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## CASS CITY'S MAIL DELIVERY INSPECTION

### POST OFFICE OFFICIAL PREPARES REPORT.

Map of Village Shows 326 Residences.—Town Well Laid Out Says Inspector.

Inspector Ballard of the Post Office Department was in Cass City several days last week looking over the village, preparing maps and compiling a report for the department in regard to the establishment of free mail delivery for the village.

Mr. Ballard made a comprehensive study of the town and stated that it was as well laid out as any that he had visited. The great number of sidewalks is also a strong point in Cass City's favor.

Mr. Ballard's map of Cass City contained a dot for every house and red lines indicated where sidewalks were laid. The map shows that the village has 326 residences. Out of this number, 259 have sidewalks next to the property and 100 residences are within a quarter of a mile from the post office.

Mr. Ballard was of the opinion that an additional carrier would be necessary to serve the village. He could make two deliveries a day for the business section and one delivery daily to the residence portions of the village. He would traverse a distance of approximately nine miles for a delivery. The fact that the inspector did not deem it feasible to add the village delivery work to the rural carriers' job has not brought any protest from the rural carriers.

Free mail delivery in villages is an experimental project proposed by the department and the visit of the post office inspector was to secure data as to the feasibility of making Cass City one of the places where the experiment will be tried out. The report of Inspector Ballard, as far as can be learned, will look very favorable. The town is well laid out, there are many sidewalks, the post office is centrally located and one carrier can serve the citizens easily with two deliveries to the business section and one to the residence portions, or two carriers can double the number of daily deliveries.

Whether mail delivery as outlined would be desirable to the majority of citizens if so inaugurated remains to be seen. That the villager gets much poorer treatment in mail service under present conditions than the farmer is a remark the postmaster hears at the beginning of every quarter when box rents are due. The farmer living 12 miles from a post office pays a few dollars for a mail box which will last for years, places it on a post in front of his house and the government hires carriers to drive the distance and deliver his mail free of charge. The villager must walk to the post office and must pay rent four times a year for a post office box.

### RESERVE SEAT SALE.

The sale of reserved seats for the Lecture Course of the Woman's Study Club will be opened at Higgins' Jewelry Store next Saturday, Nov. 14, at 2:30 p. m. Reservation for the entire course to holders of Season Tickets, 40c. Single reservations, 10c.

On account of its educational features, the Woman's Study Club has decided to reduce the price of the first lecture to 30c for adults and 20c for children for single admission tickets, without reserve.

### A PROGRESSIVE BURG.

The Vassar Pioneer-Times says: "The Cass City Chronicle printed a sixteen page paper last week, advertising seven big bargain days by the merchants of that city. Cass City is certainly a progressive burg and its citizens have the right idea of getting business by using the columns of their home paper."

### MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Nicholas Petrovich, 25, Caro; Frances Pavlacich, 18, Caro.  
Fred Pratt, 20, Deford; Essie Russell, 18, Novesta.  
Tony Ceasar, 23, Akron; Hazel Raymond, 23, Akron.  
Carl Borck, 25, Watertown; Flora M. Newberry, 19, Mayville.

### Rummage Sale.

The M. E. Ladies Aid Society's rummage sale will begin Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 18, in the room below Auten's Bank.

### Gifford Coming Again Next Week!

F. E. Gifford, Toledo's leading optical specialist and grinder of special lenses, for all defects of vision, will be at Hotel Caro, Caro, next Tuesday, Nov. 17 and 18. Consult the only optical specialist established in Tuscola Co. 18th year at Hotel Caro. His glasses cure headache. 3,000 Tuscola Co. people wear his glasses. Mr. Gifford is well known in Cass City.

## AMENDMENTS DEFEATED IN TUSCOLA.

J. A. Caldwell returned Thursday from Caro where he had been employed as a member of the board of canvassers in canvassing the vote of Tuscola county. All the amendments were defeated in this county as follows:

Amendment pertaining to fraternal societies, yes 670, no 3112.  
Amendment regarding students' and commercial travellers' vote, yes 1302, no 2287.  
Amendment to bond county for drains, yes 1154, no 2477.  
Amendment to bond state for public highways, yes 1305, no 2422.

## FAMOUS ORATOR AT CASS CITY TONIGHT

### SPEAKS ON NATIONAL PROHIBITION.

Hon. Sam. Small of Georgia Was Private Secretary to Pres. Andrew Johnson.

Hon. Sam Small of Georgia will give an address at the M. E. church at Cass City this (Friday) evening on the subject of the Hobson amendment to the federal constitution providing for national prohibition. No admission price will be charged and a large audience is expected to greet this talented speaker.

Hon. Sam Small is one of the most gifted and versatile orators on the



Hon. Sam Small.

American platform and few persons have received greater honors than he. He was private secretary to Pres. Andrew Johnson; four years official reporter for the U. S. Senate; ten years solicitor general in Georgia; twice a member of the Legislature of that state; for many years an editorial writer on the Atlanta Constitution, and saw service in the Spanish-American war. He helped to organize a public school system of Cuba. He was seven years associated with Sam Jones in revival meetings.

## COPLAND-FLETCHER

Quiet Wedding at Presbyterian Mause Tuesday Afternoon.

Neil Fletcher of Sheridan township and Miss Elizabeth Copland were quietly married at the Presbyterian manse by Rev. J. W. Hamblin Tuesday afternoon. Lawrence Copland, brother of the bride, and Miss Belle Fletcher, a cousin of the groom, witnessed the ceremony. The bride was becomingly groomed in blue silk poplin and the bridesmaid wore a pretty dress of blue messaline.

After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher drove to their home seven miles north and three miles east of Cass City where Mr. Fletcher owns a farm. Here they found about 35 relatives and friends assembled at a reception in their honor. A bountiful supper was served at seven o'clock and the evening was passed in a delightful manner. Congratulations of all their friends are extended to the young people.

### PROBATE NEWS.

In the matter of the estate of John McKay, late of Fairgrove, deceased, final account allowed.

Estate of Howard Spencer of Cass City, deceased, final account allowed and residue assigned.

Estate of Geo. A. Shoames of Vassar, deceased, legal heirs determined.

### For Sale.

Pups, English collies; also dog 1 year old, good one. Jas. McKenzie. 11-13-2p

Bean picking machine for sale. Enquire at Chronicle office. 11-13-2p

Lost—Fur mit for left hand. Finder leave at Farrell & Townsend's. Geo. Charter. 11-13-2p

400 bushels of old corn for sale. Mrs. Joseph Rushlo, 3 miles west of Cass City. 11-13-2p

## TO RECEIVE GIFTS FROM CHILDREN

### AIM TO CREATE THANKSGIVING SPIRIT IN LITTLE FOLKS.

Union Thanksgiving Service Will Be Held at Baptist Church 7:30 to 8:30 A. M.

### President Wilson's Thanksgiving Proclamation

President Wilson has issued the following proclamation designating Thursday, Nov. 26, Thanksgiving Day:

"By the President of the United States of America.  
"A proclamation.  
"It has long been the honored custom of our people to turn in the fruitful autumn of the year in praise and thanksgiving to Almighty God for his many blessings and mercies to us as a nation. The year that is now drawing to a close since we last observed our day of national thanksgiving has been, while a year of discipline because of the mighty forces of war and of change which have disturbed the world also a year of special blessing for us.

"It has been vouchsafed to us to remain at peace with honor and in some part to succor the suffering and supply the needs of those who are in want. We have been privileged by our own peace and self-control in some degree to steady the counsels and shape the hopes and purposes after a day of fear and distress. Our people have looked upon their own life as a nation with a deeper comprehension, a fuller realization of their responsibilities as well as their blessings and a keener sense of the moral and practical significance of what their part among the nations of the world may come to be."

Union Thanksgiving services held on the morning of Thanksgiving Day failed to attract large audiences in years past, the excuse being offered by many housewives that they were obliged to remain at home to prepare the annual feast for their family and friends. When Cass City pastors changed the services to the evening hour, the audiences did not grow much larger, the excuse then being by many that they remained at home to entertain their company. This season the pastors have arranged for an early service on Thanksgiving morning which they believe will not interfere with the duties of those who are truly thankful and desire to attend a church service on that day. The service will be of the nature of a prayer service and will be held at the Baptist church from 7:30 to 8:30 a. m.

To create a spirit of thanksgiving among the children, Rev. Hayward has proposed that the children of the community each bring one pound of foodstuff on Thanksgiving Day which will be sent to the Salvation Army at Detroit for distribution among the poor of that city. The Baptist church will be kept open all day on Thanksgiving and committees of the several church societies will be there to receive the gifts of the children. One pound of anything in the line of food that can be shipped will be accepted and gifts of clothing may also be taken by the children. Parents who influence their children to co-operate in this worthy cause will do them a kindness in creating in them a spirit of thanksgiving and unselfishness.

The Chronicle has been requested to print the names of the children and a list of their contributions and will do so if the copy is forthcoming from the receiving committee.

### COMING AUCTIONS

Two Announced in Chronicle's Columns for Next Week.

Farmers in the market for barn timber will have an opportunity to purchase at auction next Tuesday, Nov. 17, when the Durand Hoop Co. will offer 40 acres of elm tops and standing timber at Palmateer Siding. Particulars on page six.

Because of illness, Chas. Levagood will sell his personal property at auction next Wednesday, Nov. 18, at his farm 3 miles south and ¼ mile east of Cass City. The property is described on page three.  
Striffler & McCullough will cry both sales.

Family washing and ironing done on short notice. Regular or transient customers. Alex. Modrey, at the H. Wettlauffer residence. 11-13-3p

Onions for sale; 40c bu. if taken at once. Leo Tyo. 11-13-

Rug and carpet weaving done at my home 1½ miles south of Novesta Corners. Mrs. Rose Johnson. 11-13-2p

### MRS. O. J. WITHEY.

The body of Mrs. O. J. Withey was brought to Cass City for burial Monday noon. A number of relatives accompanied the remains and a pastor of the M. E. church at Pontiac conducted the simple services.

Deceased was formerly Miss Harriet Spencer of Deford and is known by a number of people in this vicinity. Her husband, O. J. Withey, has been dead for two years and Mrs. Withey has made her home with three daughters at Pontiac. She died there Friday at the age of 65 years and the funeral sermon was preached Sunday. Six daughters and three sons survive her and William and Joel Withey of this place are cousins of her husband.

### TOO PROGRESSIVE FOR H. L.

California Citizens Voted on 48 Amendments Nov. 3.

Under date of Nov. 4, H. L. McDermott, of Santa Ana, Cal., formerly a business man of Cass City and president of the village, sent the Chronicle a sample ballot from that state. The ballot is 23 by 28 inches in size and besides the congressional, state, legislative, judicial, school, county and township tickets, it contained 48 amendments. Mr. McDermott writes as follows: "I am enclosing you a sample ballot, state, county and amendments as voted here yesterday. As I voted mostly for Democrats, I lost most of my votes, but I am used to that. We worked hard to put California on the Dry list but as you will know before this reaches you, we lost. People here don't seem to want the best any more than they do in some other states."

"I want you to look over the amendments. What do you think of a state voting on 48 amendments at one election? I think there is something politically wrong. It's too progressive for me. I am not sure that 48 people in the state know how to vote intelligently on all the amendments."

"Reports today say Ferris was re-elected in Michigan. If so, I am glad. Everything lovely and every day lovely here. Regards to friends."

### CHAS. SHERMAN

Fifteen Years Served as Janitor of Presbyterian Church.

After an illness of a week's duration, Charles Sherman, aged 82 years 9 months, died at his home early Saturday morning. The funeral was held at the Presbyterian church Tuesday at 2:00 p. m. and interment was made in Elkland cemetery. Rev. J. W. Hamblin had charge of the sermon and used as a very befitting text, Psalms 84:10, I would rather be a door keeper in the house of my God than to dwell in the tents of wickedness.

Charles Sherman was born in New York state, February 8, 1832. Twenty-four years ago, in 1890, he came to Michigan, settling at Cass City. In 1893 he was married to Mrs. Mary E. Rowell, who is now left a widow. For the past fifteen years he has been janitor of the Presbyterian church and has performed his duties faithfully, scarcely missing a service. He was also a member of good standing in this church. Besides his wife, there are no other known relatives.

### THANK YOU, BROTHER!

Sebawaing Blade: "The Cass City Chronicle printed sixteen pages last week. The Chronicle is one of the best papers among our exchanges and Editor Lenzner is to be congratulated on his fine property. For a paper its size, the Chronicle has a better advertising patronage than any other we know of in the Thumb."

### Position Wanted.

Position as bookkeeper or any office work except stenography by a young lady, who has taken a commercial course. Address: Box 48, Route 2, Elkton, Mich. 11-13-2p

### For Sale.

Thoroughbred S. C. Rhode Island Red spring roosters from the Red Feather Yards, London, Ont.; thoroughbred Pekin drakes from Iowa. Malcolm Crawford, R. 1, Cass City. Phone 102—3 S, 1 L. 11-13-2

Four Oxford buck lambs for sale. One 2-year-old mare colt and heifers due soon. J. H. Striffler. 11-13-2p

House and barn to rent. Mrs. H. B. Snyder. 11-13-1p

### For Sale.

Four cows, one yearling heifer, one brood sow. A. A. Hitchcock. 11-13-1

Cranberries 7c a quart; 3 quarts for 20c. Middleton's. 11-13-

Strayed from my farm, black and tan hound with strap around neck. Notify Wm. B. Brown, R. R. 1, Cumber. 11-6-2p

Cranberries 7c a quart; 3 quarts for 20c. Middleton's. 11-13-

## LOCALS LOSE TO YALE HIGH SCHOOL

### A HARD FOUGHT GAME AND A GLORIOUS DEFEAT.

Cass City Did "Come Back Stunt" in Second Half.—Pigeon Defeated Here Monday.

The Cass City high school foot ball team went down to a glorious defeat Friday at the hands of the Yale high school team on the Yale field by a 20-14 score. The game was as hard fought and full of thrills as has probably been staged in the Thumb this year and to say that it was a heart breaking game to lose is putting it mildly.

Outweighed man for man and outplayed throughout the first half of the game, Cass City did the "Come back stunt" with a vengeance in the second period, playing Yale entirely off her feet and with a little better handling of forward passes in this part of the game would have been an easy winner.

Yale won the toss and chose to defend the south goal, receiving the ball. On the first play, Cass City was caught napping, Yale making a long successful forward pass and putting the ball on Cass City 10-yard line when a touchdown was put over inside of the first 5 minutes of play. Yale added two more touchdowns in this half by means of double passes and line smashes, making the score at the end of the first half 20-0. This was not a very pleasant outlook from the Cass City point of view and after one of Coach Edgerton's famous curtain lectures the boys went back to show Yale that they were not all dead yet. Inside of 10 minutes of play, Cass City scored two touchdowns and at the end of the third quarter had Yale so badly scored that they were almost willing to concede victory to Cass City. With the ball on Yale's 10-yard line, Cass City uncorked four consecutive forward passes, any of which would have made the tying or winning points if properly handled but every player seemed at this point to be afflicted with a bad case of butter fingers with the result that the chance to score was lost and Yale's bacon was saved.

The entire team deserves much credit for the game they played. Duncanson's forward passing was a thing of beauty and easily the feature of the game and had the receiving end been as well taken care of the score would have been different. The best of feeling existed between the players, very little arguing being noticed.

Marlette comes here soon for the big game of the year and a good crowd should be on hand to help the boys win. Marlette always has a winning team and if Cass City can turn the trick this year this will be considered a very successful season. The line-up at Friday's game: R. E., Benkelman; R. T., Gillies; R. G., Dodge; C., Carson; L. G., F. Mixer; L. T., Parker; L. E., F. Champion; Q. B., Duncanson; L. H. B., N. Higgins; F. B., Z. Higgins, Capt.; R. H. B., Hoadley.

On Monday Cass City defeated Pigeon high school by a score of 56-0 in a one-sided game.

Marlette comes here Nov. 20. Come out and help.

### FEW BOTHERED TO THRESH

Mrs. Nash Writes That Hot Winds Burned Crops at Peerless, Alta.

Oxford, Mich., Nov. 2, 1914. To the Chronicle:

As the people we meet here are quite interested in hearing about the Northwest, I venture to write you again hoping it may be acceptable.

We left Sunny Hills, Peerless, Alta., Sept. 25. We started about nine o'clock in the morning and stopped on the prairie and rested about an hour, eating our dinner. It was a fine day and we enjoyed the drive of forty miles very much, arriving at Carlstadt about 4:00 p. m. We heard the trains would be running through Jen-  
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Cranberries 7c a quart; 3 quarts for 20c. Middleton's. 11-13-

Team for sale cheap if taken at once. Leo Tyo. 11-13-1

Onions and cabbages for sale. O. A. Withey. 1-p

For sale—A couple of loads of cornstalks, barred rock cockerles and pumpkins. Walter Schell. 11-13-2p

Michigan Farmer Brand Cotton Seed Meal \$1.75 per cwt. Special price ton lots. Cass City Grain Co.

For Sale—The S. ½ of the nw ¼, sec. 33, Ellington; partly cleared, buildings; price \$1250. Melvin Surrine, Caro, rfd 12. 11-13-2p

Cider Mill to Close. Bring your apples to the cider mill now as it will close in a few days. 11-13-

### AMERICAN HORSES IN BATTLE.

The American horse is one of the first to answer the bugle call of the European war. Representatives of many foreign governments are in this country purchasing horses for the various armies of the warring nations and practically every state in the Union is contributing cavalry material to the belligerent factions.

The American horse is a utility animal and excels that of any other country on the face of the earth. He has plowed our fields, fought our battles and is the most faithful of animal kind. His reputation has extended to other countries and he is going to perform the services for foreign countries which he has so faithfully fulfilled at home.

## DEFICIENCY TAX PARTLY IN EFFECT

### STAMP TAX IN FORCE DECEMBER 1.

President Wilson's Signature Makes Measure Law.—Immediate Effect on Some Articles.

The Democratic deficiency tax measure, which was passed by congress and signed by President Wilson, became, as to most of its features, effective Oct. 29 so that some of its provisions are now in full force.

Among the exceptions, the taxes which do not go into effect until a later date are the stamp taxes, which will not be enforced until December 1.

Adhesive stamp taxes effective December 1, are:

Bonds, debentures, certificates of indebtedness by any association, com-  
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## BOOSTING FOR GAME

Record Crowd to Attend Marlette—Cass City Game Nov. 20.

To show their appreciation for the way the high school boys shovelled gravel at the good roads bees last summer, it has been proposed to boost the attendance at the next foot ball game here and make it the largest crowd that ever gathered to witness a gridiron contest at Cass City.

The next game is with the Marlette team, the strongest contenders for honors that the local players have to meet. The date is next Friday, Nov. 20, and tickets will be placed on sale in several of the business places and with several farmers who are good roads enthusiasts. Boost for the high school roadmakers!

Cranberries at 7c quart; 3 quarts for 20 cents. L. E. Dickinson. 11-13-

Fancy grape fruit, Malaga grapes and cranberries at Jones'.

### Chicken Pie Dinner.

The village council desires to secure a chicken pie dinner Wednesday, Nov. 18, beginning at 11:30 a. m. Come and get a good meal.

Thoroughbred Plymouth Rock roosters for sale. Mrs. Thos. Murphy, Phone 117—2L, 3S. 11-13-3

Good things in store for you at the Bealey church Wednesday evening, Nov. 18—A lecture by Rev. Gillette of Bad Are and a recital by Miss Flora Endersbee. Admission, 25c.

Cranberries at 7c quart; 3 quarts for 20 cents. L. E. Dickinson. 11-13-

### Sealed Bids Wanted.

The village council desires to secure sealed bids for the purchase of the old power house and land adjoining on Grant St. Bids should be left with the clerk on or before Dec. 7, 1914. The council reserves the right to reject any or all bids. M. B. Auten, Village Clerk. 11-13-

### Masonic Meeting.

A special meeting of Tyler Lodge, F. & A. M., will be held Tuesday evening, Nov. 17. Work in second degree. I. A. Fritz, Sec.

A chicken pie supper and a sale of bazaar goods will be held at the Gleaner Hall at Wickware on Friday, Nov. 20.

### Rummage Sale

The Presbyterian ladies will hold a rummage sale in the basement of the Auten bank commencing Saturday, Nov. 28.

Lost—In or about the Cass City Grand Trunk passenger depot on the evening of Friday, November 6, a black leather bill book containing one five-dollar bill, one Canadian two-dollar bill and one one-dollar bill. Owner's name printed in gold in the inside of the purse as follows: "An expression of appreciation from The Neehan Paper Co. to C. A. Willemijn." Finder will leave purse at the Chronicle office and receive liberal reward. 11-13-3

Hess' Stock Food, Sal Vet and Blatchford's Calf Meal at Treadgold's.



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KINGSTON.

Jay Ballough is a guest of friends in Pontiac. Burton Elliott was a caller in Caro Wednesday. Roy McCool of Deford was a caller here Sunday. Mrs. Geo. Bates spent Wednesday in Cass City. Mrs. Jno. Hodgson was a caller in Caro Saturday. Joe Young was a caller in Cass City Thursday. Miss Ruth Martin was a caller in Cass City Thursday. Dallas Jarvis of Silverwood was a caller in town Monday. Mrs. C. A. Pelton spent Tuesday with friends in Marlette. Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Palmerton spent Sunday in North Branch. Miss Hazel Legg spent Sunday with friends in Cass City. Burton Elliott was a business caller in Detroit over Sunday. Miss Hazel Seeger spent Sunday with her father in Cass City. Mrs. L. D. Moyer is spending a few weeks with relatives in Pontiac. R. Haskins left Monday morning for Flint where he has employment in a store. Mart Glassford spent Sunday in Caro. Leonard Buehrley of Cass City was an over-Sunday visitor with his daughter, Mrs. B. Elliott. Mrs. Howard Van Camp of Crosswell is spending the month with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Best. Mrs. Dingman of Wilmot is spending a few days with her daughter, Mrs. A. Vornwald. John McKenzie of Akron is spending a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McKenzie. Mr. and Mrs. C. Shoemaker of Peck spent Wednesday with the former's parents, Rev. and Mrs. P. S. Shoemaker. J. Mahaffy of Marlette was a caller here Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Young are spending a few days in Orion. L. J. Miller of Marlette is visiting friends here for a few days. Mrs. Hattie Farrell and Mrs. Wm. Hammond spent Thursday in Marlette. C. DeVon Soper of Marlette was a business caller here Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Moyer of Pontiac are spending a few days with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Moyer, and other relatives here. Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Hood spent the latter part of the week with friends in Highland Park. V. H. Merrihen and Earl Beaumont of Flint are spending the week with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Beaumont. Miss Ethel Rossman is a guest of relatives in Battle Creek for a few days. Mrs. A. Van Horn is visiting her mother in Attica for a few days. Bert Sisson of Imlay City was a caller here Thursday. Theron Gibbs spent Sunday in Caro. N. Karr and daughter, Cecile, were callers in Cass City Sunday. Ed Buehrley and Geo. Crocker of Cass City spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Burton Elliott.

The Difference

Between a dollar saved and a dollar spent is two dollars. Had you ever thought of it in that way? The dollar saved gives you a feeling of satisfaction while the dollar spent gives a feeling of regret. Deposit your dollars in

The Exchange Bank of E. H. Pinney & Son

And besides having the feeling of satisfaction from having saved them they will earn interest for you.

Mrs. Harry Beaumont, who has been visiting here for some time, returned to Pontiac Saturday. Wm. Ross is spending a few days with his daughter, Mrs. G. A. Lance, in Royal Oak and friends in Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rossman are the guests of their son, C. H. Rossman, at Omer. Mrs. Waller and daughter, Elsie, were business callers in Caro Wednesday. Miss Elsie Buehrley of Cass City was a visitor at B. Elliott's over Sunday. Mrs. A. Burmeister is spending a few days with friends in Saginaw and Bay City. Miss Hattie Van Horn, who has been working in Royal Oak, is home for a few weeks. The Misses Ella Palmerton and Pearl Young were callers in North Branch Tuesday. Mrs. C. E. Blane of Highland Park is visiting her sister, Mrs. Wm. Ross, for the week. James McKenzie died Thursday evening, Nov. 5. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon in the M. E. church, Rev. Shoemaker officiating. Interment was made in Siple cemetery. The Misses Hazel and Cecil Legg, Veve Smith, Hazel Lester and Hazel Seeger and Messrs. Sharlie Berman, John Winters, Walter Maynard, Clarence Larson and Harold Karr attended the skating rink party at Marlette Friday evening.

RESCUE.

Frank Britt and son, Earl, were Cass City callers last Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Wm. W. Parker, sr., spent Sunday at the home of Joseph Mellendorf. Alfred Freeman of Detroit is spending his vacation at his parental home here. Mrs. Eaton and children from east of Cass City spent Monday and Tuesday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Herrington of Brown City visited the former's sister, Mrs. William Ashmore, who is very ill, Sunday. Ralph and Earl Britt attended a party at John Allison's in East Grant last Friday evening. William W. Parker, jr., transacted business in Owendale Monday. Daniel O'Rourke and Edward Quinn were business transactors in Gagetown Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Britt entertained at their home Sunday their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Britt, and the Misses Elda Quinn and Mary McMullen. Mr. and Mrs. William W. Parker, jr., and daughter, Veta, Ralph and Earl Britt, Ray and Edward Quinn and Earl Webster Roland Hartsell and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Mellendorf and children were some of the callers in Owendale Saturday evening. Dr. Morris of Gagetown was a caller in this vicinity Monday. Neil Morrison of Ubyly was a caller in this vicinity last Friday.

WICKWARE

Mrs. Geo. Brown and Mrs. Giles Fulcher and children returned Thursday evening from Canada where they have been visiting relatives. Eugene Hartwick and mother, Mrs. H. Hartwick, and Bertie Wayne spent Sunday at Richard Hartwick. The W. C. T. U. met at the Wickware church Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Stearl Spencer and children visited Friday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Keyser. Marvin Keyser of Flint is home on a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Dodge and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCaslin of Deford. For Eczema, Scrofula, Fimpies and poor blood and circulation, get San Jak at Treadgold's. San Jak cures rheumatism, stiff joints and muscles. Worn out feeling leaves quickly. At Treadgold's—Adv.

BEAULEY.

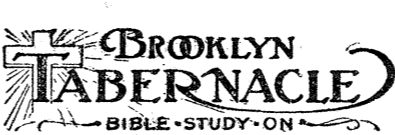
Manley Elwin is the name of the young man who arrived at Floyd McComb's last week and intends to make his home there. Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Roblin and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hartsell were Sunday visitors at C. E. Hartsell's. E. Reader and Mrs. Frank Reader and daughter, Miss Mildred, visited at Wm. Cliff's Tuesday. R. Cliff, sr., is in very poor health. Mrs. Geo. Roblin and Mrs. Geo. Hartsell of Greenleaf attended the Ladies' Aid at Frank Reader's Thursday. Mrs. Jane Heron is spending the week with her daughter, Mrs. Olan Thompson, in Gagetown. Mrs. Wm. Ashmore is very ill with little hopes of recovery. C. E. Hartsell has purchased De Witt, No. 55,163, a gray Percheron stallion from Luke Welch of Cass City, lately shipped from Indianapolis, Indiana. Word was received here Tuesday that Luther Carroll and family had started for Redlands, California, this week. They will spend a month with friends in Missouri on their way. Their friends here wish them a pleasant trip and hope they enjoy the winter in that beautiful state. They expect to return to Michigan next summer. The enclosed clipping is from the mada Graphic: "Mr. and Mrs. Luther Carroll, who are about to leave for California, were pleasantly entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Scott, Monday evening, where Mrs. Carroll's Sunday school class met her for a social hour, and presented her with a token of their esteem. In the evening Mr. Scott conducted Mr. and Mrs. Carroll to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Slankster, where they were surprised to find about fifty of their friends assembled for a farewell party. Refreshments were served, and a social time enjoyed by all present."

CUMBER.

Mr. Whitefoot of Argyle spent Sunday with his brother-in-law, Thos. Brown. Mr. and Mrs. N. Lapeer of Cass City visited Joe Lapeer on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pettinger spent Sunday at Warren Neuge's near Bad Axe. W. Thannery went to Ann Arbor on Tuesday last to visit his sister, who is a patient in the hospital there. Jas. Summerville made a trip to Bay City last week. John Lowe, jr., had quite an exciting time on Sunday. While on his way home from church, the horse threw the occupants on the roadside breaking the buggy and kicking himself free of harness and buggy, went swiftly home. Mr. and Mrs. James Pettinger, who left here more than a year ago for Alberta, Canada, returned a week ago and intend taking up farming here again. Elmer Hawksworth has just completed bricking his house to which he also built a kitchen. Young men who take their sisters to church on Sunday eve had better see their buggy is all safe before they start out. Two certain young men of this neighborhood with their two sisters were on the way home Sunday eve when the burr was lost and the wheel came off. The young ladies said they were awful cold waiting for the boys while the boys traversed the road looking for the lost burr. Miss Ada Tanner returned from the west where she has been visiting her brothers in Idaho and Oregon. The Revolt Against Wigs. Probably the greatest stir that was ever made about masculine fashion in hair in this country was at the end of the eighteenth century when the scarcity of flour. Pitt's tax on powder and "levelling" sentiment combined to introduce short hair. Those who adopted the new fashion were at first known as the "Bedford crops," because it was the Duke of Bedford and a number of young noblemen who gave the lead at Woburn abbey by retiring to the powdering room and having their heads washed and cropped. Horace Walpole complained bitterly that by the revolt against wigs "all individuality is confounded."—London Express.

WOMEN'S WOES.

Cass City Women Are Finding Relief at Last. It does seem that women have more than a fair share of the aches and pains that afflict humanity; they must "keep up," must attend to duties in spite of constantly aching backs, or headaches, dizzy spells, bearing-down pains; they must stoop over, when to stoop means torture. They must walk and bend and work with racking pains and many aches from kidney ills. Keeping the kidneys well has spared thousands of women much misery. Read of a remedy for kidneys only that is endorsed by people you know. Mrs. William H. Withey, Oak and Houghton Sts., Cass City, says: "My kidneys were disordered for some time. My limbs became swollen, and I was caused annoyance by the kidney secretions. Short use of Doan's Kidney Pills procured at Wood & Co.'s Drug Store, brought me great relief. I now feel better in every way." Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Withey had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.



ST. PETER SIFTED LIKE WHEAT. Mark 14:27-31, 53, 54, 66-72.—Nov. 15. "Let him that thinketh he standeth, take heed lest he fall."—1 Corinthians 10:12.

TODAY'S lesson deals with the special sifting which came to St. Peter at the time of our Lord's death, and of which he was forewarned by Jesus, saying, "Simon, behold Satan hath desired to have you, that he may sift you as wheat; but I have prayed for you, that your faith fail not." St. Peter's courage was his weak point. Notwithstanding all that Jesus had said to warn him, he realized no fear. Hence he did comparatively little watching and praying, and his very self-confidence led his undoing for a time. His Hour Had Come. Temptations come in an insidious form. We cannot imagine that at the time when St. Peter cut off the ear of the high priest's servant he had any sympathy with the thought of denying our Lord. But circumstances and conditions had changed. The Master was taken prisoner. Whatever power He had previously exercised whereby He walked away from His enemies, and they could not take Him because His "hour had not yet come," that power He evidently was not exercising now—His hour had come. To see his Master apparently without friends in Heaven, delivered over to His enemies and led from one tribunal to the other, had a paralyzing effect upon St. Peter. His courage oozed out. St. John had such an acquaintance with some one connected with the palace that he was permitted to enter the court and bring St. Peter with him; but they had separated. St. Peter was in the courtyard. It was cold, and he approached an open brazier to warm himself. In the light of the court, surrounded by the gossiping servants of the palace, he was keenly scrutinized by one of the maids, who said, "Thou art also a disciple of the Nazarene." Stunned by the identification and wondering to what it might lead, St. Peter promptly denied that he had any knowledge of Jesus. Then he moved away to another part of the court, where the shadows were deeper and the people fewer. But again he was recognized as a Galilean, and accused of being one of Jesus' disciples. Again he denied. The third time he was approached with the same charge that he was one of Jesus' disciples and a Galilean, and that his speech betrayed him. Again, with cursing he denied that he knew his Master. The Master's Words Fulfilled. Terrible! we say. And surely St. Peter felt afterward that it was terrible; for just at that time, the early morning, came the beginning of cock-crowing, and he remembered the Master's words, that Satan had desired to sift him as wheat; and that before the cock crew, he would have denied his Master three times. The whole matter came upon him with crushing force; and, wrapping his cloak about his head, he hastened away into the darkness, weeping bitterly; for just about the time that the cock crew, Jesus was led forth not far from him; and as he looked at Jesus, the Master lifted up his eyes and looked at St. Peter. It was a glance full of sympathy, not of anger; but it went straight to the heart of St. Peter. St. Peter's crime was nothing like that of Judas; he had merely sought to protect himself. He had not sought to injure or even to risk the injury of his Master. The thoroughness of St. Peter's repentance is abundantly testified by his subsequent loyalty even unto death. Tradition has it that he was condemned to be crucified; that, remembering how once he had denied his Master, he felt that it would be too great an honor to share exactly the same death; and that at his own request he was crucified head downward. The Lesson to All Christians. Our Golden Text voices to all Christians the lesson of St. Peter's experience—"Let him that thinketh he standeth, take heed lest he fall." When we are weak in our own estimation and, full of faith, cling tenaciously to the Arm of the Lord, then we are really strong in the night which God supplies through His Son, our Lord Jesus. Another lesson is that however different the experiences of God's people, all who fall into line for the great promotion to the First Resurrection must expect to endure severe siftings, testings, provings, of their love for the Lord, their love for the Truth, their love for the brethren, and of their loyalty to all these. Let us never forget that these siftings are permitted, not because the Lord wishes us to be sifted out, nor because He has no interest in us, but because only those who can stand siftings, trials and tests, are fit for places in the Kingdom—places of responsibility and trust.



St. Peter Denial.

Favorite Recipes of People You Know

Bread Cake. Four cups bread sponge, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup lard, 2 eggs, 1 teaspoon soda, 1 tablespoon molasses, 1 cup raisins, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, flour to make like any sponge cake. Let raise well and bake.—Mrs. Samuel Champion. Layer Cake. Two eggs, butter size of an egg, 1 cup sugar, 1 cup sweet milk, 2 teaspoons baking powder and 2 cups flour. Bake in layers and put together with filling.—Mrs. A. T. Craft. Fried Cakes. One cup molasses, 2 eggs, 1 1/2 cups sour milk, 1/2 teaspoon soda, 2 teaspoons baking powder, a little salt, seasoning to taste, 4 tablespoons melted shortening. Beat sugar and eggs together and mix soft.—Mrs. Ed. Brotherton. Ginger Cookies. One cup molasses, 2 eggs, 1/2 cup butter, 1 heaping cup sugar, 1 teaspoon soda, a little salt, 1 teaspoon each of ginger, cinnamon and cloves, flour to make soft dough. Bake in a hot oven.—Mrs. A. T. Craft. Pennsylvania Cookies. Two cups sugar, 1 cup shortening, (butter and crisco), 1 scant cup milk, 1 teaspoon lemon, 1 level teaspoon soda, flour to make a soft dough.—Mrs. J. Henderson. San Jak cures swelling of the feet and limbs. Rheumatism goes. Get it at Treadgold's.—Adv.

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### CHAPTER IV.

#### My Lady of Mystery.

Being a single autobiographical chapter from the life of Francis Sedgwick, with editorial comment by Professor Chester Kent.

DEAR Kent—Here goes! I met her first on June 22 at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. Some wonderful cloud effects after a hard rain had brought me out into the open. I had pitched my easel in the hollow on the Martindale road so as to get that clump of pine against the sky. There I sat working away with a will, when I heard the drumming of hoofs, and a horse with a girl in the saddle came whizzing round the turn almost upon me. Just there the rain had made a puddle of thick, sticky mud, the mud pie variety. As the horse went by at full gallop a fine, fat mud pie rose, soared through the air and landed in the middle of my painting. I fairly yelped.

To get it all off was hopeless. However, I went at it and was cursing over the job when the rider came back. "I heard you cry out," said a voice, very full and low. "Did I hurt you? I hope not."

"No," I said without looking up. "Small thanks to you that you didn't!" My tone silenced her for a moment. Somehow, though, I got the feeling that she was amused more than abashed at my resentment. And her voice was suspiciously meek when she presently spoke again.

"You're an artist, aren't you?" "No," I said, busily scraping away at my copperplate. "I'm an archeologist engaged in exhuming an ancient ruin from a square mile of mud."

She laughed, but in a moment became grave again. "I'm so sorry!" she said. "I know I shouldn't come plunging around turns in that reckless way. May I—I should like to—buy your picture?"

"You may not," I replied. "That isn't quite fair, is it?" she asked. "If I have done damage I should be allowed to repair it."

"Repair?" said I. "How do you propose to do it? I suppose that you think a picture that can be bought for a hundred dollar bill can be painted with a hundred dollar bill."

"No; I'm not altogether a Philistine," she said, and I looked up at her for the first time. Her face—(Elision and comment by Kent: I know her face from the sketches. Why could he not have described the horse? However, there's one point clear: she is a woman of means.)

She said: "I don't wonder you're cross. And I'm truly sorry. Is it quite ruined?"

At that I recovered some decency of manner. "Forgive a hermit," I said, "who doesn't see enough people to keep him civilized. The daub doesn't matter."

She leaned over from the saddle to examine the picture. "Oh, but it isn't a daub!" she protested. "I—I know a little about pictures. It's very interesting and curious. But why do you paint it on copper?"

I explained. "Oh!" she said. "I should so like to see your prints!"

"Nothing easier," said I. "My shack is just over the hill."

"And there is a Mrs."—her eyes suggested that I fill the blank.

"Sedgwick?" I finished. "No. There is no one but my aged and highly respectable Chinaman to play propriety. But in the case of a studio the conventions are not so rigid but that one may look at pictures unchaperoned."

"I'm afraid it wouldn't do," she answered, smiling. "No, I'll have to wait until"—A shadow passed over her face. "I'm afraid I'll have to give it up."

Chance settled that point then and there. As she finished, she was in my arms. The girl had loosened and the saddle had turned with her. I had barely time to twist her foot from the stirrup when the brute of a horse bolted. As it was, her ankle got a bit of a wrench. She turned quite white and cried out a little. In a moment she was herself again.

"King Cole has been acting badly all day," she said. "I shall have a time catching him." She limped forward a few steps.

"Here, that won't do!" said I. "Let me."

"You couldn't get near him, though, perhaps, if you had some salt!"

"I can get some at my place," said I, gathering up my things. "Your horse is headed that way. You'd better come along and rest there while Ching Lung and I round up your mount."

(Comment by C. K.: Here follows more talk, showing how young people imperceptibly and unconsciously cement an acquaintance, but not one word upon the vital point of how far the horse seemed to have come, whether he was ridden out or fresh, etc.)

At the bungalow I called Ching, and we set out with a supply of salt. King Cole (Comment by C. K.: Probably a dead black horse) was coy for a time before he succumbed to temptation.

On my return I found my visitor in the studio. She had said that she knew a little about pictures. She knew more than a little—a good deal, in fact—and talked most intelligently about them. I don't say this simply

because she tried before she went to buy some of mine. When I declined to sell she seemed put out.

"But surely these prints of yours aren't the work of an amateur?" she said. "You sell?"

"Oh, yes, I sell—when I can. But I don't sell without a good bit of bargaining, particularly when I suspect my purchaser of wishing to make amends by a purchase."

"It isn't that at all," she said earnestly. "I want the pictures for themselves."

"Call this a preliminary, then, and come back when you have more time." She shook her head, and there was a shadow over the brightness of her face. "I'm afraid not," she said.

"But I have enjoyed talking again with some one who knows and loves the best in art. After all," she added with a note of determination, almost of defiance, "there is no reason why I shouldn't some time."

"Then I may look for you again?" I asked.

She nodded as she moved out across the porch. "If you'll promise to sell me any print I may choose. Goodby, and thank you so much, Mr. Sedgwick!"

She held out her hand. It was a hand for sculptor to model, as beautiful and full of character as her face. (Comment by C. K.: Bosh! Afterward I remembered that never again in our friendship did I see it unglowed. (Comment by C. K.: "Bosh" retracted. Some observation that)

"Au revoir, then," I said. "But you have the advantage of me, you see. I don't know what to call you at all."

She hesitated, then, with a little soft quiver of her eyelids, which I afterward learned to identify as an evidence of amusement, said: "Daw is a nice name, don't you think?" (Comment by C. K.: False name, of course, but highly probable first name is Marjorie.) "By the way, what time is it?"

"Quarter to 5, Miss Daw."

She smiled at the name. "King Cole will have to do his best if I am to be back for dinner. Goodby." (Comment by C. K.: Good! The place where she is staying is a good way off, assuming a 7:30 dinner hour. Say twelve to fifteen miles.)

That was the first of many visits, of days that grew in radiance for me. It isn't necessary for me to tell you, Kent, how in our talks I came to divine in her a spirit as wistful and pure as her face. You do not want a love story from me, yet that is what it was for me almost from the first; not openly, though. There was that about her which held me at arms' length—the mystery of her, her quickly given trust in me, a certain strained look that came into her face, like the startled attention of a wild thing poised for flight, whenever I touched upon the personal note. Not that I ever questioned her.

After her first visit she did not ride on her horse, but came across lots and through the side hedge, swinging down the hillside yonder with her light dipping stride that always recalled to me the swoop of a swallow, her gloved hands usually holding a slender stick.

All those sketches that you saw were but studies for a more serious attempt to catch and fix her personality. (Comment by C. K.: Couldn't he have given me in two words her height and approximate weight?) I did it in pastel, and if I missed something of her tender and changeful coloring I at least caught the ineffable wistfulness of her expression—the look of one hoping against hope for an unconfessed happiness. Probably I had put more of myself into it than I had meant. A man is likely to when he paints with his heart as well as his brain and hand. When it was done I made a little frame for it and lettered on the frame this line:

"And her eyes dreamed against a distant goal."

It was the next day that she read the line. I saw the color die from her face and food back again.

"Why did you set that line there?" she breathed, her eyes fixed on me with a strange expression. (Comment by C. K.: Rossetti again. The dead woman of the beach quoted "The House of Life" also.)

"Why not?" I asked. "It seems to express something in you which I have tried to embody in the picture. Don't you like it?"

She repeated the line softly, making pure music of it. "I love it," she said.

At that I spoke as it is given to a man to speak to one woman in the world when he has found her. She listened, with her eyes on the pictured face. But when I said to her, "You, who have all my heart, and whose name, even, I have not—is there no word for me," she rose and threw out her hands in a gesture that sent a chill through me.

"Oh, no! No!" she cried vehemently. "Nothing—except goodby. Oh, why did you speak?"

I stood and watched her go. That was five interminable days ago. I have not seen her since. I feel it is her will that I shall never see her again. And I must! You understand, Kent, you must find her!

I forgot to tell you that when I was sketching her I asked if she could bring something pink to wear, preferably coral. She came the next time with a string of the most beautiful rose topazes I have ever seen, set in a most curious old gold design. It was that necklace and none other that the woman with the bundle wore, half concealed, when she came here.

Today—it is yesterday really, since I am finishing this at 3 a. m.—the messenger boy brought me a telegram. It was from my love. It had been sent



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GAY LIFE IN THE CITY.

It's about time to put the kibosh on all this talk about keeping the boys on the farm. Why should a boy or young man want to stay on a farm when he can go to the city, and, after tramping through the heat, or cold, or rain, or snow for five or six weeks, land a fine, fat, easy, soft snap of a job as a motor-man? Then all he will have to do will be to get up at about five a. m. winter and summer, swallow a boarding house breakfast that a hog on his father's farm would spurn, dash merrily to the car barn, take the abuse of a slave-driving car-starter, and go gaily to work. Ah, what pleasure to stand all day in a vestibule that is perfumed with the smells of the unwashed bodies of just-over immigrant laborers, on their way to work in a sewer! Think of the fragrance of all grades of tobacco in cigars, in cigarettes and in pipes of many degrees of strength. It is simply great to breathe this spicy air all day. In the meanwhile one hears the sweet compliments of the ladies and gentlemen who do not happen to think of signaling when they want to get off, but who rightfully feel that the motorman should have known, if he was not such a fat-headed lout, and who do not hesitate to tell him so. Oh, yes, it's great! Every farmer boy ought to leave home at once and dash to the city. Think of the wages he'll get! Why, at the end of a month, after paying for board, room, laundry, clothes and uniform, union dues and assessments, he'll have almost enough left to go a movie show. But he probably won't go, because he'll be so all-in and so full of the poisonous reek that he inhaled all day, that he will tumble into bed to forget it until the alarm clock calls him to begin all over again.—Ex.

OLD JOHN BARLEYCORN.

(From Detroit News.)  
Announcement has been made that the "dry wave" has begun to recede, that the crest has passed.  
Returns from the six states, Washington, Colorado, Arizona, Oregon, California and Ohio, that voted on state-wide prohibition Tuesday, show that two, Ohio and California, voted to regard the saloon business as legal.  
There is not very much consolation in this result for the "wet" forces.  
No matter which nation is "gratified by reports from the front," it appears that at least one enemy has been dealt a great blow.  
The French soldier is denied absinthe; the Russian, vodka; the Jap, sake, bitter beer and Scotch whisky has been taken away from the English soldier; and the kaiser has issued his order. This recalls the fact that not so long ago the wine mess was abolished in the American navy.  
All of which brings back the lines of Kipling in "Ghunga Din":  
"You may talk o' gin an' beer,  
When you quartered safe out 'ere,  
And sent to penny-fight or Alder-shot it,  
But, when it comes to slaughter,  
You'll do your work on water,  
An' lick the bloomin' boots of 'im that's got it."

PUSHING, NOT KICKING.

The early closing movement started in earnest in Cass City Monday and until the holiday season local business houses will be closed every evening except Wednesdays and Saturdays. This is in the right direction of course and this working in harmony is commendable action.  
One of the pleasing features of Cass City business life is the fact that the merchants are pulling together better than ever before. If there's a new boosting project on foot, there's more enthusiasm, more energy manifested and the kickers grow less and weaker. So mote it ever be.

The preacher who fills his pews every Sunday fifty-two weeks in the year, performs a harder task than the lecture platform orator who draws large crowds at every stop, always with the same old talk that has been polished up a little bit after each delivery.

We don't see why we haven't as much business sagacity as most of those who have succeeded. That's what the successful ones thought but they didn't sit around talking about it.

If every man got every cent that he earns, a few millionaires would be begging for a living and some of our congressmen would be paying for the privilege of wearing the title.

All have more or less vanity. If not vain about our clothes and neat appearance, we are inclined to strut a little about our indifference to the opinion of the world.

Why launder paper money? None of us carries it as much as a week, and bath oftener than that would be a waste of energy.

The trouble with winning a person with flattery is that you have to keep at it so continually that he soon gets suspicious.

As a usual rule a pretty girl and a good housekeeper are not found in the same wrapper.

LOCAL ITEMS

Cass City business places are open every Wednesday and Saturday evening

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones were business callers in Flint Thursday.

Miss Vernita Treadgold has returned home after spending several weeks in Detroit.

A. A. Brian, who has spent several months at Grayling, returned to his home here Tuesday.

Mrs. Jas. J. Spence has returned from a visit of two weeks spent at Belgrave and Teeswater, Ontario.

Mrs. J. Bordwell and Mrs. A. B. Parmalee and daughter, Wilma, visited relatives in Flint during the week end.

The Volunteer class of the Evangelical Sunday school were entertained at the home of Miss Laura Striffler Wednesday evening.

Miss Gladys Lenzner was a guest of Miss Dorothy Carolan at Gagetown and Mrs. H. Lee Pocklington at Colwood from Friday to Tuesday.

Miss Grace Northrup, who has spent two weeks at her home in Pontiac, was able to return to Cass City Monday and began her school work Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Clemens of Manitoba, who have been visiting at the home of William Schwadener, have moved into the rooms over the Rex Theatre.

Miss Lena Mark, who has been absent from the office of Striffler & Patterson for several weeks on account of illness, was able to resume her work there Wednesday.

G. A. Striffler has built a wall on his lot on Pine street and as soon as the wall is dry he expects to move the house he formerly occupied from its present location to this lot.

Mrs. Fred Hoagland, who has been under the care of Detroit physicians for some time, came Saturday to spend a week at her home here, but will return to Detroit Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Dargis of Pontiac welcomed a son into their family on Sunday, Nov. 8. The boy was born at the home of Mrs. Dargis' mother, Mrs. Dan Leitch, on Pine St.

Godfrey Dargis of Pontiac spent Sunday with his wife, who is visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Dan Leitch, on Pine St. west. He returned Monday and was accompanied by his son, Joseph.

Fred Pratt of Deford and Miss Jessie Russell of Novesta township were united in marriage at the M. E. parsonage by Rev. W. A. Gregory Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Pratt will make their home in Deford.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Hendrick left Wednesday morning for Rapid River, Delta county, where they will visit Mr. Hendrick's sister and other relatives whom they have not seen for years. While there, Mr. Hendrick will do some hunting.

Rev. W. A. Gregory attended the Pt. Huron district meeting of M. E. ministers at Bad Axe Monday and Tuesday. The features of the gathering were an address Monday evening by Rev. D. Hasler Glass, Conference Sunday School Superintendent, and a sermon the following evening by Dr. Geo. Elliott of Mt. Clemens.

During the Bargain Week of 1913 Harry Young sold 500 pounds of lard at the attractive price he quoted. On the first Saturday of the 1914 Bargain Week he sold as much as in the seven days of 1913 and the total sales of lard during Bargain Week in 1914 reached one ton. Think of the pile of pan cakes that would grease.

Stanley Graham, who recently completed a season's engagement with the Chattanooga base ball team, was the guest of his parents from Thursday to Monday. Fred Lajoie and Wm. Turney, two Detroit friends of Mr. Graham, accompanied him to Cass City and were his guests at the Graham home. Monday, the three young men left for Roscommon for a few days' sport of deer hunting.

John Crocker called up the Chronicle office Wednesday afternoon stating that he had just found two Cass City hunters in the persons of Paul Bien and Ray Meiser near his Novesta township farm. The boys, John said, were lost, half famished and foot weary and complained that they hadn't come across any game on which to waste their ammunition. They were mightily pleased when John told them where they were and started towards home with lighter hearts.

A DOLLAR FOR THE AD READER

In the display advertisements printed in the Chronicle this week are five words of five or more letters each which are spelled backwards.

The first person residing one or more miles from the intersection of Main and Seeger streets, Cass City, who brings to the Chronicle office a copy of this issue of the paper bearing the name of a member of his family on the address label and having the five spelled backwards plainly marked with pen or pencil will be awarded a dollar. Remember the first person complying with the above requirements gets the dollar. Words like "level" which are spelled the same both ways are not counted in this contest.

Albert Hoyt of Caro was a caller here Sunday.

Burton Elliott of Kingston was a caller here Saturday.

Leonard Buehrley visited at the home of Burton Elliott at Kingston over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Gooden of Detroit are guests at the home of Jos. Frutchey.

The Christian Science lesson for Sunday, Nov. 15, is "Mortals and Immortals."

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Parrott of Shabbona were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Tewkesbury Friday.

Misses Hazel Seegar and Hazel Legg of Kingston visited at the former's home here over Sunday.

Rev. A. Scheurer of Pigeon conducted quarterly meeting services at the Evangelical church Sunday.

Edgar Wood and Miss Maude Hendershot of Brookfield were callers at the home of A. T. Craft Saturday.

The W. M. S. of the Evangelical church will meet with Mrs. E. W. Kaercher, Friday afternoon, Nov. 20.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Frutchey, Mr. and Mrs. James Gooden and Ogden Atwell were visitors in Decker Wednesday.

Lewis Seeley of Caro and Meredith Auten attended the Michigan-Pennsylvania foot ball game at Ann Arbor Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Mudge have moved from North Seegar street to the house owned by Mrs. O. C. Wood on West Main street.

Rev. J. W. Hamblin, Rev. D. J. Feather and J. M. Bittner are attending the state Sunday School convention at Adrian this week.

Chris Fisher and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Fisher and daughter, Hazel, of Columbia were guests at the home of George W. Seed Sunday.

Word has been received that Rev. Wm. Bergey, a former pastor of the local Evangelical church, is quite ill at his home in Benton Harbor.

Mrs. Samuel Champion has received word that her husband has arrived safely at Newberry and is off for the deer he expects to bring home.

Mrs. H. Patterson returned to Cass City Monday from a three months' visit with relatives at Buffalo, N. Y., and Dutton and other points in Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. David Cameron and children, Lewis and Ora, of Seattle, Wash., are spending the week end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins.

Rev. H. C. Hayward is conducting a series of special meetings at the Elmwood Baptist church each evening. He is assisted by Rev. Cronkite of Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. John Spurgeon were in Detroit from Wednesday to Saturday called there by the illness of Mr. Spurgeon's mother, Mrs. John Spurgeon, sr., who is very ill.

C. H. Mellon of Pontiac was a business caller in town Tuesday. Mr. Mellon makes a specialty of buying fresh eggs and country-made butter from merchants in this section to retail at his store in Pontiac.

Twins, a son and a daughter, came Sunday to make their home with Mr. and Mrs. John McCallum at Greenleaf. Mrs. McCallum was formerly Miss Anna Gillies, a daughter of Mrs. Jane Gillies of Cass City.

Joseph Frutchey of Bangor, Pa., and Jacob Ettinger of Pen Argyle, Pa., came Saturday to visit their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. Frutchey. They are spending this week at the Frutchey ranch near Alpena.

Mr. and Mrs. John Higgins attended a surprise party given in honor of Mr. and Mrs. David Cameron of Seattle, Wash. The party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bingham at Gagetown Monday evening.

James McKenzie of Novesta township on Sunday lost his third horse this year. Mr. McKenzie hopes that the old saying "three times and out" will prove true with him and that he will not have occasion to bury any more horseflesh for several years to come.

Edward Craft appeared before Justice Corkins on a charge of assault and battery Friday and was fined \$5.00. The complaint was made by his wife. A few days later he was arrested at Caro on a charge of larceny in which J. A. Rensler was the complainant. In a hearing before Justice Corkins, the case was adjourned until Nov. 19. Jas. Walters and John Spurgeon acting as bondsmen for his appearance on that date.

On Monday, electric current was furnished from the new power house for the first time. Changing the transformers from 133-cycle to 60-cycle was done during the day and everyone had light that night with the exception of two or three residences. The large engine was moved from the old power plant Tuesday and Wednesday and is being erected at the new plant. It is expected that this machine will be in readiness to manufacture electric current from the larger generator by Saturday. Supt. Straube has been hampered in his moving arrangements by accidents in which two of his assistants have been injured. The Chronicle last week gave details of Harry Lang's injuries. Saturday, Elias Kilins hurt his back when he fell from a chair while making some adjustments to the lighting systems in one of the pool rooms. He has suffered severely but was able to oversee the operations at the old plant the first of the week and is again on the job.

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HOMELESS MILLIONS OF WAR REFUGEES

Serious Problem Now Facing the Fighting Nations.

Three million refugees without homes or money, in many cases lacking sufficient clothing and even food, make one result of little more than two months of warfare in Europe.

The fall of Antwerp added fully 500,000 men, women and children to the already long list of homeless sufferers who must depend on the bounty of others for their keep. France, England, Germany, Austria, Russia and Belgium have all felt the effect of the



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sufferings of this great army. England and France especially and the neutral nation of Holland have been the chief sufferers, for to them have come the homeless hordes of Belgians fleeing from their homes or driven out by the fire and sword that have swept through the country.

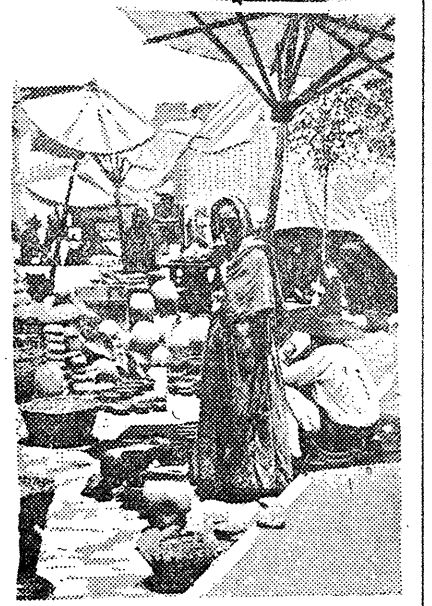
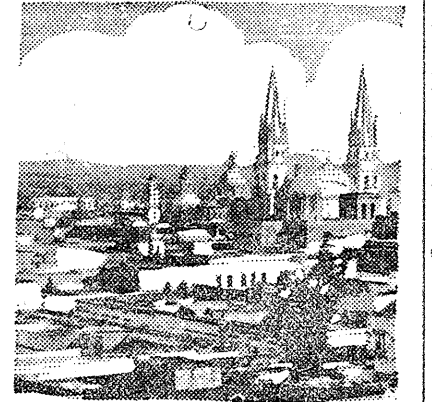
It is estimated that there are 1,000,000 refugees in France, more than half that number in England, at least 500,000 in Holland. Refugees from the border towns of Germany and the East Prussian territory occupied by Russia have fled to the interior in numbers that cannot be estimated. On the other hand, Russians from Poland and the border towns attacked by the Germans have been forced to flee to the interior.

Thousands of refugees from Galicia and the parts of Hungary occupied by the Russians have fled to the interior, and Vienna and other large Austrian and Hungarian cities are taxed to their utmost to care for them.

Besides those that have fled from their homes there are thousands in different parts of Belgium and parts of France, possibly starving and hopelessly facing the coming winter.

CITY OF AGUASCALIENTES.

Scene of Constitutional Conference an Attractive and Thriving Town. Aguascalientes, the scene of the Constitutional conference, is a city with a population of 50,500 and is the capital of the state of that name. It is 304 miles north of Mexico City. It is celebrated for its thermal springs and



Photos by American Press Association. AGUASCALIENTES AND VIEW OF MARKET PLACE.

its fine and salubrious climate. It is sometimes referred to as La Ciudad Perforada (the perforated city) because of an extensive system of tunnels beneath it. This labyrinth of catacombs, excavated by some unknown and prehistoric tribe, has never been thoroughly explored. The present city was founded by the Spanish conquerors in 1575.

The convention of Constitutionalists at Aguascalientes voted itself the supreme power of the land and made all factions subject to its orders.

Notice to Farmers!

As yet this locality is free from the dreaded HOOF AND MOUTH DISEASE but at any time it is apt to be located here. A word to the wise is sufficient. Don't wait until your herd is effected, but use precautions now. Spray your barns, sheds, and water tanks with

Kreso Dip As A Disinfectant.

Feed your Stock Hess' Stock Food and keep them in best of Condition. Feed your Hogs and Sheep Sal-Vet.

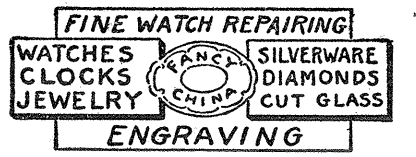
These are all guaranteed preparations and every dollar spent for these snam big returns and used as a preventive will keep your stock healthy. Come in today and get a supply.

Next Wednesday We will give 100 Grafonola Votes for every cent spent for hair brushes or combs.

We are well stocked on these articles and can show you just what you want. Buy these articles Wednesday and get the extra votes for yourself or friends.

Treadgold's Drug Store

The Purchase of Jewelry may be made here.



In full assurance that no matter what the amount of your purchase (large or small) you will receive a



Corresponding Value

in your selection. We seek to win and are determined to merit, your confidence and patronage.



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Jeweler and Optometrist



Here's The Knife You Want The Robeson ShurEdge

The Knife that holds its edge when all others fail

Blades singly forged by special hand method from genuine Wardlow's English Steel.

Tempered in oil by our secret thermometrical process. Absolutely uniform quality—No flaws.

Blades open easily and close with that snappy "click" which indicates good workmanship.

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THE HOME  
of Quality Groceries

Not Until Our Goods  
Enter Your Homes  
Do We Relinquish

Our Careful Supervision Over Them,  
In Order That They May Reach You  
In the Best Condition.

## THIS IS LAMP SEASON!

Have you all you need for these  
coming winter evenings?

We have a large line; all sizes, from  
the 25 cent Bracket Lamp to the  
\$3.00 brass ones.

Just received a large shipment of the

## RAYO LAMPS

The Ideal Reading Lamp.

HAVE YOU SEEN OUR BEAUTIFUL LINE OF  
BRAND NEW CHINA? EVERYTHING YOU  
MIGHT WISH.

If you wish light on the subject, come in.

E. W. JONES, The Grocer.

## We've Moved

Our Grocery and Ready-to-wear Departments  
have been moved to the store on the corner of  
Main and Leach Streets, formerly occupied by G.  
W. Goff's harness store. The building has been  
remodelled to suit our requirements and  
redecorated throughout. You'll find us in neat,  
attractive and sanitary quarters and we'll be glad  
to have you call.

Our Millinery and Novelty departments  
are at the old stand, next to our new store.

L. E. Dickinson

## DEFICIENCY TAX PARTLY IN EFFECT

Continued from first page.

pany or corporation, new issues, \$100 par value, each 5 cents.

Sales or agreements to sell stock, \$100 par value, each 5 cents.

Agreements of sale of products or merchandise on exchanges, each \$100, 1 cent.

Promissory notes, except banknotes for circulation and renewals, each \$100, 2 cents.

Bundles shipped by freight and express, 1 cent.

Telegraph and telephone companies, 1 cent on each message over 15 cents.

Senders of telephone or telegraph messages on each over 15 cents, 1 cent.

Certificates or profits of corporations, etc., and transfers thereof, face value each \$100, 2 cents.

Damage certificates, etc., 25 cents.

Other certificates required by law, 10 cents.

Broker's note or memorandum of sale, 10 cents.

Deeds or realty transfers valued between \$100 and \$500, 50 cents.

Deeds do., each additional \$500, 50 cents.

Entry of goods at custom houses, \$100 value, 25 cents.

Ditto, not exceeding \$500 value, 50 cents.

Ditto, exceeding \$500 value, \$1.

Entry for withdrawal of goods from customs bonded warehouse, 50 cents.

Insurance of property, new or renewed policies, each \$1, 1/2 cent.

Policies of insurance or bond of nature in indemnity for loss, each \$1, 1 cent.

Passenger tickets by sea to foreign ports costing less than \$10, \$1.

Ditto, exceeding \$25, \$3.

Ditto, exceeding \$50, \$5.

Perfumery, cosmetics, etc., vaseline, hair dyes, tooth washes, graded in values of 5 cents up to 15 cents, each 5 cents of value, 1-8 of a cent.

Ditto, valued from 15 to 25c, 5-8 of a cent.

Ditto, each additional 25 cents retail, 5-8 of a cent.

Chewing gum, etc., valued less than \$1 a unit, 4-10 of a cent.

Ditto, each additional \$1, 4-10 of a cent.

Voting powers or proxies, 10 cents.

Power to convey real estate, protests, 25 cents.

Palace or parlor car seat or berth, 1 cent.

The tax on beer will be \$1.50 a barrel or 50 cents more than is imposed under the law that existed up to Oct. 29.

The new law also taxes all distilled wines, domestic and imported, when sold or offered for sale or consumption, as follows:

Per bottle of quarter pints or less, 1/4 cent.

Bottle containing more than one-quarter, but not more than one-half pint, 1/2 cent.

More than one-half pint, but not more than one pint, 1 cent.

More than one-half pint, but not more than one quart, 3 cents.

All still wines in other containers, 8 cents a gallon.

Domestic and imported champagne and other sparkling wines and all artificial carbonated wines, bottle of one-half pint or less, 5 cents.

Bottle more than one pint and not more than one quart, 20 cents.

Same produce in all other containers, 20 cents a quart.

All liquors, cordials or similar compounds, domestic and imported, bottle containing not more than one-half pint 1 1/2 cents.

More than one-half pint and not more than one quart, 6 cents.

On large containers, 24 cents a gallon.

Bankers on each \$1,000 of capital, surplus, and undivided profits employed in the business shall pay \$1.

Brokers \$30; pawnbrokers \$50; commercial brokers \$20; custom house brokers \$10; commission merchants \$20.

Proprietors of theaters, museums, and concert halls where an admission is charged to be taxed as follows:

Where the seating capacity is not more than 250, \$25.

Seating capacity not more than 500, \$50.

Seating capacity not more than 800, \$75.

Proprietors of circuses, \$100.

Proprietors or agents of all other public exhibitions or shows heretofore enumerated, \$10.

Lecture lyceums (Chautauquas), agricultural or industrial fairs, or exhibitions under the auspices of religious or charitable associations are exempt from this tax.

Bowling alleys and billiard rooms, \$5 for each alley or table.

Tobacco dealers, 50,000 pounds annually, \$6.

One hundred thousand pounds annually, \$12.

Over 100,000 pounds annually \$24.

Other tobacco dealers doing business of \$200 a year, shop, \$4.80.

Tobacco manufacturers, 50,000 pounds a year, \$6.

One hundred thousand pounds a year, \$12.

Two hundred thousand pounds a year, \$18.

Four hundred thousand pounds a year, \$24.

One million pounds a year, \$60.

Five million pounds a year, \$300.

Ten million pounds a year, \$600.

Twenty million pounds a year, \$1,200.

Over twenty million pounds a year, \$2,496.

Cigar manufacturers, 100,000 cigars a year, \$3.

Two hundred thousand cigars a year, \$12.

One million cigars a year, \$50.

Five million cigars a year, \$150.

Twenty million cigars a year, \$600.

Forty million cigars a year, \$1,200.

Over forty million cigars a year, \$2,496.

Cigarette manufacturers, 1,000,000 cigarettes a year, \$12.

Two million cigarettes a year, \$24.

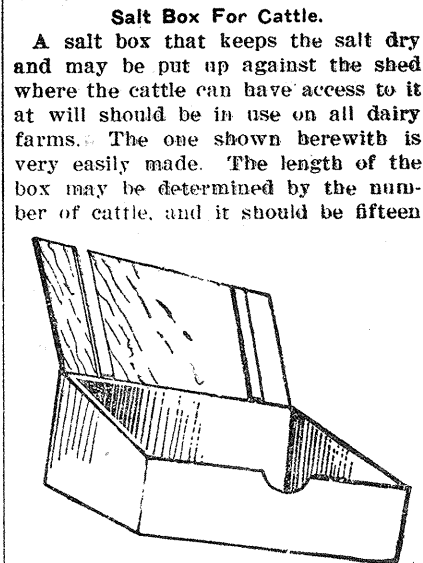
Five million cigarettes a year, \$60.

Ten million cigarettes a year, \$120.

Fifty million cigarettes a year, \$600.

One hundred million cigarettes a year, \$1,200.

Over one hundred million cigarettes a year, \$2,496.



**Salt Box For Cattle.**  
A salt box that keeps the salt dry and may be put up against the shed where the cattle can have access to it at will should be in use on all dairy farms. The one shown herewith is very easily made. The length of the box may be determined by the number of cattle, and it should be fifteen inches wide, ten deep in front and fourteen deep in the rear, so that it will shed water and have enough drop to shut itself and stay shut when the wind blows. The lid must be a few inches wider than the box. If a rounded hole is cut in the edge of the center of the box, as shown, so that the cow can lick through the hole and taste the salt, she will lift the lid and get all the salt she wants.

## MANGE IN HOGS.

Hogs are subject to a variety of skin diseases. Two of these, although quite different, are both known as mange. Pitch mange is not a true mange, but rather an eczema and affects hogs that are not in vigorous health and when kept in filthy pens and bad surroundings. Light skinned hogs appear somewhat more susceptible to this than others.

The skin is at first red and perhaps swollen. Small red spots appear and subsequently change to blisters which dry and form crusts.

The main treatment needed is simple cleanliness and the sort of feed that will make the hog healthy and vigorous. It usually means a complete change of surroundings and plenty of good food.

Hogs are subject also to true mange. This is caused by a minute animal parasite which burrows into the skin like the human itch mite and causes severe inflammation and itching. This form of mange is especially difficult to treat because of the burrowing habit of the parasite.—M. H. Reynolds, Veterinarian, University Farm, St. Paul.

**Cornering Righteousness.**  
The world is full of suspicion, which in nearly every case is unfounded. An unbounded and universal trust should take its place. I can give you an instance of what I consider this unhappy state of things when I say that two strangers can seldom speak casually to each other without a mutual caution and suspicion. We all trust ourselves. Our weak point is that we don't trust our neighbor. We each think, as it were, that we've made a corner in righteousness.—H. M. Edginton in "Oh, James!"

## One Quart of Peanuts.

Twenty years ago an American missionary resident in Shantung, China, brought to his mission station when returning from his furlough in the United States a quart of California peanuts, which he gave to a native convert as seed to replace the poor shriveled native peanut which possessed little or no marketing qualifications. Today this quart of peanuts has spread all over Shantung province, resulting in giving to these people an export trade in this article of 150,000 tons a year.—Argonaut.

## CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., Nov. 12, 1914

Buying Price—

Wheat	1 02
Oats	43
Beans	2 20
Rye	95
Barley Cwt.	1 20
Alyshe	8 00
June or Mammoth	7 50
Peas	1 35
Corn (selling price)	90
Baled hay—No. 1 Timothy	10 50
No. 2 "	10 50
No. 1 Mixed	10 50
Eggs, per doz.	22
Butter, per lb.	22
Potatoes per bu.	25
Fat cows, live weight, per lb.	5 54
Steers, " "	6 7
Fat sheep, " "	3
Lambs, " "	5 6
Hogs, " "	6 4
Dressed hogs	8 4
Dressed beef	12
Calves	5 8
Hens	8
Broilers	9
Ducks	11
Geese	8
Turkeys	13
Hides green	10

The Chronicle, one year, \$1.00.

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**Dickens and the Theater.**  
Charles Dickens was a great patron of the theater. He allowed himself one night to be taken to the play by a friend who was interested in the piece which happened to occupy the boards. The man in charge of the door would not admit them without payment, but after awhile the authoritative official was found and the necessary permission secured. The performance unfortunately proved to be very dull, but the famous novelist endured it with stoical calmness. In leaving, however, he stared about him and remarked, with simple pathos: "I am looking for that kind hearted man who was not for letting us in. I should like to give him a shilling."

**Bats Inside Bamboo.**  
The cutting down of a clump of bamboos in the royal botanical gardens, Singapore, shows that the hollows in the stems of these plants may afford a dwelling place for bats. On the splitting of a joint three bats flew out, and it was perceived that others were within. Care was taken to prevent further escape, and later examination of the joint revealed the presence of twenty-three bats in the hollow. Four of these were adult females and nineteen young ones. Other bamboo joints were also found to contain a number of bats. This particular species of bamboo is known as *Verperugo pachypus*.—London Mail.

**Legalized Theft.**  
Theft was at one time legalized. We are told that the young Spartans were taught to steal by the authorities for the purpose, presumably, of making them good foragers in wartime. In Egypt professional thieves gave in their names to the chief of the robbers and agreed that he should be informed of everything they might steal. The owner of lost goods applied to the chief for their recovery, and on payment of one-quarter of their value they were restored in full. The chief robber was salaried by the government.

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**Reminders of Nelson.**  
British sailors have on their uniforms perpetual reminders of the navy's glorious past, though not every one who wears them knows that the three rows of wide tape around the edging of the blue collar and the black silk scarf knotted in front are links with Nelson. The white tapes commemorate Nelson's famous victories—Copenhagen, the Nile and Trafalgar—and the scarf is a token of perpetual mourning for the great admiral, adopted by the seamen themselves and retained ever since.—New York Sun.

## Kirk's Dramatic Stock Company

at Opera House,  
Cass City

Three Nights,  
NOV. 12, 13, 14.

Plenty of specialties between acts.

Guaranteed Attraction.

Admissions, 10c, 20c and 30c

GEO. HITCHCOCK, Mgr.

## SALE WEEK!

- 200 pairs Boy's Sweaters, regular prices 75c for... 50c
- 200 pairs Men's Sweaters, " " \$1.25 for... \$1.00
- 300 Suits fleeced lined underwear 50c for... 45c
- 500 pairs Men's Hose, 6 pairs for... 50c
- All wool " " 50c for... 35c
- 10 all wool worsted Misses' Suits \$10 value for... \$6.00
- 24 Ladies' Silk Underskirts \$5 value for... \$2.98
- 2 dozen all wool red underwear \$3 for... \$2.00
- 4 buckle Arctics \$2.50 value for... \$2.25
- 1 buckle " \$1.50 value for... \$1.25

## 25c Off on all Men's and Women's Shoes.

- 100 prs. of Men's all wool pants, \$2.50 values for... \$2
- 70 pairs Shoes, sezis 2 to 3 1/2 for... \$1.00

ALL PRINTS 6c

- 100 lbs. Fruit Juice Scrap Tobacco, 10 pkgs. for... 25c
- 100 lbs. of Thumb and Honey Maid Tobacco, 4 plugs for... 30c

200 barrels Spring Wheat Flour at \$6 per bbl.

This sale will start Nov. 14 and continue two weeks.

Store will remain open until 9:30 each night.

## C.R. Montague



## The YOUTH'S COMPANION

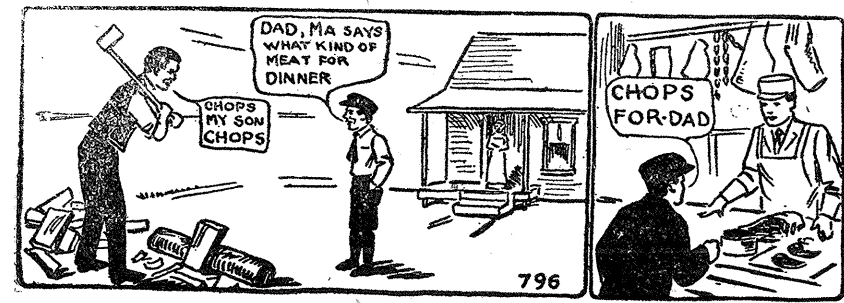
Better Than Ever in 1915

Then the Family Page, a rare Editorial Page, Boys' Page, Girls' Page, Doctor's Advice, and "a ton of fun," Articles of Travel, Science, Education. From the best minds to the best minds, the best the world can produce for you and everyone in the home. There is no age limit to enthusiasm for The Youth's Companion.

52 Times a Year — not 12.

Send to-day to The Youth's Companion, Boston, Mass., for THREE CURRENT ISSUES—FREE

SUBSCRIPTIONS RECEIVED AT THIS OFFICE



**LAMB CHOPS.**  
Take chops from the loin of lamb; trim them and season with pepper, salt and powdered mace. Cover them twice with egg and bread crumbs, and fry them in deep fat.

**VEAL CUTLETS**  
Rub the cutlets with pepper, salt and a little chopped chives and broil; serve on a bed of mashed potatoes. Pour over the cutlets a little melted butter and lemon juice.

Tommy didn't have to be told where to go for  
**The Best Chops**  
We treat the children the same as  
GROWN UPS.

## Cass City Meat Market

HARRY YOUNG, Proprietor.

Read the Store News in the Chronicle Today.



# The Fuel Question ?

You may study it all you like but you'll never have it settled RIGHT until you get around to using

## ECONOMY COAL

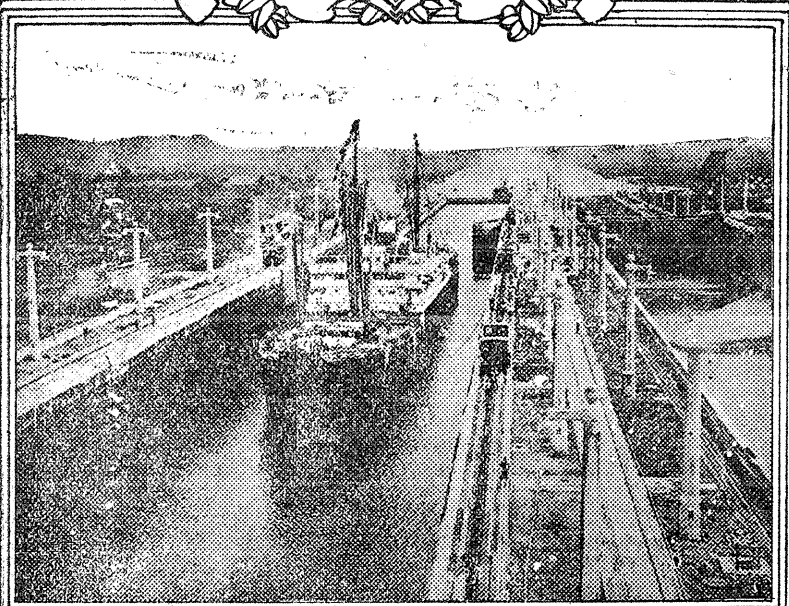
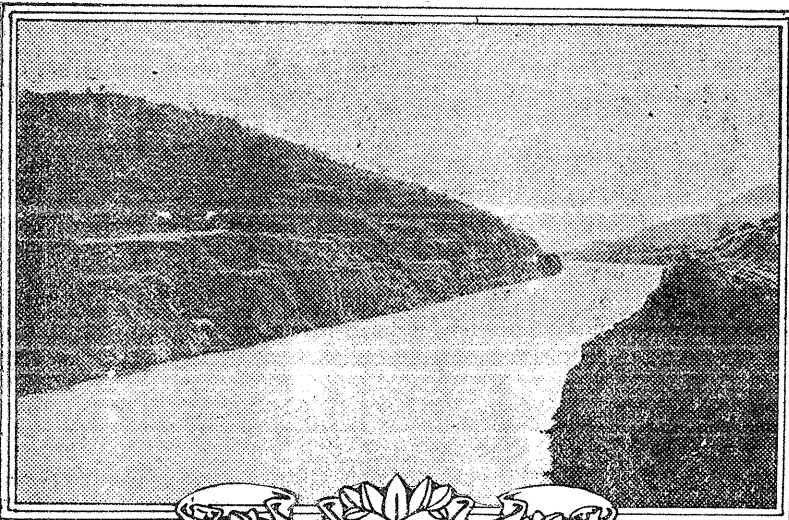
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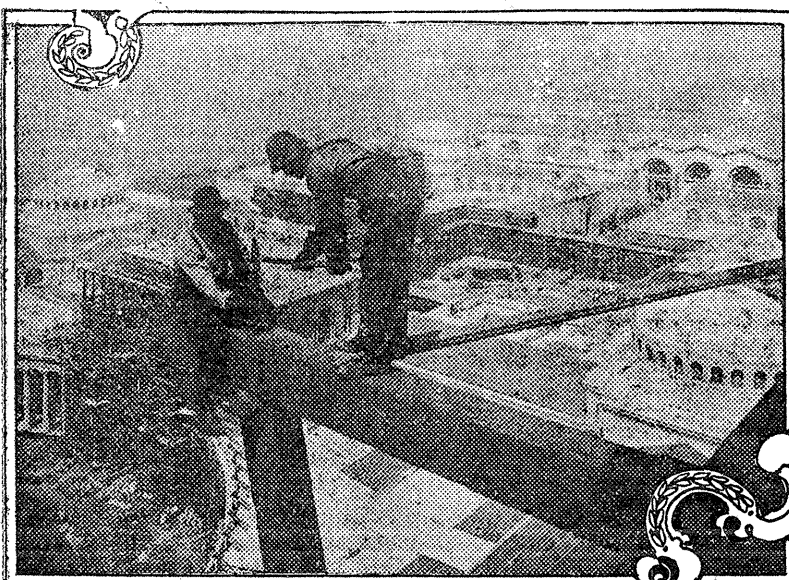
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earth the achievements of men, and not only the achievements but the processes which produced them will be seen. What could only be obtained by years of travel and study will lie spread out before us—a world of the present. It is indeed an epoch-making even for America and the world.

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### LOCAL ITEMS

Cass City business places are open every Wednesday and Saturday evenings.  
Mrs. C. Tyo is numbered with the ill this week.  
J. A. Caldwell was in Caro on business Tuesday.  
Miss Mary Black spent Sunday at her home in Greenleaf.  
Mrs. N. Karr of Kingston was the guest of Mrs. A. Doerr Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Auslander of Shabbona were callers here Monday.  
Mr. and Mrs. John Noble of Detroit visited with friends here Saturday.  
E. E. Herrington of Detroit was the guest of Miss Otie Hoagland over Sunday.  
Miss Lydia McInnes conducted a coat sale at Decker Tuesday and Wednesday.  
Mrs. C. Tims has moved into the rooms over the meat market of Ricker & Krahling.  
Mrs. J. A. Caldwell and Miss Adah Caldwell were visitors in Bay City Friday and Saturday.  
Robert Spurgeon and Henry Hurlburt went to Detroit Monday to visit Mrs. John Spurgeon, sr.  
Miss Margaret McArthur spent last week at the home of her sister, Mrs. F. F. Platz, in Detroit.  
Miss Ethel Striffler spent Friday and Saturday at the homes of G. C. Ross and Dr. C. W. Clark at Caro.  
B. J. Dailey, Wm. Murphy, Lester Bailey and son, Clare, J. B. Crosby and S. A. Bradshaw were callers in Caro Monday.  
Harry Vickers, Frank Hall and Misses Ida Yakes and Hazel Summers were guests at the Vickers home at Caro Sunday.  
Miss Daisy McInnes, who has been visiting her aunt, Miss Lydia McInnes, expects to return to her home in Park Hill, Ont., Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Hitchcock, Mrs. A. J. Knapp and son, Clark, and J. F. Graham were guests at the home of Dougald McIntyre, near Argyle Sunday.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Striffler and son, Kenneth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Corkins and daughter, Maxine, spent Sunday at their home of P. H. Muck at Colwood.

### GAGETOWN.

Miss Florence Cook, who has been visiting at A. J. Palmer's for the past two weeks, returned to her home near Akron Sunday.  
Mrs. J. S. Noble of Detroit came Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Smith, over Sunday. Mr. Noble, her husband, came Friday night and accompanied her home.  
Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hunter and children spent last Sunday at the home of Mrs. T. Wald, who lives south of town.  
Announcement was made at St. Agatha's church last Sunday of the approaching marriage of Martin Walsh and Miss Mary Quinn.  
Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Palmer spent last Sunday visiting at the home of B. Peck near Akron.  
R. Russell, who has been in the Canadian northwest for the past three years, arrived here Monday with two teams of horses and farm implements. He says the crops have not been very good in that section for the past two years and he expects to locate here.  
Miss Carrie Crawford, who attends school in Caro, spent over Sunday with her parents here.  
Dr. W. J. Sugnet, F. D. Hemerick and Alex Case are at Caseville this week on a shooting trip.

(From the Times).

Patrick Toohy has the honor of hauling the largest load of sugar beets hauled to Gagetown this season. The gross weight of the load was 15,530 pounds. The weight of the wagon was 2180 pounds, leaving a net weight of 13,350 pounds of beets, or six tons, thirteen hundred fifty pounds. The load was drawn by a three-horse team of three-year-old colts, driven by George Cosgrove.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Graham attended the funeral of his sister, Mrs. Neil McTagget in Sheridan Sunday. The deceased has for 30 years been a highly respected lady of that vicinity, and will be greatly missed. She is survived by a husband and a grown up family.

J. L. Purdy is home from the Battle Creek Sanitarium this week attending to business and he is much improved in health. He will return to the sanitarium for further treatment.

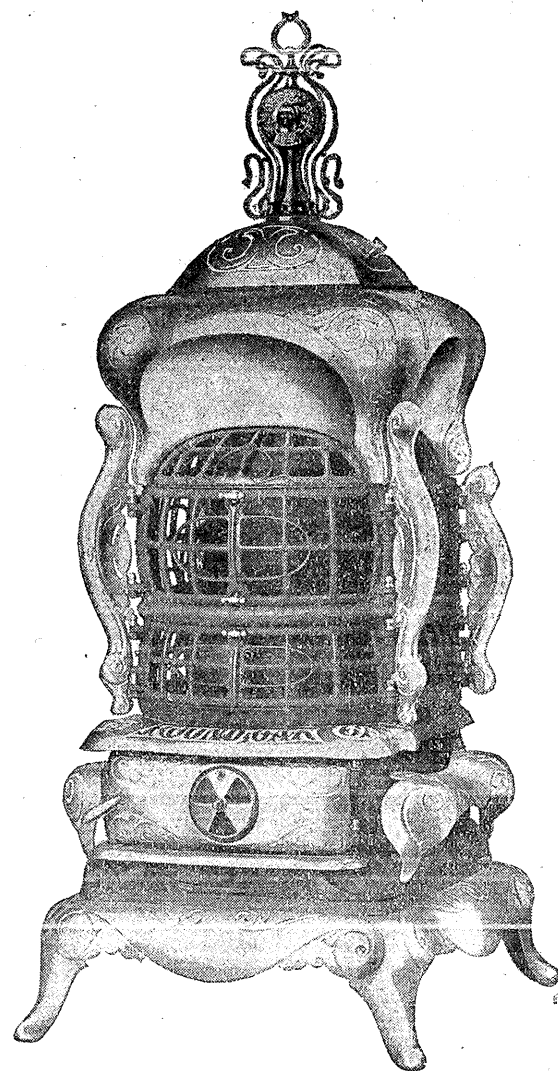
Tuesday was the 25th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Johnson and about 50 of their neighbors and friends surprised them at their pleasant farm southwest of town. The ladies brought along well filled baskets and at midnight supper was served. Dancing, cards and singing were enjoyed until a late hour. It was a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Johnson, but the visitors were given a hearty welcome and everybody had a good time. They were presented with several beautiful pieces of silverware as a token of remembrance from their many friends. It was a happy surprise and one long to be remembered by all.

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# Notice to Hunters!

The undersigned land owners and lessees have notices posted "No Hunting Allowed" on their premises in sections 31, 32 and 33, Elkland township, section 1, Ellington township, and sections 4, 5 and 6, Novesta township. These notices have been ignored and in some places torn down or defaced. This is to warn hunters that these parties mean business and will prosecute violators.

- Asa Root.
- J. D. Tuckey.
- A. H. Kinnaird.
- Levi Bardwell.
- Sam Crane
- Chas. Hall.
- Fred Stine.
- R. W. Mc Conkey.
- E. McKim.
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#### TIME CARD.

P., O. & N. Division—  
Caseville train ar.....7:10 a. m.  
Pontiac train ar.....11:20 a. m.  
Caseville train ar.....3:10 p. m.  
Pontiac train ar.....7:58 p. m.  
D. & H. Division—  
Bad Axe train ar.....7:05 a. m.  
Cass City train lv.....11:25 a. m.  
Bad Axe train ar.....3:05 a. m.  
Cass City train lv.....8:00 p. m.

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Rapides Par. Echo, La.  
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## SHABBONA.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Phillips were called to Marlette Monday owing to the serious illness of the latter's niece, Ethel Hillicker.

Newton Auslander returned home from the Northwest last week.

Mrs. J. Proctor of Pontiac is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Ehlers.

Some of our people attended the missionary services at Mezpah Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Meredith is spending a few days at Caro.

Geo. Gotham had a barn raising Tuesday.

Chas. Severance and family visited in Flint the first of the week.

Mrs. Geo. Ferguson visited her brother, Albert Meredith, of Caro part of last week.

Mrs. H. Van Norman, sr., is on the sick list.

John McDonald is some better at this writing.

W. F. Ehlers is hunting in the northern part of the state.

Since it is house cleaning time, the ladies had a bee Wednesday to clean the M. E. church.

Much different weather than we had a year ago on Nov. 9, which reminds us of the heavy wind and snow storm.

## NOVESTA CORNERS.

Mrs. Wm. Collins is numbered with the sick.

Pearl and Harvey Fleming attended the foot ball game at Bad Axe Wednesday.

Emer Calkins returned Wednesday from the Canadian Northwest where he has been employed the past season.

Corn shredders at Wm. Fleming's. W. F. Ehlers, George Jones and Guy Sweet left Saturday for a deer hunt in northern Michigan.

Miss Addie Bunker left Saturday for Detroit where she will remain indefinitely.

Loren Weeks and family were entertained Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Weeks.

Miss Hazel Delmage and Ollie Hicks visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Elmer Collins, from Saturday until Sunday evening.

Miss Edith Perry returned to Lapeer Monday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perry, since Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Ashby visited at Don McCaughna's Sunday.

## KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LINE.

Mrs. George Boughton and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson of Greenleaf the first of the week.

Curtis Cooper of Fostoria visited at D. Ashley's last week.

Mr. and Mrs. McCreedy and family spent Sunday at the D. Cole home.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will meet with Mrs. J. D. Funk, Thursday afternoon, November 19. A report of the district convention will be given.

Goldie Martin attended a young people's entertainment Friday evening at Kingston.

Anyone wishing to contribute money to purchase flowers for the Belgian Relief Co., may pay the same to Rev. V. J. Hufon, master of the boy scouts of Deford.

## ARGYLE.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Meridith are entertaining Mrs. Karr of Crowell

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King visited Mrs. King's sister at Bad Axe over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. McNaughton and family of Hay Creek spent Sunday at the home of John McPhail.

Mrs. Frank Darval returned to her home in Detroit after spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. McPhail.

Edwin Umphrey of Sandusky spent Saturday and Sunday at his parental home here.

Mark Coots of Bad Axe spent Sun-

## ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.

Probate of Will.

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 31st day of October, A. D., 1914.

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

In the Matter of the Estate of Mary McConnell, Deceased.

J. D. Brooker, having filed in said court a petition praying that a certain instrument in writing, purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased, now on file in said court be admitted to probate, and that the administration of said estate be granted to J. D. Brooker, the executor named in the will, or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 30th day of November A. D. 1914, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition;

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.

A true copy. 11-6-3

day at the home of Edd Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. David Kitchen of Owendale visited friends here over Sunday.

Don Herdell of Sandusky spent Sunday at his parental home here. Clarence Myers spent Sunday at Shabbona.

## DEFORD.

Albert Howey of Clifford visited his uncles Theron and Lyman Spencer, and other relatives over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Kennedy transacted business in Cass City Friday.

Job Hartwick, an old and respected citizen, passed away Sunday morning after an illness of over a year. Funeral was held at the church Tuesday afternoon attended by a large congregation of friends and relatives. The deceased has been a resident of this place for many years.

The remains of Mrs. Orson Withey were brought to Cass City from Pontiac and buried in the Cass City cemetery in the family lot beside her husband, who preceded her in death 2 years ago. Six daughters and 2 sons accompanied the remains, also two sons-in-law and other relatives. Mrs. Withey was an old resident of Deford and earlier lived near Novesta Corners. Those from Deford to attend the funeral were, Mrs. A. L. Bruce, Mrs. R. Kennedy, Mrs. Neil Kennedy, Mrs. J. W. McCain, Mrs. Samuel Sherk, Mrs. Wells Spencer, Mrs. Georgiana Kilgore, Mrs. Chas. Kilgore and Mrs. Geo. Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. John McArthur returned home Monday from a short visit with the former's sister, Mrs. Guy Woolman, of Port Huron.

Mrs. H. H. Wilson and Mrs. Wm. Wilson of Saginaw attended the funeral of the latter's brother, Job Hartwick.

School report for month ending Oct. 23: No. of pupils enrolled, 94; boys, 35; girls, 59; average attendance, 79. EA C. Lockwood, Prin. Joyce Retherford, Primary

## Contentment.

Contentment is the pearl of great price. Few persons are satisfied with their lot. No matter if they have plenty of work and good wages, they envy some one else who is doing better. The boy with the toy cart envies the lad with the bicycle, and the latter looks with covetous eyes on every motorcar that passes by. So it goes everywhere. The poor envy the rich, and the rich envy each other, and under such conditions the preacher of a gospel of envy finds it easy to gather a congregation.—Leslie's Weekly.

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Be sure and come and see our line of goods and bring your produce as we pay the highest market price.

We will buy Dressed Poultry for Thanksgiving on November 18, 19 and 20.



SCHOOL NOTES.

By Beatrice Koepfgen, Senior. Marlette Vs. Cass City.

November 20 Marlette plays at Cass City. Marlette has beaten Cass City for five successive years, but has not as strong a team as in former years.

New bookcases have been placed in the library of the high school this year to hold the three or four hundred volumes which were already there.

The teachers of Cass City public school have selected McMurry's Elementary School Standards as a basis for their study to be perused at the regular teachers' meeting Tuesday night.

The seventh B division is taking much interest in making produce maps of South America.

The eighth grade is preparing a play entitled "The Waifs of Thanksgiving."

Ida McLellan, Florence Striffler and Thelma Hunt, pupils of the eighth grade, have been neither absent nor tardy for ten weeks.

The sixth grade is working on an original dramatization on the Pilgrim's History.

The fifth grade is making Thanksgiving books, and also practicing for a play to be given the day before Thanksgiving.

Wilma Striffler, William Cole, Kenneth Higgins, Irvin Striffler, Donald Seed, Helen Corkins and Iris McLellan of the fourth grade have been neither absent nor tardy this school year.

The fourth grade is beginning their Thanksgiving booklets and also are making Dutch children as a border to decorate their room.

Both buildings were cleared in sixty seconds in the recent fire drill held at the schools.

At Mr. Leavens' suggestion the pupils of the first grade purchased a picture of Sir Galahad which is now being framed.

August and Diagutin Maladrache entered the first grade. They are from Austria and one of them told how glad he was that his papa didn't have to go to war, which probably appeals to them more than to us.

The first grade pupils are making a Puritan and an Indian village in their sand table for Thanksgiving.

Cecil and Keith Perry have entered Mrs. Fritz's room.

FEW BOTHERED TO THRESH

Continued from first page. ner in a few days but as we were all ready to start did not care to wait for fear of delay. We took the train at night to Medicine Hat. We were there all next day. After dinner we tried to hire an auto or taxi to drive around the city to view the sights.

back. We arrived at Detroit Friday night and Saturday were in Oxford. When I wrote you last spring, the farmers were getting ready to sow the seed. The winter was short and there was not much snow or rain. The ground was too dry. The seed came up or part of it and seemed to cover the ground quite well.

It is rather quiet about the war out there. There was only one from our vicinity who went. He was a young Englishman. He left his land and home. An Austrian who lived near said he would not go to defend his country. He did not love it. I will close, hoping this is not too lengthy.

Harbor Beach citizens have voted to spend \$28,000 for a modern sewerage system. The proposition was carried by a majority of 22.

The Deckerville high school is now recognized by the Michigan College of Mines and placed on that institution's approved list.

Miss Eliza Clough left Wednesday for a visit with friends in Toronto, Ontario.

Mrs. Alex Greenleaf of Cumber was a caller at the home of James Greenleaf Wednesday.

Harry Lang went to Wilmot Wednesday to visit friends. He will return home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Larsen expect to go to Muskegon Saturday to visit relatives for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Walsh are moving from their farm one mile north of town to their residence in Owendale.

Miss Janet Garbutt of Marlette was a guest at the home of James Greenleaf from Friday to Wednesday.

Mrs. Frank Wellwood of Marlette came Wednesday to visit her sister-in-law, Mrs. J. N. Dorman, for a few days.

Mrs. Andrew Schmidt and daughter, Evelyn, and Mrs. Anna Patterson spent Thursday with Mrs. Otis Watkins at Deford.

The annual thank-offering meeting of the Home Missionary society of the M. E. church will meet Friday, Nov. 20, at 2:30 p. m. in the church parlors. A good attendance is requested.

Leslie Whitick, J. H. Hodson, Mrs. O. J. Miles and Miss Mabel Brown of Saginaw were guests at the home of William Ruhl Sunday. Mrs. Anna Scallen accompanied them to Saginaw for a few days' visit.

Village President Bigelow has been confined to his home by illness for the last two weeks. Yesterday morning he was reported some better.

Jas. Tennant has been on the sick list, but was able to get back to his store the first of the week.

About twenty-five of the friends of Avon and Miss Marguerite Walsh gave a party for them at their home Saturday afternoon. The guests enjoyed the pleasant social afternoon and refreshments and presented the guests of honor with an appropriate gift with which to remember their Cass City friends.

der whose auspices Miss Hutchinson appeared, report a fairly satisfactory financial return, but regret that so few who really enjoy so fine a thing as the entertainment proved to be will plan to attend without being begged into buying tickets in advance.

More locals on page six. M. E. Aid rummage sale begins Wednesday, Nov. 18, in room under Auten's Bank.

Roman Ruins in Switzerland. Near Basel-Augst, in Switzerland, is the site of the old Roman colony of Augusta Raurica, with remains of a theater, and at the nearby town of Rheinfelden are walls and towers partly preserved, for this was one of the outposts of the Holy Roman Empire.

Bakery For Sale. A bakery in good location for sale or will trade for small farm. Enquire at Chronicle office. 8-7.

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For Sale. Sebewaing brick, drain tile and sewer pipe. Cass City Grain Co.

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Let me cover that floor of yours with the best ever Cook's Linoleum. Geo. L. Hitchcock.

Cabbage for sale. John Kennedy 11-6.

Three hundred bushels of carrots for sale. Joe McClorey Johnson. 11-6.

The person who took the stack canvass out of my yard Saturday night must return it or I will send an official after it. Geo. L. Hitchcock.

See Cootes about installing the Round Oak Furnaces, the best in the world—Cootes' Central Hardware.

Corn stalks for sale. Geo. L. Hitchcock.

For Sale. Gold Medal, Henkel's and Fanchon flour. Cass City Grain Co.

SIRES AND SONS.

Vincent Astor has expended \$100,000 on a farm home for convalescent children of New York hospitals.

Although sixty-six years of age, Francis Griffith Newlands of Nevada is one of the spryest of United States senators.

Takashi Nakamura, formerly consul general at Ottawa, Canada, and at London, has been appointed Japanese consul general at New York.

General von Moltke, the German commander, sold his British, Russian, Belgian and Japanese decorations in aid of the German Red Cross fund. He also ordered other generals to sell their medals.

William C. de Lanoy, just appointed by the president to the position of director of the new bureau of war risk insurance, is the senior member of the firm of De Lanoy & De Lanoy, New York, and his name has been known in insurance circles for thirty years.

Lieutenant General Nicholas Yanushkevitch, the newly appointed Russian chief of the general staff, was formerly director of the staff college and is credited with great administrative qualities. Born in 1868, he is one of the youngest generals in the Russian army.

The censors may be saving us a good many shocks by not letting us know how horrible the war really is.—Indianapolis News.

Abandonment of next year's peace conference at The Hague follows logically this year's submission of argument to armament.—New York World

The United States has become the storehouse of supplies from which the world is drawing.—Baltimore American.

The Wish-I-Hadn't club now has a large waiting list, including names from all parts of the civilized globe.—Washington Star.

Courses in salesmanship are offered by day and night the world over. But what most of us need is instruction in the complementary art of purchase.—Boston Herald.

Alaska's gold output last year was about \$600,000 more than the United States paid for the whole country. Your Uncle Samuel always was a good trader.—St. Louis Republic.

Napoleon Lajoie has made 3,000 hits and it is worthy of comment that none of them was made in vaudeville.—Grand Rapids Press.

Gabriele d'Annunzio's arrest as a spy in Paris was not an outrage when one considers that he looks like a perambulating mystery.—New York Sun.

Jerome K. Jerome is with us once again after an absence of years. As a test of fame and other particulars, how many of us remember that he is pronounced Jerrum K. Jerrum?—New York World.

The food rise may be artificial, but the chaps that engineered it are getting real money.—Washington Post.

Now that railroad fares are being boosted, how can we afford to "see America first"?—Albany Knickerbocker Press.

Under cover of the European war the high cost of living has been executing a turning movement around both flanks of the ultimate consumer.—New York Post.

People are unnecessarily active when they stir up trouble.

The graveyard population alone is increasing in Europe.

Don't try to do a man who has a mania for getting even.

You can never gain the friendship of a man by arguing with him.

A severe winter may help to end the European war with a freeze-out.

McHUGH.

George Bullock is treating his new house to a coat of paint.

Bessie Darling of Cass City spent Sunday at her parental home here.

Charles Severance and family and Mrs. Otis Chambers autoed to Flint Newton Auslander has returned home after spending the past eight months in Saskatchewan and Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. John Agar of Owendale were callers at John Kitchin's Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank McGregory and family of Shabbona spent Sunday at the home of John Kennedy.

The Sunday services in the Menonite church were largely attended.

Leo Hall made a business trip to Cass City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sly were callers in Shabbona Saturday.

Sam Wheaton and Ed. Crocker were in Cass City Monday.

Little Opal Chambers is numbered with the sick.

W. A. Gregory, Pastor. Regular services Sunday, Nov. 15, sermons by the pastor 10:30 a. m. Public worship. Holy Communion will be celebrated during this service.

Evening at 7:30. "Friends or Acquaintances," which?

Special note—The first quarterly conference will be held at Cass City next Tuesday evening at 7:30. All official members should be present with full reports.

FARM NAMES. Leroy Hendrick has given the name "Maple Grove" to his farm in Novesta township.

"Evergreen Farm" has been chosen by Orson Hendrick for the name of his farm in Ellington township.

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