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H. P. LEE, Undertaker and Funeral Director, Cass City, Mich.

TIME CARD.

P., O. & N. Division—Caseville train ar.....7:10 a. m. Pontiac train ar.....11:20 a. m.

Have Just Received a shipment of New Century Flour A dependable uniform bread flour.

B. F. Benkelman Exclusive agent in this vicinity.

Whittemore's Shoe Polishes. Finest Quality Largest Variety. Includes images of shoe polish boxes and descriptive text.

The World's Greatest Sewing Machine Light Running NEW HOME. Includes image of a woman sewing and descriptive text.

KINGSTON.

Robert Evans of Clifford was a business caller here Saturday. Burton Elliott and Alfred Burmeister were Caro callers Saturday.

Harry Hill left Monday evening for Detroit where he expects to remain for an indefinite time. Mrs. J. W. Young and son, Carlton, spent Monday with friends in North Branch.

Miss Zella Reddaway of Kenton is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. Mart Sutphen. Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Brown of Marlette transacted business here Friday.

FOLEY'S Successful KIDNEY PILLS EVERYWHERE. Backache, Rheumatism, Kidneys and Bladder. Includes image of a pill bottle.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh That Contain Mercury as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces.

at Caro Saturday.

Alfred Johnson and daughter, Dorothy, of Cass City spent Sunday with friends here. Arthur Hicks of Cass City spent Sunday with his grandparents.

Miss Hazel Crawford of Gagetown is spending the week end at Hugh Crawford's home. Mr. and Mrs. Hall and daughter, Lucile, of Cass City motored to Henry Ibbiston's Sunday.

Miss Gladys Patterson came Sunday to spend the winter with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Ibbiston. Mrs. Ed. Kanouse of Perry, is spending the week with her brother, W. O. Stafford.

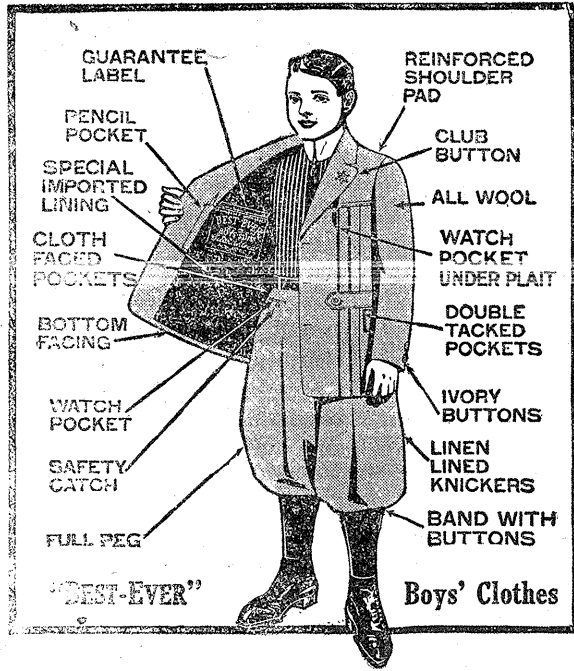
Miss Fern Watson returned home Sunday after spending a week at Mooretown. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Biegmens of Detroit are visiting the latter's parents.

Miss Magdalena and John Herrman of Detroit are visiting at the home of E. Knight, north of town. Mrs. and Miss Henrietta Hoshal of Detroit are visiting relatives and friends north of town.

Stunning Fall Dresses of Serge and Satin \$15.00. B. SIEGEL & CO. Includes image of a woman in a dress and descriptive text.

Golden Horn Flour We have a car load in this week. PEACHES Have received notice a carload of Arkansas Peaches will be consigned to us in about ten days.

AUCTION Striffler & McCullough, Auctioneers. Having decided to quit farming, I will sell the following property at auction, on the premises 80 rods north of Deford high school known as the O. J. Wethy farm, on Friday, September 4 AT ONE O'CLOCK SHARP: Dark bay mare weight 1300 Light bay mare weight 1200



New Suit and Shoes for School of Course

The first day means much for the lad, so start him off right.

Boys' Suits
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School Supplies!

Books for every grade and every rural school. Come early and avoid the rush of the opening of school.

WOOD'S REXALL Drug Store

Brockton, Mich.

Wm. B. Austin of Elmer has bought a half interest in Lewis Dornton's Blacksmith Shop and will take charge of same Aug. 31, 1914. He is said to be a good smith. Come in and try him.

L. A. DORNTON.

LOCAL ITEMS

H. P. Lee is spending the week in Detroit.

Mrs. L. H. Wood is visiting relatives in Charlotte.

Seward Marsh of Boston, Mass., is the guest of Meredith B. Auten.

A. D. Gillies spent last week with friends at Port Huron and Mt. Clemens.

Preston Allen of Flint was the guest of Miss Cecil Krapf Wednesday.

Mrs. John Bearss and daughter visited friends in Detroit Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wager of Bad Axe called at the home of Henry Wager Saturday.

J. L. Cathcart was in London, Ont., last week, called there by the illness of his father.

Miss Marie Southworth of Elkton was the guest of her cousin, Miss Bernice Wager, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Dunham of Royal Oak are spending the week at the home of William Schwaderer.

Early beans are ready to be pulled and some of these will probably be brought to market within ten days.

Mrs. E. F. Kreiman and daughter, Ola, of Saginaw are visiting at the homes of Hugh McColl and G. W. Landon.

Miss Nora Jones expects to go to Pigeon Saturday where she will be employed at Hirshberg's Department store.

Guy Lamb of Saginaw and Miss Margaret Nixon of Clare were guests at the former's parental home here over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Watson of Dryden visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gulick from Thursday to Monday.

I. B. Auten and Meredith B. Auten autoed to Detroit Sunday where they met Mrs. Auten and Miss Madeleine Auten, who have spent several weeks at Chautauqua, N. Y., and the family returned home Monday.

Mrs. M. Matzen of Flint is visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Wager and family visited friends at Elkton over Sunday.

Miss Violet Gillies is visiting her sister, Mrs. X. A. Boonhower, at Bad Axe this week.

Friends of Miss Audrey Pell will be interested to know that Miss Pell will teach at Cedar Springs, near Grand Rapids, this year.

Miss Mayme Feather expects to go to Laurence Saturday, where she will teach music and drawing during the coming school year.

Mr. and Mrs. I. B. Auten, Meredith B. Auten, Seward Marsh and Miss Madeleine Auten were callers in Caro Tuesday evening.

P. S. Gregory left Monday for Saskatchewan where he expects to spend a month looking after business interests there. He will also visit in Toronto before returning home.

The remains of C. W. Hildie of Kingston, who died suddenly Tuesday morning, were brought to Cass City for burial Thursday noon. Mrs. Andrew Muntz of this place is a daughter of the deceased.

Miss Ora McKim, who has been attending school at Ann Arbor, returned home Wednesday after visiting friends in Detroit for a few days. She expects to leave Friday for Chesaning where she will teach English in the high school during the coming year.

Mr. and Mrs. George Elliott and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Ferryby of Port Huron were guests at the home of H. P. Lee Wednesday. Carolyn and Leone Lee, who have been visiting in Detroit, Memphis, Toledo and Port Huron, returned to Cass City with them.

A. A. Hitchcock has sold the three-story business block next to the town hall, which he recently purchased from his sister, Dr. Carrie Edwards, to Wm. Karr of Pigeon for \$2,000. Mr. Karr is engaged in making extensive alterations and repairs in the second story which is being prepared for living rooms for his family.

Mrs. A. N. Treadgold is chaperoning a house party at Caseville this week consisting of the following young people: Douglas Treadgold, A. C. Edgerton, Dougald Duncanson, Meredith Auten, Seward Marsh and Misses Vernita Treadgold, Marian Treadgold, Eleanor Dixon, Miriam Fritz and Virginia Wilsey.

Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Kelsey have just received two postal cards from their son, Rev. Spafford Kelsey, who is pursuing a course of study in a university in Germany. The cards were dated August 5, the day after war was declared, and announced that he expected to start for his home here by way of Holland and Edinburgh, Scotland.

Mrs. J. B. McFail died at the home of her sister, Mrs. Nancy Hoover, at Vassar Saturday evening and was buried there Monday. Mr. and Mrs. McFail lived here for a number of years, moving from here to Vassar five years ago. Mr. McFail has been dead for two years and Mrs. McFail had lived to be 82 years old before her death.

Mrs. B. F. Moon entertained the Baptist Ladies' Aid Society at her home Tuesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. D. Losey. The ladies had all assembled at the Moon home when someone came after Mrs. Losey and great was her surprise when she walked in upon the company of ladies. After a pleasant afternoon, the hostess served an excellent supper.

The following people were guests at the home of Mrs. Stephen Chambers for dinner Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. Parm Karr of Gagetown, Mrs. Laurence Hoffarth and daughter, Clara, of Decker, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Craig and three children, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chambers and daughter, Opal, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Chambers and son, Harold, all of Evergreen.

Miss Carola Fritz, who was awarded the scholarship given by the Woman's Study Club to the high school graduate of highest merit last June, expects to go to Albion College September 14. Miss Fritz has been employed in the post office during the summer months and will continue work there for another week. Miss Emma Muck of Colwood expects to return to Cass City and be employed in the post office after Miss Fritz's departure.

Mr. and Mrs. George Kolb, Harold, Clarence and Helen Kolb, Mrs. Fred Wright and son, Maurice, and Mrs. M. M. Schwegler attended the funeral of Mrs. Roe Hoyt at Caro Friday. Mrs. Hoyt had been suffering with heart disease for several weeks and her death occurred Wednesday, August 19. She was born in Cass City, March 15, 1867, where she lived until her marriage in 1882 when she went to Caro where she has since resided. Besides her husband and five children, she is survived by five sisters and two brothers; the brothers being John and George Kolb of Cass City.

Archie Gillies of Greenleaf was a caller here Wednesday.

Malon Fordyce spent the week end with friends in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gemmill visited friends at Caro Sunday.

Alex Miller of Pontiac is spending his vacation at his home here.

Miss Helen Wilsey visited friends in Caro a few days this week.

J. A. Sandham is in Fort Wayne, Indiana, on business this week.

A farmer residing near Palms hauled beans 19 miles to Cass City to secure the \$3.00 a bushel which was paid by local dealers recently.

Miss Mary Rose of Argyle was the guest of her sister, Mrs. Hugh McBurney, last week.

J. Tewksbury was in Clifford Monday to attend the funeral of his niece, Mrs. Harvey Tewksbury.

Mrs. G. W. Goff leaves Friday for St. Louis, Mo., where she will visit her son, George W. Reid.

Mr. and Mrs. George West and children, Lottie and Alfred, visited friends at Owendale Sunday.

Miss Katherine Miller left Wednesday for Raynesford, Mont., where she will teach school this year.

Mrs. Jas. Profit, who has been ill for the past month at the home of D. Crawford, is slowly improving.

Miss Amy Fee, who has been attending school at Ann Arbor for several weeks, returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Van Auken and two children of Shaftsbury are guests at the home of Isaac Cragg. They made the trip by auto from Ingham county and Mr. Banauken says the crops all along the way were looking fine.



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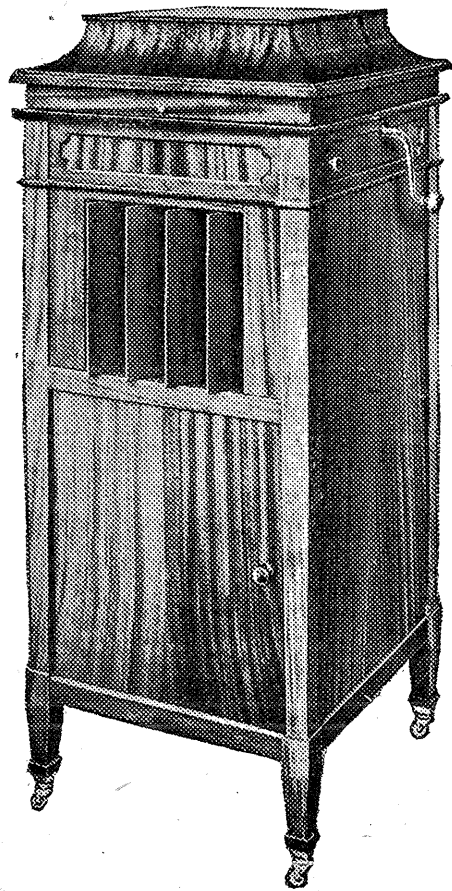
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More locals on fifth page.



School Book Special

Beginning Saturday and during all next week we will give

Extra Votes on all School Books and Supplies

at the rate of 5 for every cent purchase. We have been unusually careful this year in buying books to have every kind of book used in both city and rural school. Our stock is complete and the prices right. Don't forget the extra votes on the grafanola. If not interested yourself, help your friends.

Treadgold's Drug Store.

LOCAL ITEMS.

Lester Childs of Unionville called on friends here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Weldon spent Sunday with friends at Wilmot.

Miss Helene Walsh of Owendale is spending the week at the home of her uncle, L. E. Walsh.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Clark and son, Carroll, of Caro visited at the home of John Zinnecker Sunday.

Bruce Brown, Stanley Waldon and Misses Eliza Clough and Mabel Wooliever spent Sunday at Bay Port.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Wood and family of Marlette visited at the home of J. H. Wood over Sunday.

Miss Agnes Pitcher was called to her home in Pontiac Saturday by the illness of her father, Frank Pitcher.

Mrs. J. A. Morrison and son, Kenneth, who have been visiting friends here, went to Pontiac Saturday on their way to their home at Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Hall and daughter, Mildred, were guests at the home of Leo Challis at Kingston Sunday. Miss Mildred is also spending the week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Atwell and children, Vera and Russell, and Mrs. A. McLarty and three children of Pontiac are visiting relatives here and at Decker.

Mrs. Louisa Dodge and Miss Lillie Lang, who have been visiting at the home of their cousin, Mrs. C. Tallmadge, the past week, returned to their home in Saginaw Saturday.

The down town fair headquarters will be established at Higgins' Jewelry store next Friday, Sept. 4. Tickets may be purchased and entries made here until the first day of the fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Vandawaker and two children, who have been visiting at the homes of Clarence Quick and Lerry Hendrick, departed for their home Monday. Mrs. Vandawaker is a sister of Mrs. Quick and Mrs. Hendrick.

Frank Hegler of Deford, agent for the Tuscola Co. Mutual Fire Insurance Co., was in town last Thursday afternoon assisting in adjusting the fire loss on Walter Schell's barn which was destroyed by fire last week. The loss was adjusted at \$900 on the building and \$159 on the contents.

Clifford Gracy has returned home from Ann Arbor where he has been attending the University during the summer months. He expects to leave early in September for Boyne Falls where he will again occupy the position of superintendent of schools. In the meantime, he will spend the intervening days at his parental home at Cass City "resting up."

"Find enclosed check for \$1.00 for another year's subscription," writes Ray Wickware from Bison, South Dakota. "We cannot get along without the paper. Everything looking fine here, and all are well. There was a bunch of us fellows went on a three days' trip playing base ball last week. Won two out of three games. We sure had a fine trip. We are thinking of taking a trip to the Black Hills next year."

The new bungalow home which is being built for Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Gregory on Seeger St., north, is nearing completion and the family expect to move this week. The contract for building was let to I. W. Hall and the house has not been long in construction. From the exterior the house presents a very pleasant appearance with its fresh white and green paint and the wide east porch is only the beginning of the up-to-date arrangements of the house. From this porch one enters a spacious reception hall with its wide inviting fireplace upon either side of which are a row of built-in bookshelves and a cosy corner. To the south of this room is a sunny little den, arranged to suit the most exacting persons. Other rooms down stairs are the dining room, kitchen and pantry. The rooms on this floor are all done in various shades of brown and tan which harmonize pleasantly with the rich dark oak wood work. The dining room is paneled and has a southern exposure making it an ideal room. Another feature of this floor is the enclosed porch at the rear of the house which makes an excellent summer kitchen. The built in shelves and cupboards in the pantry and kitchen will also prove handy. The second floor consists of three bedrooms, each with a large closet, a bath, a dressing room and a hall which opens upon a large balcony, later to be used as a sleeping porch. The three bedrooms are decorated in yellow, rose and blue while the bath room is all white enamel and tile. The wood work of this story is southern pine and harmonizes with the color scheme of the floor. The house also has a small well finished attic and the basement consists of a large laundry and a furnace room with a small vegetable room and a large cistern. The electrical fixtures and other metal parts of the house are brush brass and the late bungalow windows make the house complete.

W. C. Dickinson visited at Caseville over Sunday.

The Boy Scouts will meet promptly, 7:30 p. m., Monday, Aug. 31.

Miss Sylvia Walsh is spending the week with relatives at Owendale.

B. J. Dailey returned Monday from a week's business in New York City.

Dr. Charles Naefie of Pontiac is the guest of Miss Effie Wallace this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Walsh and family visited friends in Owendale Sunday.

Miss Bertha McArthur of Wilmot is visiting at the home of William Schwaderer.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Emmons went to Caseville Saturday for a week's outing there.

Mrs. C. D. Hinman of Sebawaing is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Moore, this week.

Howard Wheaton of Charlotte was the guest of Robert H. Orr from Saturday to Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Burton Elliott and son of Kingston visited at the home of L. Buehrley Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Dalrymple went to Smith's Creek Wednesday to visit friends for a short time.

Irwin Striffler and Miss Joanna McRae are spending the week at the latter's home in Greenleaf.

Miss Lydia McInnes left Saturday for a ten days' visit with friends at Park Hill, Ont., and Detroit.

Thomas Sansburn of Pontiac came Saturday to spend a week with his mother, Mrs. Ellen Sansburn.

Mrs. Charles Cook of Mt. Clemens visited her mother, Mrs. Stephen Chambers, from Friday to Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Levi Bardwell, John Fisher, Aletha Seed and Nina Johnson were callers in Decker Tuesday.

Mrs. Herbert Pardo of Colling and Mrs. George Hitchcock visited relatives at Marlette during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frutchey and Misses Irene Frutchey and Thelma Nettleton were in Saginaw Wednesday.

Mrs. Catherine Crobar and Master Edwin Fritz went to Mount Pleasant Saturday to visit the former's sister.

Mrs. Harry Ostrander and daughter, Beatrice, of Pontiac came Thursday to visit at the home of Isaac Cragg.

Miss Bessie Russell of Royal Oak came Tuesday to begin her season as trimmer at Mrs. M. J. McGillvray's millinery.

Douglas Treadgold and Miss Eleanor Dixon of Port Huron came Thursday to visit at the home of Dr. A. N. Treadgold.

Alex Duncanson, who has been spending the summer at Ithaca, came Tuesday to spend a few days at his home here.

Miss Lucy Parker went to Caro Tuesday where she will be employed in the millinery department at Spaulding's.

The last open air service of the local churches will be held Sunday evening and Rev. J. W. Hamblin will preach the sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Craft were in Port Huron Monday where Mr. Craft attended the annual convention of Thumb blacksmiths.

Miss Mabel Brian, who has enjoyed a week's vacation, returned to her work with the Deford Grain and Lumber Co., Thursday.

Miss Adah Caldwell, who attended summer school at Ann Arbor and who has been visiting in Flint, arrived home Monday.

A little daughter came Sunday morning to make her home with Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Hamblin. She has been named Gladys Ruby.

Mrs. George Mitchell and granddaughter, Pauline Mitchell, of Leslie were guests at the home of A. Mark from Monday to Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Huff and son, Howard, of Ortonville visited at the homes of A. E. Summers and B. F. Moon from Friday to Tuesday.

Mrs. F. H. Newberry and sons, Lamarre and Frederick, who have spent two months with relatives in this vicinity, returned to Detroit Thursday.

Miss Marian Gilbert of Greenleaf was the guest of Mrs. John Schwaderer Thursday on her way home from Big Rapids where she has been attending school.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Rodewald and Misses Olga and Lena Stock of Manitow, Wis., were guests at the home of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Webber, Thursday.

Rev. Geo. Cleaver, pastor of the Presbyterian church in Big Rapids, and Mr. and Mrs. John Nicolson of Marlette were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Fee Thursday and Friday of last week.

Miss Jessie Duncanson, accompanied by Harold Lee, Arthur Cooley and Miss Irene Lee of Owendale enjoyed an auto trip through various Huron county cities and villages from Sunday to Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Brown visited relatives at Snover, Sandusky, McGregor and Urban from Friday to Tuesday.

Miss Ella Sheridan, who has been visiting friends here for the past week, returned to her home in Lexington Monday.

Mrs. X. A. Boomhower and daughters, Misses Florence and Virginia, of Bad Axe spent last week at the Gillies home here.

Mrs. Andrew McKim and Miss Hester McKim, who have been visiting friends in Detroit for a few weeks, returned home Thursday.

Mrs. J. W. Thiel and daughter, Betty, who have spent the summer at the home of John Zinnecker, left Thursday for their home in Hobart, Ind.

Mr. and Mrs. John McPhee and family of Muncie, Ind., are visiting the former's mother, Mrs. Mary McPhee. Mr. McPhee is city attorney of Muncie, a city of 35,000.

Miss Dorothy McPhee, who has been visiting in Imlay City, returned home Thursday. Her aunt, Miss Effie Malsbry, accompanied her, returning to Imlay City Friday.

Miss S. Lilah Tanner, a graduate of the Cass City high school in 1905, will teach the sciences and have charge of the girls' athletics in the Brown City high school the coming year.

IN THE GLOAMING

In the gloaming, oh my darling,
When the cars are whizzing past,
Sit we two upon our front porch
Till we see the very last.
It is time to seek the feathers,
But we linger still outside;
Twenty persons said they'd take us
Out a-riding, but they lied.
In the gloaming, oh, my darling,
We will sit till midnight's hour,
As the motor cars fly past us
On the wings of benzine power.
Do not give up hope, my darling,
Keep a-smiling, and sit tight;
If we wait for twenty summers,
Maybe one will stop some night.—
Pardeville, Wis., Times.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Holbrook M. E. church are providing a big chicken supper in the new church building on Thursday evening, Sept. 3, at 5 o'clock until all are served. Supper, 25 cents each. Ice cream extra, 5 cents.

Found.

Note book and time book on Route 4. Parties may have same by paying for notice and proving property.

Shino Auto Polishers at Bigelow's.

Notice.

Anyone having work for students during the coming year are requested to notify the Supt. It would also be of advantage to leave notice with him if you have rooms or board. H. G. Leavens, Supt.

Grey astrachan coat lost between Lee's furniture store and Dr. Treadgold's office. Leave at Chronicle office. 8-21-

White Crown can tops for sale; will fit any Mason jar. Guaranteed to give satisfaction. O Auten. 7-31-

Motorcycle oil at Bigelow's.

The Chronicle, one year, \$1.00.

Why Silence Reigned.

"Darling," he cried in tones of deep emotion, "at last you are safely in my arms and nothing shall part us more."
The object of his touching words and passionate embrace made no response, but remained cold and silent. Tears welled into his eyes.
"Dearest," he continued, "how can I prove my love? Is there no sacrifice I can make for your sweet sake, no suffering I can endure?"
This final appeal was irresistible.
"The best thing you can do, my man," said a gruff voice, "is to come along with me." And a brutal policeman unfastened him from the lamp-post and led him silently away.—London Mail.

Marriage Law Curiosities.

In West Virginia a man may marry his deceased wife's sister, but is forbidden by law to wed her stepdaughter.
In Massachusetts a man may marry his deceased wife's sister, but is prohibited from wedding her grandmother.
In Maryland whites and negroes or mulattoes who intermarry are "deemed guilty of an infamous crime" and are subject to ten years' imprisonment, but if they go across the border into Pennsylvania and get married there and return to Maryland they are not breaking the law.
In Utah an epileptic woman is permitted to marry after she is forty-five years old, but not before.—New York World.

Didn't Mind Pneumonia.

African natives treat pneumonia with extraordinary levity. On a big trek in central Africa, writes a correspondent, one of the carrier "boys" fell ill, and a doctor who was of the party diagnosed it as double pneumonia. The Europeans did what they could for him — medicine, a flannel shirt, blankets and the like. "Before turning in that night," says the traveler, "I went across the camp with the doctor to see how he was getting on. He lay quietly sleeping alongside a fire, clad only in his customary loin cloth, having rolled up both the shirt and blanket we had given him to act as a pillow! Yet he pulled through all right."

A. A. Hitchcock's Fashion Shop

Will have special display during Fair week

September 8 to 11
Of all Ready to Wear



THE FALL SUITS
in all new cuts and materials.
COATS—A wonderful display
of Coats in staple and fancy.

The Military Coat
The Cape Coat
The Greek Coat

All fancy fur effects.

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and Trimmings in the Thumb.

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Under the management of Mrs. Kile who has had years of experience in
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Our Exhibition of
Fall Styles in
Millinery

We will have our Fall
Opening of Millinery on

Sept. 8 and 9

We cordially invite the public
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portant exhibition of the seas-
on's newest and best styles.

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Dresses at 75c each.

L. E. Dickinson
Successor to Mrs. G. W. Goff

BEAULEY.

Ladies' Aid meets at the church Thursday.

Mrs. M. Myers and children, Otto and Gladys, of Newberry, Mich., are guests at the Arthur Moore home.

Miss Eva Baskin, who has spend the summer with friends here, returned to Battle Creek where she has been re-engaged to teach in one of the schools at that place. She will visit a few days in Ubyly.

Frank Holshoe and C. E. Hartsell made a business trip to Shabbona last Thursday.

Miss Flora Endersbe gave one of her splendid entertainments at Popple last Friday evening.

Joseph Crawford returned Friday from Manistee where he has been spending a week with friends at that place.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stafford and daughter, Blanch, Lloyd Stafford, and the Misses Emma Bearss and Frankie Beckett were guests at the C. E. Hartsell home Sunday.

Rev. Marcus McIntosh filled the pulpit in Beasley church Sunday, Rev. Richards having changed with him. He preached in Almont.

Mrs. Jane Heron returned home this morning after spending a few days the guest of Mrs. Fletcher.

Miss Ethel Thomas returned home Saturday after spending three weeks with Mrs. Roy Stafford.

Look out for the date of the Beasley picnic which will be given in the near future. It was postponed on account of conflicting with fair dates as stated last week.

COLWOOD.

Mrs. Gene Vader spent last week with her sister, Mrs. Sevene Montague, at Cass City.

Miss Adeline Cross made a business trip to Caro Monday morning.

Miss Looker of Ann Arbor is visiting at Robert McCreedy's this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cross visited Frank Patrick west of Caro Sunday.

Edward Dillon's two teams staged a double runaway Saturday afternoon on the road north of Colwood. As a result Ed has two badly damaged wagons. Serious fatalities were narrowly averted.

Art Gerou's home was gladdened Thursday by the arrival of an 8½ lb. girl.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Hobart made a trip to Mayville Saturday.

Grain threshing is now in full swing. Wheat and oat yields appear to be above the average.

Barney Perry made a business trip to Flint Friday and Saturday.

Simon Lawe's strawstack and barn were badly damaged by fire Monday morning. A brisk east wind added to the spread of the flames.

ARGYLE.

Mrs. Burt Brooks returned home last Monday after a week's visit with friends in Pontiac.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Ewing and family of Cumber spent Sunday at the home of G. W. Rose's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. McBerney of Cass City visited friends here on Sunday.

D. W. McLean returned to Reese last week after spending several weeks at his farm here.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Davis of Hay Creek were callers in town on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. McPhail were Cass City visitors on Saturday.

Kenneth McLean of Pt. Huron is spending the week with his brothers here.

Wm. McLean was a business caller in Cass City last Wednesday.

Geo. Stevenson of Deckerville is spending the week here.

Miss Mary Rose returned home on Saturday after a two week's vacation.

The barn on the farm home of Jacob Vatters was struck by lightning and burned to the ground during the severe storm last week.

Clarence Myers was a business caller in Cass City last Thursday.

CEDAR RUN.

Carl Martin, who has been visiting in Detroit, has returned home.

Ernest and Dorothy Beardsley are absent on a trip which will include Pontiac, Oxford and Lapeer.

Isaac Belknap and family of Mayville visited at Jas. Belknap's Sunday.

Miss Harriett Hendrick is going to learn millinery at Mrs. McGillvray's store at Cass City. She will begin work August 31.

Jas. Walters has completed the ditch he has been working on and has moved his dredge near Caro.

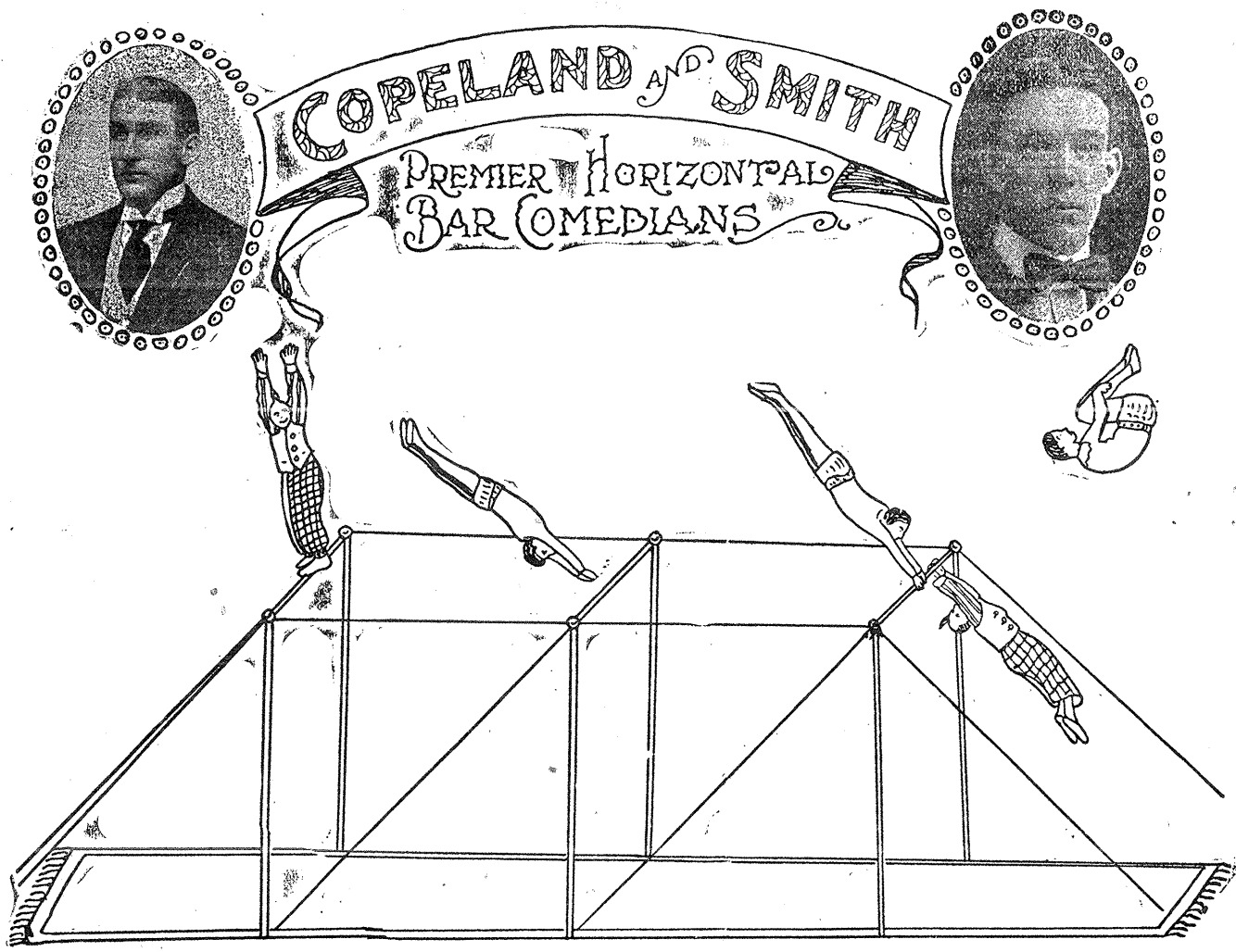
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Burse visited at Cass City Sunday.

Miss Janet Miller of Cass City is visiting at Jas. Belknap's.

Big Event of the Year

CASS CITY FAIR AND RACES

Sept. 8, 9, 10 and 11



The Charles

In a Japanese carrying breakaway ladder act, consisting of a ladder balanced by a man while the lady does posing and muscular work on ladder. For the finish the lady balances on the very top of one side of the ladder while rest of ladder breaks away, leaving her suspended on top of a long pole.

Sandy Copeland in Muscular Roman "Rings"

An act of agility and strength showing the most difficult muscular work combined with dangerous drop catches and somersaults.

Chas. Stone

Swinging and Balancing Trapeze Act

Aerial act by muscular man doing the most difficult balancing and dangerous drops and catches.

Every Conceivable Form of Amusement

Copeland, Smith & Weitzell Trio

Comedy Horizontal Bars

This act consists of the best and most sensational feats done on bars; blended all the way with good comedy. Introduces twisting backward and forward, somersaults from bar to bar and double somersaults away from the bars. This act has been identified with the best circuses in America.

THE AERIAL STONES

Artistic Double Tight Wire Act

An act of grace and skill, introducing all the best work done in this line. The act is dressed with the finest of silk and satin wardrobe.



Horse Races--Trotting, Pacing and Running Events

SNAPPY BASE BALL GAMES

All Manner of Exhibits and Educational Features Are Assembled

GRAND BAND CONCERTS

Large Showing of Agricultural Products, Live Stock and Poultry

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HURON COUNTY FAIR

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SEPTEMBER, 1, 2, 3, 4, 1914

The Oldest Continuous Fair in the Thumb, with 44 Successful Years Behind It.

\$3,000—IN PREMIUMS AND PURSES—\$3,000

A still Larger Agricultural and Live Stock Exhibit

HERDS OF CHOICE CATTLE AND REGISTERED SWINE OF EVERY BREED

THE FINEST SHEEP THAT CAN BE RAISED. POULTRY, WATER-FOWL AND PET STOCK.

Farm and Garden Products in Profusion

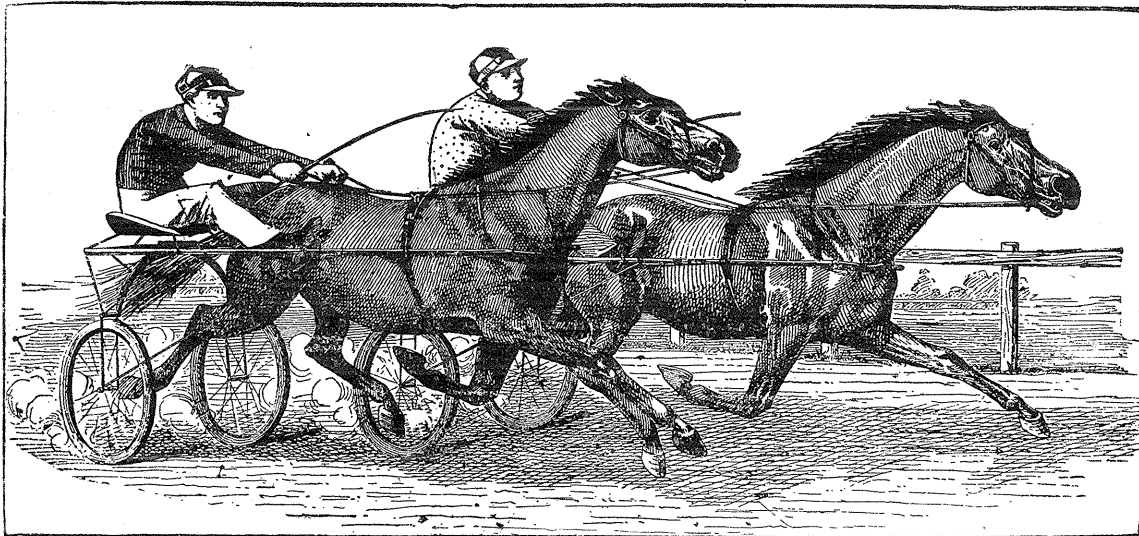
FRUITS, CUT FLOWERS, FINE PAINTINGS, ART EXHIBITS, NEEDLEWORK, DRAWING, etc., etc.

GRAND DISPLAY OF FIREWORKS AND BAND CONCERTS IN THE CITY PARK EVERY EVENING.

Music and Band Concerts every day and evening by one of the Best Silver Cornet Bands.

HORSE RACING

will be an important part of the Fair. They will be honestly conducted and liberal prizes fairly awarded. This year's speed contests will furnish RARE and EXCITING SPORT.



SPEED PROGRAM

\$1,000 IN PURSES

Wednesday, September 2.

2:40 Pace or 2:35 Trot	\$ 125.00
2:40 Pace or 2:12 Trot	150.00
5/8 Mile Free-for-all-run, 2 in 3	50.00

Thursday, September 3.

3:00 Trot or Pace (named)	\$ 1.00.00
2:24 Pace or 2:18 Trot	125.00
1/2 Mile Free-for-all Pace or Trot	150.00

Friday, September 4.

2:13 Pace or Free-for-all Trot	\$ 150.00
2:30 Pace or 2:25 Trot	125.00
Farmer's Run	25.00

All Races Subject to Change by the Committee.

Don't Miss This One! The New and Greater Midway

WITH ITS COUNTLESS WORLD WONDERS, AMUSEMENTS AND FUN PROVOKING DEVICES.

Big Three Days Base Ball Tournament

The best and fastest teams in the County League will participate in this great tournament for County honors. This will be the greatest and most interesting base ball event ever attempted outside of big league organizations. Come and see a

good clean game every day of the Fair.
September 2—Kinde vs. Elkton
September 3—Uby vs. Port Hope
September 4—Port Austin vs. Bad Axe.

MOTOR CYCLE RACES

Prizes will be given for Amateurs and \$50 Purse for Professionals

5 Mile Twin Cylinder	5 Mile Single Cylinder
5 Mile Handicap	5 Mile Free-for-all, 3 County Handicap
Thursday, September 3.	
10 Mile Twin Cylinder	10 Mile Single Cylinder
10 Mile Handicap	10 Mile Free-for-all, 3 County Handicap
Friday, September 4.	
5 Mile Single Cylinder	10 Mile Twin Cylinder
15 Mile Handicap	15 Mile Free-for-all, 3 County Handicap

All Races Subject to Change by the Committee.

Regarding Special Free Attractions, the Executive Committee have sought to avoid as much as possible the uncertainty and disappointment that frequently attend such acts as areoplane flights, balloon ascensions, etc., and secure some first class attractions that would be certain to perform under ordinary conditions. Thus far, three first class attractions to be given in connection with the Races have been secured.

MARS AERIAL AND TRAPEZE ACTORS

Tight Wire Walking, Juggling, Etc.
Will be one of the big features to be seen twice daily during the fair.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

Thursday, September 3, 10:30 A. M.

(Limited to Huron County.)

1 Girls 12 and under	\$1.00	.75	.50
2 Boys 13 and under	4.00	.75	.50
3 Boys 16 and under	1.00	.75	.50
4 Teachers' 100-yard dash	3.00	2.00	1.00

SPECIAL GLEANER PRIZES

For the best collection of farmer products by a Huron County Arbor these prizes are offered: 1st, \$25.00; 2nd, \$15.00; 3rd, \$10.00.

EVERY DAY A BIG DAY

Every day full of excitement and pleasure, combined with the great advantages of seeing the best things in life—knowing what is going on in the world and meeting your neighbors and friends—not a dull or idle moment from the time you arrive early in the morning till you go home late at night.

EVERYBODY GOES; WHY DON'T YOU?

Special Trains on all Railroads

ASK YOUR NEAREST TICKET AGENT CONCERNING REDUCED RATES AND SPECIAL TRAINS TO AND FROM THE BAD AXE FAIR

GEO. M. DEADY, President.

AARON CORNELL, Secretary.

JAS. L. BURGESS, Treasurer

G. M. BODDY'S LIFE JACKET

It is Said to Be Impossible to Drown if Provided With This New Invention.

Death in ocean disasters promises to be robbed of much of its likelihood if a life jacket invented by G. M. Boddy, a British experimenter in life-saving devices, proves its reputed merits. With the Boddy vest the wearer can't drown if he wishes. It is automatic in every feature and, unlike the conventional life belt, it doesn't hinder the free movement of the body.

The Boddy jacket, says the New York Press, is in the nature of a huge breast pad, resembling somewhat the chest protector worn by the baseball umpire. It is freely inflated with a fiber impervious to water, and despite its thickness, is quickly attached. It occupies half the space of the life belt now in use.

The disposition of the air pads in the jacket gives the body a face-upward position in the water. A cushion on the back, just below the shoulders, keeps the wearer's head above sea, no matter how high the ocean is running. While gigantic waves may submerge the wearer for an instant, the head bobs high out of the water an instant later.

The buoyancy of the jacket permits the wearer to remain afloat for three or four days. The question of sustained life becomes one merely of physical endurance against cold or hunger.

The appalling loss of life in recent marine disasters and the subsequent investigations by the British board of trade have called attention to the Boddy jacket and, moreover, have inspired inventors of life-saving appliances to strive their utmost. The allurement of huge rewards for near perfect apparatus have produced many inventions, several of which have been adopted by steamship companies under indorsement of marine boards.

The Boddy jacket is adapted to be worn by a child as well as by an adult. Strapped to a child the infant may be thrown overboard with almost certain impunity. The little one, when cast over, is bound to turn up on its back.

TO MAKE CRIMINALS OF USE

Suggestion Not Likely to Be Adopted But Really Seems to Be Worth Consideration.

That condemned murderers should have the opportunity of submitting themselves to vivisection and thus secure a "chance to work out their salvation," instead of being hanged, was the startling suggestion made by the mayor of Bath, England, Dr. Preston King, at a meeting of the local anti-vivisectionists.

He suggested that, while the nation kept capital punishment in its code of laws, and thought it right for society at large that a criminal who had committed murder should be hanged, they should give the condemned man the option of subjecting himself to some simple kind, not the grosser kind, of vivisection—such, for instance, as feeding on tuberculosis milk or injection of germs of various kinds, such as those of sleeping sickness.

Diseases like sleeping sickness could be studied better in the human being than in the animal. These were the things he would subject the condemned criminal to if he were willing to be so subjected, his life being already forfeited to the state for the crime he had done.

By so doing, a man who had taken one human life might have a chance of saving many lives, and of thus working out his own salvation in this world.

QUIET OF LONDON CHURCHES

Midday Gloom Impressed an American Temporarily in the British Capital.

An American visitor to London writes, according to the New York Sun:

"Whether it is true or not that there is always dead calm in the hub of a whirlwind, it is certain there is no deeper peace in London than you find in one of the island churches in the Strand at midday. Yesterday a board outside the door of Johnson's church, St. Clement Danes, advertised an organ recital from 1 to 2 o'clock, and pushing through the old brown door you found yourself in intense quiet with not even a hum in your ear of the clatter and roar outside. It was as cloistral as a village church and the old body in white apron moving gently about was altogether like a rural custodian. You could sit in Dr. Johnson's pew in the gallery over the pulpit and have the dark, vaultlike place all to yourself.

"The arrival of the organist made quite a startling noise, and by the time he began to play there were about half a dozen people lost in the loneliness of the pews, chiefly clerks from the offices in the Strand. After a time you forgot the scurry of London altogether in that dead atmosphere of gloom, and the church was peopled by eighteenth century ghosts silent at ghostly devotions. Soon the organ shattered one's reverie and the church lit up wonderfully as the music possessed it, and the clerks gazed with awed faces up to the organ loft, whence the music poured out undisturbed by any tremor from the bustle a few yards away.

Huron County Fair—Sep-

CUMBER.

Miss Gladys Brown is visiting in Detroit.
 George Trollop is visiting his sisters here; also his uncle, Richard Lowe.
 Miss C. McManus, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Flannery, for the past two weeks, returned to Deckerville on Saturday.
 Miss Anderson, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Gibbard, left for Minden City to visit other relatives before leaving for Toronto.
 Thos. Mardlin, who had the misfortune of breaking his arm three weeks ago, is improving very nicely.
 Our schoolhouse is undergoing some much needed repairs. A new fence has been built and the walls are being re-plastered. The proposition of bricking the school was voted down.
 The Cumber ball team played Greenleaf Sunday, on the callers' grounds. Ten innings were played, the score being 11 to 12 in favor of Greenleaf.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Miss Avis Sangster returned Friday from Caseville where she has been camping for a few days with Cass City friends.
 Mrs. McLeish entertained a number of friends from Marlette Sunday.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Atfield are stopping with the latter's mother, Mrs. Snell, for a while.
 Hay pressing, grain threshing and cucumber picking seems to be the order of the day. No wonder we country people enjoy life.
 Mrs. Homer Smith is numbered with the sick.
 Bert Walker, the surveyor from Marlette, commenced work Friday on what is known in this locality as the Collin's drain.
 The recent rains and warm weather make the pickle farmer wear a broad smile.
 San Jak cures rheumatism, stiff joints and muscles. Worn out feeling leaves quickly. At Treadgold's—Adv.

DEFORD.

Mrs. Chas. Kilgore is spending a week with her sister at Attica.
 Mr. and Mrs. Neil Kennedy were in Cass City Thursday on business.
 Ben Gage and Otis Watkins autoed to Bad Axe one day last week on business.
 Mrs. Ray Franklin and Mrs. Floyd Franklin visited their parents here Tuesday.
 Will Gage of Detroit is spending a week with relatives here and will attend Caro fair.
 Lyle Spencer and family spent Saturday night and Sunday with their parents, northeast of town.
 Roland Kilgore and family returned home Friday from a week's visit with their parents at Avoca.
 Mrs. Bowers of North Branch visited her sisters, Mrs. Geo. Roberts and Mrs. H. Cuer, last week.
 Chas. Kilgore and mother, accompanied by the latter's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Orlando Pratt, spent Friday afternoon in Cass City.
 Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hartwick, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Hartwick, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Osborn, and Billie McCracken spent a few days of last week camping at Caseville.
 Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pugh of Detroit visited from Tuesday until Friday with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCain, and other relatives.

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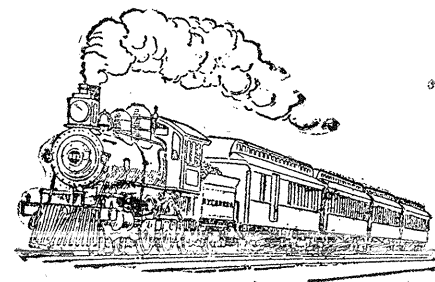
Born to Mr. and Mrs. Herman Oesterle, Tuesday, Aug. 18, a daughter. She has been named Iva Beatrice.
 Mr. and Mrs. Evans Rose spent Saturday and Sunday in Gagetown visiting relatives.
 Byron Hall has a new Ford automobile.
 Miss Iva Turner spent from Thursday to Sunday at the home of her sister, Mrs. W. Wells, in Gilford.
 Miss Lizzie Fadie spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Parsell in Almer.
 Mr. and Mrs. Amos Ford spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Byron Hall.
 Miss Merle Rowley, who has been the guest of Miss Iva Turner, went to Detroit Monday to visit friends.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

Town line school opens Monday with Miss Irene Retherford as teacher.
 J. Thomas of Owosso is visiting at his home here.
 Mrs. Geo. Cooper entertained her brother and nephew from Shabbona Sunday.
 Miss Alma Griffiths of Royal Oak visited at the home of her cousin, L. Retherford, a few days last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Brown spent Sunday at the home of Harry Dodge.
 Miss Irene Retherford spent Tuesday with Miss Marion Gilbert at Greenleaf.
 Mrs. R. Courliss and son, Leighton, of Rochester are visiting relatives here.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Donaghy of Sandusky spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Coleman.
 Mr. and Mrs. Robert Horner of Novesta visited the former's sister, Mrs. Mason Leek, Sunday.
 Mrs. J. H. Hays of Cass City visited Mrs. Geo. Martin one day last week.
 Mr. and Mrs. L. Retherford spent Saturday and Sunday with friends at Marlette.
 Mr. and Mrs. James Osborn went to Clifford Monday to attend the funeral of the latter's sister-in-law, Mrs. Tewksbury.

CASS CITY PROOF.

Should Convince Every Cass City Reader.
 The frank statement of a neighbor, telling the merits of a remedy, bids you pause and believe.
 The same endorsement
 By some stranger far away
 Commands no belief at all.
 Here's a Cass City case.
 A Cass City citizen testifies.
 Read and be convinced.
 John Fisher, Grant and Pine Sts., Cass City, Mich., says: "I was caused much suffering by kidney trouble. I had pain and lameness across the small of my back and when I stooped or brought any strain on the muscles of my back, the suffering was worse. I knew that my kidneys were disordered and when Doan's Kidney Pills were brought to my attention, I procured a box at Wood & Co.'s Drug Store. They soon improved my condition and before long, I was in much better health."
 For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.
 Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other. 56—Adv.
 Need some calling cards? The Chronicle Printery can supply you with either printed or engraved

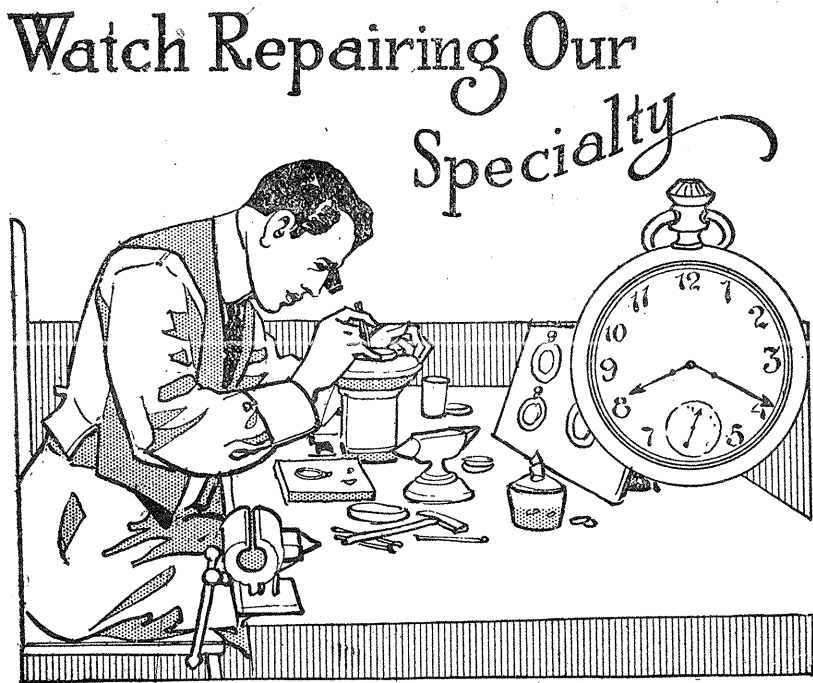


SPECIAL TRAIN SERVICE

OVER D. & H. R. R.

From Cass City to the Bad Axe Fair Thursday, Sept. 3

Train leaves Cass City at 8:00 a. m.
 Return train leaves Bad Axe at 6:30 p. m.
 Connections will be made at Cass City with P., O. & N. R. R. both morning and evening for points north on P., O. & N. R. R.



Watch Repairing Our Specialty

☞ We're expert surgeons to sick watches and clocks. We positively guarantee our repairing. You need not fear to trust us with the most costly timepiece.
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T. L. TIBBALS, JEWELER AND OPTOMETRIST.

WORK WORK WORK

Be a worker! A good worker! A hard worker! A faithful worker!
 To drift is to lose power. Don't drift! Be active! Be wideawake!
 Be up and doing. To do is to live.
 The world wants you and has use for you. Give it a chance.
 It will treat you well, if you are educated to do what it wants done.
 It does not desire to throw you down. It only desires to make you prove your worth.
 Whatever you find to do, do with all your might. First convince yourself that you are right, then go ahead.
 Watch a chip of wood that floats down stream. It is a helpless victim of every eddy, every current, unable to find a lodging place anywhere. It drifts. Whatever else you do, 'don't drift.'
 Resolve to achieve, to accomplish something, to make yourself felt.
 Take your head between your hands and think hard, then resolve and act.
 Your fellows may laugh and ridicule, may chaff and jest at your earnestness.
 Never mind them, but keep persevering, and some morning the fact will awake them that they have been drifting while you have steered your ship safely into harbor.
 No one is so poor that he has not opportunity. Life is full of chances.
 If opportunity does not happen your way, you can go out and find it.
 Those who come to our college to prepare for the positions in business life are never 'drifters'. They are ambitious.
 They are the kind who go forward and do things. They use the education acquired here as a 'stepping stone' to success.
 If you are content to remain at the foot of the ladder you must expect to be trampled on and shoved about, for there is always a crowd there. But take one step up the ladder. Already you begin to see over the heads of those who struggled around you. The higher you climb, the fewer will be your competitors.
 In this big, busy world there is a place for every person who is not a drifter.
 Arrange to enter now and train for an active business life.
 Hundreds are being trained every year and are getting good positions.
 We hold an enviable position in the placing of students. Many, after taking a course in another college, enroll with us for a month or two just to get a position.
 Is there any reason why you should not get a good position when prepared?
 We cannot make you decide. That rests with you.
 Get a copy of our College Journal. It may help you decide.
 Our Fall Term will open Monday, Aug. 31.

BAY CITY BUSINESS COLLEGE
 Gillespie & Wason
 Bay City, Michigan.

MICHIGAN STATE FAIR
 FULL OF INTERESTING FEATURES

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MICHIGAN APPLES

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MILK SHOW

Michigan State Fair

Detroit, Sept. 7-18

\$150,000 in Premiums and Purses

Comprehensive and Inspirational Display of Michigan's Progress In Industry, In Education and In Clean Amusement.

Among The Attractions Are

BABIES' HEALTH CONTEST, first of its kind in Michigan. Babies are the best crop of all and mothers will be taught how best to care for them.

GREATEST HORSE, CATTLE AND DAIRY SHOW that ever has been seen at any State Fair. Cattle entries will reach nearly 1,000. Evening Horse Show of greater magnitude than ever.

WARSHIPS OF THE AIR like those used in the great struggle abroad will carry passengers over the Fair Grounds and the city of Detroit at a dizzy height.

HORSE AND AUTOMOBILE RACES. Ten rich stake events for harness classes besides a full racing card for each day. Daring motor drivers to break track records.

BUILDING AN AUTO IN TEN MINUTES. The most stupendous industrial exhibit ever made. Twenty-five finished Ford cars will be produced every day at the Fair Grounds.

ONLY FLOCK OF PERSIAN FUR SHEEP IN AMERICA. The wonderful new breed that is immensely valuable for its skin and with which the United States now is experimenting will be on display.

THE DETROIT MILK SHOW, the state scoring contest of butter and cheese. Pain's fireworks depicting the capture of Vera Cruz by U. S. Marines, The Kilties' and Ford Motor Company's bands, a great Midway, free circus acts in front of the grandstand, and many other interesting attractions.

Write to 501 Bowles Building, Detroit, for premium lists and further information.

You're Invited to the

Michigan State Fair

September 7-18

BOYS STATE FAIR SCHOOL

EVENING HORSE SHOW

FORD BAND

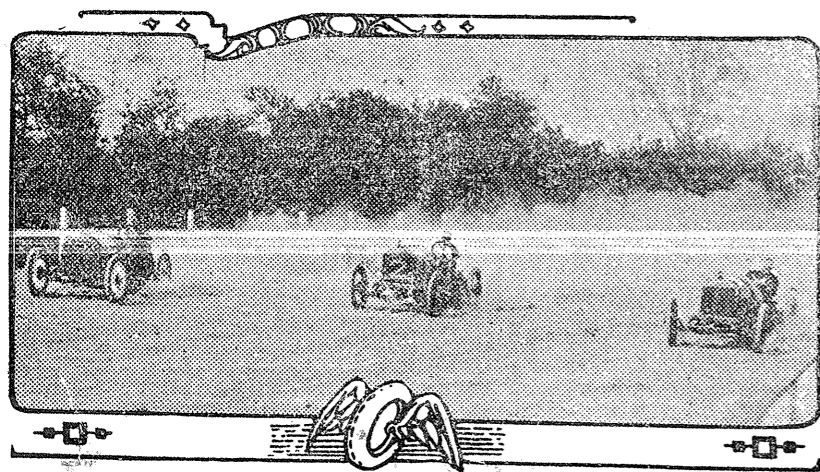
NOTED SPEAKERS

ROAD BUILDING

HORTICULTURAL SHOW

TAKING OF VERA CRUZ

MAKING THE LAST TURN WHEEL BY WHEEL



No more thrilling sight is listed in the catalogue of the spectacular than the finish of an automobile race. The long grinds on the great speedways have their interest, but they do not compare to the finals of a five or ten mile joust on a dirt track between drivers that are afraid of nothing save that they will be the last to finish. When they turn into the home stretch and come down wheel by wheel, that person must be glued to his seat who does not rise to watch them as they flash by under the slender wire.

While the identity of all the daring drivers who will pilot autos in the races at the Michigan State Fair,

Sept. 7-18, has not yet been announced, it is known the list will comprise many famous names. Among them are Bob Burman, who will appear in his Burman special and who is a native Michigander; Louis Disbrow, Johnny Rainey, Lou Heinemann and Eddie Hearne. The automobile racing program will be ready for publication shortly.

The illustration shows Johnny Rainey of Cincinnati, Eddie Hearne of Detroit and Louis Disbrow, track champion of the world, in one of their hair raising encounters at the State Fair track. They all will appear in the 1914 Fair races.

BAN WILL NOT AFFECT AUTO RACES AT FAIR

Noted Drivers Will Appear In Thrilling Events.

AROUSED OVER A. A. ACTION

"Going to See Whether This Is a Free Country," Says General Manager Dickinson—Cycle Car Meet Not Under Auspices of State Fair.

The directors of the Michigan State Agricultural society have been aroused by the notice published throughout the country by the American Automobile association that the Michigan State Fair track has been blacklisted, and interesting developments are promised for the next few days.

The contest board of the A. A. A. has been informed that even though the ban is kept on the Michigan track it will not affect the automobile speed program here. Contracts have been made with a dozen of the best known drivers in the country, and they will appear in the events scheduled. If they do not they may not be allowed to participate in the automobile races at the Minnesota, Nebraska and the many other fairs where they are listed. The Michigan State Fair is a member in good standing of the American Association of Fairs and Expositions, and should a contract be broken with one member it is the policy of the association to protect itself and its members by severing all relations with the erring party.

Inasmuch as these state fair meetings are one of the chief sources of revenue of the A. A. A., it is believed the situation will receive careful consideration by that body. It is even asserted that the association may, if it is found necessary, inaugurate a series of automobile speed contests under its own auspices.

"To make it short, we're going to see whether this is a free country or not, if our track can be blacklisted when we are not even members of the A. A. A. and no sanction had yet been asked for our state fair meeting," said George W. Dickinson, general manager of the Fair. "This action has been taken against our track because of the cycle car races that were held there July 4 and 5. The races were not under our auspices; we merely leased the track as we lease it for motorcycle and harness race meetings. We never have had any difficulty over those. We regret this misunderstanding has arisen. We have taken counsel in the matter, however, and are confident our position is justly taken.

"Contracts with a number of well known drivers were made some months ago, long before the A. A. A. made the announcement concerning our track. Should any driver violate his contract with us he may not be allowed to drive on the track of any fair that is a member of the American association of fairs and expositions. When we sign a contract we live up to it and we expect the people who sign contracts with us to do likewise. That has been the position the association has taken in many instances to guard itself and its members from those who cannot be depended upon, and we will have the association's aid in this case.

"You can depend upon it there will be automobile races at the Michigan State Fair."

Intermittent.

Knicker—Any luck?
Bocker—No. The fish seemed to be in part time schools.—New York Times.

HAPPENINGS IN OUR NEIGHBORING VILLAGES

On the farm of D. Shannahan in Sheridan Thresher William Blackwell threshed 2,194 bushels of oats in seven hours. The yield was over 50 bushels to the acre.

After a deliberate and searching investigation of conditions, the directors of the Caro Farmers' Co-Operative Elevator Co. purchased from the Caro Elevator Co. its entire plant, land, buildings, machinery, coalsheds the horses, wagons and equipment of every kind for \$16,000.

Dr. Charles Williams, aged 81, better known as the "Indian Doctor," died Friday at Vassar from an overdose of belladonna administered by himself. He was born in Austria, and was stolen by the Indians when nine years old. Made his escape from them nine years later. He had made his home at Vassar for the last 18 years with Oliver Loomis.

A petition is being prepared to petition the postmaster general to redistrict the rural routes in Sanilac county and place more on the Sandusky district. At the present time the rural routes out of Peck, Carsonville and Marlette run within a few miles of Sandusky. It is the object of the petition to have those routes that run near Sandusky from other postoffices to be changed over to the Sandusky postoffice—Sandusky Republican.

Three years ago Robert Davis of Fairgrove lost his watch, while plowing, and as he did not find it concluded he had plowed it under and lost it. The land has been plowed, harrowed, cultivated and harvested for three seasons and nothing seen of the watch. A few days ago Mr. Davis was walking across the field while they were getting ready to thrash oats, and happened to notice the watch standing on edge in the hard ground. It was embedded in the ground so hard that Mr. Davis pulled the ring off in getting it out. The watch was in perfect condition and when wound started ticking off the seconds in the same old way. The works were apparently as clean and bright as when it was lost.—Enterprise.

PROBATE NEWS.

In the matter of the estate of Rowena Miles, late of Fremont, deceased, claims heard and allowed.

In the matter of the estate of Albert E. Hammond, late of Dayton, deceased, claims heard and allowed.

In the matter of the estate of Willard Moreland, late of Fairgrove, deceased, claims heard and allowed.

Also claims allowed in the estate of Hannah Carpenter, late of Millington, deceased.

In the matter of the estate of Lena

Pine, late of Elmwood, deceased, Eli Pine appointed administrator.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Jos. Bishop to Chas. L. Fulmer, pt Millington \$1850.

Emelie G. Callaway to Wilbur C. Lockwood and wife, lots 4, 5 and 6, blk. 8, Kingston, \$1,050.

Unionville Milling Co. to Elson W. Slocum, part ne ¼ section 1 Columbia \$1,000.

Cecil C. Conway and wife to Carl C. Conway and wife, nw ¼ of nw ¼ section 21 Arabela \$1.

Carrie Conway to Cecil C. Conway, sw ¼ of sw ¼ section 17 Arabela \$1.

Wm. E. Woodward and wife to Albert W. Gould and wife, s 55 A. of nw ¼ section 4 Arabela \$1.

Stephen A. Lockwood and wife to Jennie Gleason, part n ½ of s ½ of ne ¼ (exc) section 16 Millington \$1.

Willis Harter and wife to Caroline Evans, part lot 2, blk. 4, Millington \$25.

David E. Dowker and wife to Frank D. LeValley and wife, lot 33, part lot 31 blk. 12 Vassar \$700.

Dugald Duncanson to W. T. Schenk et al lots 5, 6 and 7, blk. G Deford \$1.

Fredk. N. Stoley and wife to Lot Wilder e ½ of se ¼ section 12. Juniata \$3500.

Ben M. Kern and wife to John Bierlein and wife, lots 5 and 8 part 10 and 4 blk. 7 Reese \$2300.

Irwin Russell and wife to Geo. Hofmeister, part ne ¼ section 1 Unionville \$3400.

Burton McNinch and wife to Mary Rice, lots 2 and 3 blk. 4 Beachwood Annex Mayville \$1,000.

John Sitzes to Julia Brebner, lot 33 blk. 2 Smith's add. Caro, \$1200.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., Aug. 27, 1914	
Buying Price—	
Wheat	1 08
Oats	45
Beans	2 50
Rye	91
Barley Cwt.	1 25
Alsyke	10 09
June or Mammoth	8 00
Peas	1 60
Corn	1 09
Buckwheat cwt.	1 20
Baled hay—No. 1 Timothy	12 25
No. 2	12 50
No. 1 Mixed	12 25
Eggs, per doz.	21
Butter, per lb.	25
Fat cows, live weight, per lb.	5 6
Steers	6 7
Fat sheep	8 3/4
Lambs	6 7
Hogs	8 1/2
Dressed hogs	11
Dressed beef	12
Calves	8
Hens	12
Broilers	14
Ducks	12
Geese	8
Turkeys	18
Hides green	10

Farm For Sale.
80 acres all under cultivation; fair house, two big barns, hog pen 14x24, hen house, good well. State road to Cass City. \$2,500 down, easy terms balance. Enquire at Chronicle office. Will sell with or without crop. 7-17-

SEPTEMBER

September days again are here, reminding us another year is slipping by as years will do, despite the fact that Gwen and Sue are just as far from Hymen's call as either were this time last fall. The kidlets, too, wear faces sad, for almost every lass and lad must now give up vacation days and figure all the different ways of having fun upon the sly and not attract the teacher's eye. And we who've worked the blessed year regret to see the end draw near, for, while we know not where it went, we haven't saved a bloomin' cent.

To the older heads who have lived through forty or more Septembers, the month's memories are filled with thrills—and chills. Forty years ago, anyone who couldn't have a chill every other day in September was truly out of style and a peculiar character. We then used to find a comfortable seat astride a red-hot stove about nine o'clock every other morning and sit there, trying to keep from freezing to death until noon. After dinner we changed our position. The afternoons were spent in the refrigerator, where we reposed with a chunk of ice at one end, a palm leaf fan at the other, and even then felt that we might burst into flames at any moment. The younger generation has no idea of what it has missed since science has eradicated September's chills and fevers.

The sun comes later every morn that each of autumn's days are born, and too, with haste he fades away and shortens every autumn day. With shorter days the clouds arise and throw their shadows from the skies; we feel a chill upon the breeze and note the fading summer trees; Dame Nature's robe grows sombre, sere, reminding us Jack Frost is near.

EVANGELICAL CHURCH NOTES.

The regular services will be conducted Sunday morning.
On Sunday evening from 6:30 to 7:15, Miss Laura Striffler will give her report of the state and district Y. P. A. conventions.
The Y. P. A. will hold its monthly business meeting at the church, Tuesday evening, September 1.
The Ladies' Aid society will meet with Mrs. Christina Jaus, Thursday, September 3, for all day.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Matejas Seiman, 45, Pigeon; Anna Michelz, 37, Gagetown.
Joyce Downey, 24, Silverwood; Lillian Mary Diegel, 18, Silverwood.
Joseph Dozagi, 28, Fairgrove; Mary Kripesar, 17, Fairgrove.
John J. Chaffee, 64, Dayton; Ver-norma L. Thomas, 44, Vermont.
Lee Montney, 21, Memphis; Lottie Presley, 23, Mayville.

Shino Dust Mop oil at Bigelow's.

CANVASSER PAYS FINE

C. L. Dewey, Saginaw, Defies Village Clerk When Told to Get License.

C. L. Dewey, a canvasser from Saginaw, dropped into Sebewaing and began taking orders for a vacuum sweeper. When informed by Village Clerk Mansketh that he would be obliged to take out a peddler's license if he wished to continue doing business in the village, he defiantly told Mr. Mansketh that no blanket-blank village of Sebewaing could force him to take out a license, that he was only "taking orders" and didn't require any.

Marshal Donovan was told to keep on the lookout for the man and if found doing business to nab him. Thursday morning the marshal did nab him, just after he had made a sale and just as he and his partner were about to leave town in an auto. Dewey paid a fine of two dollars and costs and went on his way, his mind somewhat enriched as to the state law covering his case.—Blade.

IF YOU MUST DRINK.

To the married man who cannot get along without his drinks, the following is suggested as a solution to the bondage of his habit:

First—Start a saloon in your own house.
Second—Be the only customer. You will have no license to pay. Give your wife \$2 to buy a gallon of whisky, and remember there are 69 drinks in one gallon.

Third—Buy your drinks from no one but your wife, and by the time the first gallon is gone she will have \$8 to put in the bank and two dollars to start business again.

Fourth—Should you live ten years and continue to buy booze from her, and then die with snakes in your boots, she will have money enough to bury you decently, educate your children, buy a house and lot, marry a decent man and quit thinking about you.—Ex.

M. E. CHURCH.

There will be a reception of members in full connection at both First church and Bethel, Sunday, Sept. 6.

The annual conference will meet in Saginaw, Sept. 23, Bishop Burt of Buffalo in the chair. The conference has 352 full members, 53 probationers and 48 supply pastors; 453 in all. Of these 81 are on the retired or superannuated list and 11 temporarily laid aside.

NOVESTA CENTER LINE.

Mrs. Louis Holtz is visiting her mother in Toledo, Ohio.

A baby boy came to gladden the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Kitchen.

For Sale.

Four gasoline engines and a corn binder. G. L. Hitchcock.

The Cass City Schools Will Open August 31, 1914

The Cass City High School

will offer this year thorough instruction in college preparatory subjects. Upon completion of the four year course admission may be had to the University of Michigan and the other colleges of the state, without examination.

The course of study is also adapted to meet the needs of those not necessarily intending to enter college but to teach in rural schools or to take business positions immediately upon graduation.

At a special meeting of the board of education it was voted to institute a course in Agriculture for the coming year. The course will be open to all High School students and will provide instruction in the elements of Agriculture. We urge that those from the country districts enroll in this course as the work will be carried on along practical lines.

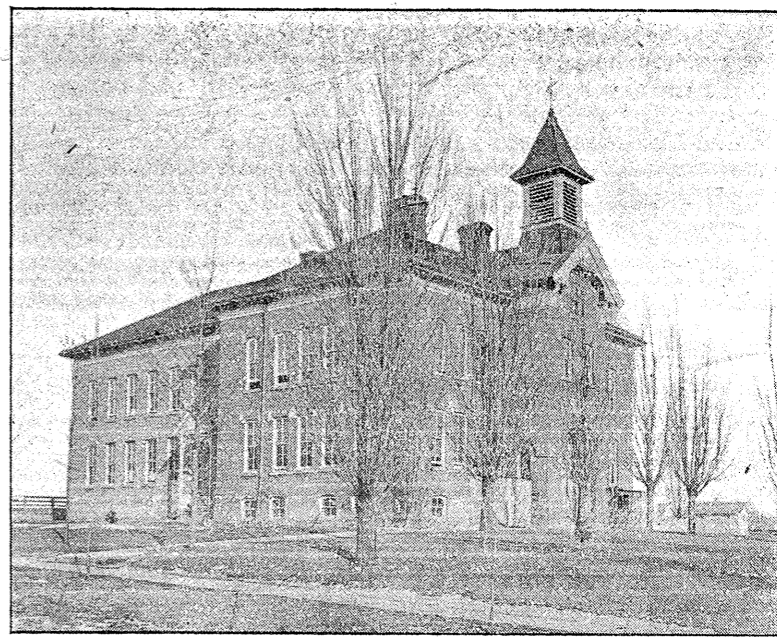
The work in the grades will be thorough and we especially urge grade pupils to attend.

The Board of Education has provided instruction of the highest possible grade in all branches.

Many improvements are now under way making attendance more profitable and pleasanter than ever before.

Cass City is a City of Good Homes

and there are more than the ordinary chance for the pupil who wishes to support himself or herself while attending school. Every effort will be made by the superintendent to place pupils desiring work in good positions where half or all of the expense of attending school can be met.



The tuition for non-resident pupils in the High School will be \$25.00 for the coming year.

The office at the High School will be open all day Saturday, August 29, for enrollment and to answer any questions concerning courses of study, rooms, board, etc.

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