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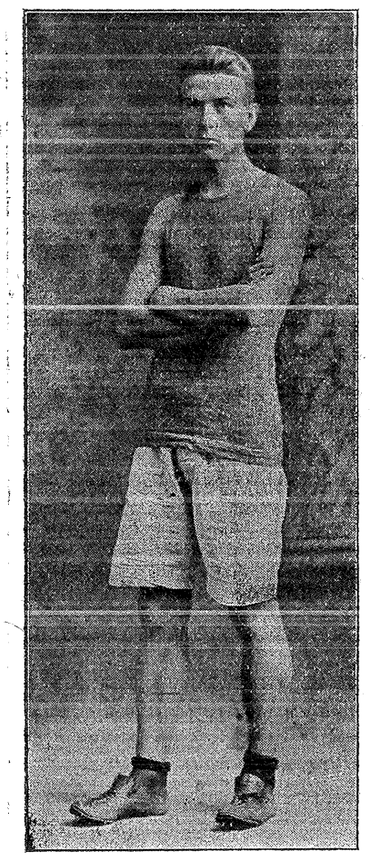
CASS CITY SECOND IN INTERSCHOLASTIC

HIGGINS AND WOOD WIN 15 POINTS IN CLASS B COMPETITION.

Local Athletes Were Shown Appreciation of Fellow Students When They Returned Home.

Everett Higgins and Ernest Wood represented the Cass City high school, the first time that institution has participated in the interscholastic meet at Ann Arbor, and won 15 points, placing Cass City in second place in Class B competition, the division designated for high schools having an attendance under 200. Shelby won first place in Class B with 22 points, St. Joseph third with 10, Constantine fourth with 7, Rockford next with 5, D. U. S. 2 and Memphis 1 point.

Higgins won first in the 440-yard dash in the finals Saturday in 53 2-5 seconds. He secured third place in



Everett Higgins.

the 100-yard dash and had the 220-yard dash practically won when he sprained his ankle which put him out of the running. In the broad jump event which was held after the 220 dash, he won second, his record of 19 feet 3 inches in the preliminaries on Friday securing him this place.

Wood was successful in winning second in the mile run and third place in the half mile.

Both young men were met at the train when they returned home Monday by a large number of their fellow students who greeted them with shouts of approval and unmistakably showed the appreciation for the athletes who were so successful in the school's first effort in an interscholastic competition.

FIFTH STANDARD SCHOOL

Silverwood School Presented with Standard Plate Friday.

The Silverwood school, located in District No. 8, Dayton township, closed Friday, the teacher, Miss Madge Bartholomew, and pupils preparing and rendering a nicely arranged program which was enjoyed by a large number of the patrons of the school.

One of the pleasing features of the afternoon was the presentation of the plate which designated that school as a standard school of the state, teacher, pupils and patrons having united in placing the school on the plane which qualified it for this honor. B. H. McComb, commissioner of schools, made the speech and complimented all who worked for the success of the school.

This is the fifth standard school located in Tuscola county.

Machinery Repairs.

I have on hand the cutting parts of the following machines: Deering, McCormick, Johnston, Plano, Champion and Osborn. Be sure and place your orders early for the gearing for these machines. Geo. Hitchcock. 6-9-

Potatoes.

Home grown, nice round stock. Robt. Day. 6-9-

See Treadgold's first for books and other graduation gifts.

Sponges, chamois skins, pennants and polish for your auto at Treadgold's.

I. O. O. F. MEMORIAL

Will Be Held Next Sunday with Address by Rev. Hamblin.

The members of Cass City Lodge, I. O. O. F., and Venus Rebekah Lodge will hold their annual memorial day next Sunday when services will be held and graves decorated. The members will assemble promptly at Odd Fellow Hall at 1:00 p. m. and at 2:30 will march to the Presbyterian church where Rev. J. W. Hamblin will deliver the address. Following this service, they will march to Elkland cemetery where graves of departed members will be decorated. Automobiles will be provided for the ladies.

The services at both the church and cemetery are public and all are invited to attend them.

TUBERCULOSIS DEATH RATE HIGH IN TWO COUNTIES

Twenty-two Deaths from This Disease in Tuscola in 1915 and 14 in Sanilac County.

Next week the tuberculosis survey in this county will close when the corps of nurses will devote the week to visiting the homes of those who this week are being diagnosed as afflicted with tuberculosis. The victims of the disease will be instructed in how to live to get well and the other members of their families will be told how to remain free from infection. In addition to that Dr. DeKleine and other members of the party will give several addresses throughout Tuscola and Sanilac counties.

That Tuscola and Sanilac counties need a survey such as is being held now is shown by the fact that in 1915 there were 22 deaths from this disease in Tuscola and 14 in Sanilac. In Tuscola county there have been two deaths so far in 1916 and in Sanilac four. The death rate shown by these figures is about as high in proportion to population as in most of the counties visited so far by the "Health First" party, in spite of the fact that there are no large cities here. It simply proves once more, what is well known to anti-tuberculosis workers, that there is no community that is free from the disease and that much hard work has to be done everywhere, in the rural sections as well as in the cities, to rid the state of this plague. There is much opportunity in both Tuscola and Sanilac counties for constructive work along health lines.

Many people have perhaps asked the question in the course of the anti-tuberculosis campaign that is now in progress in this county, "Why make so much ado about this particular disease? Why not give some attention to pneumonia, heart disease, cancer, Bright's disease, and to other maladies that annually kill thousands of people?" And that question is a legitimate one. If there is no clear-cut answer to it the whole movement would rest under the indictment of playing favorites.

But there is a very good and very sufficient answer to this question. The forces of health organization work are directed in strong phalanx against tuberculosis in particular because of the fact that by hitting at tuberculosis the health workers are in reality hitting at many of the other diseases that are like a scourge upon men. In the fight against tuberculosis the gospel of right living is the one gospel on which the workers depend for success; and right living is a safeguard against the attacks of practically all diseases.

If tuberculosis could be treated with medicine, as some of the other diseases can be, it would stand on a

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COMPANY WANTS 100 WOMEN TO PICK BEANS AT CASS CITY

Would Increase Their Equipment to Give Employment to That Number if Help Could Be Secured.

The Cass City Grain Co. is in need of women and girls in their bean picking department and seem unable to secure the help at their plant at Cass City to care for the amount of work they have to do in this line.

Joseph Frutchey, the secretary of the company, told the Chronicle yesterday that there were 36 picking machines on their floor and only 25 of them had operators. The company could use 100 women to pick beans and would gladly increase their equipment to give employment to that number if there was a possibility of securing that many operators.

Beam pickers, after acquiring experience, earn as high as $10 and $12 weekly.

Sheaffer's Self-filling fountain pens make fine commencement gifts. Treadgold's sell and guarantee them.

MOTHER SEES CHILD BURNED TO DEATH

TWO PERISH FROM INJURIES BY FLAMES AT GRINDSTONE CITY.

Other Items of Interest from Several of the Towns and Villages in the Thumb.

Caroline Louck, the two-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Louck, and Marjorie, three-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Scherbvanski, were burned to death Saturday noon in a fish shanty at Grindstone City, on the shore of Lake Huron, within full view of Mrs. Louck, who is a cripple and unable to walk. The six-year-old brother of the Louck child kindled a small bonfire in the shack, where all three were playing. The clothing of the little girls caught fire, and screaming they ran out of the shanty and plunged into the lake. The burns were so serious that death followed within a short time.

Palmer Robinson, special agent of the Carl Hagenbeck-Wallace circus, was at Caro Saturday making preliminary arrangements for that show to visit the county seat on Saturday, July 8.

W. A. Schriber of Pigeon has been appointed by Congressman Cramton as one of the assistant Sargeant-at-Arms at the republican national convention held in Chicago this week.

A million and a half of white fish have just been planted in Lake Huron opposite Forrester. This was made possible through Congressman Cramton's efforts. It will be three years before the fish will be marketable.

Mrs. Sarah M. Stoner of Vassar has brought suit against the Michigan Central railroad in the sum of $25,000 for the loss of her little son's life three years ago. The boy was beheaded when run over by a train.

The Jewell House at Vassar closed its doors and the proprietor, Mr. Carl, has gone to Saginaw where he has secured employment. The hotel has not been a paying proposition and Mr. Carl claims that he had been running behind financially ever since he leased it last fall.

A movement is on foot at Caseville to erect a log cabin to be dedicated to the pioneers of Caseville township and immediate vicinity. If the idea is successful the cabin will be erected on the lot where the soldiers' monument stands. It is understood that the ladies of the G. A. R. are behind the movement.

Vassar was visited with another flood last week, the heavy rains north of that village having swollen the river and creek until they left their bounds and began straying over the landscape. A number of gardens were flooded, a boat house belonging to David Wightman was carried away and other damage done.

A farmer in Sanilac county is credited for this new use of his automobile. Being pestered with woodchucks, he backed his auto to one of the holes and run a hose from the exhaust pipe to it. He had no sooner started his engine then woodchucks were seen scampering out of the other holes in great haste, making fine sport for hunters.

MRS. WM. J. MARTUS

Many Friends Surprised to Hear of Her Death Monday.

The community was surprised Monday to hear of the death of Mrs. Wm. J. Martus, which occurred that afternoon. Mrs. Martus underwent an operation at Pleasant Home Hospital on Saturday and seemed to be getting along nicely, but she suddenly became very ill and nothing done seemed to improve her condition.

The funeral was held from the St. Agatha Catholic church at Gagetown on Wednesday at ten o'clock.

Cecilia Linck was born on a farm at Burnside March 19, 1877, and lived there until her marriage on Oct. 10, 1900, to Wm. J. Martus. Since then she has lived on a farm west and north of Cass City. One son, Wm., was born to them, and he, with the husband mourn their loved one. Four sisters, Mrs. Martha Nellenbach, Mrs. W. G. Elsey, Leanon Linck and Mary Linck, all of Detroit, and four brothers, John, Peter and Leo Linck of Brown City, and Sylvester Linck, superintendent of schools at Ravenna, survive the deceased. All of these were in attendance at the funeral and others from out of town were Mrs. James Martus and numerous friends from Detroit, Burnside and Brown City.

Baptist Supper.

There will be a 20-cent supper at the church on Wednesday, June 14.

Gauntlet glove lost between Doerr's hall and Agar's barn. Leave at the Chronicle office. 6-9-1p

REPRESENTS TUSCOLA AT STATE FAIR

JULIUS PETERSON OF JUNIATA SECURED HIGHEST STANDINGS.

Commissioner McComb Signs Diplomas for Big List of Successful Eighth Graders.

Julius Peterson, a pupil of Miss Alice Luder, teacher in District No. 3, Juniata township, will be given a free trip to the state fair as a reward for securing the highest average in the regular eighth grade and state fair examinations in Tuscola county. His standing in the eighth grade examination was 88 per cent and in the examination prepared by the state fair 96 per cent, making an average standing of 92 per cent. Joe Hoxey of Gilford township won second place with an average standing of 88.6.

Erma C. Laskua, a pupil of Miss Milliken, in District No. 4, Dayton, secured the highest standing of any of the girls writing on the eighth grade examination, securing 91.6 per cent.

The following is the list of those who were successful in passing the eighth grade examination in Tuscola county:

Akron Township.

Anna Ziegler.
Goldie Lucas.
Leonard Turner.
Lottie Stroud.
Mildred A. Hinson.
Edward Uhl.
Lloyd Vandemark.
Frank Rogers.
Alice McMahan.
Mabel Satow.
Viola Kline.
Dorothy M. Beatenhead.
Lelia M. Beatenhead.
Leslie Haggit.
Raymond Rayl.
Earl S. Barrett.
Ernest McKay.
Charlotte F. Redenback.

Almer Township.

Roy Groh.
George Edwin Gould.
Floyd M. Lassiter.
Carl Wilcox.
Anton Keeps, jr.
Ethel Cornell.
Ernestine Barnes.
Marguerite Schuckard.
Anna Mabel Parsell.
Clara B. Parsell.
Zoe E. Putnam.
Venetta Vollmar.
Merle Churchill.
Stanley Taylor.
Ruth Dowling.
Paul Dowling.

Arbela Township.

Alda French.
Ellen Smith.
Russell Crosby.
Florence Schuler.
Thomas L. Hornung.
Bernice Gunnell.
Hattie I. Putman.
Paul Forsyth.
Verna Cole.
Clyde Morgan.

Columbia Township.

Mary Bragg.
Vina Vader.
Arthur Cross.
Lloyd K. Neal.
Paul Helmick.
Luella Fettinger.
Geraldine Cook.
Earl Surine.
Caroline E. Clark.
Mildred Wilson.
Lillian Hare.
Raymond O. Babcock.
Clayton Purdy.
Frank Lockhard.
Rosina M. Brandmair.
Frances Brandmair.
Mary E. Petiprin.

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BOARD OF REVIEW CONCLUDED WORK IN VILLAGE TUESDAY

Despite Loss of Auto Assessments, Total Roll Is Nearly Equal to Last Year's.

The board of review in the village concluded their labors Tuesday and they made comparatively few changes in the roll. Assessor Hunt's valuations were made $555.00 higher by the board. The actual figures as they now stand are:

Real Estate	$549,240.00
Personal	182,550.00
Total	$731,790.00

The total valuation last year was $745,010.00, so this year's valuation shows a loss of $13,220.00. This year the assessor could not place automobiles on the tax roll. Had they been placed there as in the previous year, the valuations of 1916 would have shown a gain over 1915.

A special meeting of the council was called for last (Thursday) evening to determine the amount of taxes to be raised in the village.

Take your films to Wood's Drug Store for developing and printing.

Pasture for horses and cattle, 50 cents a month. J. Britton, Holbrook. 6-9-2p

BIG SALES FORCE BUSY

Two-Page Ad Brings Numerous Buyers to Dailey's.

That the two-page advertisement printed by the Chronicle last week was read by many people was evidenced by the large number of buyers that visited the Dailey Cash Bargain Store Saturday and the days following the opening of the big "Forcing Out Sale" conducted by that house. All day Saturday, the store was crowded and when the receipts were totalled the amount was a pleasing revelation for one day's trade.

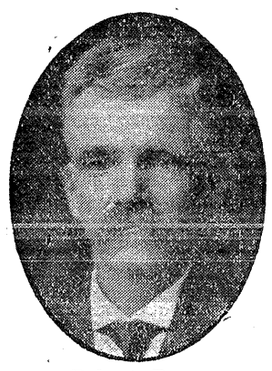
"Though our sales force on Saturday numbered fourteen, we had difficulty in waiting on all," Mr. Dailey, the proprietor, told the Chronicle. "I know a few were unable to wait until we could get to them in the rush."

The sale continues for two weeks. Buyers are still numerous and clerks busy wrapping up purchases.

WHEN YOU HAVE A GOOD MAN, KEEP HIM ON JOB

So Say Friends of Robt. Brown, Who Urge His Re-election as County Clerk.

That the faithfulness and efficiency of an official should be rewarded by his re-election is the claim set forth by friends of Robt. Brown, the competent clerk of Tuscola county. The taxpayers, they maintain, are not so much concerned who holds the office so long as the officer is courteous and conscientious and performs his duties satisfactorily. This stand was evidenced at the 1916 spring election when every township clerk in Tusco-



Robert Brown.

la was re-elected to that office. The office of clerk in township affairs involves a multitude of different duties all of which require time to master and the taxpayers at this election evidenced their desire to retain competent officials who have become familiar with the routine of their office rather than break in new men, thus following out a practice they observe in their business and private affairs. The county clerk's job, like that of his lesser brother, the township clerk, covers a multitude of duties. He not only has business transactions for 23 townships but also 11 incorporated villages in Tuscola county to care for, is clerk of the circuit court, the board of supervisors, and the county board of canvassers, and has numerous other duties ranging from the issuing of sparrow orders to naturalization certificates.

Huron and Sanilac, neighboring counties of Tuscola, have retained efficient clerks of their counties, both of whom are now serving their sixth year, while County Clerk Dickerson of Lapeer is rounding out his 16th consecutive year in that position.

Robt. Brown, until his election as county clerk, was a resident of Novesta, Cass City's neighboring township. He settled there in 1883, cleared up land in this community and still owns a farm in Novesta. He served that township for several terms as justice and supervisor before his elevation to the office of county clerk. Mr. Brown has many friends in this community who will see to it that he is well represented in the vote counting at the primaries next August.

S. S. RALLY JUNE 30.

The Sunday School rally and basket picnic will be held in Walker's grove, one mile west of Argyle, Friday, June 30. Music will be furnished by the Cass City Band. Prof. Carroll of California will sing. E. T. May, County Y. M. C. A. secretary, will have charge of the games.

Guth Chocolates are to beat. Wood sells them.

For Rent.

Good 80 acre farm 2½ miles northwest from Argyle. New buildings, 8-room house and basement barn; good well and all cleared. Will be ready to give possession about Aug. 1. W. A. McLean. 6-9-*

Croquet sets just received at Wood's Drug Store.

Screen doors, screen windows, screen porches at the Cass City Planing Mill. 5-12-

THIS BOY WANTS TO EARN MONEY

CRIPPLED WITH RHEUMATISM HE LONGS TO DO SOMETHING USEFUL

Orlo McDurmon's Letter to Grand Rapids Magazine and Editor's Comment

"The Mechanical Digest," published in Grand Rapids, contains the following editorial in the May number. This editorial has nothing to do with politics but is so full of human interest that it holds the attention from start to finish. Here it is in full:

Most all of us think we got the hardest burden to carry when we look over our troubles but a person don't have to look far to find someone that would gladly exchange burdens if such were possible. Just place yourself in this young man's position and try and look at the world with as good a disposition. It's well to bear in mind that you will always find someone that has greater trouble than you and that you have yet a great deal to be thankful for.

Caro, Mich., May 4, 1916.

Dear Sir:—

"I am writing to you with the hope that you might be interested in a young man who has not had quite as good a chance to succeed as other boys.

I am a young man, 21 years of age, and am a helpless prisoner in bed, both hip, knee and ankle joints being anchylosed. I was first taken with rheumatism in my right foot in 1906 and was in bed for three months. I recovered and got so I could walk again. The trouble, tho, lingered in the foot and in 1909 I was again taken both feet this time, and ever since that time I have been on crutches. Always have I put up a constant

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JAMES S. McARTHUR

Former Business Man Laid to Rest Saturday Afternoon.

The funeral services of James S. McArthur, whose death occurred at Port Huron Thursday morning, were held from the local Baptist church Saturday afternoon at 1:30. Rev. McLean, pastor of the Baptist church at Pt. Huron, conducted the services and interment was made in Elkland cemetery.

James S. McArthur was born in Ontario 58 years ago. He came to Michigan when a young man and taught school at Brockway Center, which is now Yale. He later was employed by McGregory, Holden & Co. at Yale for a year and first came in contact with his future business partner, P. S. McGregory. Mr. McArthur came to Cass City early in 1885 and on April 10, with P. S. McGregory, began business as the firm of 2 Macks 2, carrying a line of dry goods, groceries, shoes and clothing. In January of 1889 occurred the marriage of Mr. McArthur and Miss Florence Bowers of Port Huron. Mrs. McArthur died in 1896 and later Mr. McArthur was married to Mrs. George Turner, a sister to his deceased wife.

A number of years ago Mr. McArthur sold his business interests in Cass City to A. H. Ale and moved to Van Couver, B. C., where he conducted a real estate business with quite a success. Mr. and Mrs. McArthur also spent one winter in San Diego, California, and then returned to Michigan, settling at Port Huron. Mr. McArthur has been the victim of diabetes for years but was only severely ill for about two weeks preceding his death.

Mr. McArthur was a strong supporter of the Baptist church both in Cass City and Port Huron and the Port Huron will miss him when help is needed. While at Cass City he was always ready and anxious to push any movement that would better the church in any way.

Relatives from out of town who attended the funeral were Alex McArthur and Mrs. Mary Pedden, a brother and sister from Strathroy, Ont., Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wagenseil of Port Huron, Miss Martha MacArthur of Lapeer, Miss Nancy MacArthur of Jackson and Mrs. F. F. Platz of Detroit.

See Gifford About Your Eyes.

Consult this well known Toledo optical specialist at Caro next week Tuesday and Wednesday, June 13 and 14, at Hotel Caro. Mr. Gifford is well known to everybody in Tuscola county. Glasses specially ground. 20th year at Hotel Caro.

Let Wood enlarge some of your kodak pictures.

Croquet sets, hammocks and tennis goods at Treadgold's Drug Store.

Buy your Fig Newtons at Jones'. Only 12 cents a pound.

Buy your Stowell's Evergreen sweet corn, Marrowfat peas, Cowhorn turnip, rutabaga and rape seed at Jones'.

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SHABBONA.

Beautiful weather.

Farmers are busy when the weather is fine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Neville and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Ehlers were callers in Decker Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hamilton visited at Ed Phetteplace's Sunday.

W. H. Davidson of Lexington visited with the former's sister, Mrs. Wm. Auslander, over Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Phillips returned last week to Cass City.

Children's Day exercises will be held at the M. E. church June 18 at 10:30.

Jessie McLellan spent Sunday at her home.

W. H. VanNorman is the possessor of a fine new buggy purchased of J. P. Neville Monday.

Olive Bates is all smiles over receiving her eighth grade diploma.

We are pleased to see Earl Chambers out again after his long illness and wish him a very speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Auslander and Mrs. Auslander's mother, sister and brother autoed to Richmondville Sunday to visit their sister and daughter, Mrs. D. F. Robinson, and family.

Chas. Sharrard, Altha Chapman, Norman Wait, Hazel Robinson and Olive Bates were successful in passing the eighth grade examination. The three last named have attended the Shabbona school.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Ehlers and son of Decker dined with their mother, Mrs. Geo. Gotham, Sunday.

Mrs. Robt. Coulter and children spent Sunday with Loren Weeks and family.

Ona Foote of Argyle visited her brother, Clayton Foote, and family last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Asa McGregory were guests of Mr. and Mrs. S. Mudge of Cass City Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Kritzman were Sunday callers at Dan Leslie's.

Monday, June 5, reminded us of the cyclone which passed through two miles south of here eleven years ago.

Black and purple caps do not promise a very good crop in this vicinity, many of the bushes having been winter killed.

Mrs. H. McLaren of Marlette s visiting at the Henry Phillips home.

BROOKFIELD.

Miss Hazel Carson and Geo. Ricker and Guy Bailey attended the Sunday School convention at Bad Axe Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Dan Chisholm entertained Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Angus Crawford and family of Gagetown.

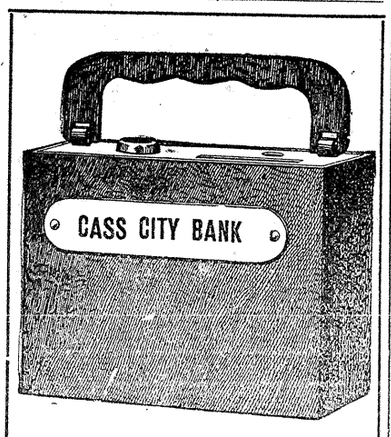
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Ricker and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Wood and family were callers at the Chas. Ross home Sunday.

Guy and Lee Irwin of Cass City spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Irwin.

Howard Dyhse left for Saginaw Monday where he will take treatment for his eye.

Miss Elva Burton spent Thursday and Friday in Cass City with her friend, Miss Lena Rice.

The Chronicle, one year, $1.



Cass City Bank
of I. B. AUTEN
Established 1882

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Money to loan on Real Estate.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.

G. A. TINDALE, Cashier
M. B. AUTEN, Asst. Cashier.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA TOWN LNE.

Henry Sweet had a horse drop dead on Tuesday.

The Novesta Farmers' Club will meet at the home of Chas. Gooden on Friday, June 16. Topic for discussion, "What breed of cows is best for dairy use?"

Hiram Lester is building a new road fence on his farm lately purchased from Earn Lester.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Retherford spent Wednesday and Thursday of last week with relatives at Caro.

Miss Ruby Funk left Tuesday morning for several weeks visit with relatives at Birmingham and Detroit.

Miss Martha Coleman is entertaining her cousin, Miss Wilma Coleman, of Croswell.

Mrs. John Donaghy and little daughter is visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Coleman.

Miss Goldie Martin was in Marlette Monday.

Miss Gail Sharp of Deford was a visitor at L. Retherford's Saturday.

Mrs. Geo. Martin called on old friends at Kingston last Saturday.

Henry Atfield of Shabbona visited at Will Atfield's Monday.

Miss Irene Retherford went to Marlette Monday to spend a few weeks with relatives.

The W. C. T. U. meeting held at the home of Mrs. Grover Pratt last week Thursday was well attended. A report of the county convention was given by the reporting delegate and an interesting program given. One new member obtained.

GREENLEAF.

Miss Lela McLellan is home for her summer vacation.

Miss Johanna McRae is having a weeks' vacation and is spending part of the time in Detroit with friends.

Miss Janet McLellan will be home for a few days the last of the week and will then go to the east for a short time.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Sherman left Tuesday evening for Edison, Ohio, where Mr. Sherman will take charge of the butter making part of a large creamery.

The social gathering at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McIntyre last Saturday evening as a farewell party for Mr. and Mrs. Sherman was largely attended and a good time reported. The music of the evening was enjoyed by all and elegant lunch served. Alex McLellan presented the gifts given by the community with appropriate remarks.

Mr. and Mrs. Jones of near Pontiac together with Mrs. Parker of Deford are visiting friends and relatives here for a few days.

D. M. VanBuren of Stockbridge, Mich., succeeds Mr. Sherman as buttermaker at the Greenleaf creamery.

Mrs. Christopher McRae and Christy spent Sunday evening with John McCallum's.

A little daughter came to the home of Kenneth McRae's last Thursday.

ELKLAND-ELMWOOD TOWN LINE.

Kenneth Auten, Orville and Preston Karr are having the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Evans visited their aunt, Mrs. J. Allen, one day last week.

Mrs. C. Younglove of Clifford came Saturday to help care for her nephew, who has been quite sick with the measles.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Hutchinson of Caro visited their daughter, Mrs. Wm. Simmons, Sunday.

Mrs. J. Martin of Gagetown visited at the E. A. Livingston home one day last week.

Mrs. A. Coon, who went to Detroit for an operation, is doing finely and is expected home this week.

Miss Edith Evans is home after spending a week in Cass City. She will sew at the H. McConkey and M. Carolan homes this week.

Children's Day at the Elmwood Baptist church June 11. Everybody welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Livingston visited at Wm. Ewald's home Sunday.

Little Wesley Bingham, who has been quite sick, is slowly improving.

Henry Anker is driving a new Moon car.

WEST GRANT.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernal Lloyd and son spent Sunday at Cass City.

Mrs. John McDonald and daughter, Florence, expect to leave today (Monday) for Missouri and Colorado to spend the summer.

Mrs. Roy Stafford entertained the W. C. T. U. at her home Tuesday afternoon.

Daniel Thompson, who has been quite ill with pneumonia, is slowly improving.

Mrs. Geo. O'Neil of Traverse City is visiting her brother, Daniel Thompson, and niece, Mrs. C. E. Williamson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Streeter of Cass City visited at the Vernal Lloyd home last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Wallace and son, Lee, returned home from Detroit last Thursday where they were spending a few days.

Miss Alminda Shantz entertained a number of her friends at her home Wednesday evening.

Seward Cooley has finished building a new silo on his farm.

SEE WHAT DRINK DOES

Who Makes Paupers? If the Saloon Is Not Guilty Who Is?

County poor houses of Michigan now known as infirmaries, furnish universal evidence that liquor is responsible for more than half of poverty.

Statistical tabulations showing the effect of the license and no-license systems in individual counties of Michigan are of little value as evidence. Many inmates of infirmaries are permanent occupants, whose entry or exit bears no direct relation to social conditions. A lapse of years, possibly of a whole generation, would be necessary to produce any radical change in pauperism as a class following the abolition of saloons.

Two facts stand out: One is that the authorities and citizens in dry counties are unanimous in their opinion that from the standpoint of the county poor the dry regime is far superior. The other fact is that many counties report officially that about three-fourths of the poverty which requires county aid to individual or family, is due to the use of alcoholic beverages.

Official statements written by superintendents of the poor include the following:

"This county is in the dry column, and we find that while the cost of everything is much higher, the supervisors are not called upon to furnish us more money now than they did while the county was wet."—C. C. Hallenbeck, Eaton County.

"We are pleased to inform you that there are so few cases in this county which are receiving relief that have been caused by alcoholic beverages, we have a clear slate, are now dry and expect to remain so."—O. O. Frick, Oscoda County.

"Midland County has been dry eight years and people like it. Two old timers is all we have left in the county home whose condition is due to drink". — K. McKay, Midland County.

Confidential statements to the same effect, are as follows: Drink is the almost universal cause of poverty while for temporary assistance it is probably the main factor in at least one half the cases. In my best judgment about 50 per cent of poverty in this county can be attributed to the use of drink if not more. In fact, nearly all the crime we have can be laid to the same cause.

"I am quite sure that three-fourths at least are caused by the liquor traffic".

Following are a few more definite statements:

Alger County: "About 75 per cent."

Genessee County: "About 70 per cent from liquor directly or indirectly."

Huron County: "Most of the inmates of the county farm here have come to the institution because of intemperance and the use of liquor."

Mason County: "35 per cent directly and 20 per cent indirectly, or 55 per cent of all poverty in our county is caused by alcoholic drink."

Iron County: "Ten years as poor commissioner leads me to say that fully 95 per cent of male inmates at our county farm have come here either directly or indirectly because of liquor."

Kent County: "Of 500 families helped during the year ending March 1, 1916, liquor was the direct cause of poverty in twenty five families and an indirect cause in fifty-three families. Of 103 persons in Kent County Detention Hospital last year, at least one half were caused by intemperance. In Kent County Home were 136 persons, of whom 85 per cent can easily be traced to intemperance as a direct cause."—L. De Payter.

"To the best of my judgment, I would say that 80 per cent of the poverty is caused by alcoholism. It would be a number of years after its passage before we could get the full benefit of state wide prohibition. The effects of the past years would stay with us until the rising generation took its place".—V. H. Billings.

Montmorency County: "Four of the six men in our poor house were forced to come here on account of drink."

Oakland County: "70 per cent or more of the cases here are due to drink. We are going through the second dry time and we find it helps very much. I hope for state wide prohibition."

Tom May Works for the Drys

Tom May of Detroit, noted in may states as the leading cartoonist of Michigan, has been added to the staff of the Michigan Dry Campaign committee. Although his services were sought by the liqour dealers, Mr. May declined their overtures and at financial sacrifice, accepted a proposal made to him by the dry workers.

The cartoon is one of the greatest campaign features of the day; every modern newspaper uses it in some form. It carries an appeal to the average reader which often strikes home more quickly and deeper than columns of argument. Newspaper publishers are glad to use cartoons when they decline to accept special pleas put in other forms.

There is no doubt that the Tom May cartoons which will begin running soon after May 1st., will become one of the striking features of the campaign.

ELMWOOD.

Dan Cross has rented the Thomas Coots place for this year.

Smith Luther lost a valuable horse last week.

Sherman Evans had the misfortune to lose a mare and colt.

P. A. Donaldson of Gagetown visited at Smith Luther's Sunday.

James Grice and Mary Youmans took in the show at Cass City Friday night.

Frank Farnum of Owendale was a caller in this neighborhood Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram McKellar visited the latter's sister, Mrs. Mate Howell in Caro Saturday.

The classmeeting of Sunshine Shield Bearers which was held at Ed Burse's was well attended and all had a good time.

WICKWARE.

Fine weather.

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Kirton is getting along nicely.

Wesley Gibbons and Homer Johnson of Birmingham called on friends in Wickware Sunday.

Esther Cridland has returned home from the hospital.

Joshua Fisher purchased a Studebaker car.

Spiteful.

"I thought you told me Ella and Sophy were on good terms."

"Well, aren't they?"

"I heard Sophy ask Ella before the whole sociable to stretch a new pair of gloves for her."—Baltimore American.

Not Good at That.

"He is as good as his word."

"Yes, but he uses such shocking bad language."—St. Louis Post Dispatch.

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CUMBER.

House cleaning is the order of the day.

Jacob Meredith, daughter, Minnie, of Argyle, and Mr. Webb of Sandusky were pleasant callers in town Sunday.

The Misses Clara Gibbard and Harriett Trollope accompanied by Almer Davis and Williard Udah of Brown City autoed to Ubly, Bad Axe and Cass City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clare McLean returned to their home in Pt. Huron last Wednesday after visiting relatives here.

M. E. Ladies Aid will meet with Mrs. Samuel Robinson Wednesday.

Your Printing on Time.

When we promise work at a certain time we mean what we say. The Chronicle Printery.

SUNSHINE.

Mrs. Isaac Thane, jr., is sick in bed.

Oscar Guild's children have the measles.

Mrs. C. D. Andrews and Miss Addie Cross called on Mrs. Ervin Cross and young son Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith Hutchinson and Mr. and Mrs. David Hutchinson and daughter of Cass City called at the home of James Hutchinson Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Perry and daughter, Dorothy, spent Sunday in Caro at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Aldrich.

Alfred Andress had a valuable horse injured in a collision with an auto Sunday evening. The animal's leg was broken and it had to be killed.

The Chronicle, one year, one dollar.

HOW TO GROW GOOD BEANS

MICHIGAN LITTLE PEA BEAN is the Pride of the nation—not too big—not too small—just right in size—oval and containing beneath its white enameled coat a skin full of nutrition that feeds the Brain and Body so completely and satisfactorily, when properly prepared, that he who eats thereof will want to eat again. Food for the laboring man—food for the brain-worker—the eating thereof, satisfies the demand for meat, and saves the pocketbook, for, let it be known that this **Little Bean** contains Ten times the nutrition as does Veal or Steak for the same investment of money.

China and Japan, Austria and Italy, California with her varieties and Colorado with her Pintos, have tried in vain to wrest from Michigan the trade for Beans, but the canner of Beans refuses to be hoodwinked and now Europe has acknowledged through her orders for Michigan beans that no Bean in the world cooks so evenly, contains so much nutrition, retains the nutty flavor like **Michigan's Little Pea Bean.**

A bit of the history of Michigan Bean Industry shows that ten years ago only 3½ to 4 million bushels were grown—today, a normal crop of 7 million bushels is marketed. Europe's greatest Bean Authority, Mr. Paul Straus of Budapest, Austria, says that for three years after this war is over, Europe will be obliged to continue importing our Beans, and meantime, the superior quality of Michigan's Beans will have so impressed itself upon Europe, that we shall have trade for ten million bushels of Michigan Beans at a good price. Please bear in mind, that in no other section known in the world, do the same conditions of soil and climate abound as in this Great Lake region, and these conditions only will produce Beans with the desired physical composition and flavor.

Millions upon millions of cans of beans are going to England, France, Greece, Belgium, and the Scandinavian countries where never before were tasted "Yankee Pork and Beans." These nations will continue the "Bean Habit" during the war, and when the last gun has fired its deadly shot, and Peace again covers Europe, when the millions of soldiers have returned to peaceful industry, the taste for the **only real** Baked Bean they have ever eaten will linger, and be made a necessity in the home Bill of Fare.

Michigan farmers must not let up on the production **of the only single crop** of which they hold the World's monopoly—be patriotic—to yourself, your family, your State—stay in the game—and help raise a ten million bushel crop this year to feed the World.

A few practical hints are given to show how beans have been grown the most successfully:—

SOIL:—An rich, well-drained sod land, will grow good beans—the better the soil, the better the results. Good beans are grown on Sandy, Sandy-loam, Clay or Muck-mixed-clay Soil, but good drainage is necessary.

PREPARATION:—Fall or early Spring deep plowing, discing thoroughly each way in the Spring; rolling and dragging and rolling again to level up. The more thorough the cultivation, the better results. An eleven hoe drill with enough alternate drills plugged so the rows will be 28 inches apart, drill set for 1 inch to 2 inches deep, and to plant 3 pecks, or 45 pounds per acre.

FERTILIZER:—Avoid barnyard manure if bean pods and straw were fed the stock, as any disease in that crop will be carried into the soil and infect the growing crop—use liberal proportions of Phosphoric Acid; about 2 per cent Ammonia and, if obtainable, 2 to 4 per cent Potash.

SEED:—Uniform, prolific Seed, as free from disease as possible, carefully hand-picked. Farmers are urged to select their own seed plants possessing these virtues from each year's growing crop. If not, then buy your seed from your reliable Bean Dealer—No treatment can be given the seed.

CULTIVATING:—A week after planting run over the field with a light drag to cut out the weeds, and stir up the ground for the little growing plant, no harm can follow. On land that has been properly prepared, a couple of cultivations with corn or single row cultivator will be enough. Don't cultivate after beans are in blossom, nor while the dew is on, nor with the plant wet and damp—to avoid damage by knocking off the blossoms, or spreading any disease.

HARVESTING:—Hand-pulling of small patches, or a regular bean Harvester—Be sure your beans are dry before taking from the field—they must cure in the field and in the straw. If stacked wet they will mould. Under no circumstances thresh the beans unless they are well cured.

YOUR MONEY:—Well, buy an automobile—send the boy or girl to college, buy another farm, build a better house—of course your beans paid off the mortgage years ago.

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THE PRINCE OF GRAUSTARK

By GEORGE BARR M'CUTCHEON

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CHAPTER XX.

Pingari's.

PINGARI'S is the jumping off place. It stands at the sharp corner of an elbow in the mountain, with an almost sheer drop of a thousand feet into the quarries below. A low roofed, rambling building, once used as a troop house for nomadic fighting men who came from all parts of the principality on draft by feudal barons in the days before real law obtained.

Hobbs drove bravely into the courtyard, shouted orders to a couple of hostlers and descended from the box.

Robin followed an attendant through a door, down a narrow hallway, up a flight of stairs and out another door upon a small portico, sheltered by a heavy canvas awning. Two men were standing at the railing, looking down upon the impressionistic lights of the sunken city. The prince drew back, his face hardening.

At the sound of his steps the two men turned, stared at him intently for an instant and then deliberately strode past him, entered the door and disappeared. The person in brass buttons followed them.

A soft, gurgling laugh fell upon his ears—a laugh of pure delight. He whirled about and faced—one who was no longer alone.

She was seated at the solitary little table in the corner.

He sprang toward her with a glad cry, expecting her to rise. She remained seated, her hand extended.

"My dear, dear Bedelia," he murmured. "I had almost given you up. Three long days have I waited for you. You"—

"I have never broken a promise, Rex," she said coolly. "It is you who are to be commended, not I, for you see I was coming to Graustark anyway. I should not have been surprised if you had failed me, sir. It is a long way from Vienna to this out of the way"—

"The most distant spot in the world would not have been too far away to cause an instant's hesitation on my part," said he, dropping into the chair opposite her.

"But your personal affairs — your business," she protested. "Can you neglect it so"—

"My business is to find happiness," said he. "I should be neglecting it indeed if I failed to pursue the only means of attaining it. You are happiness, Bedelia."

"What would you sacrifice for happiness?" she asked softly.

"All else in the world," he replied steadily. "If I were a king my realm should go if it stood between me and —you, Bedelia."

"Wait—wait just for a moment," she said, with difficulty steadying her voice. "This night may see the end of our adventure, Rex. Let us think well before we say that it is over. I know, if you do not, that a great deal depends upon what we are to say to each other tonight. You will ask me to be your wife. Are you sure that you appreciate all that it means to you and to your future if I should say yes to that dear question?"

He looked at her intently. "What do you know, Bedelia?"

"I know that you are the Prince of Graustark and that it is ordained that you shall wed one whose station is the equal of your own. You must think well, dear Rex, before you ask Bedelia Guile to be your wife."

"You know that I am"—he began dully, and then stood up, leaning far over the table, a penetrating look in his eyes.

"How long have you known, Bedelia?"

"Since the second day out on the Jupiter," she replied serenely.

He slowly resumed his seat, overwhelmed. She had played with him. She had defied him!

"I know what you are thinking, Rex," she said, almost pleadingly. "You are thinking ill of me, and you are unjust. It was as fair for me as it was for you. We played a cautious game. You set about to win my love as you saw fit, my friend, and am I to be condemned if I exercised the same privilege?"

He gave a great sigh of relief. "You are right," he said. "It is my turn to confess. I have known for many days that you are not Bedelia Guile. We are quits."

She laughed softly.

"It doesn't matter," he whispered hoarsely. "I don't care what happens to me, Bedelia, I—I shall never give you up. You are worth all the kingdoms in the world. You are the loveliest, most adorable"—

"Hush! Mrs. Gaston is inside," she informed him quickly. "I do not come alone. An hour ago the inn became quite impossible as a trysting place. A small party from the Regengetz arrived for dinner. Can you guess who is giving the dinner? The great and only William W. Blithers, sir who comes to put an obstinate daughter upon the throne of Graustark whether she will or no."

"Did he see you?" cried Robin.

"No," she answered, with a mischievous gleam in her eyes.

"Hide and seek is a bully game," said he. "It can't last much longer, Bedelia. I think it is only right that we should go to your father and tell him that—everything is all right. There is nothing to be gained by further secrecy."

She was watching him closely. "Are you, after all is said and done, sure that you want to marry the daughter of William Blithers, in the face of all the bitter consequences that may follow such an act?"

"Are you through?" he asked, transfixing her with a determined look. Well, then, I'll answer you. I do want to marry you, and, more than that, I mean to marry you. I love"—

"You may tell me, Robin, as we are driving back to the inn together—not here, not now," she said softly, the lovelight in her eyes.

Happiness blurred his vision.

Long afterward, as they were preparing to leave Pingari's, she said to him:

"My father is at the inn, Robin. I ran away from him tonight because I wanted to be sure that our adventure was closed before I revealed myself to him. Take me to him now, Robin, and make the miracle complete."

His fingers caressed her warm cheek as he adjusted the collar of the long coat about her throat and chin. Her eyes were starry bright, her red lips were parted.

"My princess!" he whispered tenderly. "My princess!"

"My prince!" she said, so softly that the words barely reached his ears. "We have proved that Love is the king. He rules us all. He laughs at locksmiths—and fathers—but he does not laugh at sweethearts. Come, "Mme. Gaston returns long ago.

He handed her into the cab a moment later and drew the long, deep breath of one who goes down into deep water. Then he followed after her. The attendant closed the door.

Hobbs was a dependable fellow. He drove far out of the way, passing the Inn of the Stars twice at a lively clip, and might have gone on forever in his shuttlecock enterprise had not the excited voice of a woman hailed him from the sidewalk.

"Stop! Attendez! You! Man!"

He pulled up with a jerk. The dripping figure of Marie ran up from behind.

"My mistress? Where is she?" panted the girl.

"In heaven," said Hobbs promptly, whereupon Marie pounded on the glass window of the cab.

Robin quickly opened the door.

"Wha—what is it?"

"Yes, Marie," came in muffled tones from the depths of the cab.

"Mme. Gaston returns long ago. She is beside herself. She is like a maniac. She has lost you; she cannot explain to—to mademoiselle's father. Mon dieu, when he met her unexpectedly in the hall he shouts, 'Where is my daughter?' And poor madame she has but to shiver and stammer and—run away! Oui She dash out into the rain! It is terrible. She"—

Bedelia broke in upon this jumbled recitation. "Where have we been, Robin? Where are we now?"

"Where are we, Hobbs?"

"We are just getting back to the Inn of the Stars, sir—descending, you might say, sir," said Hobbs.

"Drive on, confound you."

The door slammed, and the final block was covered in so short a time that Robin's final kiss was still warm on Bedelia's lips when the gallant cab rolled up to the portals of the Inn of the Stars.

Mr. Blithers had had a trying day of it. Besides other annoyances, his wife raked him over the coals for what she was pleased to call his senseless persistence in the face of what she regarded as unalterable opposition on the part of the cabinet and house of nobles.

And so it was that Mr. Blithers, feeling in need of cheer, arranged a little dinner for that evening at the Inn of the Stars. He invited his principal London lawyer and his wife, also his secondary London lawyer, his French lawyer and two attractive young women who it appears were related to the latter, although at quite a distance, and then concluded that it was best to speak to his own wife about the little affair. She said she couldn't even think of going. Maud might arrive that very night, and she certainly was not going out of the hotel with such an event as that in prospect.

"But Simpson's wife is coming," protested Mr. Blithers, "and Pericault's cousins. Certainly you must come. Jolly little affair to liven us up a bit. Now, Lou"—

"I am quite positive that Lady Simpson will change her mind when she hears that Pericault's cousins are going," said Mrs. Blithers acidly.

He thought for a moment. "If that's the case, Lou, you'll have to come, if only to save my reputation," he said. "I didn't think it of Pericault."

Mrs. Blithers relented. She went to the dinner, and so did Lady Simpson, despite Pericault's cousins, and the only ones in the party who appeared to be uneasy were the cousins themselves.

The millionaire's table was placed in the very center of the dining room and plates were laid for eight. At the last minute Mr. Blithers ordered the number increased to nine.

"My daughter may put in an appearance," he explained to Lady Simpson. "I have left word at the hotel for her to come up if by any chance she happens to arrive on the evening train."

"Haven't you heard from her, Mr. Blithers?" inquired the austere lady, regarding the top of his head with an illy directed lorgnon.

"We have," said he, "but not definitely."

Two hours later Mr. Blithers looked at his watch again. The party was quite gay; at least 50 per cent disorderly.

"That train has been in for an hour," said the host. "I guess Maud didn't come. I left word for the hotel to call me up if she arrived."

"I also told 'em to send up any telegram that might come," he informed his wife, who merely lifted her eyebrows. They had been lowered perceptibly in consequence of the ebullience of Pericault's cousins.

The vivacious young women were attracting a great deal of attention to their table. Smart diners in the immediate neighborhood appeared to be a trifle shocked. Three dignified looking gentlemen seated near the door got up and left the room.

"We really must be going," said Mrs. Blithers nervously.

"All right," said Mr. Blithers. "Call the cars up, waiter."

Out in the wide, brilliantly lighted foyer a few late stayers were waiting for their conveyances to be announced. As the four departing members of the Blithers party grouped themselves near the big doors, impatient to be off, a brass buttoned boy came up and delivered a telegram to the host.

He was on the point of tearing open the envelope when his eyes fell upon two people who had just entered the hall from without, a man and woman clad in raincoats. At the same instant the former saw Mr. Blithers. Clutching his companion's arm, he directed her attention to the millionaire.

"Now for it, Bedelia," he whispered excitedly.

Bedelia gazed calmly at Mr. Blithers, and Mr. Blithers gazed blankly at the Prince of Graustark. Then the great financier bowed very deeply and called out:

"Good evening, prince!"

He received no response to his polite greeting, for the prince was staring at Bedelia as if stupefied. The millionaire's face was very red with mortification as he turned it away.

"He—he doesn't recognize you," gasped Robin in amazement.

"Who?" she asked, her eyes searching the room with an eager, inquiring look.

"Your father," he said.

She gave him a ravishing, delighted smile.

"Oh, it is so wonderful, Robin. I have fooled you completely. That man isn't my father."

"That's Mr. Blithers, or I am as blind as a bat," he exclaimed.

"Is it, indeed? The one reading the telegram, with his eyes sticking out of his head?"

Robin's head was swimming. "Good heavens, Bedelia, what are you"—

"Ah!" she cried, with a little shriek of joy. "See! There he is!"

One of the three distinguished men who had been remarked by Mrs. Blithers now separated himself from his companions and approached the couple. He was a tall, handsome man of fifty. Although his approach was swift and eager, there were in his face the signs of wrath that still struggled against joy.

She turned quickly, laid her hand upon the prince's rigid arm and said softly:

"My father is the Prince of Dawsbergen, dear."

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A crumpled telegram dropped from Mr. Blithers' palsied hand to the floor as he turned a white, despairing face upon his wife. The brass buttoned boy picked it up and handed it to Mrs. Blithers. It was from Maud:

We were married in Vienna today. After all I think I shall not care to see Graustark. Channie is a dear. I have promised him that you will take him into the business as a partner. We are at the Bristol.

MAUD.

[THE END.]

A Study In Exclamations.

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"How terrible!"

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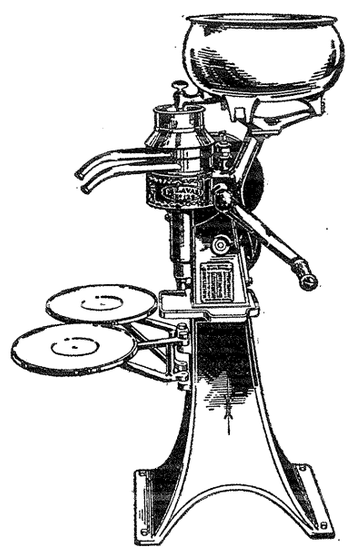

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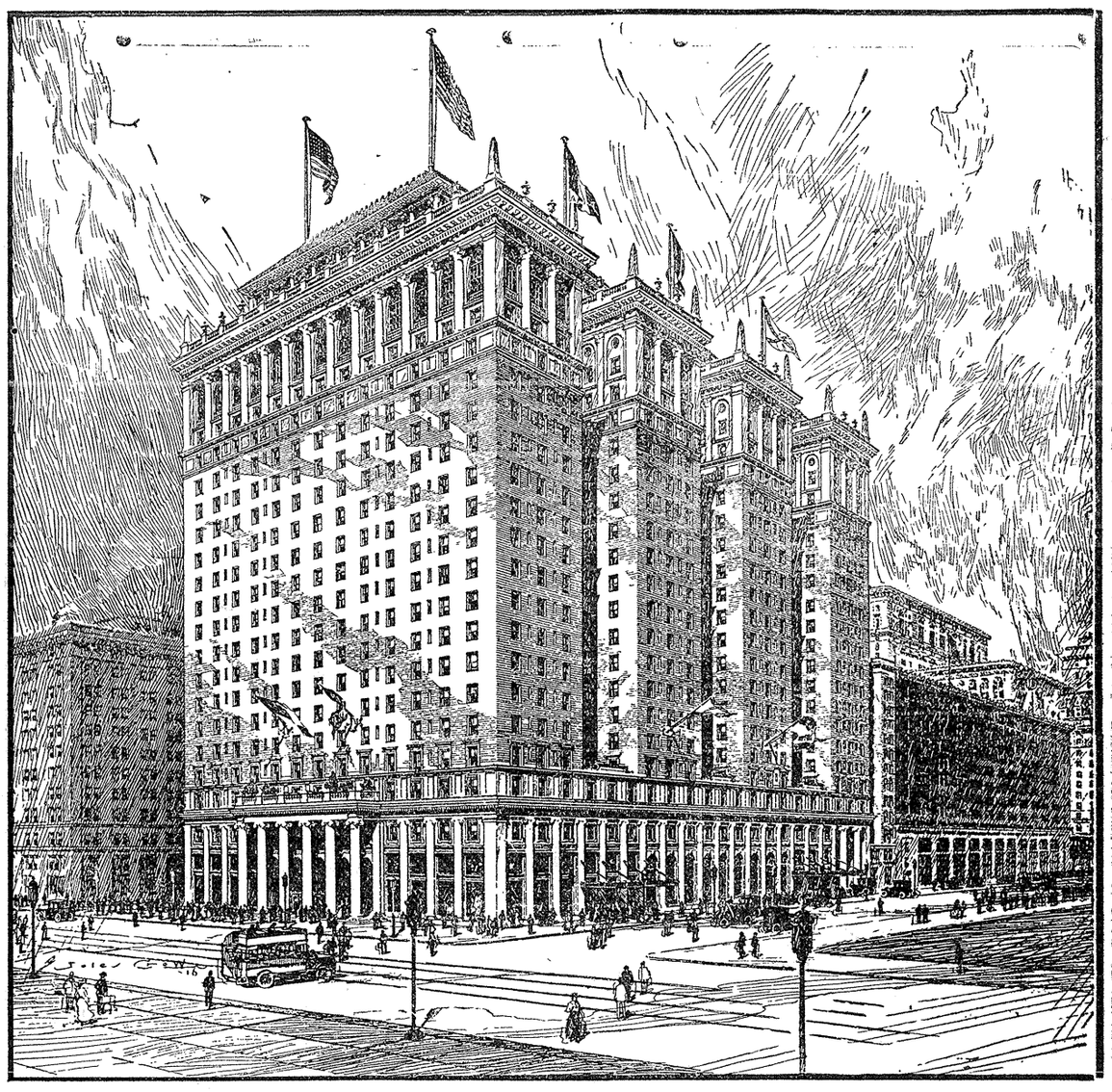

HOTEL PENNSYLVANIA, NEW YORK CITY

THE Hotel Pennsylvania, which is to be opened in 1917, will be located directly opposite the Pennsylvania station in New York city. It will contain 1,000 bedrooms, each with bathroom or shower. The hotel will have a frontage of 200 feet on Seventh avenue, between Thirty-second and Thirty-third streets, and will have a depth of 400 feet. It will stand back fifteen feet from the Seventh avenue building line.

The section fronting Seventh avenue will be twenty stories in height. Adjoining this will be a section three stories high, but so constructed as to allow of the erection of twenty additional stories, bringing the total number of rooms up to 2,200.

The hotel will be connected directly by underground passages with the Pennsylvania station and an express station on the Seventh avenue subway. It will be within a half block of the Sixth avenue elevated, the Hudson and Manhattan railway and the new Broadway subway.

By the time the hotel is opened direct passenger service will have been established from the Pennsylvania station with New England via the New York Connecting Railroad company's new East river bridge. Patrons of the hotel will then be able to travel in all directions in or out of the city without going from under shelter.

Open air dining rooms on the twentieth floor, for use in summer, will face Seventh avenue and the Hudson river. Large rooms will be provided for meetings, conventions, etc. Eight large elevators in two banks will be for the use of patrons, and provision will be made for room service by a separate bank of four elevators.

The plans have been prepared by Messrs. McKim, Meade & White, who were the architects for the Pennsylvania station. The building will be erected by the George A. Fuller company, which constructed the station.

The hotel will be built by the Pennsylvania Terminal Real Estate company, a subsidiary of the Pennsylvania railroad, and will be leased to Franklin J. Matchette of Milwaukee, Wis., for twenty-one years with option of renewal. Mr. Matchette will incorporate a company to furnish and operate the hotel.

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

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You have something to sell that some one wants to buy. Advertise and get together.

LOCAL ITEMS

The Discouraged Farmer.

They's been a heap o' rain, but the sun's out today,
And the clouds of the wet spell is all cleared away,
And the woods is all the greener, and the grass is greener still;
It may rain again tomorrow, but I don't think it will.

Some days the crops is ruined, and the corn is drowned out.
And propha-sy the wheat will be a failure without doubt;
But the kind Providence that has never failed us yet,
Will be on hand onc't more at the 'leventh hour, I bet!

—James Whitcomb Riley.

B. E. Smith is numbered with the ill.

Hazen Stocks spent the week end in Detroit.

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

Mrs. Ella Bader is spending this week in Ellington.

R. B. Crosby drives a seven-passenger Studebaker.

Harry Crandell was a visitor in Detroit over Sunday.

Miss Sadie Johnson visited friends in Detroit over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Bliss were visitors in Bay City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weldon are visiting in Kingston this week.

Wm. Bien spent a few days this week with relatives in Pigeon.

Miss Anna Pettit was the guest of Miss Belle Parker at Wilmot Monday.

John McEachin of Atwater spent Sunday at the home of Angus McGillvray.

Miss Anna Finkbeiner is spending Friday and Saturday at her home in Detroit.

Mrs. C. E. Edgerton went to Port Huron Monday to attend the funeral of her sister.

Mrs. Leo Tyo returned to Detroit Wednesday after spending a week with friends here.

Mrs. John McConnell and three children of Detroit are visiting at the home of Fred Wright.

A. G. Houghton returned home Monday from Lansing where he has spent several weeks.

The Purty Council will meet with Mrs. F. J. Nash, sr., on Tuesday, June 13. Every one welcome.

Miss Catherine McGillvray of Greenleaf was the guest of her cousin, Miss Frances McGillvray, Wednesday.

Mrs. Alice Nettleton spent the week end at the home of her brother, Herbert Frutchey, at Schwartz Creek.

Mrs. S. Champion returned Friday from Toledo, Ohio, and other points in that state where she has been visiting.

Miss Lottie Gemmill went to Monroe Wednesday to spend a few weeks at the home of her brother, Clifford Gemmill.

Joseph Frutchey has sold his Overland car to Angus McLeod at Greenleaf and has purchased a new Reo touring car.

Chas. Pregitzer, Dick Schmaus and Misses McCreedy and Beatrice Pregitzer of Unionville were guests at the home of A. H. Higgins Sunday.

The Chas. Rogers family are moving to their residence on Third St. The Sam Lozier family have moved into the Hamilton house on Houghton Street.

Mr. and Mrs. Fisher and daughter, Hazel, and Chris Fisher of Columbia township visited with the sisters of the Messrs. Fisher, Mesdames Geo. W. Seed and Levi Bardwell, Sunday.

S. Champon attended the Bill Posters' convention at Detroit a few days this week. Otto Evans of Traverse City accompanied him home Wednesday and is spending a few days here.

Mrs. W. A. Lamb is spending a month with her husband in various towns in Illinois. Mr. and Mrs. Lamb expect to return home in July. Mrs. E. J. Usher of Sandusky is caring for the Lamb home during their absence.

Mrs. Grover Blades and son, Darwin, started Thursday from Los Angeles, California, on a trip east to visit the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zinnecker. They will stop at Hobart, Ind., for a few days to visit Mrs. Blades' sister, Mrs. John W. Thiel.

The Woman's Missionary Society of the M. E. church will meet with Mrs. E. W. Jones on Friday, June 16. This is to be election of officers and all members are asked to be present. A report of the Saginaw district convention will also be given and light refreshments will be served.

The members of the Priscilla with their gentlemen friends had a picnic supper in Orr's grove Thursday evening. Roast beefsteak was the chief article of the menu but other good things were also served. "Snooks," the Boston bull dog owned by the McCoys, was the mascot of the event and suffered somewhat from an overfeed of beefsteak. After completing their supper, the company returned to town and the Priscilla's guests were surprised to find that a "private box" had been reserved at Kelley & Brennan's show which they all attended and applauded enthusiastically. On Monday evening. Miss Edythe Mead entertained the Priscilla Club at the last meeting of the year. The affairs of the year were all completed at this session and the hours passed pleasantly. Miss Mead served a delightful luncheon.

Beans are $4.00 a bushel.

B. J. Dailey was in Pt. Austin on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kelley and son were Saginaw visitors Sunday.

F. D. Woolman, who has been at Howell, arrived home Saturday.

Mrs. T. F. Hosner of Romeo spent several days last week with friends here.

A. D. Mead visited friends in Vassar and Caro from Thursday to Sunday.

I. Waidley announces the sale of a Four Ninety Chevrolet to Fred Parker.

Fisher Bros. of Wickware have purchased a seven-passenger Studebaker car.

Miss Ruby Taggett of Caro was the guest of Miss Madeleine Auten Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sheldon of Caro were guests at the home of A. D. Mead Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Nash, jr., and Mr. and Mrs. David Ross visited Caro friends Sunday.

Miss Elva Burton of Gagetown was the guest of Miss Lena Rice Thursday and Friday.

Frank Pitcher visited his daughter, Mrs. Harry Hill, in Pontiac from Friday to Tuesday.

Supt. and Mrs. H. G. Leavens and children, Shirley and Linus, visited at Caseville over Sunday.

Mrs. Vern T. Schenck of Detroit came Friday and is a guest at the home of Travis Schenck.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Gemmill returned Monday from a week's visit with relatives at Pt. Austin.

S. Champion went to Detroit Monday afternoon to attend a meeting of the Bill Posters association.

Dr. K. M. Morris and H. G. Muellerweiss of Sebewaing and Geo. Klump of Flint were visitors here Sunday.

Rev. W. A. Gregory was the speaker at the men's meeting at the M. E. church at Clifford Monday evening.

Miss Lura DeWitt of Ann Arbor came Monday to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. John Henderson.

Miss Ruth Benkelman, who has been teaching at Traverse City, is expected home for the summer vacation Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones and two daughters, Gwendolyn and Elizabeth, were visitors in Caro, Vassar and Millington Sunday.

Miss Joanna McRae went to Detroit Tuesday in conection with her work at the Exchange Bank. She will be gone a week.

W. A. Fairweather of Caro and Mrs. R. W. Gifford and son, Theron, of Toronto, Ont., were guests at the home of I. B. Auten Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Joslin of Caro were guests at the home of B. J. Dailey Sunday. In the afternoon the two families motored to Bad Axe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Knapp and son, Clark, Mrs. J. D. Crosby, Mrs. M. J. Knapp, C. E. Collins and R. B. Crosby were visitors at Bad Axe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Wheeler and Mrs. F. L. Porter returned Thursday from a visit with friends in Detroit, Jackson, Kalamazoo and other points.

Mrs. Solomon Striffler and little daughter, Gertrude, expect to go to Detroit Saturday to spend two weeks at the home of the former's son, Frank Striffler.

Mrs. J. S. McArthur and Mrs. Peyton returned to Pt. Huron Monday after being the guests of Miss Margaret MacArthur and Mrs. P. S. McGregory over Sunday.

In ordering his address changed to Mechanicsburg, Pa., for the summer, W. E. Harnish writes the Chronicle: "Things are coming my way. I was elected principal of Marshall Township high school for next year at exactly twice the salary I received the first year I was in Cass City. You may remember that I went to Marshall when I left Cass City four years ago. I taught science there two years and now go back as principal of the high school. In Illinois a township high school is entirely independent of the city schools. We will have eight teachers and about 160 pupils in the high school at Marshall next year."

A practical committeeman, in presenting diplomas to a graduating class spoke as follows: "Girls, if by their significance you are led to allow your mother to do all the work, bake all the bread, sweep all the floors because you can read Latin or demonstrate a therom in geometry, then has your school been a most unfortunate course, and in all the teachings you have ever received at my hands, I trust there has been no lesson that has weaned you from the dish pan. Boys, if from this graduation you go out into the world too nice to carry wood and swill the hogs, if need be, then has our school failed in its purpose and sown the wrong seed."

Mrs. Agnes Yakes entertained the Mothers' Club at the home of her mother, Mrs. Agnes Gardner, Tuesday afternoon. At this meeting Mrs. J. A. Sandham and Mrs. F. A. Bliss were welcomed as new members. During a brief business session, Mrs. Yakes was elected vice president and Mrs. Joseph Benkelman secretary, those two offices having been vacant. The hostess served delicious refreshments of buns, cold roast beef, strawberries with whipped cream, cake and lemonade. The next meeting will be held with Mrs. Joseph Benkelman on Friday, July 7, and the August meeting will be in the form of a picnic for the families of the members.

Edward Pinney has purchased a Buick Six touring car.

W. H. Cooper of Flint was the guest of Miss Kate Helwig over Sunday.

Louis Krahling was a guest at the home of P. H. Muck at Colwood Sunday.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Miss Faustina Brown this (Friday) afternoon.

Mrs. Wm. Bechraft of Caseville visited her daughter, Mrs. Earl Heller, Tuesday.

Miss Madeleine Bien of Pigeon was the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Salome Bien, over Sunday.

Mrs. S. F. Bigelow is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. D. J. Giles at Lapeer

A son was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Delong on Sunday. Lloyd Gordon is his name.

Recent purchasers of Ford cars are Norman McLeod, J. M. Curtis and the Cass City Grain Co.

Harold Ellis of Bad Axe assisted at the Dailey Cash Bargain Store Thursday and Friday of last week.

Miss Mary McLellan of Greenleaf came Wednesday to be the guest of Miss Carrie Hurley for a few days.

Dr. and Mrs. P. A. Schenck, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Pinney and Mrs. N. H. Beyette motored to Saginaw Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Louisa Schwegler returned Thursday from Crieff, Ont., where she has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. C. W. Gregor.

Echo Chapter, O. E. S., will meet next Wednesday, June 14, at which time a large attendance of lodge members is desired.

Word has been received of the birth of a little son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Gemmill at Monroe, on Saturday, June 3.

Twins arrived Thursday to make their home with Mr. and Mrs. John Clark near Deford. Weight, 8¾ and 7¼ pounds. Mother and babes are doing nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Middleton, Harold Benkelman and Misses Gladys Hitchcock and Retta Hooper motored to Saginaw Sunday to meet E. S. Leavenworth on his return from Ann Arbor.

R. D. Keating and L. I. Wood went to Saginaw Sunday, returning Monday with the Overland touring car which Mr. Wood had purchased. H. L. Hunt is now the owner of Mr. Wood's Ford car.

Dr. and Mrs. M. M. Wickware motored to Saginaw Sunday and leaving their car there, are spending a week in Scottville and Detroit. Dr. Wickware is attending the American Medical Association which meets in Detroit June 7 to 16.

Frank Cranick returned Friday from Buffalo where he has been taking medical treatment, to secure help for his farm work. He was successful in engaging a man temporarily and left again for Buffalo Wednesday. Mr. Cranick's health is gradually growing better.

M. B. Auten's Buick Six collided with a horse while returning home from Caro Sunday evening. The accident occurred at Ellington Corners and the animal was so badly injured that it was killed. The machine had windshield, radiator and fenders damaged, but still showed life and Mr. Auten started at once for Saginaw where the machine is being repaired.

Ogle Wells, a sophomore in high school here, is rejoicing over his escape from injury on Saturday. Mr. Wells was at his parental home in Kingston township and was driving a span of colts in the field. The colts stopped suddenly and Mr. Wells was thrown forward, falling between the traces. By quick action he was able to throw himself up and sideways swiftly enough to escape serious injury although the hub of the front wheel struck him as he landed outside the wagon. The horses in the meanwhile had developed considerable speed and were racing across the field. While running close to a fence, they pulled out five fence posts before they were stopped.

By defeating Akron, the leading team in the county contest, by a 7-3 score Friday, the Cass City high school team won a position which made it necessary for Caro, Millington and the local schools to meet on neutral diamonds to decide which of these three teams would compete with Akron today for the county championship. Cass City and Caro played at Fairgrove Tuesday where the locals in a bad condition of stage fright lost to their county seat opponents by a 14-1 score. With Cass City out of the base ball contest, local athletes will devote all their energies to the field and track events. The high school has some good material and the boys anticipate that they will be able to win their share of honors in the field meet at Caro today.

A good work mare for sale. Frank McGregory, Shabbona. 6-9-*

Card of Thanks.

I wish to sincerely thank my friends for all the kindnesses shown me while at the hospital. Esther Cridland.

Ivory sets, brushes, mirrors, manicure and other graduation gifts at Treadgold's.

Try a box of the famous Liggett's Chocolates at Wood's.

Seed beans, grown in 1914, for sale. W. A. Foe. 4-21-

Horse, cutter and buggy for sale. Dr. F. L. Morris. 5-5-

Guarded His Beard.

As Sir Thomas More laid his head on the block he begged the executioner to wait a moment while he carefully placed his beard out of reach of the ax, for, he said, "it hath not committed treason," which reminds one of the story of Simon Lord Lovat, who the day before his execution on Tower hill bade the operator who shaved him be cautious not to cut his throat, as such an accident would cause disappointment to the gaping crowd on the morrow.—English Magazine.

Buy your Stowell's Evergreen sweet corn, Marrowfat peas, Cowhorn turnip, rutabaga and rape seeds at Jones'.

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

5 ft. 10 in. high, 6 ft. wide, 6 strong steel ribs, hard wood handle 1½ inches in diameter, very best standard drill cover, with fasteners to put it up with. 4-7-

Galvanized screen, the best in the world for old window and door frames also the Famous No-Sag-Screen Doors at Cootes Hardware, The Store of Quality. 5-26-

Pasture to let for young cattle and horses at $1 a month per head. Good roomy shed in connection. H. W. Goodrich, Deford. 4-28-

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400 lbs. of dynamite, 6 Detroit oil cook stoves, 100 squares of linoleum 12 ft. wide, 4—1900-washers, 100 squares of granite roofing, 2 Iowa separators, new, capacity 900 lbs. per hour, 2 Iowa separators, new, capacity 650 lbs. per hour, 2 Iowa separators, new, small capacity at $35 each, 2 second-hand De Laval separators. Geo. L. Hitchcock. 5-5-

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Steady work. $1.00 a day to beginners with advancement. All modern conveniences including the use of the laundry at the Company's boarding house at $3.00 a week. For information write Western Knitting Mills, Rochester, Michigan. 4-28-

Board of Review.

Notice is hereby given to all tax payers that the Board of Review of the Township of Elkland will meet at the Town Hall, Cass City, on Tuesday, June 6, and again on Monday and Tuesday, June 12 and 13, to review the assessment roll of said township for the year 1916. The board will be in session from 9 o'clock a. m. until 5 o'clock p. m. of each day. All persons deeming themselves aggrieved by said assessment may be heard at this meeting.

GEO HALL, Supervisor.
Dated this 28th day of May 1916.

CASS CITY MARKETS.

Cass City, Mich., June 8 1916,
Buying Price—

Wheat	96
Oats	40
Beans	4 00
Rye	87
Barley Cwt	1 50
Peas	1 60
Buckwheat cwt	1 40
Corn (selling price)	82
Seed Corn	2 00
Baled hay—No. 1 Timothy	16 00
No. 2 "	14 00
No. 1 Mixed	14 00
Wool	36
Eggs, per doz	20
Butter, per lb	20
Fat cows, live weight, per lb	5 6
Steers, " "	6 7
Fat sheep, " "	3 3½
Lambs, " "	7
Hogs, " "	9
Dressed hogs	11½
Dressed beef	10 11
Calves	6 8
Hens	13 14
Broilers	13 14
Ducks	13
Geese	10 11
Turkeys	18
Hides green	10

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GAGETOWN.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Nienstedt of Palms spent Sunday with the latter's father, J. Phelan, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Wills and Miss S. Phelan autoed to Saginaw last Thursday where they spent the day.

Miss Edith Miller spent Saturday and Sunday in Caro the guest of her sister, Mrs. Sellers.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Purdy and family attended the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. B. Purdy's two-year-old child at Caro.

Mrs. A. Coon, who underwent an operation in Harper hospital ten days ago, returned home Tuesday.

Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Sugnet, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Freeman, Mr. and Mrs. D. McCarthy, Mr. and Mrs. P. Bartholomy, James Kehoe and Clem Lenhard motored to Bay City where the gentlemen witnessed a class of 180 men initiated into the K. of C. order.

Mr. and Mrs. John Lehman, Mrs. L. Lenhard, P. Kehoe and Miss Iva Ryan went to Saginaw Saturday and visited friends and relatives over Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Martus, who died in the hospital at Cass City Monday afternoon, was buried here in St. Agatha's cemetery Wednesday morning. Funeral services were held in St. Agatha's church, Rev. Dwan officiating.

COLWOOD.

Born Sunday morning, June 4, to Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Dillon, a daughter.

Miss Lena High of Gagetown was a week end guest of Miss Tressa McCarthy.

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. McCarthy visited Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. F. Seurynck near Gagetown.

Louis Krahling of Cass City was a visitor at this place Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Remington and son, Dorus, spent Friday at the home f Herbert Hare near Ashmore.

Mrs. Isabelle Pattison lost a valuable work horse Monday.

Mrs. P. H. Muck and Mrs. C. J. Smith and daughter, Rose, were Caro visitors Monday.

Mrs. R. King came Monday for a visit with her son, Dr. H. H. King.

Announcement was made Sunday at St. Agatha's church, Gagetown, of the approaching marriage of Miss Tressa McCarthy, one of Colwood's popular young ladies, to Harry Johnson. The wedding will take place on Wednesday, June 21.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Muck entertained at a fine supper Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Colling, sr., Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Smith and Henry McDurmon. The occasion was Mr. Muck's 27th birthday.

DEFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Gage of Flint spent Sunday as the guests of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gage.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wiltse and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alexander Howey of Clifford visited Sunday with Ed Spencer and family.

Mrs. R. Kennedy and Mrs. Margaret Livingston visited Sunday at the Archie McPhail home in Novesta.

Mrs. Ben Gage and Mrs. George Spencer spent Tuesday afternoon in Cass City.

Joshua Curtis is sporting a new Ford.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ball motored to Fenton last week.

Mrs. Chas. Silverthorn made a business trip to Sandusky Monday.

Miss Florence Silverthorn, Mrs. Clare Smith and Clark Silverthorn left Saturday for Lapeer. Mrs. Smith will make her home there. Florence and Clark will visit in Pontiac and Detroit before returning home.

Miss Ruby Nesbitt is spending a few days with her brother, James, five miles north of the city.

Mr. Nesbitt is able to be out again after being sick for some time.

NOVESTA.

Children's Day will be observed at the Church of Christ on Sunday, June 11, with appropriate program. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Harry Tallmadge and Miss Minnie Tallmadge visited friends in Caro Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Grace Wilson and daughter, Miss Gladys Ware, of Caro visited at the home of A. Pierce Sunday.

Misses Cecil and Beatrice Pierce spent several days with friends in Detroit.

Miss Zella Greer is visiting friends in Detroit.

Miss Glossy Hendrick spent several days last week at Cedar Run.

PINGREE.

Palmer Karr and wife and little daughter, Maxine, of Elkland visited at Robert Craig's Sunday.

John Crocker was the loser of a fine calf Saturday evening.

The Chamber school taught by Miss Bessie Cameron closed Friday with a program and ice cream and cake were served.

George Mc Connell has built a new addition to his barn.

Mrs. Amos Bearss is reported some better.

REPRESENTS TUSCOLA AT STATE FAIR

Continued from first page.

Marguerite Stiner.
Robert N. Hare.
Elsie Miller.
Mary Horschenberger.
Mildred Fournier.
Edith Haggitt.
Wm. Hunter.
Murl Fournier.

Dayton Township.

Beulah R. Cunningham.
Donald Adams.
Erma G. Lashua.
Ruth Lillian Calkins.
Marcie E. Garnsey.
Gladys Snover.
Chas. Cray.
Marion Alexander.
Esther Peet.
Leasel McBride.
Frank Stout.
Grace Friday.
Evelyn Gohs.
Mamie Bader.
Henry Gohs.
Low Hardy.
Day Hardy.
Wilbur Rumble.

Denmark Township.

Howard Van Petten.
Floyd Wilkinson.
Kenneth Baker.
Clara Humpert.
Ralph Markhart.
Florence M. Gulliver.
Willie Gruber.
Edwin Schultz.
Laurel Maxwell.
Marjorie G. Stringer.
Vernon Lewis.

Elkland Township.

William Martus.
Ray S. Colwell.
Fowler Hutchinson.
Florence Hulburt.
Lucile Hall.
Walter Cooper.
Alma Vogel.
Ella Harder.
Mary McDonald.

Ellington Township.

Elfleda Willett.
Mary Pavlor.
Melvin D'Arcy.
Ralph Weible.
Jessie Manke.
Claribel Smith.

Elmwood Township.

Evelyn Kirkpatrick.
Beatrice Perry.
Ottoman Sting.
Melvina Hutchinson.
Jennie Bentler.
Marie Lang.
Harold Evans.
Beatrice McConkey.
Vida Goslin.
Ellis Rushlo.
Dorothy Beardsley.
Viola McConkey.
Floyd Rondo.
Irving Watson.
Harold Jackson.
Howard Evans.
Earl Bentler.
Myrtle LaFave.
Carl Oldenburg.
Webber Thompson.
Kenneth Spaulding.
Onieta Hammond.
Nydia E. Hendrick.
Norma McKinnon.
Lloyd Rondo.
Elner Mae Williamson.
Mabel Lapratt.
Leo Dillon.
Marcella Cregner.
Glen Wright.

Fairgrove Township.

Ray Fritz.
Howard Montei.
G. Milford Culbert.
Bertha I. Terry.
Mildred Clark.
Rhena Holmes.
Hazel A. Rohlf.
Celia Irish.
Madeleine Rohlf.
Mary Crowley Shannon.
Carl Mantey.
Clair Inglis.
Ralph Brickley.
Mildred Vanderwort.
Ward Green.
Ruth Stewart.
John Crosby.
Clinton Hillman.
Armond Barrigar.
Herbert McCreedy.
Nellie Barr.
Vera Black.
Clayton Shreeve.

Fremont Township.

Eunice Louise Louks.
Harold Weiler.
Carrie M. Graubner.
Alton Cooley.
Ward Frenzel.
Gurneth Steele.
Belle Ircke.
Martha Nickert...
Martin Nikert.
Nettie L. Smith.

Gilford Township.

Arthur Wice.
Hazen Keyes.
Ralph Mercill.
Dannie Mathey.
Joe Hoxey.
Leona Gladwell.
Pearl H. Neal.
Erie Sherwood.
Florence Ackerman.
Josie Bush.
Edith Preston.
Andrew Hautebergue.
Walter Kleinect.
Hector Young.
Ada Webb.
Don Lake.
Fern A. Blair.
Eunice Belle Blair.
Effie Delauris.

Indianfields Township.

Clarice Washburn.
Rebe Stewart.

Juniata Township.

Julius Peterson.
Ethel Peterson.
Henry Taylor.
Elola Hunter.
Helen Hardy.
Ova Matznick.
Cecil G. Stone.
Mary B. Kintner.
Beryl Waterman.
Della Bogert.
Perry Wright.

Kingston Township.

George A. Nichols.
George E. Hampshire.
Kenneth Coltson.
Vivian Hazelton.
Otha Everett.
Katie Wenzlaff.
Mabel Fluke.
Ruth Taylor.
Wesley Fluke.
Glen Van Wagoner.
Amy Van Blaricom.
Laura Goodell.
Ambrose Thorpe.
Laurence Brown.
Jean Barrett.

Koylton Township.

Mable Wilcox.
Darwin Harris.
Mabel McCall.
Orval Boyl.
Albert Stickle.
Earl King.
Cletus Garries.

Millington Township.

Thomas Johnson.
Leo Kester.
Ralph Torrey.
Ewila M. Wilber.

Novesta Township.

Erwin Wanner.
Leo Asher.
Mabel Hall.
Velma Ferguson.
Asa Wagg.
Ernest Campbell.
Elvira J. Bearup.
Velma Livingston.
Hamilton McPhail.
Catherine Gillies.
Margaret Phillips.
Beatrice Cooper.
Frank Slack.
Anna Patch.
Eldon Watkins.
Myrtle Esther Spencer.
Lola Kilgore.
Lyle Patch.

Tuscola Township.

Florence Rosevear.
Myrtle Lee.
Joseph M. Hess.
Clara Stadler.
Margera Dennis.

Vassar Township.

Violet Fox.
Gertrude Davenport.
Laurence Simpson.
Arlie Throop.
Lewis Birdsall.
Clyde Marsh.
Merrill Birdsall.
Violet Carey.
Duford Van Petten.
Eunice M. George.
G. W. Gugel.
Mildred A. Coleman.
Ellen Whidden.
Lloyd Camp.
Harlod M. Stephen.
Irene Childs.
Verne B. Shaw.
Beulah Nickless.
Clark Dennis.
Paul Longhurst.
Paul Stephen.

Watertown Township.

Ward Freeland.
Bessie Sherman.
Charles James Colling.
George S. Day.
Rolland Lanoue.
Elizabeth Glass.
Alta Sherman.
Harry Edward Colling.
Myron Bearss.
Floyd Edgar Gilchrist.
Ethel Irwin.
Frank Black.

Wells Township.

Leora Chambers.
Vera Harrington.
Carleton Chambers.
Benjamin F. Clink.
Raymond Tarry.
Sarah Thick.
Leonard Stader.
Ralph Harris.

Wisner Township.

Emma Thomas.
Glen Sharp.
Mabel Howell.
Leta Reid.
Esther Prime.
Ella Kelley.

TUBERCULOSIS DEATH RATE HIGH IN TWO COUNTIES

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par with them and there would be no valid excuse for directing all the energies against it and saying nothing about the others. But the only way to fight tuberculosis is to fight it with the weapons that nature provides for the development of strong bodies. And learning the proper use of these weapons constitutes information that is fundamental—information that will help men and women and children to live as it is intended they should live, that will help them to be as nearly as possible one hundred per cent efficient.

There are other reasons why the emphasis placed on the fight against tuberculosis is justified. For one thing, consumption is a social danger to a much larger degree than pneumonia, cancer, etc. Many of the other diseases attack the individual and they make him only to a minor degree a menace to others. And while it is to the advantage of the individual to fight them, they do not affect society in a large way. But with tuberculosis the case is different. This disease is the concern of all, those who are well and those who are ill. It is society's business to fight consumption in order to protect itself.

That is why Michigan as a state is fighting it. The war on tuberculosis, in whatever form it comes, is a farsighted and wise move. And there is ample justification for the present statewide fight on consumption. The importance of the other diseases is not to be minimized, but the attack on tuberculosis is justified on the ground that it is always advisable to attack evil at the source.

NORTH NOVESTA.

The meeting of the Linn W. C. T. U. was postponed from Wednesday afternoon, June 7, to Wednesday, June 14, at the home of Mrs. John Tewksbury. Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Outguessed.

"What size collar do you wear?"

"About a half size too small for you."—Pennsylvania Punch Bowl.

CHURCH NOTES.

Evangelical—Quarterly meeting services will be held at this church Friday evening and Sunday.

The business meeting of the Y. P. A. to be held at the home of W. D. Striffler has been postponed until Tuesday evening, June 13.

M. E. Church—Children's Day exercises will be held at the Cass City church Sunday morning and at Bethel in the afternoon.

Baptist—There will be no preaching services in the morning. Sunday School at 11:45 a. m. as usual. There will be Children's Day exercises in the evening, commencing at 7:30. Everybody welcome.

Presbyterian—Pastor, Rev. J. W. Hamblin. Preaching services at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Sunday school at noon. Prayer meeting every Thursday at 7:30 p. m. The public is always welcome in this church.

Children's Day services will be conducted at this church Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. A program is being arranged. Everyone is welcome.

Christian Science—Christian Science services are held every Sunday morning at eleven o'clock and on Thursday evenings at 7:30 in the rear room of the Sheridan Building, adjoining Farrell & Townsend Co. All are welcome. Subject for June 4 is "God the only Cause and Creator."

THE WEDDING OUTLOOK.

Leon A. Kolwood, 26, Allegan; Purl Irene Moreland, 24, Juniata.

Fred Middleton, 33, Bay City; Eliza Ealer, 29, Caro.

Geo. F. J. Weber, 25, Tuscola; Charlotte Ortner, 23, Denmark.

Frank C. Dunklee, 45, Allegan; Tina E. Farnum, 41, Millington.

Arthur B. Scheel, 21, Westhope, N. D.; Esther G. Flath, 23, Watertown, Wis.

Frank Richardson, 31, Fostoria; Lottie Stratton, 24, Fostoria.

Albert Massoll, 23, Fairgrove; Matilda Schultz, 20, Saginaw.

John M. Fisher, 22, Brown City; Elizabeth Armstrong, 21, Yale.

John E. Horan, 40, Minden City; Margaret L. Burk, 38, Minden City.

John H. King, 19, Lexington; Helen E. Hawks, 20, Buel.

Louis Wagner, 25, Croswell; Gertrude Skiffington, 25, Yale.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Mrs. Walter Tallman was able to leave the hospital and go to her home at Kingston Tuesday.

James Nesbitt underwent an operation at the hospital Friday and is getting along nicely.

Hospital visiting hours are as follows: forenoon, 10:00 to 11:30; afternoon, 2:00 to 4:30; evening, 7:30 to 8:30. Friends of the patients are kindly requested to observe these hours, thereby making it more favorable for the patients and also easier for the nurses to systematize their work. Miss Vera Schell, R. N., Supt.

Stars by Daylight.

It is worthy of remark that but for the brightness of the sky the stars could be seen in daylight. Even as matters stand some of the brighter of them have been seen after sunrise by explorers on high mountains, where the air is very clear and the sky dark blue. If we could go above the atmosphere the sky would appear perfectly black and stars would be visible right close up to the sun. Astronomers observe bright stars in daytime by using long focus telescopes, the dark tubes of which cut off the side light, and persons in the bottom of deep wells have noticed stars passing overhead, the side light being reduced by the great depths of the wells.

Personal Preparedness.

A brisk, bright, sunny morning, with the wind west; the fairest sort of fair weather and with every prospect of its continuing, and yet here in the subway, going downtown in the morning, were many men and women carrying raincoats, goloshes and umbrellas. And what did that mean? It was really very simple.

These were all downtown workers who keep in their various places of employment a complete rain equipment for use in case of emergency. It had rained the night before, and they had worn these things home. Now they were carrying them back downtown to be ready there the next time they needed them.—New York Sun.

He Gave Him a Tip.

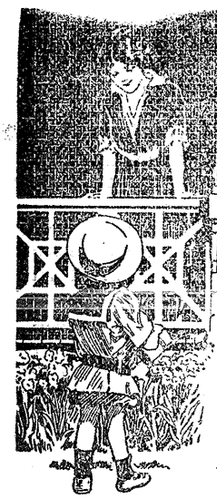
One of the best tipping stories concerns an ancestor of Lord Durham, who always wore a rough coat made from the fleece of his own sheep. When a new doorkeeper in parliament refused to admit him he sat quietly down on a doorstep to wait the arrival of some one who could vouch for him. When this happened the doorkeeper became profuse in apology and then had the impudence to "hope your honor will give me something to remember you by again." Lambton looked him up and down and then caught him a mighty blow. "Aye, lad," said he as he passed in, "I don't think ye'll forget old Lambton again." — London Standard.

Classifying Themselves.

"Hello, old man!" exclaimed one man on meeting a friend on shipboard. "How are you?"

"First class," said the one accosted. "And how are you?"

"Steerage."



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How To Fight Tuberculosis

The Window and Night Air.

The closed window is an abomination in the sight of Nature and a very present help to the tubercle bacillus.

Last week we considered some of the reasons for the open window. We saw, first that night-time was the time appointed by nature for the lungs to store up oxygen. We saw, second, that we spend one-third of our time in the bedroom. Thirdly, we saw that we were never so well dressed to withstand exposure to the air than when we are in bed. And, fourth, we considered the logic of opening the window both at the top and the bottom.

And if you want proof of what we said about the window being open at both top and bottom, make this experiment for yourself. Open the window at top and bottom. Close the door of the room. Light a candle and set it on the window sill. The flame will blow inward, showing the air is entering the room at the bottom. Now hold the candle at the upper opening, or set it on the upper sash of the lowered window. The flame will blow outward, showing that the air of the room is leaving by the top opening. If you have two candles burning at once you can see how constant is the interchange of air in the room.

Now the objections to this open-window advice are not at all formidable in fact, but they have almost inconquerable power on the people's imagination. The first objection is that it would be cold. We have already disposed of that, but it still remains in many minds as a superstition. Even if the aired bedroom were uncomfortable, the arguments for it would stand. But the aired bedroom as a matter of fact is more comfortable to sleep in than the closed room. There is always more real comfort in healthful conditions than in the other sort. Health IS comfort. Unhealthfulness is discomfort. Do not make comfort your fetich, but if you do, be careful not to mistake comfort for pure slovenliness and insanitary preferences.

The other objection is that "night air" is dangerous. This also is one of the silly superstitions of the people. If there can be any discrimination at all between the air of daytime and the air of night-time, it results in showing night air to be the more beneficial. It is freer from dust, because the city is quiet, traffic is at its minimum. It is freer from obnoxious gases, because factory fires slacken and the smokestacks are not so busy. It is freer from decompositions, for the presence of the sun is withdrawn and thus the vegetable and animal creations do not live so fast, and, consequently, do not give off so many waste products. No one whatever disputes the purity and sweetness of the air just before dawn—yet the air of dawn is "night air."

In the scheme of nature, the daytime was made for food and exercise, and the night-time to eliminate the poisons of fatigue and the storing up of oxygen for the next day. You can't do this without air, and you cannot get air without windows open at the top to let out foul air, and at the bottom to let in fresh air.

The discomfort of dressing in a cold room is also given as an excuse for keeping the windows closed. Healthy persons may profit by a little stimulous of cold in the morning dressing, just as they may profit by the cold bath, but delicate persons may keep their clothes in a warm room and dress there.

None of these objections seems of the least importance to the person who clearly understands the function of the lungs and the absolute necessity of plenty of fresh air to maintain health.

A poisoned bedroom is never comfortable. If you sleep in a closed bedroom, leave it closed after you rise and walk for half an hour in the pure morning air. Then go back and smell your room—just smell it! The odor of it, even apart from health considerations, ought to teach you the indecency of it.

"There is not a bedroom in the land which contains sufficient air to last one sleeper the whole night." There must be as steady a flow of air through the room as there is of fresh water through the water pipes.

HELP THE KIDNEYS.

Cass City Readers Are Learning The Way.

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Almon F. Perry and wife to Grou D. Schaff, lot 7 blk. 21, Vassar, $1.

Jennie E. Crosby to Geo. L. Mosner, part Tuscola, $3,500.

Mark Day and wife to Benson Wilkinson, sw ¼ of ne ¼ and s ½ of se ¼ of ne ¼, sec. 31, Kingston, $1.

Isaac S. Berman and wife to Robt. J. Smith, part Kingston, $1200.

Patrick Coots to Jas. Coots and wf., ne ¼ of se ¼, sec. 16, Elmwood, $1342.

Daniel D. Humes and wf. to Christian P. Eskilson and wf., w ½ of se ¼ of nw ¼, sec. 20, Juniata, $1500.

Chas. W. Davis and wf. to Wm. E. Preslage, lot 1, 2 and s ½ 3 blk. 3, Gagetown, $900.

Riley W. Keith and wf. to John E. Valentine and wf., n ½ of ne ¼, sec. 27, Watertown, $8000.

Effie J. Prisley to Frank Sedden, ne ¼ of nw ¼, sec. 10, Watertown, $2,200.

Geo. W. Robinson and wf. to Frankie Daugherty, s ½ of s ½ of nw ¼ of nw ¼, sec. 14, Tuscola, $1.

Frank Kincade and wf. to Walter Bowerman, lot 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, blk. 18, Watertown, $1.

Walter Bowerman to Frank Kincade and wf., lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, blk. 18, Watertown, $1.

Theron W. Atwood to Caro Light and Power Co., part sec. 2, Indianfields, $1.

State Savings Bank to Theron W. Atwood, part sec. 2, Indianfields, $5153.

Will Morgan and wf. to Daisly L. Stilson, lots 1, 2, blk. 21, Vassar, $1.

Devilo H. Pike to Helen M. Garvin, w ¾ of w ½ of nw ¼, sec. 33, Arbela, $1900.

Mary Southworth to Bert L. Southworth and wf., sw ¼ of nw ¼, sec. 32, Elmwood, $1125.

D. J. Evans, jr., and wf. to Lucy Durkee, part Millington, $1100.

Robt. N. Freeman and wf. to Robt. O. Millner and wf., w ½ of e ½ of ne ¼, sec. 4, Almer, $3150.

Trustees of the First Presbyterian church to W. E. Atkins and wf, lots 1, 3, 4, blk. 4, Vassar, $950.

Chas. R. Likins to Andrew Haley, w ½ of nw ¼, sec. 13, Dayton, $100.

Ashton Duff and wf to Fred Remender and wf., sw ¼ of sw ¼, sec. 28, Arbela, $1.

Fred Workman to Robt. N. Freeman and wf., ne ¼ of se ¼, sec. 10, Wells, $1600.

Julius S. Zakrzwski to Cyryan Lanski and wf., w ½ of ne ¼ and ne ¼ of ne ¼ and nw ¼ of se ¼, sec. 26, Juniata, $4000.

Marshall E. Raymond and wf. to Clark E. Daugherty et al, se ¼ of se ¼, sec. 20, Wells, $1000.

Sarah E. Gifford et al to Enos S. Simmons, lot 11 blk. 5, Gagetown $1000.

Frank H. Smith and wife to Henry A. Rohlfs and wife, se¼ of nw ¼, sec. 4, Fairgrove, $5000.

Jas. M. T. Ritchie to Wm. Ritchie, s ½ of nw ¼ of nw ¼, sec. 8, Elkland, $1.

Ruth Owen to R. A. Crobar, lot 18, 19, and n ½ 20 blk. 4, Vassar, $1.

Lewis H. Reid to Fred W. Conklin, ne ¼ of nw ¼, sec. 35, Ellington, $640.

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Mrs. Rhyne then went on to explain how she had been in a terrible condition from stomach trouble and nervous disorders.

"I used to suffer from backache and headaches and nervousness so badly that it almost set me wild. I had hardly any desire for food and just had to force myself to go to the table. I lost so much strength that I could hardly walk. My nerves were simply frazzled. I could not sleep at night and always woke up feeling more tired than I had before I went to bed.

"Since using Tanlac I have entirely recovered my health," said Mrs. Rhyne, "and that is why I am so anxious to recommend it to others. I now feel like a new woman. My appetite is so ravenous that I can hardly get enough to eat. No matter what I eat I do not have the slightest trouble with my digestion. My nerves have steadied down and I sleep like a top every night. I feel better, look better, and am better since using the great medicine. I take pleasure in recommneding it to everybody."

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There are many sick people, some of them actually diseased, others simply "ailing", "not feeling well", "run down." And very often to be not feeling well, ailing, run down, is the beginning of being diseased; because weakness brings illness. The weak cannot successfully resist the attacks of disease.

These sick people sometimes get used to being sick. They get so they believe it is natural to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia, belching and bloating from gas, sourness and soreness of the stomach, constipation, biliousness, inactive liver, dizziness, kidney troubles, pains in the sides and back, palpitation of the heart, headaches, "ringing in the ears", weakness, nervousness, loss of appetite, sleeplessness, falling off in weight, foul breath, coated tongue and irritability. But it isn't natural and Tanlac the new medicine, is proving that health is within the reach of all.

LANSING MAN IS TELLING HOW MOST WELCOME CHANGE HAS COME OVER HIM.

B. S. Carlton, of 108 S. Chestnut St., Lansing, tells a story which seems almost too good to be true. Mr. Carlton is a messenger in the Capitol at Lansing and is well known and has a host of friends. This is what he says:

"A friend of mine who used Tanlac gave his testimonial. I read it in the paper and it proved the means of bringing about the first relief from stomach trouble.

"I suffered especially," continued Mr. Carlton, "from pains in my stomach and bowels and from nervousness. My trouble was of such long standing that it had become chronic. I could not eat without being distressed afterwards and it was almost impossible for me to sleep nights. I was run down and weakened. I had no appetite to speak of and just had to force myself to go to the table sometimes.

"As I said, I read this testimonial given by my friend and I knew that he would not endorse Tanlac unless he knew the medicine. Therefore when I took Tanlac I was pretty sure it would help me if anything would. There is not much more to tell except that from the very start I improved under the Tanlac treatment and today I am again enjoying good health and feel fine all the time. I am glad to recommend Tanlac to anyone suffering from stomach and bowel troubles."

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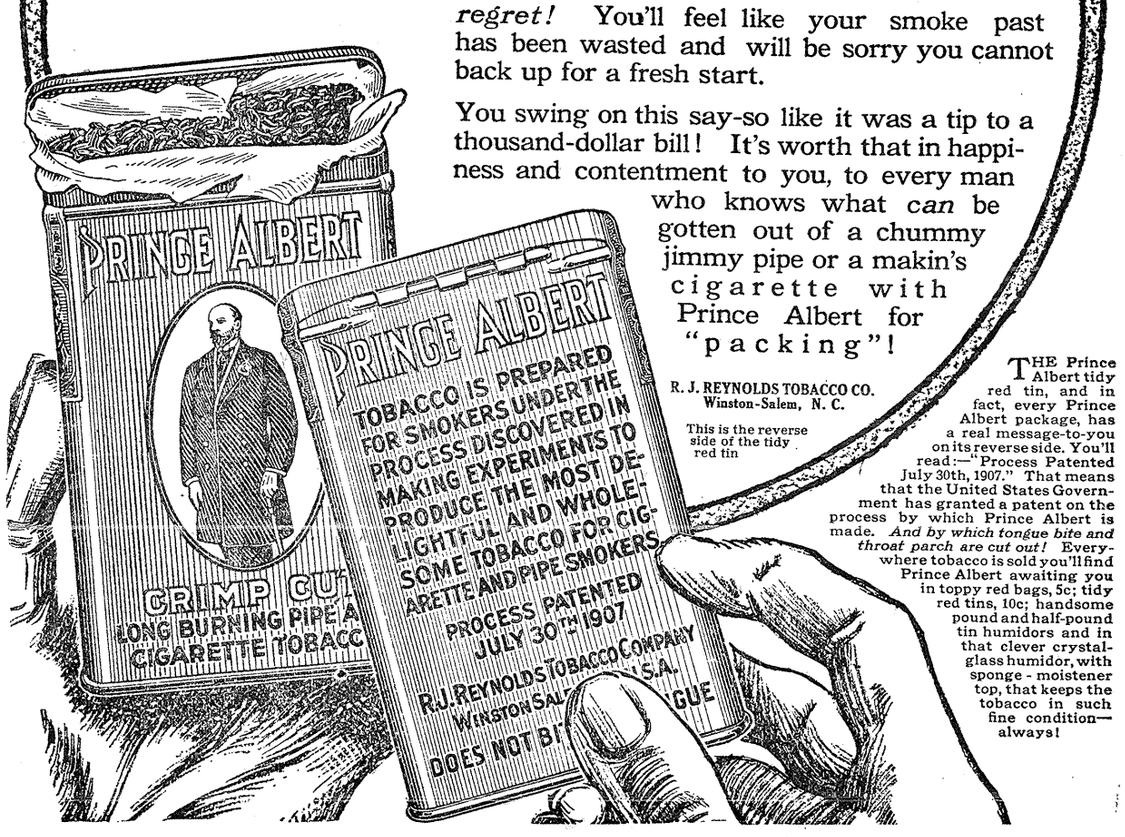

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FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of money due on and secured by a certain mortgage made by John Livingston to Edgar C. Poppleton and dated the 5th day of June 1895 and recorded in the Register of Deeds' Office for the County of Tuscola, Michigan, in liber 86 of mortgages on pages 212, 213 and 214 on June 20th, 1895, which said mortgage was on the 26th day of June, 1895, duly assigned by a written assignment executed by said Edgar C. Poppleton to P. A. Herbert, said assignment being recorded in the Register of Deeds' Office for the County of Tuscola, Michigan in liber 100 of Mortgages on page 7, which said mortgage was again assigned on the 14th day of August 1899 by a written assignment executed by P. A. Herbert to E. G. White and recorded in liber 100 of mortgages on page 490 in the register of Deeds' Office aforesaid, and there is claimed to be due upon said mortgage at the date of this notice for principal, interest and taxes levied and assessed against said premises and paid by the undersigned under the terms of said mortgage and secured by said mortgage the sum of six hundred fifty-eight and 91|100 dollars ($658.91). Now therefore notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan, at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 17th day of July A. D. 1916 at two o'clock in the afternoon. The said mortgaged premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: The Southwest Quarter (¼) of the Northeast Quarter (¼) of Section Eight (8) in Township Number 13 North Range Eleven (11) East being in the Township of Novesta, Tuscola County, Mich.

Dated April 20th, 1916.

E. G. WHITE,
Assignee of Mortgage.

J. D. Brooker,
Attorney for Assignee.
Business Address, Cass City, Mich.
4-21-13

FORECLOSURE SALE.

Default having been made in the payment of money due on and secured by a certain mortgage made by John Phillips to P. A. Herbert and dated the 16th day of February 1900, and recorded in the Register of Deeds' office for the County of Tuscola, Michigan, in liber 97, of mortgages on page 169 on the 28th day of February 1900, which mortgage was afterwards on the 31st day of March 1900, duly assigned by a written assignment, executed by said P. A. Herbert to E. G. White said assignment being recorded in the Register of Deeds' Office aforesaid, in liber 100 of mortgages on page 494, and there is claimed to be due on said mortgage for principal, interest and taxes assessed against said premises and paid by the undersigned under the terms of said mortgage and secured by said mortgage the sum of seven hundred sixty-one and 82|100 dollars ($761.82) at the date of this notice. Now therefore notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises at the front door of the Court House in the Village of Caro, Tuscola County, Michigan at public vendue to the highest bidder on the 17th day of July A. D. 1916 at one o'clock in the afternoon. The said mortgaged premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows: The Southeast Quarter (¼) of the Southeast Quarter (¼) of Section Twenty-three (23) Township Number Thirteen (13) North Range Ten East, being in the Township of Ellington, Tuscola County, Michigan. The said mortgaged premises will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the amount due on said mortgage and the costs of foreclosure.

Dated April 20th, 1916.

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DEFORD.

Early potatoes have decayed in the soil.

"Hipe" Lester is building a new fence.

Lots of oat sowing will be done this week.

Kindred from Capac visited "Ern" Lester last week.

Misses Joyce and Vera Retherford were at home on the town line Saturday and Sunday.

Hiram Lester will move just across the road from his old farm that he recently sold to John Moshier.

Free Methodist meeting on town line southeast of here every two weeks. Held forth June 4 and so on.

With a poor prospect for any kind of a crop the tillers of the soil seem contented while some wonder why 'tis thus. Read Ecclesiastes 1:18. "In wisdom there is grief and knowledge makes our sorrows."

Critters with a buzz machine evaporating high priced gasoline came around contracting flour so cheap that any man may keep a three dollar dog. How is it done?

We have experienced springs of more rain but never a season of knock-out rains every third day like unto the spring of 1916. We have seen nearly three score and ten opening springs.

There is something greviously lacking in many of the young school teachers. In granting a certificate, the individual should be tested as to their knowledge on things of every day life. This would be but just to the pupils. When we come in contact with teachers that don't know that oats are food for a horse and potatoes food for an Irishman, it makes us feel like "cussing inwardly."

At a testimony meeting last Sunday one told of a notice he saw of a minister's discourse whose subject was to be "Satan's Vacation" and wondered what could be made out of it. We have to plead silence at testimony meetings but thought Satan can have a vacation at present over in Europe and when the political conventions break loose here Old Nick's work will go on without his aid until November. Don't you see this is a favorable time for Satan to take his vacation?

Years ago a friend whom we will call James asked us to write a sentence in his autograph album. We did as requested, and looking over the thoughts written therein, found the following,"James, in going up the hill of life may you never meet a friend." We did not get the force of the thought at that time but since we have learned it fully. Many who read this will feel that they too have learned it well.

ARGYLE.

Several from here were in Cass City for Decoration Day.

Miss Gertrude Fair has gone to her home in Orion. She has secured a school near Cass City for the coming year.

Mrs. Grace is visiting friends in this vicinity.

Mrs. Mary McLean returned to Detroit Friday after spending a few days with relatives here.

C. McPhail and wife were guests at the McIntyre home last week.

Miss Mary Willerton closed a successful term of school in the Starr district Wednesday and entertained pupils and friends at a picnic.

Miss Jennie McIntyre visited in Cass City last week.

S. Merriman and wife of Deckerville and Miss Fair called on friends here Thursday evening.

M. Osantowsky's sale Saturday afternoon was largely attended and everything sold well.

The eighth graders from here are rejoicing, likewise the teacher, as six of the seven who wrote passed a very creditable examination while the seventh only failed by three points.

How's This?

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Medicine.

Hall's Catarrh Medicine has been taken by catarrh sufferers for the past thirty-five years, and has become known as the most reliable remedy for Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Medicine acts thru the Blood on the Mucous surfaces, expelling the Poison from the Blood and healing the diseased portions.

After you have taken Hall's Catarrh Medicine for a short time you will see a great improvement in your general health. Start taking Hall's Catarrh Medicine at once and get rid of catarrh. Send for testimonials, free.

F. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, Ohio.
Sold by all Druggists, 75c.

Ferguson's Wood-Work Shop

is the place to bring your wagons, buggies and repair work.

WOOD TURNING; ALSO STEEL AND RUBBER TIRE SETTING.

POULTRY NOTES.

Growing goslings are greater grass eaters than old geese.

Turkeys are reliable for both incubation and brooding.

All laying and growing chickens must have some kind of meat food in order to do their best.

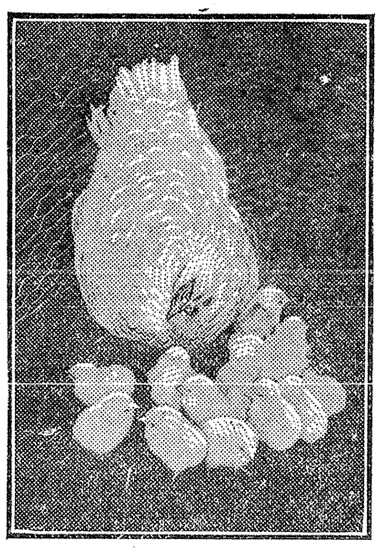
Don't allow the feed to stand from one meal to the next and expect ducks to be satisfied with it.

In properly matured pullets all surplus energy beyond that needed to meet the requirements of the body is available for the production of eggs.

RELATION OF THE HEN TO HER BROOD

As the chicks grow older and require less care the mother hen will leave them, writes a correspondent of the Orange Judd Farmer. At this time I give more attention than was previously necessary. I find hens vary in their actions as regards the chicks. Some appear to be willing to leave them when quite small, others cannot seem to bring themselves to the point of doing so and occasionally, if not prevented, a hen will stay with the chicks long after they can care for themselves. In such a case she may begin laying again in the coop in which she has her brood. She may steal her nest in the grass near the coop. In cases of this kind not only is it unnecessary to have the hen with the chicks, but there is danger of the loss of eggs laid and also the danger of acquiring the habit of nest stealing. I confine such a hen in a yard until she has forgotten her brood.

The exercise the hen gets with the chicks in piloting them about and scratching for them is a fine thing, and she is in much better condition when it comes time to leave than she would have been in the yard with the other fowls. At the same time it will



The choice to be made in the way of a breed of chicken for the farm usually lies between one of the American breeds or the Orpingtons on the one hand and Mediterranean breed on the other. As a general thing the Leghorns will probably lay more eggs the year round than the American breeds. The question to be decided is whether this fact offsets the difficulty of their control and the fact that their carcasses are not generally considered so desirable. The hen with brood is a White Wyandotte.

not do to let her stay with the chicks for too long a period. In this respect I am governed by the actions and condition of the hen. **Some hens can stay later with the chicks to better advantage than others, while a few hens will desert the chicks when they are too young. To overcome this last difficulty, as well as to gain in other respects, I try to have two or three broods of chicks of about the same age. In that case if a hen deserts her brood too early the chicks can be, if necessary, combined with the other broods.**

At the time the hen leaves or is taken from the chicks they need a certain amount of watching. At night they miss the hen in the coop. Sometimes this only shows by their huddling more closely together, yet at other times some will wander aimlessly about, seemingly unwilling to enter the coop. Perhaps they will at last enter the coop of another brood and others in the brood may follow their example until two broods will be crowded into one coop.

I find, however, that by watching the chicks and seeing that they return to the proper coop for two or three nights after the hen has left them, they will, as a rule, continue to return to the coop with no further trouble until later in the season, when it becomes time to unite the broods.

The Chick Brooder.

The chief factor to look to in the purchase of a brooder is that it be well built and that it is well ventilated. Growing chicks require an abundant supply of fresh air, as they breathe very rapidly and soon exhaust the supply of oxygen if the proper ventilation is not provided.

Leg Weakness.

Poultrymen are liable to grow chickens faster than nature allows, causing a leg weakness. This denotes lack of ash. Bonemeal given in dishes so the birds may help themselves is a good remedy.

Well-Seasoned Siding

insures long wear and first-class appearance in a dwelling house or other structure. Our stock of siding is made of carefully selected lumber and seasoned thoroughly. That is why it wears so well.

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for building and we will show you how to avoid waste and get the most for your money. Our customers are our best friends, because they can rely on our advice about building and building material. They always return.

We Guarantee the Quality of Everything We Sell

Cass City Lumber & Coal Co.

Yellow Dent Corn $2.50 per bu.
Smut Nose Corn 2.50 " "
Evergreen Sweet Corn 3.00 " "
Rape Seed - - 10c lb.
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GOLDEN HORN - $6.60 bbl.
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Every woman owes it to herself and to her children to take advantage of every convenience within her reach. Every husband and father owes it to his wife and family to provide the home comforts within his means.

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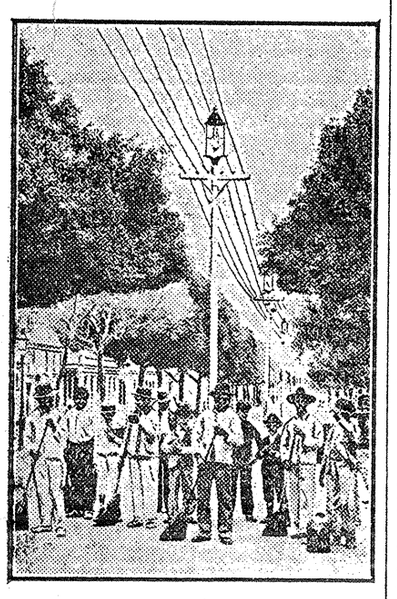
THE CITY BEAUTIFUL

NO FLIES IN HAVANA, SAYS A CONSULAR REPORT

Banishment Is the Result of Municipal Cleanliness and Care.

The visitor from the United States cannot fail to be impressed with the absence of flies in Havana, says a consular report. A fly is a real rarity—so is a mosquito—and screens are not at all a necessity. The absence of these pests is simply the result of municipal cleanliness and care.

Illustrating the general understanding of the necessity to watch out for breeding sources, Mounted Officer Pedro Sierra reported to the chief of san-



STREET SWEEPERS IN HAVANA.

itation that he had observed a plant in the vedado (residential district) that apparently was a source of flies. The plant has a fruit resembling a fig, in which, Sierra asserts, larvae are to be found. He conducted some experiments himself, becoming convinced that the plant afforded a breeding place for the pests; then he so reported. If the experiments of the department of sanitation confirm him undoubtedly an order will be issued for the destruction of all such plants in and around Havana, and incidentally Officer Sierra will be rewarded.

There is no need for "fly swatting campaigns" around the clean capital of Cuba. The sanitarians make flies an impossibility and confirm absolutely the doctrine that municipal cleanliness will prevent the appearance of flies altogether.

A recent visitor to Havana makes a statement which may further explain the absence of flies. He writes:

One of the first things I noticed without having to have my attention called to it was that in Havana they do not allow garbage cans and ash barrels to be placed on the sidewalks in the public highways or in front of residences, apartment houses or hotels. They pipe their sewage miles out into the gulf of Mexico. Vehicles of various sorts in the employ of the government collect the garbage and waste and burn it in isolated places provided for the purpose, and every property owner is required to keep his property not only clean, but presentable and attractive.

Dayton Association Has New Plan.

The Heart of Dayton association of Dayton, O., has inaugurated an employment and business exchange service.

Applications for employment may be listed without cost, and efforts will be made to secure male and female service for members of the association and other merchants and business men in what is known as the heart of Dayton district.

In connection with this feature the association headquarters is listing business properties that are for sale in and out of Dayton and endeavoring to secure purchasers. While the service was started primarily as an aid to members of the Boosters' association, its work will not be confined to the membership.

The association is also trying to secure tenants for buildings in the heart of Dayton and is meeting with a measure of success. As much stimulus as is possible is being given building improvements, and the present indications are that the heart of Dayton will develop marked construction changes during the spring and summer and show a greater activity in building operations than any other section of the city.

For Civic Betterment.

The American Civic association, through its city planning committee, is directing a campaign for the adoption by American towns and cities of comprehensive city planning for their future physical development. At a recent conference of the committee a plan of action was adopted which proposes an educational propaganda to be conducted in all parts of the United States to make clear to city officials the importance of adopting orderly and systematic methods, comprehended by city planning, in substitution for the old hit and miss methods.

While 108 cities have taken initial steps by the creation of city plan commissions, generally speaking the country at large, it is said, has only a vague knowledge of all that city planning comprehends or all that it has accomplished, both in ancient times and in modern times.

LANDSCAPE GARDENING IS EFFECTIVE CIVIC WORK

Indispensable In the Laying Out of Parks and Boulevards.

A recent bulletin, "The Prairie Spirit In Landscape Gardening," issued by the University of Illinois, has inspired the New York Post to comment somewhat at length on the progress made in late years by this "youngest of the arts." "Popular appreciation of the skilled treatment of landscape," says the Post, "and a sense of the increasing specialization necessary in all architectural work have bred a demand for the services of experts. In city planning, particularly the laying out of parks and boulevards, it is now generally admitted that a landscape gardener is all but indispensable."

The work of the landscape gardener in this connection, of course, looms large. But it by no means follows that in this field his greatest service has been performed. It is certain that any estimate of what he has already done would be incomplete if it omitted consideration of the part he has played in beautifying the grounds of private residences. His work in this respect has been of inestimable value. Cities and suburbs may have their parks and boulevards, but their desirability as places of residence turns less on the possession of these than on the appearance of the yards that line their streets and avenues.

For the extensive beautification of the home grounds that has swept over the whole country in recent years the landscape architect deserves the credit. All the work, to be sure, he did not do. A very small part of it, indeed, bears testimony to his skill. But he began it. Gardening thrives on example. Let one resident of a neighborhood begin it and his neighbors will follow suit. The inspiration, however, proceeded from the landscape architect. From the example of his planting other plantings grew.

Gradually, too, as the Post points out, he has taught us how to make use of our native plants. He has shown us that there are as much virtue and beauty in the trees and shrubs indigenous to each section of our country as there are in the costly exotics that come from abroad. He has taught us simplicity, tasteful grouping; he has shown us how to use our material to best advantage—how to plant it and where to plant it.

NEW ENGLAND ORGANIZATION.

Numerous Problems For Civic and General Betterment Discussed.

Numerous problems affecting all the six New England states are awaiting solution, and it is becoming apparent that they cannot properly be solved without a closer co-operation than now exists. They relate to transportation, distribution of foodstuffs, development of resources, public health and other economic and governmental questions of vital importance.

In each of these states trade and commercial bodies are showing enterprise and intelligence in dealing with local concerns, but the larger questions can only be handled through some central body. Existing organizations frequently cause confusion by their numbers and the overlapping of responsibilities they have assumed. There is a belief that much more could be accomplished if they were able to concentrate more on their work.

At the annual meeting of the Fitchburg board of trade this question was dealt with by Frederick J. Hillman, president of the western New England chamber of commerce, who advocated a similar organization that would embrace the entire section and perform a service such as is rendered to the country at large by the United States chamber of commerce. He expressed the opinion that in handling these matters New England is essentially a single state.

"This plan for a New England organization," he said, "is not an attempt to manufacture a club with which to coerce legislation favorable to New England. It is to be hoped that other states and other sections will be organized in a similar manner. We are not seeking a 'place in the sun' at the expense of other sections, nor are we attempting to force New England ideas upon unwilling citizens of other states. It is an effort to carry the spirit of co-operation to a higher development, to assemble existing units into a useful and efficient machine, to bring the business interests into closer relation, to unify public opinion upon problems of territorial importance and to overcome the spirit of pessimism with the spirit of optimism.

"Let optimism be our inspiration, co-operation our watchword, patriotic service our method and a united New England the result."

New Scheme For Advertising Cities.

German cities have hit upon a new scheme for advertising themselves. It is in the form of a brief description of the city on the back of a regular mailing envelope. Harry G. Seltzer, American consul at Breslau, Germany, recently sent a sample to the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce at Washington. This new method has attracted considerable attention.

THIS BOY WANTS TO EARN MONEY

Continued from first page.

fight trying to down this enemy. Two years ago last winter I spent two months taking the baths at Mt. Clemens. Even tho on crutches I washed dishes and made beds in a boarding house there and earned my board and room. I came home still on crutches. Last May I surrendered. I could not take another step, the pain was so acute. Since then I have been in bed constantly. The pain I suffered during the summer and winter while the joints were settling, is indescribable. For the past two or theree months the pain has become less intense, and I have enjoyed a share of peace. My father is a farmer in Columbia township, near Colwood, Mich. The farm is mortgaged and he works hard trying to pay the debt. My mother died when I was 12 years old. So father lives alone and batches. He don't have an very easy time of things. It seems as if I have been just one doctor bill and expense after another to him. I am with my half-brother's folks here and my little sister is with me too. She takes care of me and goes to school. She is the best little girl in all the world to me.

Some of my old school chums came in to see me recently. They were all out in the world, earning money and having good times. I was awfully glad to see them, they looked so good, but it made me choke up when they were gone to think that all these things were denied me, perhaps forever. I don't understand so very well why it is I have to suffer so, I haven't been so very, very wicked in my life, either, at least like some folks. Still one can't tell, I guess it's even wicked to judge others. But even at that I could be sunshiny and happy if I only had something to do to earn a little money. It takes money to satisfy longings, and I have my longings the same as any human. There are three things I yearn for: a phonograph, chocolate candy and letters from people. The brightest moments of my days are those minutes of anticipation after hearing the postman's steps and click of the mail box on the porch. I just love to receive letters.

I am sending you samples of water color painting that I do and would like to find a market for and thus get a chance to earn money.

Please excuse me for writing such a long, rambling letter, but things get pretty tiresome and lonesome lying here all the time, and I do so long for some way to earn a little money. If you would help me with ad space I am sure you would be rewarded by higher hands than mine, and I would always remember you with gladness.

Your most sincere friend.
ORLO McDURMON,
302 N. Almer Street.

What appeals to us so strongly in this letter is that fact that he is not asking for charity—he asks for a chance to earn money that he may buy the things that will mean happiness just the same as we all do and for such a type of man we are ready to help, and we are going to make some suggestions for our readers and they have never yet failed to respond to any requests. Suppose we give him a post card shower and we would suggest to confine as much as possible to scenery. You never get tired looking at them even if you look them over every month. Some places you can buy a whole series in a booklet form that will give interesting views of a whole city or town. Some of you may have interesting scenery photographs, others may have large bound books that will number 200 pages or more of some one's travels and possibly very little use to the owner but would mean many hours of entertainment to this young man. Others might have novels, etc., that they would like to have out of the way. Pack them up and ship them on to Caro. Uncle Samuel now makes a very low postage rate on four pounds or more so try and make up at least a four pound package. Old copies of Leslie's Weekly would prove interesting. As to his earning funds we wish to say that his pictures are very nice for water color work and are worthy of a place on a wall in any home. Those that would like to have one can do so by sending him 25 cents. If he gets enough of these orders he will have the pleasure of having his candy or buy himself a phonograph. Those who would like to send him a box direct could do so although the postage adds greatly to the expense. If any reader prefers they can send the amount and we will arrange with a Caro store to deliver the goods. Now about the phonograph: Who has a second hand outfit with a lot of records that they wish to dispose of? Come open up a cheerful chord and offer it for a "song," give him a chance to get it dirt cheap. No doubt after he gets an outfit our readers will supply him with records that will fit the machine. Now you Caro readers: Get right up and start over to Mr. McDurmon's home and see what you can do for him and see that it is done and don't overlook the little sister and see that she gets a little pleasure too. If possible that Mr. McDurmon can be bundled up, see that he gets an automobile ride and not only one but a lot of rides as now will be time to supply this pleasure. Take him to the "movie" if no other entertainment place is open or to a base ball game. Take him out on the country roads to see the fruit trees in blossom, etc. Too many of us say we are thankful that we are not in such condition and still we do not show our thankfulness in a practical manner by helping those who need assistance or even a kind word of encouragement. Acts of charity always bring their rewards and if you have doubts of this statement try it out. We have yet to see it fail. We spent an hour on a charity matter last evening and today we had one of the biggest days we have had in two weeks. When business is off a bit, work slacks off or collections are not as good as they expect, a little charity work seems to bring about the desired results. And I am not alone in that idea. A friend of ours gave $1000 towards building a new Y. M. C. A. and today he is erecting a $50,000 building for his business and he claims the increase of his business since the donation was made made it possible for him to do so. Don't put it off till you are well-to-do—you will get there quicker if you do a little charity as you are building up. Let me also say that recently we worked on a committee collecting funds and our experience was that the man earning $2 to $3 a day gave more than the man that employed him who was making from $10 to $15 a day and even more, so you might fall in those same habits. And again would you like it said you were at one time a "tightwad"? Isn't there much more satisfaction in having it said you were a man amongst men and thus be doing your part in the charity each day, each week, each month and each year, as it comes up and you will have real pleasures and you will carry a more cheerful disposition which is so necessary to be successful.

We are going to run some ads for Mr. McDurmon and we ask our readers to favor him with orders. If this old world will give him half a show he will show some of us well folks how to run a business.

Something New for the Boys

Sport Shirts and Sport Blouses
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New Piping Rock Bows for Men, Just Received.

Special for Saturday

Misses' and Children's White Canvas Shoes

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Eight Sacks Free **WESTERN QUEEN** Eight Sacks Free

The Baby Face Flour

Six cans White Lily Baking Powder
Six one-pound cans Glenwood Coffee
Six ½ lb. cans Pleasant Valley Tea

FREE FREE FREE FREE

Saturday, June 10, 3:30 p. m. sharp

NOTICE

You are cordially invited to call at B. F. Benkelman's store any time this week before 3:30 p. m., Saturday, June 10, and register your name. You do not have to make a purchase or be a customer to win the Western Queen Flour or the other articles, as they are to be given away absolutely free at the Benkelman store. Just drop in now and register your name. Then be at the store next Saturday at 3:30 p. m. when drawing will take place.

Drawing will be in charge of Mr. Walker A. Gainey, General Agent for Michigan for Western Queen Flour.

B. F. Benkelman
Sole Distributors, Cass City

NEW GREENLEAF.

Marshal Shoemaker of Detroit was the guest of Howard Hoadley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McRae are the proud parents of a baby girl. She answers to the name Lela Irene.

Arthur Creuger is entertaining his brother of Kinde this week.

Miss Mary McLellan closed her school in this district last Friday.

Mrs. Mousseau of Pinnebog is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Cregeur, at this writing.

Angus McLeod is the owner of an Overland car.

Miss Joanna McRae is spending her vacation in Detroit.

Andy Patrick made a business trip to Detroit last Saturday.

Miss Laura Wells of Deford spent a few days last week as the guest of Mrs. Roy Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Jones of Clarkston are visiting the latter's sister Mrs. D. H. McColl, this week.

Miss Hazel Hoadley, who has been employed at State Hospital in Pontiac, is spending the summer at her parental home here.

Will Hempton is employed at the elevator this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Powell spent the week end with relatives at Grant Center.

Lela McLellan has returned to her home here after spending several weeks with her sister, Mrs. Robert Esau, of Detroit.

The young people of this vicinity are enjoying the ice cream at Arthur Cregeur's these evenings.

Hugh McColl spent a few days last week as the guest of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh McColl, of Cass City.

Elihu Yale's Grave.

Elihu Yale, from whom the college in New Haven took its name, sleeps in the graveyard at Wrexham church, near Chester, England. The following inscription (restored some years ago by the council of Yale) is to be found on one side of his tombstone:

Born in America, in Europe bred, in Africa traveled, in Asia wed,
Where long he lived and thrived; in London dead.
Much good, some ill he did, so hope all's even
And that his soul through mercy's gone to heaven.

She Meant an Escalator.

It was a Brooklyn Mrs. Malaprop who said "there ought to be an osculator at every elevated road stairway." A daughter (in high school) silenced her erring lips with a respectful kiss.—Brooklyn Eagle.

A Definition.

Little Elmer—Papa, what is hope? Professor Broadhead—Hope, my son, is what we have left.—Exchange.

The Chronicle, one year, $1.00.