The question always arises at this time of year what to give husband, father, brother, uncle or the other fellow for Christmas. We can't truthfully say we have solved the entire problem but we have gone a long way toward solving it.

One particularly fine addition to our line just put in this week is a magnificent assortment of house coats, lounging robes, bath robes and fancy vests. Acceptable and useful articles that give lasting satisfaction to the one on whom the gift is bestowed, and genuine pleasure to the donor.

- Neckwear, new colorings, new weaves.
- Fancy shirts, latest styles @ 50c \$1.00 \$1.50 \$2.00
- Fancy suspenders, no extra charge for special boxes.
- Gloves of every grade and description.
- Hosiery, splendid assortment to choose from.
- Underwear for comfort and durability.
- Men's and boy's clothing of the highest quality.
- Men's and boy's overcoats all up-to-date.
- Rain coats and Slip-ons for boys and men.
- Slippers for the little folks.
- Women's slippers in endless variety.
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Sweater Coats, Mufflers, Fancy Mackinaws, Fur Coats, Fur Gloves, Fur Caps.

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