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MASS MEETING AT CASS CITY SATURDAY

EVERY FARMER WITHIN TEN
MILES INVITED TO AT-
TEND MEETING.

Cass City has been assured a milk condensary if a sufficient number of cows will be furnished by the farmers. In order to canvass the situation, a mass meeting will be held at Cass City on Saturday, Jan. 13, at 2:00 p. m., at the town hall, and every farmer residing within a radius of ten miles of the town is urged to attend.

Manager Chamberlain and Field Agent Morris of the Uby Condensary were in Cass City Tuesday afternoon and met several farmers and business men who were interested in the condensary project. Mr. Chamberlain expressed himself as well satisfied with the water and sewerage facilities at Cass City and stated that the securing of a condensary depended upon the securing of a sufficient number of cows.

John Retherford, when asked his opinion regarding a condensary, threw a laugh when he stated that the farmers in his section were well satisfied with the Deford condensary until they were asked to take a financial interest in the plant. Mr. Retherford wasn't the only one present who had taken stock in this much lamented investment. "Seriously," said Mr. Retherford, "we were just getting in shape and were well satisfied with the returns from our milk when the blow-up came."

Mr. Retherford and the others present were assured that the company backing the present project was not looking for investors but patrons.

Luther Souden of Greenleaf township said one-half of the farmers in his neighborhood favored a condensary and Morrison Jones of the same township said he was getting ready to patronize one. Wilson Spaven of Ellington wondered whether a condensary would not interfere greatly with raising calves and other farmers were heard to raise a like objection. They were assured that Uby condensary patrons still raised calves, especially heifer calves. Another fact not generally known was brought to light and that was that high test milk brought a better price when sold to the condensary than that of ordinary quality.

Uby farmers appear well satisfied with the condensary at that point as the company has 340 patrons. Here are figures showing the number of pounds of milk sold and the size of the checks received during the last three months by five patrons.

Mrs. M. Brown—		
October	10314 lbs.	\$175.34
November	16416 lbs.	328.32
December	20982 lbs.	419.64
Chris Krug—		
October	5697 lbs.	\$ 96.85
November	13305 lbs.	266.10
December	19917 lbs.	398.34
John T. Martin—		
October	4572 lbs.	\$ 77.72
November	7631 lbs.	152.62
December	11822 lbs.	236.44
Robt. McDonald—		
October	2952 lbs.	\$ 50.18
November	2983 lbs.	59.69
December	3342 lbs.	71.85
Mrs. E. Wilson—		
October	5299 lbs.	\$ 39.08
November	6999 lbs.	139.98
December	10352 lbs.	207.04

THE CHRONICLE GOES TO \$1.50 A YEAR ON FEBRUARY 1

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January 31st, then, the price

WILL RENT BEET LAND Companies, Turned Down by Farmers, to Grow Crops.

It is reported from Saginaw that the sugar companies are securing leases of farms on which to raise their own tonnage of beets as a result of the demand of the farmers for an increase from \$6 to \$8 a ton. It is said that more than 1,500 acres have been leased and that the work of getting more is being pushed.

As the companies already provide the seed and most of the extra labor needed in the fields, it is claimed that in view of the attitude taken by many producers the companies have determined to use these resources to offset any decrease that might occur through the failure of the farmers to plant and raise the usual tonnage.

ODD FELLOWS LEASE NEW QUARTERS

WILL OCCUPY THIRD STORY OF
SHERIDAN HOTEL BLDG.
EARLY IN APRIL.

Members of Cass City Lodge, I. O. O. F., in regular session Tuesday evening decided, without a dissenting vote, to lease the third story of the Sheridan Hotel building from Wood & Schenck, the new owners, for a term of five years with a privilege of a ten year period. This floor will be converted into a model lodge room, reception room, dining room, kitchen, etc., by the new owners and will be for the use of the local Odd Fellow and Rebekah lodges. The lease covers heating, lighting and janitor service. Members of the lodge are feeling very good over the prospects of new quarters which they expect to occupy early in April. Not only will the lodge room rank with the finest in the state but its location could not be bettered.

Here is a rough draft of the third floor and its proposed division for lodge purposes:

Reception	Anteroom
11x11	
Kitchen	
Dining Room 14x30	Lodge Room 26x30

The editors of the Oxford Leader have had an extended Christmas. While most of us had finished with the 25th and its festivities on Monday, the Leader came out the following Friday, dated "Friday, December 25." Some celebration for a dry town.

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B. J. DAILEY NEW PRESIDENT OF FAIR

ADVANCE SALE OF MEMBERSHIP
TICKETS ADVOCATED
AND ADOPTED.

G. A. Striffler advocated the advance sale of membership tickets for the Cass City Fair at the annual meeting of the members of the fair association Monday evening and his suggestion readily met with favor. It is proposed to distribute membership tickets soon among merchants and representative farmers and "Boost the Fair" will be the slogan.

B. J. Dailey is the newly elected president of the fair, G. A. Striffler is vice president, Samuel Champion secretary and J. C. Farrell treasurer. J. D. Tuckey and Hugh Cooper were re-elected directors for terms of three years.

No changes were made in the price of tickets with the exception of those for single admission for vehicles which were increased from 25 cents to 35 cents.

F. J. Nash, jr., the retiring treasurer, reported an overdraft of \$70.80. In order to commence the new year with a clean slate, the 25 who were present at the meeting contributed \$45.00 towards eliminating the indebtedness and the remainder was secured from business men the following morning.

The selection of the fair dates has been left with the board of directors.

President Dailey has called a meeting of the directors for Jan. 17 at 2:00 p. m. at the council rooms.

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

DEPT. APPOINTMENTS MADE AND
HEADS OF COMMITTEES
ARE NAMED.

House and senate of the Michigan legislature reassembled Tuesday afternoon, the one with the business of listening to the committee appointments of Speaker Wayne Rice who was chosen unanimously at the opening of the legislative sessions last week, and to pass on the Kent county contests, the other to receive for its approval the list of departmental appointments which Governor Sleeper would make.

Disposing of these matters, the senate will adjourn from day to day during the balance of the week and the house will proceed to receive the gist of early bills which the members have prepared for the legislative hopper. Next week the committees appointed to visit the institutions and report on their needs will make their pilgrimages and not until after their return will the legislature settle down to the actual business of making laws.

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MRS. FRED WOOLMAN

Funeral Services Held Monday Afternoon at M. E. Church.

The funeral of Mrs. Fred Woolman, who died Friday, Jan. 5, following an illness of pulmonary tuberculosis, was held at the M. E. church Monday afternoon. Rev. J. W. Young conducted the services and interment was made in Elkland cemetery.

Clara L. Lounsbury was born at Eden, Ont., Aug. 8, 1888. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Lounsbury, moved to Michigan in 1890, settling near Wickware and later in Elmwood township. In 1909 she was united in marriage with F. D. Woolman who died Nov. 13, last. To this union one daughter, Winnifred, was born. Besides this daughter, Winnifred, Mrs. Woolman is survived by her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Lounsbury, two brothers Emery and Arya Lounsbury, both of Elmwood, three sisters, Mrs. Perry Livingston, Mrs. Wesley Walters and Mabel Lounsbury.

Any one can tell you what the Hugh Seed farm is like. Choicest land, good 12 room house, two fine barns and other out buildings. The most beautiful home site in Tuscola County. To be sold on Jan. 20, at the premises one-half mile north of Cass City. 1-5-3

Found—Money in Cass City in E. W. Jones' store. Prove property, pay for this notice and receive money at Chronicle office. 1-12-1

SEND IN SLIPS TO THE RURAL CARRIER

To the Patrons of the Rural Routes:

The carriers are now depositing slips in the boxes on which the names of all persons receiving mail should be written plainly and promptly returned to the box. Children are growing up and new help is being employed at the various homes who are unknown to the postmaster or carrier and mail cannot be delivered promptly unless a correct list is furnished from time to time as requested. Let every patron of a rural mail route give this prompt and careful attention and they will co-operate with the postal employees who are ever desirous of giving the best possible service.

Respectfully,
J. M. Dodge, Postmaster.

MOTHER OF 1ST WHITE GIRL IN GRANT DEAD

MRS. JOHN R. BODEY PASSED
AWAY AFTER ILLNESS
OF NINE DAYS.

Mrs. John R. Bodey died at her home in Cass City Jan. 9, after an illness of nine days. The deceased suffered from a paralytic stroke.

Lydia A. Baxter was born on Long Island Sound in the year of 1835. She lived there with her parents until two years of age when they moved to New York State. When nine years old they moved to Stuben County, Ohio, and in later years went to Indiana. There she met John Reuben Bodey and on Dec. 2, 1854, they were united in marriage.

In the fall of 1863 they came to Grant township, Huron Co., Michigan. To them was born the first white girl in Grant. In 1864 Mr. Bodey was called to the Civil War where he served one year and was then honorably discharged because of sore eyes. He returned home where he and his wife worked in the wilderness to raise their family. Mr. Bodey died seven years ago next June.

To this union were born six children, two boys and four girls; of whom four are left to mourn the loss. The children are Samuel F. Bodey of Caro, Mary L., who died at two years of age, Mrs. John Finkle of Great Falls, Mont., Mrs. Thomas Cosgrove, who preceded her mother, 22 years ago, Joseph D. Bodey of Sask., Canada, and Mrs. Bert Burton of Gagetown.

Mrs. Bodey at the time of her death was 81 years, eight months, and nine days old. She was a faithful and affectionate wife and loving mother. For more than 30 years she has been a faithful Christian member of the Seventh Day Advents.

MRS. ANNA BLADES

Early Settler of Cass City Died at Home in California.

Funeral services over the body of Mrs. Anna Blades, who passed away Thursday at her home, 621 E. 30th St., Los Angeles, were held Saturday afternoon from the Chapel of Sharp & Son. Rev. Edward W. Locke officiated and the text was taken from 1st Corinthians 15th chapter.

Mrs. Blades is survived by her husband, John W. Blades, three children, Mrs. Jas. Henry of Los Angeles, Miss Irene of San Francisco and Grover of Visalia, California, two grandchildren and one sister and one brother of Milford, Mich., and one sister of Belfast, Ireland. Beautiful floral offerings were received from her many Los Angeles and Michigan friends, also from the Telephone and Pacific Light & Power Co. with whom Mr. Blades and son are connected.

Mr. and Mrs. Blades were old settlers of Cass City. They came to this vicinity in 1875 and left for California in 1906.

Wanted.
One or two loads of straw. G. L. London. 1-12-1f

Feed your stock Hess Stock tonic. It more than pays for itself. All size packages at Burke's Drug Store.

One year's subscription to "Kodakery", a little magazine devoted to the amateurs' interests, given with every Eastman Kodak or Brownie. Ask Wood.

For Sale—One cutter, one cutter runner. A. A. Hitchcock. 1-12-1

I am paying Detroit prices for raw furs. Bring them in quick and get your money quick. G. L. Hitchcock. 12-15-

TUSCOLA FARMERS OUT FOR \$8 BEETS

MEET IN CARO AND HOIST THE
SLOGAN SOUNDED AT
SAGINAW MEETING.

"Eight dollars per ton or no beets" is the substance of a resolution adopted by a large number of representative farmers of Tuscola county who gathered at the court house at Caro Saturday afternoon when the Tuscola Co. Beet Growers Association was organized.

Robt. Reavey called the meeting to order and faced a crowd which occupied all the seats in the court room and placed standing room at a premium. Only one instance is known in recent years when the court room held such a crowd and that was at a caucus of Caro electors when the village had a strenuous local political fight on.

A. B. Cook of Owosso, an ex-senator and president of the state association of bean growers, addressed the farmers. He stated that too much thought and attention of the farmer had been given to the matter of producing and not enough to marketing. By devoting more attention to the latter, he said, the farmer will add more to his net returns.

Mr. Cook related his experiences by saying that he presented the matter to President Kedsie of Michigan Agricultural College, who approved the plan of getting the representatives of the farmer and manufacturers together for a conference and offered to secure the attendance of the factory officials. In an attempt to carry out his promise, he later said that he had been met by a refusal on the part of the officials to discuss the question with any organization, but they would do so individually with the farmers if they desired. President Kedsie therefore found himself helpless and withdrew from the game.

In the \$8.00 price, Mr. Cook explained that \$7.60 per ton goes to the farmer and 40 cents per ton is added to the laborer's returns. The laborers' increase would influence them in working to secure as large a tonnage as possible for the grower, a thing which has been quite frequently neglected in the past.

W. F. Dowling was elected president of the county association and Clarence Donahue secretary. Vice presidents were chosen as follows:

Akron—E. A. Ross.
Almer—Robt. P. Reavey.
Columbia—Ed. Dillon.
Denmark—Guy Baker.
Ellington—Preston Richardson.
Elmwood—Smith Luther.
Fairgrove—Jos. McAlpine.
Gilford—Frank Dawson, jr.
Indianfields—Ed. Purdy.
Junata—Phil Honstinger.
Tuscola—J. J. Hecht.
Vassar—Geo. Gray.
Wells—Archie Adams.
Wisner—Frank Beach.

A hat collection at Saturday's meeting secured \$54.12 for use in furthering the association's work throughout the county.

All that is necessary for a farmer to join the association, the officers state, is for him to attach his signature to the membership list. No money is necessary, but they will accept small amounts from those who desire to contribute to further the work of the association.

FARMERS' INSTITUTE

Will Be Held at Beuley Church
Next Tuesday.

S. C. Robinson of Burt will be the state speaker at the farmers' institute which will be held at the Beuley church next Tuesday, Jan. 16.

Mr. Robinson will have for his subject at the forenoon session "Eliminating Some Risks of Farming" and John Moore will tell "How to Keep the Boys on the Farm." The president of the County Farmers Institute Society will make the introductory remarks and dinner will be served at noon by the ladies of the community.

Music will open the afternoon session. "The Farmer and His Market" will be Mr. Robinson's subject and James Maharg will conduct the question box. C. E. Hartsell is in charge of the institute as conductor.

Ask your grocer for home made flour and take no other kind. Red Rose for bread and Tuscola for pastry; you will be pleased with them. Elkland Milling Co. 1-12-

Money to Loan.
\$10,000.00 to loan on real estate mortgages at Cass City Bank. 12-15-4

CHICAGO FIRM BUYS PICKLE STATIONS

The pickle salting station at Cass City which, with other similar plants throughout the Thumb, have been operated by The Williams Bros. Pickle Co. of Detroit, on January 1st passed into the hands of Libby, McNeil & Libby of Chicago.

The new owners will conduct the business along the same lines as heretofore. W. L. Penfold, of Wilnot, who served so efficiently as district manager for the retiring firm, has been retained in the same capacity by the acquiring company.

SANILAC ARSON CASE DISMISSED

ROBERT SCHONBERGER OF DE-
TROIT FREED BY SANDUS-
KY COURT.

The case of Robert Schomberger and Harry Finklestein, both of Detroit, who were charged with arson, was thrown out of court at Sandusky last Wednesday by Judge Beach. Schonberger was tried in circuit court at the October term and the result was a disagreement of the jury by eleven to one in favor of acquittal. Sam Strauss, who confessed to burning the Foster barns at Brown City was the main witness of the prosecution. The prosecution threw up its hands and Judge Beach dismissed the case.

MRS. GEORGE HELWIG

Funeral Services Were Held in Evan-
gelical Church Sunday.

The Evangelical church was crowded Sunday afternoon by the many relatives and friends who were present to attend the funeral of Mrs. George Helwig, whose sudden death after four days illness was briefly mentioned in last week's Chronicle. Rev. S. Cormany, the pastor, was in charge of the service and preached the sermon. He was assisted by Rev. C. E. Boone. Interment was made in Elkland cemetery.

Mrs. George Helwig (nee Warner) was born in Lancaster, N. Y., January 14, 1851, where she spent her early life and was united in marriage to George W. Helwig on February 10, 1870. To this union 10 children were born all of whom are living. They are Mrs. Grant McConnell, Mrs. George Bartle, Mrs. Samuel Jaus, Mrs. Harve Klinkman, Mrs. Clare Spurgeon, Edward and Samuel Helwig, all of Cass City, Mrs. William Cooper of Flint, and Miss Minnie and George Helwig, both of Lancaster, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs. Helwig moved to Cass City in the year of 1881 and settled on a farm 2 1/2 miles east of Cass City where they have since resided and where Mrs. Helwig's death occurred Thursday morning, January 4.

She leaves to mourn her sad death her husband, 10 children, 11 grandchildren, four brothers and two sisters. The brothers are Michael, Frederick, John and Samuel Warner, and the sisters are Mrs. Philip Mook and Mrs. George Fischback, all of Lancaster, N. Y. One sister preceded her in death two years ago.

The best of cough and cold remedies at Burke's Drug Store.

Cows for sale or exchange for Durham calves. John Moshier, Deford. 1-12-3p

Seasoned wood for sale. Also 8 acres of poplar timber. D. C. Elliott, Phone 138—2 L, 1 S. 1-5-1

150-acre farm for sale on sections 6 and 7 of Novesta township. For further particulars apply to Amos Gingrich, Cass City, Mich. R4. 1-21-4

Wanted—Tame rabbits, white, black and spotted; no greys. Write, stating price, to F. Stevenson, The Furrier, Caro, Mich. R. D. 4. Box 57. 1-12-2

Eastman films are the best made. Wood sells and develops them.

For Sale.
160-acre farm, 4 miles northeast of Gagetown, one of the richest farms in Huron county; brick house; large basement barn; 6 acres of fruit—peaches, grapes, raspberries, etc.; nice location; a bargain at \$10,000. Will take smaller farm or village property in part payment. F. D. Wright, Gagetown. 12-29-3p

For Sale.
Light delivery wagon, good as new; light pair bob sleighs; 3 sets single harness. S. Champion. Phone 45—3. 12-22-

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ATWATER.

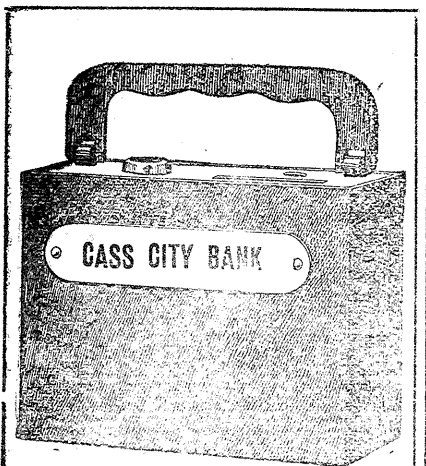
Mr. and Mrs. Phillip McComb spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McComb of Atwater.
Mrs. M. Ternes of Ivanhoe, who underwent an operation for cancer in the Bad Axe hospital, is getting along very nicely.
Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and daughter, Mabel, Mr. and Mrs. John C. Fay and sons, Frank and Manly, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McComb of Atwater.
Mr. and Mrs. John Lawrence and daughter, Mabel, of Houghton, South Dakota, and Mrs. Amos Laur of Dryden, Mich., have been visiting Mrs. Lawrence's and Mrs. Laur's sister, Mrs. John C. Fay. Mrs. Laur returned to her home last Wednesday while the Lawrences remained a week longer.
Mr. and Mrs. John C. Fay announce the marriage of their eldest son, Fred Nelson, to Miss Carrie Bell Farr on Thursday, Dec. 28, 1916, at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Farr 121-24th St. South, Billings, Montana. Also the marriage of their son, John Edward, to Miss Emily Jonason on Saturday, Dec. 30, 1916 at Great Falls, Montana.

BLKLAND-ELMWOOD.
TOWN LINE.

Elmer Simmons is on the sick list.
E. A. Livingston has blood poison in his hand.
B. F. Moon has sold his 40 acres to John Leishman.
Mrs. A. Coon visited at E. Bingham's home Monday.
Miss Edith Evans has been sewing for Mrs. Frank Reed.
Miss Marian Livingston is visiting her grandparents in Gagetown.
Mrs. C. Bingham visited at R. McConey's home one day last week.
Mr. and Mrs. D. Hurd of Caro visited at the H. Youman and D. Auten homes last week.
Mr. and Mrs. A. Bingham had a family reunion last week, and those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Richter of Bay City, Mr. and Mrs. I. K. Reed, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dillman, Mr. and Mrs. John Dillman, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Bingham of Gagetown and Miss Dolwick.

KINGSTON-NOVESTA.
TOWN LINE.

Lewis Retherford's family have all been sick with the gripe.
Art Legg and daughter, Cecil, of Kingston were town line callers Monday.
Keith Retherford spent a few days of last week with relatives at Marlette.
George Martin and W. O. Coleman made a business trip to Kingston Tuesday.
No school this week on the townline on account of the illness of the teacher, Miss Ruby Nesbitt.
Mrs. John McCracken is improving but Mr. McCracken does not seem to be much better, being confined to his bed part of the time.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Coleman and children of Pontiac spent the first of the week with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Coleman.
Mr. and Mrs. Benj. Hicks, jr., who have been visiting the former's parents here, have returned to their home in Detroit.
Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schell and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hutchinson of Cass City and George and Fred Cooper of this place attended the funeral of Mrs. Wm. Cummings of North Branch last Sunday. Mrs. Cummings was formerly Mrs. Florence Ogden.



Cass City Bank
of I. B. AUTEN
Established 1882
Pays 4% interest
Money to loan on Real Estate
SAFETY DEPOSIT BOXES FOR RENT.
G. A. TINDALE, Cashier.
M. B. AUTEN, Asst. Cashier.

WILMOT.

Basil Hartt spent over Sunday at his parental home.
Mrs. Fred Clark of Mitchell is visiting Mr. Clark's parents here.
It is with much regret we hear of the serious illness of John McCracken at Deford.
Miss Allie Hartt returned to Detroit after spending the holidays with her parents here.
Miss May Burt has gone to Pontiac where she expects to work either in a factory or at housework.
Mrs. L. Barrows, Grandma Barrows is quite ill and has been confined to her bed for several days.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hack and two children of Mayville are visiting relatives in and around Wilmot for a few days.
Mrs. Mary Graves went to Detroit Saturday to help care for her little niece, Evelyn Laughlin, who has scarlet fever.
Word was received last week of the death at North Branch of Mrs. Florence Ogden Cunningham, who was well known in this vicinity where she lived until a few years ago.
At the ladies' aid dinner at Mrs. Earl Clemmons last Wednesday the following officers were elected for this year: President, Mrs. Jane Green; vice president, Mrs. Althea Hawkins; secretary, Mrs. Lizzie Teskey; treasurer, Mrs. Hattie Hartt. The M. E. Sunday School elected A. J. J. Supt.; Asst. Supt., E. Clemmons; sec., Unice Wentworth; treas., Maggie Snover; Organist, Iva Green; Chorister and Librarian, Georgie Clemmons. Last Friday the Epworth League held their regular business meeting at the home of Miss May Burt and elected Earl Clemmons pres.; Maggie Snover, first and third vice pres.; Iva Green, second and fourth vice pres.; Anna Hitley, sec.; Earl Clemmons, treas.; Unice Wentworth, organist; Georgie Clemmons, chorister.

NOVESTA.

Mrs. A. J. Crafts is very ill.
The ladies' of Church of Christ will meet with Mrs. Douglass McLarty Wednesday, Jan. 17. Everybody cordially invited.
John Wooley received word that Mrs. Wooley, who is a patient in a Detroit hospital, is getting along as well as can be expected. Mrs. Wooley's friends are pleased to receive this good news.
Mrs. James Tracey, who has been a patient at Harper hospital at Detroit, returned home Wednesday.
Mrs. M. W. Charlton of Everett is visiting at the home of Robt. Charlton. Her husband expects to join her here Sunday.
Mrs. Clyde Quick was taken to Pleasant Home Hospital for treatment Tuesday.

McHUGH.

Chas. Severance was a business caller in Sandusky Tuesday and Wednesday.
Mrs. George Connell has returned to her home after an extended visit in Detroit.
Dr. Stork presented Mr. and Mrs. George Potter with a son on Friday. Mother and babe are doing nicely.
Mrs. Robert Coulter entertained Mrs. David Harris on Sunday.
Wm. Bullock is suffering with a very sore face caused from ring worms.
Special meetings still continue at the Mennonite church with increased interest. Elder Ruby is a powerful and fearless speaker. It is worth your while to come and hear him. Cottage prayer meeting in the afternoon.

MINE SIGNAL DEVICE.

New Apparatus Provides a Practically Foolproof Code.
The signal systems of mines have seen considerable improvement of recent years. The new Adnil English device is an apparatus for use in mines with audible and visual signals. It provides a practically foolproof code of signals for the hoists that convey men and materials in and out of the mines, writes an expert in the Engineering and Mining Journal.
The signals are sent in the following way: If a hoist signal is to be given from any mine level the miner moves the lever of his instrument around until the pointer is over the required signal—for instance, placing it over No. 6. This has the effect of placing the pointers of all the other instruments, the engine room excepted, upon signal No. 6. At the same time the acoustic signal is sounded at each point six times. When ready for the order to be carried out by the engine man the man at the surface passes it on to him by merely pressing a "carry out" push. This causes the signal No. 6 to be recorded on the dial of the engine house receiver and the electric horn or bell to sound six times, while the pointers on all the other instruments all come back to zero. The signal thus given remains on the engineer's instrument until a fresh signal comes in.
Each instrument is provided with an indicator to show the level from which the order is being sent in, and by a special contrivance it is impossible for a signal to be given from any other point than the one indicated. This renders mistakes or malicious interference impossible, and there can never be any doubt as to where each signal is sent from.
In case of pressing danger another signal, differing in tone from the other alarms, can be given by pressing an emergency push, and this signal is sounded at the surface and in the engine room. The advantages claimed for the new device are simplest and quickest transmission from mine levels to surface, also the assurance that by a single pressure of a push the banksman transmits to the engineer only the signal given from below.

NEWS FROM THE STATE CAPITOL

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There is every indication that the session will be devoted more than ever before to the consideration of big state problems, for the first week saw little inquiry in the legislative reference library for information or assistance in the trivial matters which have come to be known as "freak legislation."
Insofar as legislation making effective the state-wide prohibition amendment is concerned, the dries seem to be awaiting the introduction of the measure drafted at the instigation of the Anti-Saloon league, and it is quite likely that the wets will offer nothing until this bill is in. Then the fight is likely to come over whether it shall pass in the form presented or be made more stringent or more liberal. That it will be amended in some of its details is beyond question of a doubt, but the big issue is whether, having by constitutional amendment abolished the saloon, the state shall be content with legislative restriction and regulation of importation of liquor from other states. There has been strong pressure on the dry leaders to make the state absolutely dry, prohibiting in the importation and consumption of alcoholic liquors in any form or for any purpose whatsoever. There have been threats on the part of wet leaders that they would force such a condition to "sicken the state of prohibition." There are those of the dries who see the greatest advantage in the long run in permitting, under rigid restrictions, the importation of limited amounts of alcoholic beverages. Many of these would see the state totally dry eventually, but believe that this ultimatum should be gradually accomplished. And there is an element which sees in the licensed saloon the great danger, and having accomplished its downfall would rest content. Somewhere among these elements the balance must be struck which will add up the sum of prohibition which shall prevail in Michigan after May, 1918.

As it stands now the draft of the proposed dry law requires druggists who want to sell liquor to carry at least \$1,000 drug stock outside of patent medicines, except in towns of less than 500 people where the limit is \$500, limits liquor sales to six ounce prescriptions, requires physicians writing liquor prescriptions to specify the need of the prescription and the number of prescriptions written for the patient during the year, prohibits banks and individuals from handling orders payable on C. O. D. liquor shipments, forbids drinking in public, permits courts to abate as a nuisance, by injunction, any house or other building where liquor is sold or kept contrary to law, makes one quart of spirituous liquors, one gallon of vinous liquors, or three gallons of malted liquors or one gallon of other intoxicating liquors beyond those enumerated, the limit for shipment to an individual in four consecutive weeks, and the same amount is the limit of possession. A posting system now in effect as to saloons is to be used in the drug stores, posting the names of habitual drunkards. Records of liquor sales are to be turned over periodically to prosecuting attorneys and by them sent to the state commissioner of prohibition. Search and seizure laws, which are wide in latitude, are included. These are the principal provisions as the measure now stands.

The Roberts-DeLand bill, prepared by Senators Roberts, of Marquette, and DeLand, of Jackson, and introduced last Wednesday, provides for a budget commissioner at a salary of \$5,000 to be appointed by the governor and to act with the governor and the auditor-general on appropriations for departments and institutions, was the first bill introduced in the senate. One of its provisions is that no money shall be drawn from the state treasury in advance of the time it is needed by any state officer, department, commission, board or institution for use for the purpose for which the appropriation is made. Such a provision would prevent any deficiencies in the state treasury.

In the house, Rep. Charles Foote, of Kent county, has introduced a bill providing for a commission of three men, appointed by the governor, to investigate the budget systems of other states. An appropriation of \$15,000 is provided and provision made for a report to the legislature on March 1, or if the work cannot be done in that time, to the legislature of 1919.

For the benefit of the uninformed, a budget system would mean a careful study of the needs and demands of the state institutions and the various departments, with comparative statements as to one another and as to previous years and a careful and economical determination of the sums which shall be appropriated, instead of the present method of appropriating the largest sums to the institutions which bring to bear the most pressure. It would mean a final determination in advance of the money's to be expended and the barring of deficiency appropriations.

Refusal by Fred W. Stevens, of Ann Arbor, of the appointment of railroad commission in place of the late Lawton T. Hemans was a disappointment to Governor Sleeper, who had declared his determination to get the best man possible for the job, and

who in Stevens would have had a man long trained in railroad finances, a former member of the house of Morgan and a person whose knowledge of Michigan's railroad problems is peculiarly valuable because of his former connection with the Pere Marquette railroad. However, Addison A. Kaiser, who is slated for the job, is said to be an attorney of unusual ability, is now mayor of Ludington and has the confidence of those who know him. Cass Benton, of Northville, Sleeper's choice for tax commissioner, as tax commissioner of Wayne county, has had an excellent training for the state post.

Governor Sleeper's choice of Dr. Rolph Duff, of Armada, Congregational minister in that village, came as a surprise to everyone. The governor had offered the post to several different newspaper men, each of whom had interests which made it impossible to accept. A dozen candidates who had offered themselves for the job were pushed aside with slight consideration and the governor suddenly made up his mind to the country minister and calling him up by telephone tendered him the \$2,500 plumed. Duff accepted and came on at once. He is a bachelor, 51 years old, and is what is known as "a man's man." He was a candidate for the state senate last fall but was defeated. He has been for twenty years in the ministry.

Lieutenant Governor Dickinson's appointments met with general satisfaction among the senators. Senator Foster, of Lansing, who is chairman of the liquor committee, was a member of the same committee last session. He was very active in the campaign which put Ingham county in the dry column.

The complete list of chairmen of senate committees is as follows: Agricultural interests, Miller, Greenville; apportionment, Willison, Climax; banks and corporations, Morford, Gaylord; Central Michigan Normal school, DeLand, Jackson; cities and villages, Tripp, Allegan; claims and public accounts, Forrester, Deckerville; college of mines, Damon, Mt. Pleasant; constitutional amendments, White, Grand Rapids; counties and townships, Holmes, Romeo; education and public schools, Covert, Pontiac; elections, Condon, Detroit; executive business, Foster, Lansing; federal relations, Koehler, Detroit; finance and appropriations, Scott, Detroit; fisheries, W. W. Smith, Buckley; forestry interests and state land, Morford, Gaylord; gaming interests, Wood, Manistique; geological survey, Penney, Saginaw; horticulture, Martin, Fruitport; immigration, Harrington, Grand Rapids; industrial home for girls, E. V. Smith, Nashville; industrial school for boys, Holmes, Romeo; insurance, Scully, Almont; Ionia State Hospital, Scott, Detroit; judiciary, Wood, Manistique; Kalamazoo State Hospital, Miller, Greenville; labor interests, DeLand, Jackson; liquor traffic, Foster, Lansing; mechanical interests, Scully, Almont; Michigan Agricultural College, Harrington, Grand Rapids; Michigan Employment Institution for the Blind, Wilcox, Calumet; Michigan Farm Colony for Epileptics, Damon, Mt. Pleasant; Michigan Home and Training School, McRae, Greenbush; Michigan Reformatory, Bryant, Sand Creek; military affairs, Gansser, Bay City; mining interests, Wilcox, Calumet; Newberry State Hospital, Martin, Fruitport; Normal College, Murtha, Detroit; Northern State Normal School, White, Grand Rapids; Pontiac State Hospital, Willison, Climax; printing, Bolen, Battle Creek; rules and joint rules, Scott, Detroit; public buildings, McRae, Greenbush; public health, Stewart, Flint; railroads, E. V. Smith, Nashville; religious and benevolent societies, Koehler, Detroit; roads and bridges, Bryant, Sand Creek; saline interests, Tufts, Ludington; School for the Blind, Tripp, Allegan; School for the Deaf, Tufts, Ludington; Soldiers' Home, Gansser, Bay City; state affairs, Planck, Bristol, Ind. R. F. D.; state library, Hanley, Detroit; State Prison at Jackson, Hanley, Detroit; State Prison at Marquette, Willison, Climax; State Public School, Murtha, Detroit; State Tuberculosis Sanatorium, W. W. Smith, Buckley; supplies and expenses, Bolen, Battle Creek; taxation, Roberts, Marquette; Traverse City State Hospital, Stewart, Flint; University of Michigan, Penney, Saginaw; Western Michigan Normal School, Covert, Pontiac.

The Art of Embalming.

The modern embalmers have not recovered the secret of the art as practiced by the old Egyptians and probably never will. Some of the bodies known to us as "mummies" buried 3,000 or 4,000 years ago are still in a state of perfect preservation. Back of the ancient art lay a religious creed. The ancient Egyptian believed that after many thousands of years the soul came back to find its body and that if it was not found the soul wandered forever in misery and wretchedness; hence it was absolutely necessary to preserve the body, and hence, finally, the embalmer's art.—New York American.

Greased Paper.

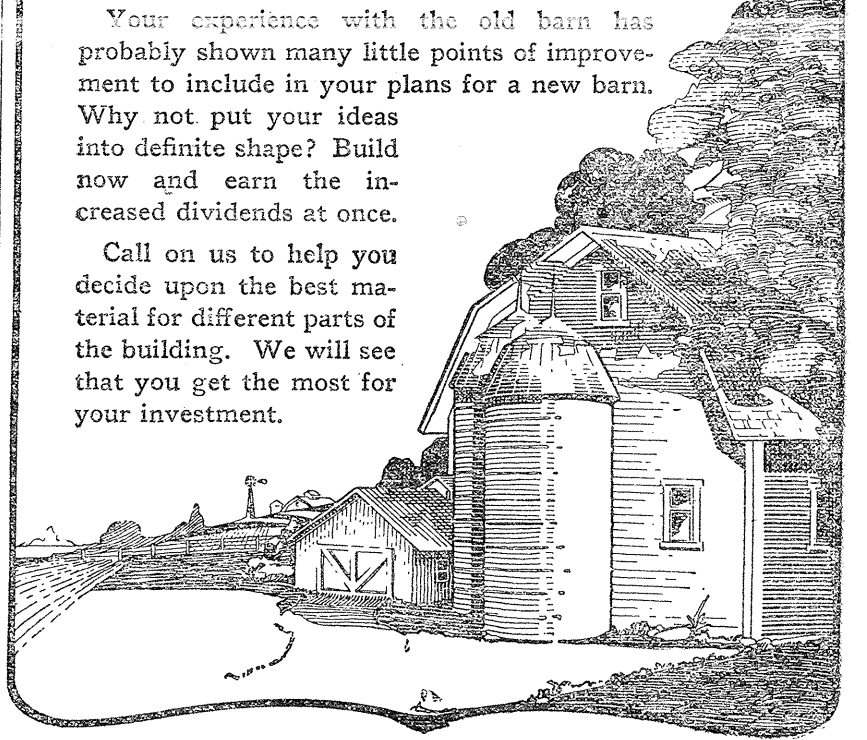
Paper in which butter, margarine or lard has been wrapped should be kept and used as a lining for cake tins, as a covering for a pudding which is to be steamed and for wrapping up suet roly polies before putting them into the cloth to be boiled. These papers are all ready without any more greasing, so there is a saving of both time and labor.

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A modern roomy barn lightens the farm work. It's good for you, it pleases the hired help and saves money in the long run by keeping the stock in good condition.

Your experience with the old barn has probably shown many little points of improvement to include in your plans for a new barn. Why not put your ideas into definite shape? Build now and earn the increased dividends at once.

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Big Sale

Begins Friday, Jan. 19

Palmer Bros., Gagetown

LOCAL ITEMS

Mrs. Hugh McBurney is ill. James Greenleaf is ill with lagrippe. Mrs. Z. P. Lang is nursing Mrs. John Moore at Grant.

Mrs. John Dilman entertained the Larkin Club Thursday.

Charles Rogers was a business caller in Bad Axe Wednesday.

N. Bigelow was a business caller in Caro and Gilford Monday.

John Gordon of Jackson was a business caller in town this week.

Harry Holden and daughter, Nila, of Yale are visiting at the home of George Burt.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Sinclair of Greenleaf visited Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Sinclair Saturday.

John Rogers visited his sister, Mrs. Roy Ottaway, at Gagetown from Friday until Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Doerr went to Delta, Ohio, Monday where she is the guest of Miss Hazle Rutter.

Mrs. C. Hitchcock went to Pingree Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Mudge for a few days.

Mrs. Wm. Burse returned Friday from Blenheim, Ont., where she visited friends the past two weeks.

Fred Fisher and Miss Hazel Fisher of Columbia were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Seed Tuesday.

James Campbell and Fred Fisher of Columbia were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lauderbach Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Ottaway of Gagetown were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rogers Sunday and Monday.

Samuel Champion has purchased his second Ford automobile. He expects to use the machine in his bill posting business throughout the Thumb.

Lillian Rogers returned to Azalia Thursday after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Rogers, a few weeks.

A. E. Boulton returned Saturday from Chicago where he visited a week at the home of his son, Chauncey Boulton.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Lauderbach and Miss Hazel Lauderbach are visiting friends at Columbia a few days this week.

Richard Charters and sister, Mrs. John Campbell, of Whitechurch, Ontario, have been visiting friends in this vicinity during the holiday season. Mr. Charters returned last week and Mrs. Campbell remains for some time longer.

Rev. J. A. Yeoman of Owendale visited Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Irwin Monday.

George Wright of Hinsdale, Mont., is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Spurgeon.

Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Dailey entertained the Night Hawk club Tuesday evening.

Albert Seeger of Greenleaf is ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Chas. McCaslin.

Mrs. Jos. Frutchey returned Monday from Detroit where she visited a few days.

Miss Allie Hart of Detroit was a guest of Mrs. Wm. Weldon Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Agnes Gardner, Mrs. John McLarty and Mrs. M. M. Schwegler on the sick list.

A. B. Cleland left Saturday to visit friends in Bad Axe and Forestville for a short time.

Harold Bettes of Ann Arbor was a guest at the I. W. Hall home Wednesday and Thursday.

Mrs. Ed. Hartt and son, Barton, spent Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Weldon.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Striffler and Mrs. G. A. Tindale attended the Farmers' Club dinner in Novesta Tuesday.

J. L. Wood visited friends in Sandusky from Thursday until Saturday.

Mrs. Anna Gill of Owendale visited Mrs. Jessie Pettit Monday.

Mrs. Andrew McKim has received word that her niece, Miss Hester McKim, has been awarded the Stoic scholarship at Ypsilanti normal.

Mr. and Mrs. P. S. McGregory, Miss Lura DeWitt, Dr. and Mrs. I. D. McCoy and Rev. W. F. Zander attended a ladies' aid dinner Wednesday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Durkee at Wickware.

Albert Schweitzer and Miss Edith Schweitzer, who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. George West for a few weeks, returned to their home in Rodney, Ont., Wednesday.

In a contest for attendance at the Baptist Sunday School, the Bible class was defeated and to close the contest the members of the class served a supper to the younger people of the school at the church Wednesday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. C. W. Clark and son, Carroll, of Caro and Mrs. J. W. Thiel and daughters, Florence and Betty, of Gary, Ind., spent Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Bailey. Mrs. Thiel and children will visit relatives in and near Cass City for a few weeks while Mr. Thiel is at Indianapolis acting as clerk at a session of the house of representatives.

L. Keegan is convalescent.

James Watson, jr., is employed at Swartz Creek.

Wallace Gilbert is the owner of a four-cylinder Buick.

H. P. Woolman was a business caller in Caro Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Lamb spent the week end with friends in Deckerville.

Mrs. I. B. Auten, Mrs. E. V. Spooner and Margaret and Jean McKenzie left Monday for Kalamazoo.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hoffarth and daughter, Clara, of Kingston spent the week-end at the home of Mrs. Mary Chambers.

The missionary society of the Methodist church will meet at the parsonage Friday, January 19. A good attendance is desired.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Robt. Cleland Friday, Jan. 12. A good attendance is desired as extra business will be transacted.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Schwaderer, Miss Leola Schwaderer and Curtis Hunt returned Wednesday from a visit with friends in Newberry, Wardsville and Rodney, Ontario.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Jones entertained the sales force of the Jones Grocery at their home Friday evening. Music and games furnished the evening's entertainment and the hostess served a delightful luncheon.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Holtz has been made very happy by visits of the latter's two sisters, Mrs. Wm. Lowe of Regina, Sask., and Mrs. L. B. Abraham of Sandusky, Ohio. Mrs. H.'s son, Arthur Aiken, of Alberta is also home for a visit. The three sisters had not met in 20 years. All left Friday to visit their aged mother of Charlevoix Co., Mich.

Miss Virginia, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hoagland, formerly of Cass City, is in very poor health at her parental home at Elba. She underwent an operation last May from which she never fully recovered and on Dec. 21 became seriously ill again. It is feared by attending physicians that it may be necessary for her to undergo a second operation.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tuckey gave a dinner Sunday in honor of the latter's brother, John Wright of Vegreville, Alta. Mr. Wright came to Michigan recently to spend a month with relatives. Among the guests at the Tuckey home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Luke H. Wright and Mr. and Mrs. John Day, all of Grant township. Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Wright and family of Pigeon and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Heller and family of Lapeer.

That the increased cost of printing material is placing havoc with the country printer is evidenced by the fact that up to this week 91 weekly newspapers in Michigan have raised their subscription price; 17 have adopted a strictly cash in advance system; 12 have cut down their size; and adopted a strictly cash in advance system; 12 have cut down their size; and several have increased their advertising rates. Aside from this, papers in five different cities and towns have been consolidated and a few papers in the smaller towns have been discontinued.

"Right this way" said the driver of a fine new Studebaker to L. J. Binkleman, a new salesman for Geo. C. Weatherby of Detroit, when he stepped from the noon train at Cass City the other day. Thinking hotels must be rather prosperous in this dry town, he stepped in and was landed in a jiffy at the fine house of G. A. Striffler where he was greeted by the genial "landlady" in the person of Mrs. Striffler whom he recognized as his cousin. Mr. Binkleman, making his first trip over the territory, had sent his cards ahead to merchants and the name revealed his identity to some of the family here and the surprise meeting at the Striffler home was greatly appreciated by a lonely commercial man on his first trip. Mr. Binkleman is a relative of the Benleman family here and the difference in the second letter in the name doesn't count. Someone not very remote in the ancestry of the family began the different spelling and it stuck.

STONE SCHOOL.

School commenced on Tuesday after a vacation of one week.

Second week of fifth month and everything going nicely.

Pupils neither absent nor tardy during month of December were Mark McCaslin, Melvina Giffert, Ward McCaslin and Eleanor Jones.

The new scholars beginning Monday were John, Peter, Marie and Caroline Carety, making a total enrollment of twenty-five now.

Wilford Lepla, Wesley and Edward Hubbel were absent last week on account of sickness.

The visitors for last week were Algier McPherson of Sandusky and Morley Wright of Cass City.

Everyone seems very much interested in the "Literary Digest" this week.

Seventh and eighth grades are outlining Monroe's administration this week.

Jennie O. Foote Teacher.

CUMBER.

Sleigh bells are ringing.

D. A. Preston transacted business in Ubyly last week.

Clemens Schiestel was in Ubyly one day last week.

E. Hawksworth made a business trip to Ubyly Monday.

Amos Lowe, who has been on the sick list, is better at this writing.

Miss C. Hurley spent Sunday at her home in Cass City.

Ross Brown, who has been working in Pontiac, returned to his home one day last week.

Milford Robinson was on the sick list last week.

Chester Pettinger, who lives in the Canadian Northwest, is home on a vacation.

Apple Pie.

The flavor of apple pie may be agreeably changed by a thin layer of quince jelly beneath the crust.

To Close Estate

The 45 3/4 acre farm, homestead of the late Hugh Seed, Cass City, will be offered at public sale at the premises 1/2 mile north of Cass City, on

JANUARY 20

at one o'clock p. m.

ALSO LOTS ONE AND TWO, block five of Seed's Second Addition to the Village of Cass City, CONTAINING LARGE, MODERN HOUSE IN FINEST RESIDENT SECTION.

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JOHN B. HENDERSON, Administrator

NEW MILLING SYSTEM.

It Marks a Great Advance in the Art of Cutting Metals.

Progress in the art of cutting metals has been a slow advance with occasional sudden, pronounced jumps, followed by the same slow advance. One such jump came in 1900 with the announcement of the development of high speed steel.

Another jump has just occurred, writes L. P. Alford in the American Machinist. A Cincinnati milling machine company has developed a system of milling that permits of cutter feeds and speeds some eight to twelve times higher than those in ordinary practice. Test cuts have been made in steel 0.2 carbon, 0.5 manganese, at a peripheral cutting speed of 800 feet per minute. Other cuts in the same material have been made at a feed of 112 inches (9 1/3 feet) per minute. The feature of the system is the supply and control of the lubricant, which is delivered in some ten times greater quantity than is ordinarily used. The cutter is in a flowing stream—hence "stream lubrication." Experts in machine shop practice who have seen these tests have unhesitatingly said that they foreshadow a tremendous advance in milling practice.

When Bathubs Were Curiosities.

The British Medical Journal asserts that a century back the English were a dirty people. England can hardly have been worse than the French. In 1718 Jean Baptiste de la Salle published "Les Regles de la Blenissance et de la Civilté Chretiennes," a manual for the guidance of youth, which has run into over fifty editions and is still in print. We are told that "for the sake of cleanliness it is well to rub the face every morning with a white towel in order to remove the dirt. It is not advisable to wash with water, for this exposes the face to the chills of winter and the heats of summer." This precept continued to appear in the manual until the edition of 1782.

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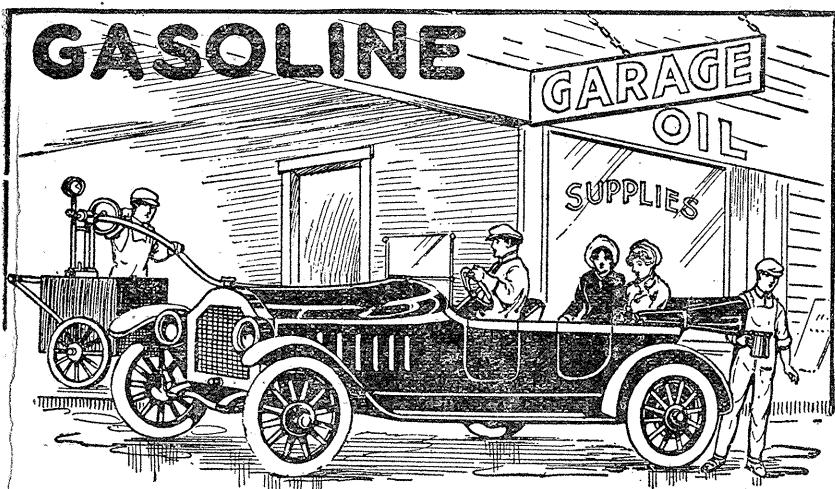
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Everything in the line of rubber sundries.

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Automobile owners cannot be too careful as to the quality of gasoline and lubricating oil they put in their cars.

It is not wise to stop your car at first one filling station and then another. This gives you mixed grades of "gas" and oil and plays havoc with your engine.

We handle only the best grades of gasoline and oil. And our prices are lower than you have often paid for cheaper grades. Get into the habit of calling here regularly and notice what a difference it will make in the way your car runs.

Quick and courteous service will meet you every time you stop here.

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The price of baker's bread is high, and every careful housewife welcomes HO-MAYDE BREAD IMPROVER. It enables you to make larger loaves of whiter, smoother and sweeter bread for less cost.

"HO-MAYDE BREAD" is deliciously appetizing. A teaspoonful of HO-MAYDE added to the water in which the yeast is dissolved, accelerates the yeast. Bread set in the morning is out of the oven by noon.

HO-MAYDE is a wholesome product that complies with pure food laws. No sour or chilled bread—no failures—more loaves from the same materials. If your grocer can't supply you, send 15c. Write for free sample.

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Rugs

Large and small at prices that can't be duplicated in Tuscola Co. One look and you are convinced.

15% Discount All Sizes

Linoleum

Five patterns to choose from during this sale.

45c Square Yard

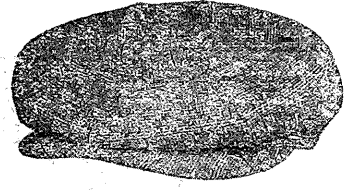


BARGAINS FOR the MEN

These bargains we could not duplicate at wholesale

Men's 25c Wool Hose Sale price per pair... **19c**
Men's 50c Wool Hose Sale price per pair... **39c**

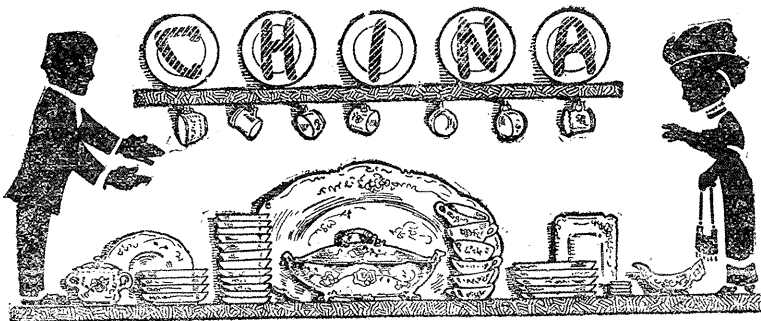
Men's Work Shirts, worth 60c Sale price... **43c**
Men's Fine Dress Shirts. Hundreds to select from. Worth 75c. Sale price... **43c**
Men's \$1.00 Flannel Shirts Sale price... **79c**
Men's Overalls. Blue Stripe, Plain Blue, or Brown Stripe. Worth \$1.25. Sale price... **89c**
Men's 60c Flannelette Gowns Sale price... **43c**
Men's Cotton Socks, Brown, Black or Blue, 10c. value Sale price, Two pairs for... **15c**



Men's 50c and 75c Caps Sale price... **39c**
Men's Felt Hats, worth \$1.50, sale price... **79c**
Men's and Boys' 25c Sale price... **19c**

Men's Suspenders Extra Special... **19c**
Boys' Work Shirts, worth 35c Sale price... **23c**

All Sweaters at Half Price.



1,000 pieces of Decorated Dishes, including cups and saucers, plates, platters, bowls, sauce dishes, soup bowls, pie plates, pitchers, etc., etc. Worth from 10c to 25c. Sale price—Your choice, each... **8c**

Dry Goods

200 yards Apron Gingham, 9c value Sale price per yard... **6½c**
500 yards Fancy Dress Ginghams, worth 12c Sale price, while they last, per yard... **8½c**
All 13c and 14c Dress Ginghams For, per yard... **10½c**
Mercerized Poplins, all colors. Worth 35c per yard Sale price, per yard... **19c**
20 pieces Outing—Light and Dark colors, 12c Grade Sale price, per yard... **10c**
Unbleached Cotton—Just 6 pieces of 10c quality. While it lasts 12 yards for... **98c**
Feather Ticking, 20c value Sale price per yard... **16c**
45-inch Pillow Tubing, Bleached, fine quality. Worth 35c. Sale price per yard... **22c**
400 yards Fine Linen Finish Toweling, worth 10c yard, sale price, per yard... **7½c**
All Linen Toweling, a 15c grade. While 200 yards last Sale price, per yard... **11c**
Cotton Dish Toweling, 6c value Sale price, per yard... **4½c**
Mercerized Napkins, regular price 10c each Sale price, per dozen... **79c**
Linen Napkins, 15c values Sale price, each... **10c**
Turkish Bath Toweling, worth 18c per yard. Sale price, per yard... **15c**

Don't let these table linen values get by. They are worth double at wholesale.

35c Table Cloth, 56-inches wide. Good quality and full bleached. Sale price, per yard... **21½c**
50c Table Cloth, mercerized finish Sale price, per yard... **39c**
75c Fine Mercerized Table Cloth. Beautiful patterns 60 inches wide. Sale price, per yard... **48c**
\$1.00 Mercerized Table Cloth. Just one piece. While it lasts, sale price, per yard... **83c**

Underwear

Underwear will cost you 20 per cent more next fall. Better lay in a supply now while you can buy at less than wholesale prices.

Men's 50c Fleece Lined Shirts and Drawers While they last. Sale price... **37c**
Men's 75c Woolmix Underwear. Grey striped. Best fitting underwear made. Sale price, each... **45c**
Men's \$1.25 Wool Shirts and Drawers Sale price... **89c**
Men's heavy fleeced Union Suits. Worth \$1.25 Sale price, each... **85c**
Ladies' 50c fleeced Shirts and Drawers. Best grade. Others ask 60c for same. Our sale price, each... **39c**
Ladies' \$1.25 Wool Shirts and Drawers Sale price... **85c**
Ladies' \$1.75 Wool Union Suits—White only Sale price... **1.39**

Don't let this sale go by without taking advantage of these Bargains.

After Inventory finds us with more In four weeks we go East to big stores means money and we m

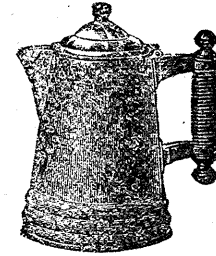
Here is the chance go farther

By holding this merchandise that is not our way of doing business and we are going to do it. Every or your money cheerfully refunded. dise will cost you more this year th are already placing orders with ma stock up now and thank me later.

Extra Specials EX

Don't overlook these specials. They won't come again. Others cannot duplicate them at such prices.

10-qt. Tin Pails, good quality, worth 19c. Sale price... **10c**
Russwin Food Choppers, will grind anything \$1.50 value. Sale price... **.89c**
Any article on 10c Tables Sale price... **.8c**
Any article on 5c Tables Sale price... **.4c**
35c Granite Tea or Coffee Pots. Sale price... **.23c**
20 doz. Men's and Boys' Ties Sale price, each... **.8c**
Heavy Glass Water Sets, Pitcher and 6 tumblers, per set... **.26c**
Heavy Stable Blankets, 22-inch size. \$1.00 value. Sale price... **.69c**
Good Matches, 5c value 8 boxes for... **.25c**
Ladies' 50c Shirt Waists, Sale price... **.39c**
Ladies' \$1.00 Shirt Waists Sale price... **.50c**
20 doz. thin, blown tumblers, frosted rims, 10c value, sale price, per doz... **.15c**
15 pieces Table Oilcloth, best quality. Worth 20c. Sale price, per yard... **.15c**
Ladies' \$1.00 Flannelette Gowns Sale price... **.50c**



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Come whether you buy or not. It will do you good to see these great Bargains.

BARGAIN SALE

AND ENDS SATURDAY, JANUARY 27, 1917

Stock than we should have on Jan. 1st.
Buy our Spring Stock. Buying for four
times what we have it.

So make your dollars
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Even if we could double our money, but
we are here to save you money
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Is that square enough? Merchants
have never before. We know, because we
are the manufacturers for next fall goods. Better
buy now. **B. J. DAILEY**

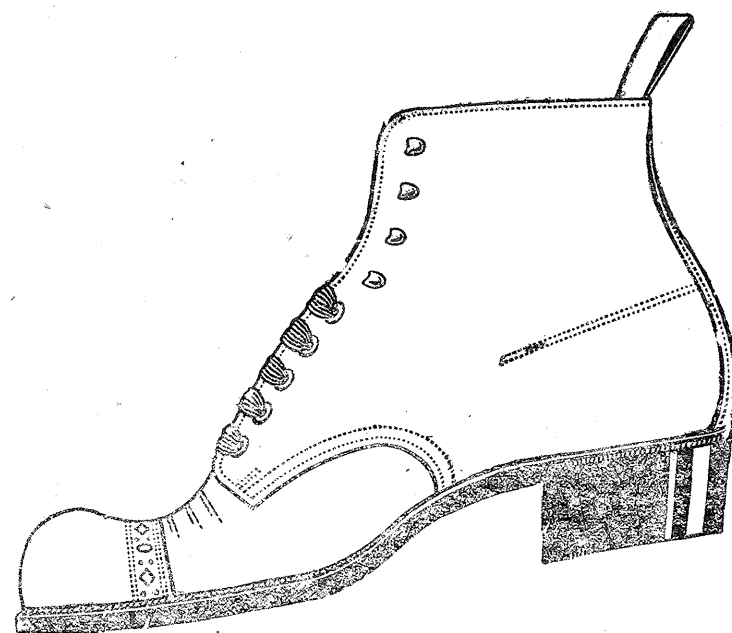
TRA Extra Specials

- Ladies' 89c Flannelette Gowns
Sale price 69c
- Ladies' \$1.25 Fleece Lined Wrappers.
Sale price 89c
- Ladies' \$1.00 Percalé Wrappers.
Sale price 79c
- Ladies' Percalé Bungalow Aprons.
Worth 65c. Sale price 43c
- Children's 50c Gingham Dresses.
Sale price 39c
- Children's \$1.00 Gingham Dresses.
Sale price 85c
- Ladies' \$1.00 and \$1.25 Kimonas.
Sale price 89c
- Ladies' 35c Corset Covers.
Sale price 21c
- Ladies' 50c Corset Covers.
Sale price 39c
- Ladies' 50c Muslin Gowns.
Sale price 43c
- Ladies' \$1.00 Muslin Gowns.
Sale price 79c
- Ladies' \$1.00 Muslin Skirts
Sale price 85c
- Ladies' Black Sateen Skirts, \$1.00
value. Sale price 79c
- Ladies' \$1.00 Corsets, any style
Sale price 89c
- Ladies' \$1.50 Corsets, any style
Sale price \$1.23
- Ladies' 50c Corsets, any style
Sale price 43c

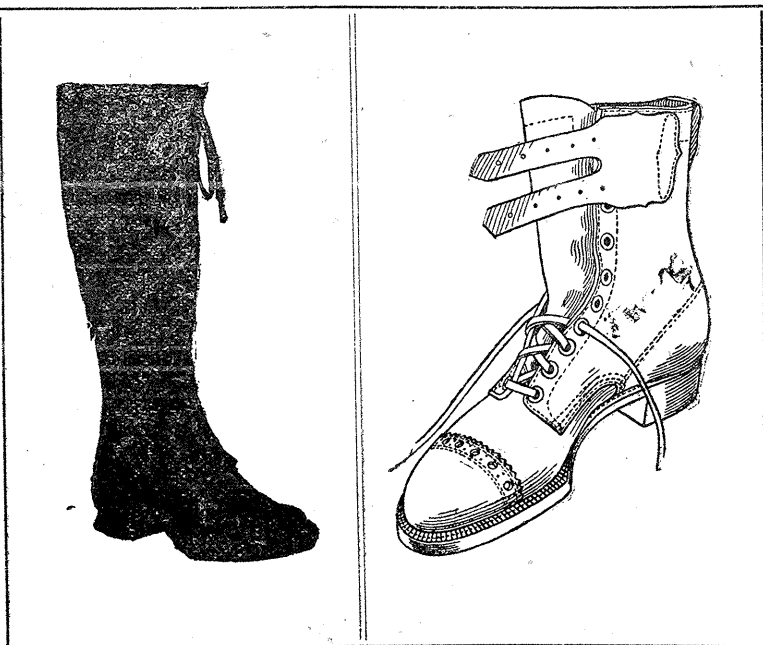


Shoes for Everybody

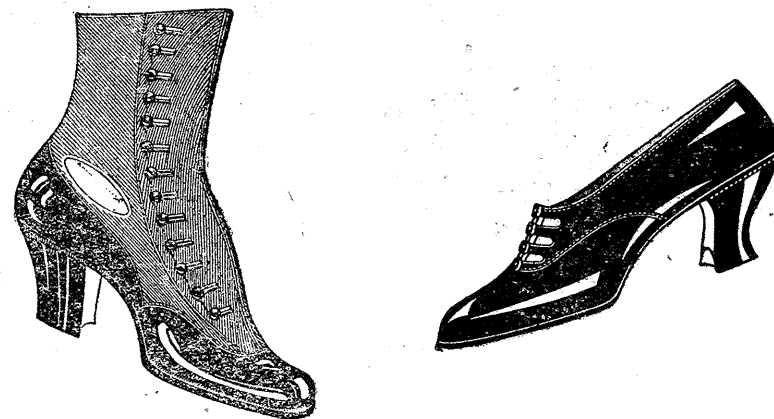
Shoes have advanced 50 per cent.
in the past month, and another advance
is expected soon. It will be to your
advantage to buy during this big sale.
Every pair is worth \$1.00 more today.
Better lay in a supply.



- Men's one-buckle all rubber overshoes. Regular price \$2.25. Sale price, per pair **1.69**
- Men's two-buckle all rubber overshoes. Regular price, \$2.50. Sale price **1.98**
- Men's all rubber, red overshoes, snag proof. Worth \$3.75. Sale price, per pair **2.79**
- Men's 12-inch lace Lumberman's rubber, snag proof. \$3.75 value. Sale price, per pair **2.79**
- Men's one-buckle Artics, heavy weight. Worth \$1.60. Sale price, per pair **1.19**
- Ladies' shoe rubbers, storm or plain, in high or low heel. While they last, sale price, per pair **55c**
- Men's heavy gum shoe rubbers.
Sale price, per pair **69c and 79c**
- Children's storm rubbers, sizes 5 to 8
Sale price, per pair **39c**
- Misses' and Boys' rubbers, sizes 8½ to 12
Sale price, per pair **43c**
- Misses' and Boys' Rubbers, sizes 12½ to 2
Sale price, per pair **48c**
- All our Ladies' \$3.50 Shoes in any style
Sale price, per pair **2.69**
- Ladies' \$2.50 Shoes. Your last chance to buy a
shoe as cheap as these. Sale price, per pair **1.79**
- 50 pairs Ladies' Felt Slippers, 79c values.
Sale price, per pair **48c**
- 25 pairs Ladies' \$1.25 Slippers.
Sale price, per pair **79c**
- 50 pairs Children's Shoes, sizes 2 to 5. 75c values.
Sale price, per pair **59c**
- 50 pairs Children's Shoes, sizes 5 to 8. 98c values.
Sale price, per pair **79c**
- Boys' Gun Metal Shoes—lace or button. A \$2.00
value. Sale price, per pair **1.69**



- Men's heavy duck sock rubbers. \$2.50 value
Sale price, per pair **1.85**
- Men's heavy duck boots, friction or wool lined.
Worth \$3.50. Sale price, per pair **2.69**
- Men's 10-inch heavy work shoes, \$4.00 values.
Sale price, per pair **3.39**



- Boys' Heavy Gun Metal Shoes. \$2.50 value.
Sale price, per pair **1.98**
- Boys' fine Shoes, sizes 8 to 13½. \$1.75 value.
Sale price, per pair **1.39**
- Men's heavy Work Shoes, tan or black. \$3.00
value. Sale price, per pair **2.39**
- Men's heavy Work Shoes, \$3.25 values.
Sale price, per pair **2.48**
- Men's extra heavy solid leather work shoes. Nothing
better made. A \$4.50 shoe. Sale price, per pair ... **3.29**
- 50 pairs Men's Fine Shoes in gun metal, lace or
button. \$3.00 value. Sale price **2.35**
- 50 pairs Men's Fine Dress Shoes, worth \$4.00
now. Sale price, per pair **2.85**
- Men's Vici-Kid cushion soled shoes. Never sold
for less than \$4.00. Our sale price, per pair **3.19**

**Our Sales are Genuine
Bargains. We are here
to stay and we cannot
Misrepresent our Mer-
chandise.**

Bargain Store

Money. --- Cass City.

GAGETOWN.

Mrs. A. J. Palmer spent the first of the week in Cass City visiting friends. Earl Russell spent last week in Detroit visiting relatives.

weeks, returned home Monday. G. Robinson of Buffalo is visiting at the Archie Karr home this week.

McHUGH.

Miss Maude Wheaton of Evergreen township and Sherman Samson of Elkland township were united in marriage Monday, Jan. 1, 1917, at the Mizpah M. B. C. parsonage by Elder B. Douglass.

Catarth Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarth is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions.

Directory.

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The Cass City Chronicle is authorized to arrange for dates for me for all kinds of farm and village sales. Call at the Chronicle office and arrange for a date.

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Terms reasonable. Best of assistance furnished for large sales whenever required. Make your date with the Chronicle man. Phone 123—L. I. S.

THE WORLD'S GREATEST SEWING MACHINE

LIGHT RUNNING NEWHOME

If you want either a Vibrating Shuttle, Rotary Shuttle or a Single Thread (Chain Stitch) Sewing Machine write to THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY Orange, Mass.

Advertisement for 'Black Silk Stove Polish' featuring an illustration of a woman and a product bottle. Text includes 'Use Black Silk Stove Polish' and 'A Shine in Every Drop'.

LIKES TO READ TANLAC BOOSTS

Tonic Ads Best News in Paper, Michigan Man Says.

HE WEARS "TANLAC SMILE"

"Tanlac ads in the paper look better to me than the best 'scoop' a reporter ever wrote," said J. Willard, 1812 W. Court St., Flint, Mich. "Because the ads mean some person who suffers the way I used to is getting straight tips on how to regain health."

TANLAC CAN BE OBTAINED AT CASS CITY ONLY AT THE STORE OF L. I. WOOD & CO. Tanlac can also be obtained at the following stores: Kingston, G. F. Jeffery; Linkville, Sam Weber; Pigeon, W. Sutton.—Advertisement

Mrs. E. Raduschel, Mrs. H. Cameron and Mrs. A. C. McKenney, who spent Xmas in Owosso, returned Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Harris are entertaining their daughter, Ella, now Mrs. Hill) of Northern Michigan.

FERGUSON SCHOOL.

School report for month ending Dec. 22, 1916. No. of pupils enrolled, 27. Total days attendance 399. Days of school 18. Average daily attendance 21. Per cent of attendance 77. Pupils receiving certificates of award this month were Eva Mudge, Lillie Ferguson, Milton Harris, Harlem Wagg, Ernest Ferguson, Richard Harris, A. J. Ferguson, Alice Montgomery.

GREENLEAF.

Whooping cough is prevalent. A number are ill with lagrippe. Allen Price returned to Johannesburg, Saturday. Mrs. Wm. Patrick spent last week at her home here.

BROOKFIELD.

Mrs. William McKee and Frances McCrea are on the sick list. Vernal Lloyd went to Flint Monday expecting to find work. Roy McDonald and Ivan Bearrs returned from Flint Saturday after spending a week there.

SUNSHINE.

Ernest Hutchinson is very sick with pneumonia. Rev. R. Rutledge preached a very good sermon at Sunshine church Sunday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Moses Dosser and son of Akron spent the week end with his brother, Edd. Dosser.

BEAULEY.

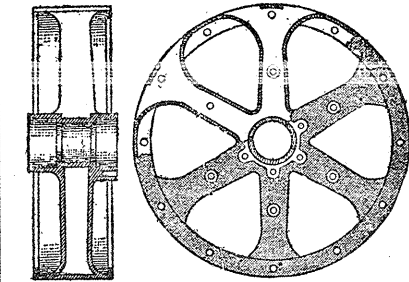
Grant Arbor, A. O. O. G., has elected the following officers: C. G. Henry Smith; V. C. G., Frank Martin; Secretreas., John McCallum; Chaplain, C. E. Hartsell; Conductor, Frank McCallum; Conductress, Mrs. D. McDonald; Outside Guard, Frank Holshoe; Lecturer, Jas. Maharg.

CEDAR RUN.

Mrs. Wm. Burse returned home from Detroit Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wright spent Sunday at Chas. Rondo's. Mrs. Charles Hargrave, who has been visiting her parents at Caro, returned home Monday.

NEW MOTOR TRUCK WHEEL.

Constructed of Cast Steel and Combines Strength and Lightness. The making of a cast steel truck wheel that will have both the strength and resiliency required for the severe service to which such vehicles are subjected is a difficult matter owing to the



CAST STEEL MOTOR TRUCK WHEEL.

unavoidable weakness of castings of all-kinds at the junction of the rim and spokes, says Popular Mechanics. This weakness is apparently overcome in a new type of wheel recently placed on the market. The rim of this wheel is of a channel section, while the spokes are hollow and have sides curved in such a way as to join the rim without a sudden change in direction.

Resilvering an Old Mirror. Clean the glass with powdered chalk, being careful not to scratch the glass. Dampen the chalk with a little alcohol and rub it dry with tissue paper. Make a liquid preparation by melting in a porcelain vessel one dram of lead, one dram of tin and one dram of bismuth. When these are melted together add ten drams of quicksilver before the mass cools.

His Forte. Nearly every member of a Tulsa man's family performs on some kind of an instrument. An old Iowa neighbor, who was visiting at his home, remarked that it must be a source of great pleasure to him. The father made no reply.

CEDAR RUN.

Clare Turner and Miss Pearl Spaulding were united in marriage Wednesday, Jan. 10 at the M. P. parsonage at Sutton. Both are well known young people and a happy married life is the wish of all. They will reside for the present with the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Turner.

ORDER OF PUBLICATION.

Appointment of Administrator. State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. At a session of said court held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 10th day of January A. D. 1917. Present, Hon. O. D. Hill, Judge of Probate.

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GREENLEAF DEFORD

Advertisement for Greenleaf and Deford building materials. It features three panels: 'The TIME' with a clock, 'The PLACE' with a building, and 'The MATERIAL' with lumber. Below the panels is the slogan 'Now Yours Ours'.

The Time is NOW—the Place is YOURS—and the Material should be OURS. If your place needs a new building, or repairs on the old ones, NOW is THE TIME to do it most economically.

Cass City Grain Company AT DEFORD AND GREENLEAF.

Large advertisement for Ford cars. It features the Ford logo and the text 'THE UNIVERSAL CAR'. Below the logo is the slogan 'Every factor of a good investment is met in the Ford car for business utility—low first cost, small upkeep, minimum depreciation.' The ad lists various models like the Touring Car, Coupelet, and Sedan.

Advertisement for Heller's Bakery. It features the slogan 'EAT MORE BREAD' and a list of food items: 'Did you ever stop to realize that 1 lb. of Bread has as much food value as 4 1/4 lbs. potatoes, 4 lbs. milk, 2 lbs. eggs or 4 1/2 lbs. fish?'

Advertisement for The Exchange Bank of E. H. Pinney & Son. It features the slogan 'ANTICIPATING a greater demand for desirable farming lands in this locality we are prepared to furnish considerable money on real estate security.'

Foreclosure Sale.
 Default having been made in the payment of money due on and secured by a certain mortgage bearing date the 20th day of February A. D. 1914 made and executed by Sarah M. Goff to Isaac B. Auten and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for the County of Tuscola, Michigan on the 24th day of February A. D. 1914, in Liber 135 of Mortgages, on page 449, which said mortgage was duly assigned by a written assignment bearing date the 11th day of April A. D. 1914, made and executed by Isaac B. Auten to The Oxford Savings Bank of Oxford, Michigan (a corporation under the laws of the State of Michigan), said assignment being recorded in the Register of Deeds Office aforesaid on the 21st day of April A. D. 1914, in Liber 133 of Mortgages, on Page 498 and the said mortgage was again duly assigned by a written assignment bearing date the 4th day of October A. D. 1916 made and executed by The Oxford Savings Bank, aforesaid to Isaac B. Auten, said last mentioned assignment being recorded on the 25th day of October A. D. 1916, in Liber 116 of Mortgages, on Page 298.

That said default has been made in the payment of money due for interest upon said mortgage and in the payment of money due the undersigned for taxes assessed against the mortgaged premises hereinafter described and paid by the undersigned, and that by reason of said default the whole sum secured by said mortgage has become due and payable and is hereby declared to be due and payable according to the terms and conditions of said mortgage and there is claimed to be due upon said mortgage at the date of this notice the sum of Four Thousand Five Hundred Ninety Four Dollars and Ninety Two cents (\$4,594.92).

Now therefore notice is hereby given that said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the mortgaged premises, at public vendue, to the highest bidder at the front door of the Court House, in the Village of Cass City, Tuscola County, Michigan, on the 12th day of February at one o'clock in the afternoon, A. D. 1917, the said mortgaged premises are described in said mortgage substantially as follows, to-wit: The south half (1/2) of the northeast quarter (1/4) and the northwest quarter (1/4) of the southeast quarter (1/4) and the east half (1/2) of the east half (1/2) of section one (1), township number thirteen (13), north range ten (10) east, being in the township of Ellington, county of Tuscola and state of Michigan.

The said mortgaged premises will be sold as aforesaid to satisfy the amount due upon said mortgage and the costs of foreclosure. Dated November 9, A. D., 1916.

ISAAC B. AUTEN,
 Mortgagee and Assignee of said Mortgage.
 J. D. Brooker, Attorney for Mortgagee and Assignee. Business address, Cass City, Michigan 11-10-13

Notice of Sale of Real Estate.
 State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the county of Tuscola.
 In the matter of the estate of Hugh Seed, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given that, by virtue of an order of said court, made on the 13th day of November A. D. 1916, I shall sell, at public auction, on the 20th day of January A. D. 1917, at one o'clock in the afternoon at the premises hereinafter described in the Village of Cass City, in said county, the interest of said estate in the following described real estate, to-wit:
 Commencing at the northwest corner of the west half of the southwest quarter of section twenty-seven, township fourteen north, range eleven east, Tuscola County, Michigan, running thence east eighty rods, thence south to Seed's Park Addition, being one hundred and three rods more or less, thence west to Oak street of Cass City, Michigan, being fifty-seven rods more or less, thence north twenty-three rods, thence west four rods, thence north twenty rods, thence west nineteen rods, thence north sixty rods to the place of beginning, and containing forty-five and three-fourths acres, more or less;

Also lots one and two of block five of Seed's Second Addition to the Village of Cass City, Michigan.
 Dated this 4th day of December, A. D. 1916.
 John B. Henderson,
 Executor of the estate of Hugh Seed, Deceased. 12-8-6
 Condition of above sale—\$1,000 down on farm and \$500 down on village lots; balance within eight days.

BLANK PAPER
 Conveys no message.
 Poor Printing is almost as bad.

OUR PRINTING TELLS YOUR STORY AND TELLS IT CLEARLY

Our Job Work is worth inspection.

Chronicle Printery

SHABBONA.

Mrs. E. Travis visited relatives at Brown City last week.
 A new lighting system has been installed in the M. E. church.
 Wm. Meredith returned Monday from a few days' visit with his son, Albert, at Caro.
 Mr. Tehan of Bad Axe was a caller in town Monday.
 Mrs. Burt Loucks and daughter, Hazel, and Jennie and Mamie Cullon were in Cass City Saturday.
 John Melroy is receiving old acquaintances.
 Mrs. W. H. Harris and Mrs. Geo. Parrott are numbered with the sick.
 A new blacksmith in town, James Crombridge, has bought the lot south of the creamery and is building a shop.
 Miss Margaret Clark returned to Sandusky Saturday after a two weeks' vacation from her school duties.
 Florence Fullmer was a business caller in Sandusky Wednesday.
 The share holders of Shabbona bank held their annual meeting Monday an. 8.
 James Ryckman of North Branch was a business caller in town Monday.
 Mrs. Sarah Mardlin of Ann Arbor is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. Lorentzen.
 Mamie Cullen has resumed her duties at Ehlers & Auslander's store after a ten days' vacation.
 Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H. Jones spent Saturday and Sunday with relatives in Snover.
 Mr. and Mrs. Amos Guy of Decker spent Sunday at the home of B. F. Phetteplace.
 Mrs. John D. Jones, who has been quite ill, is improving.

DEFORD.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Wells Spencer and Rev. and Mrs. Meredith attended church in Cass City Friday night.
 Mrs. Guy Woolman and son, Robert, came Saturday noon to visit Mrs. Woolman's mother, Mrs. C. McArthur. They were enroute to Cass City to attend the funeral of Mrs. Fred Woolman.
 Mrs. Chas. Kilgore left Tuesday morning for Attica to attend the funeral of Mrs. Fred Boulton's little son, Lewis, two months old.
 Mr. and Mrs. Frank Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. Elias Palane of Mayville visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Roberts, last Tuesday while enroute for Cass City to visit their sister, Miss Persis Roberts, at Pleasant Home hospital. They were accompanied by their mother.
 Miss Persis Roberts wishes to thank her many friends for the post card shower sent her New Year's day while at the Pleasant Home hospital. Also the Leek W. C. T. U. for the beautiful flowers which was a bouquet of chrysanthemums. Thanks to all.

NOVESTA CORNERS.

Mrs. Wm. Darling is visiting a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bartlett.
 Walter Weeks is suffering with a broken leg caused by being kicked by a horse.
 Miss Elsie Sadler of Pontiac spent the past few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erwin Sadler.
 Miss Emma Perry of Detroit is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Perry.
 Miss Addie Bunker left Monday for Detroit after a two weeks' vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bunker.
 Mr. and Mrs. John Perry are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Clarence Smith of Lapeer.
 Harvey Fleming returned Monday from Detroit where he has spent the past two weeks visiting friends and relatives.
 Lena Wentworth is assisting Mrs. Marve Ehlers with housework.

She'll Be There.

"My wife promised to meet me here promptly at 2 o'clock."
 "You don't expect her on time, do you?"
 "Yes. She's coming to get spending money this time."—Detroit Free Press.

A POPULAR VERDICT

Based on Evidence of Cass City People.

Grateful thousands tell it—
 Of weak backs made strong—
 Of weak kidneys made well—
 Urinary disorders corrected.
 Cass City people add their testimony.
 They praise Doan's Kidney Pills.
 Cass City evidence is now complete.
 Cass City testimony is confirmed.
 Reports of early relief substantiated.
 Merit doubly proved by test of time.
 Let a Cass City woman speak.
 Mrs. C. A. Sherman, Church St., Cass City, gave the following statement on September 13, 1911: "I take Doan's Kidney Pills whenever I feel any weakness of my kidneys or when my back gets painful or lame. This is usually the case after I catch cold or attempt to do too much work. Whenever I have these spells, Doan's Kidney Pills without fail take away the pains and other symptoms. They also relieve the pains in my head and dizzy spells."
 Doan's Always Effective.
 Over five years later, on October 19, 1916, Mrs. Sherman said: "Doan's Kidney Pills have never failed to do me good whenever I have had occasion to take a medicine to relieve backache or regulate the action of my kidneys."
 Price 50c. at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mrs. Sherman has twice publicly recommended. Foster-Milburn Co., Props Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv 10.

A Bone of Contention

It Came Between a Pair of Lovers.

By CLARISSA MACKIE

It stretched across the salt marsh and connected two villages. Harborhead folk called it "the red bridge," while Portside people grimly referred to it as "the white bridge." As a matter of fact, it had never been painted at all, and now, after two years' exposure to wind and weather, the new wood had taken on soft gray tints that blended with the silver tide that ebbed and flowed between the piles.

Although Harborhead and Portside were connected by the new bridge and the vehicles of both villages rumbled to and fro over the planks, the inhabitants were widely separated by a growing bitterness.

Parson Lane of Portside had pounded the pulpit vigorously over the matter. "Pots of paint! Pots of paint!" he exclaimed one memorable Sunday. "Have my people drowned their souls in pots of paint? The good Lord made it possible for these villages to be united by a beautiful bridge, and you wrangle over the painting of it as if the color mattered. Brethren, see that your souls are as white as you would have the bridge painted. Let not the red smirch of anger sully its purity!"

After that sermon the bitterness was intensified. The Harborhead people who weekly crossed the bridge to attend Parson Lane's church fluttered homeward to spread the good man's words far and wide, with most unhappy results.

Noah Wade and Almira Turner were to be married in June. Three times a week Noah crossed the bridge to Harborhead to see his sweetheart. They had never discussed the bridge matter, because they had been too happy to talk about anything except their own wonderful affairs.

The Tuesday after Parson Lane's sermon Almira waited at the front gate for Noah. She could see him stepping quickly across the bridge, tall, erect, with his head poised high. All the Wades were proud. The girl's blue eyes did not soften at her lover's approach. A new expression came into them.

"Waiting for me?" smiled Noah, taking the hat from his brown hair and covering Almira's little hand with his own sunburned fingers.
 She drew her hand quietly from beneath his touch. "Yes," she said gravely. "Come with me, Noah. I have something to say to you. Let us go to the orchard."

"What is the matter? Are you in trouble? Has anything happened?" demanded Noah anxiously, falling into step beside her.

Almira shook her head. In silence they went across the grass to the orchard and paused in the shade of the gnarled old apple trees.

"What is the matter, Almira?" repeated Noah at last.

"I can't marry you, Noah," replied Almira quietly.

"Why not?" Noah spoke gruffly. He was angry at Almira's strange manner, at the coldness in her voice and her sudden aloofness.

She looked at the distant sails with steadfast eyes. "Father says I shan't marry any one from over 'the white bridge,' and I don't know that I want to."

"Personally I don't care a rap what color the bridge is," retorted Noah. "I've crossed it for two years to see you, Almira, and now at this late day you suddenly drop me and say it's because I live over the bridge—a flimsy excuse. Why don't you say outright that you don't care for me and never did?" His face was growing whiter, and the hand pressed against the tree trunk was clinched until the knuckles were livid.

Suddenly Noah swung away from the tree and without one backward glance tramped across the grass, leaped the fence into a winding lane and disappeared along the shore road.

After that it became known that Almira's wedding garments were carefully laid away out of sight and Noah Wade no longer crossed the bridge three times a week.

Then followed a summer unprecedented for its lack of rain. Weeks followed days, and months followed weeks, while the sun poured relentlessly down on the sister towns and burned the vegetation to crisp brownness. Only the salt grass that was wet by the tides remained green. Crops died in the baked earth.

September came, fiercely hot. One breathless evening Almira Turner walked listlessly along the bridge. It was said that whatever breeze there might be would be felt on the long wooden structure that united the two villages, yet in its way formed a barrier between many hearts.

Others were walking on the bridge, but it was noticeable that Portside folks walked only as far as the middle of the bridge and then retraced their steps. Harborhead people did the same thing at their end, so there was no passing over the bridge save by those who had business to attend to. Where friendly relations were established between families in the warring villages it was considered most amicable and polite to visit by way of the long road around the shore and avoid the unhappy bridge.

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Almira was thinking bitterly of what her father had said when she announced that her engagement to Noah Wade had been broken. He had stared incredulously at her.

"Why, Miry, honey, I was only joking! Now, you go along and make it up with Noah this minute. There'll be bridges standing long after we poor mortals are through trying to be happy in this world."

But Almira could not make it up with Noah Wade. He did not give her a chance. He went away from Portside and found work elsewhere, and she had not seen him through the long summer. Now she was thinking of him and of her foolish excuse for giving him up.

A loud rumble of thunder sent the pedestrians on the bridge scurrying home, but Almira lingered, watching the lightning leap from cloud to cloud in that ominous black mountain in the northwest, listening to the crackle and volley of thunder, harking to the sibilant hiss of the high tide among the bridge timbers.

Just as she turned her steps homeward there came a blinding crash that seemed to envelop the whole village of Harborhead in yellow light; then all sound ceased for an instant, and out of the murky darkness there sprang a bright flame and another and another. The lightning had struck in Harborhead.

Almira hurried toward home as the wild clamor of the church bells rang out. If the Portside people refused to bring out their fire apparatus to the rescue of Harborhead the closely populated little village was doomed. It was known that Portside men were very bitter against the people over the bridge.

Just as she reached the gate there came another sound, mingled with the roar of thunder, the clash of bells and the shouts of men. It was the high, sweet clang of the Portside fire bell, and it was followed by the rumble of the little engine across the bridge. It dashed past Almira's gate, dragged by a score of strong, willing hands. The hook and ladder truck came in its wake, and there, sitting high on the seat, steering the truck, was Noah Wade, his face tense and set in the glare of the fire.

The devastating storm died away while the valiant men fought the flames that licked greedily at the frame store buildings and threatened many a nearby home with destruction. Portside men and men of Harborhead worked side by side, and differences were forgotten in the single aim that prompted all.

Many times that night Almira's heart failed within her as she watched Noah risk his life within the flaming buildings. Once he brought out a little child from the tenements over the stores, and the tenderness with which he bore the child and placed it in its mother's arms brought tears to the girl's sad eyes.

And then came the moment when their eyes met across the flames. The sudden leap of recognition in Noah's glance was answered by Almira's appealing eyes, and then the smoke hung between them once more.

The weeks that followed after the fire were not soon forgotten. Differences were patched up and mended so that they would not again break. Portside and Harborhead people mingled together as they had before the days of the bridge trouble. There were church festivals and entertainments that were enjoyed by everybody, and over all was the feeling of satisfaction that the bridge trouble was at an end.

The Harborhead people had gratefully announced their willingness that the bridge should be painted white in view of the prompt and neighborly services of the Portside firemen. Portside people agreed to abide by a choice by vote.

When the vote was counted it was found that all Harborhead had voted for a white painted bridge, while Portside had courteously voted for red, and the vote was tied.

Then the question was solved by a suggestion to paint the bridge green, and it was done, and so peace reigned at last, and there was much passing to and fro.

At last Noah came over to Harborhead and stopped at Almira's gate. Mrs. Turner greeted him pleasantly. "Almira went over the bridge awhile ago, Noah. If you walk back you may meet her," she said.

Noah walked back slowly, watching for Almira's slender form and dreading to see it beside that of some other admirer. At last she came, stepping quickly, with now and then a glance at the rising full moon.

Halfway across she met Noah, and they both stopped. Noah guided her gently to the railing where they could look along the bright moonlit path that wrinkled the water.

"I've been to see you, Almira. Your mother said I might meet you," he said wistfully.

"I—went to Portside to mail a letter—to you, Noah. I thought you might get it sooner—tonight—and perhaps you would come. I wanted to tell you how foolish I've been!"

Noah stopped her words with a swift caress. "And I was on the way to tell you what a fool I've been, but we've met halfway, after all."

When the wedding day came round both sides thought it would be a suitable occasion on which to celebrate the return of peace, and nothing would do but that the bridal procession should pass over the bridge.

The suggestion was acted on, and a procession of about all the folks in Harborhead and all the folks in Portside followed the bride and groom or strewed flowers before them, a fitting ending to the troubles that had so long separated the two towns.

Are You Sure You Lace Your Boots Correctly?



Photo by American Press Association.

THE WAY HOW.
WITH the price of all kinds of boots and shoes soaring to keep pace with the high cost of foods, it pays women to take the best of care of their footgear. Polish, trees and oil after a thorough wetting all help, but it remained for George O'Ramey to tell us how to lace them. "There is no reason why one cannot get full value out of a modern boot," said she recently. "My boots last me a long time simply because I take care of them, particularly in the lacing. I always cross the laces, because that distributes the strain evenly on both sides of the shoe. Starting from the bottom, I take both laces and straighten them out, then proceed to lace the boot, taking up the slack at each hole, so that it is not necessary to jerk and tug to tighten them up. Laces should be measured to fit the foot, as too long a lace either flops untidily about or, if tucked inside, produces an ugly bulge."

- Vanity Cake.**
 One and one-half cupfuls of flour, one and one-half cupfuls of granulated sugar, one-half cupful of butter and lard mixed, one-fourth teaspoonful each of salt, cloves, nutmeg and cinnamon. Use hand and mix same as pie crust. When well mixed take out scant cupful of the crumbs; then add two well beaten eggs, one cupful of sour milk, one scant teaspoonful of soda; beat well, put in deep pan and sprinkle the half cupful of crumbs over the top. Bake slowly.
- Banana Chutney.**
 Slice bananas thin and with one pound of finely cut up, Spanish onions and half a pound of well chopped dates. Pour over three-quarters of a pint of vinegar and boil until tender. Take a wooden spoon and beat the mixture to pulp. Then add a quarter of the crumbs; then add two well beaten eggs, one cupful of sour milk, one scant teaspoonful of soda; beat well, put in deep pan and sprinkle the half cupful of crumbs over the top. Bake slowly.

1917's Winter Girl Will Enjoy This Natty Set



SKATER'S DELIGHT.

WORN with a garnet colored sport suit of velveteen bordered with white fur is this set, a melon muff and tam of white chinchilla cloth trimmed with ornaments and bands of heavy white silk cord. These sets are most popular with schoolgirls.

THUMB NOTES.

Marlette will have her fifth annual poultry show on Jan. 18, 19 and 20. A grain exhibit will be added to this year show.

While trapping skunks last week, Mos Minard, a farmer and trapper living east of Marlette, dug out of two neighboring holes twenty well-farmed animals. The day's trapping brought him \$80.

Bad Axe will probably have but one newspaper in the near future. It is reported that G. E. English, publisher of the Tribune, has an option on the plant of the Independent and will combine the two newspapers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles T. Collins celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary at their home in Bad Axe Tuesday. Mr. and Mrs. Collins went to Bad Axe from Canada about 40 years ago when Mr. Collins engaged in a mercantile business with his wife, Charles O'Dell, under the name of O'Dell & Collins, until about 15 years ago when he retired from business.

The special committee appointed by the Tuscola county supervisors to consider the plan of joining Huron and Sanilac counties in the erection of a joint tuberculosis sanitarium, have reported that the committee had been advised by the State Board of Health that there is no law authorizing such joint action by several counties, but it is hoped such a law may be passed by the present legislature. No action will therefore be taken on the matter before the October session.

Chas. Deegan, age 5, a son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Deegan, was drowned at Sebawaing. The first inkling that the little fellow had met with mishap was made evident when Frances, the boy's sister, who was skating, found her brother's cap in an open hole along the north bank where a sewer enters the river. She immediately ran to Ben Einwaechter's harness shop opposite the fire engine house and excitedly expressed her fears to Mr. Einwaechter. He ran to the river bank and quickly found the little body in about a foot of water, carrying it to his shop. Dr. Morris was called and he worked hard and long to resuscitate the boy, but to no avail.

The editor of the Harbor Beach Times hands out the following advice: "Apropos to the soaring prices of news print, and the 'hundred and one' things that today go into the manufacture of a newspaper," the following might serve as a way out of the present dilemma. Have a public spirited citizen of your town start a bean contest, the purpose being to teach the youngsters how to raise better beans. Before the contest is held, have the beans deposited in your office where they will be placed for safe keeping. After the beans are all in—be sure of that—just let your plant go hang, and forget the troubles of the shop from the devil up. Make a get away with the beans and you will be independent for your remaining days. Confidentially, this is what the Times editor is doing. The beans are all in, and after Friday night his address will be somewhere in Maine summers and California, winters. Follow suit, brother editors."

COLWOOD.

Mrs. John McCarthy and Mrs. Walter Howell of Caro spent the week end with their sister, Mrs. Gray, of Pontiac.

Mrs. John Russell from near Unionville came Thursday and was the guest of Mrs. C. D. Andrews until Sunday.

Ernest Hutchinson has been seriously ill with pneumonia.

A large number from near Colwood attended the sugar beet meeting at Caro Saturday.

P. H. Muck was a Cass City visitor Friday.

The Remington L. A. S. was pleasantly entertained by Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Grice last Wednesday. About 30 were present; table collection \$4.60.

Miss Maude Rutledge returned Tuesday from a ten days' visit with relatives near Linwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Phelps and Mrs. Chas. Andrews spent Wednesday and Thursday with Rev. and Mrs. F. Traver near Elkton.

BEAULEY.

Mrs. A. Edgerton of Cass City and her sister, Mrs. T. Fraser, of Onaway, Mich., were guests of Richard Edgerton and family Friday.

Mrs. Frank Reader and daughter, Mildred, arrived home last Thursday from Oshawa, Ont., where they have been the last two months.

Our pastor, Rev. John Yoeman, and Rev. Meredith are holding special meetings in the Beaufort church. The meetings are good and well attended and we are looking forward to great good being done. Prayer meeting in the afternoons.

T. L. Heron is kept busy these days taking in taxes.

Alta Turner is working for Mrs. M. Crawford.

CUMBER.

Fine winter weather at this writing.

Chester Pettinger of Northwestern Canada is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Pettinger, and other friends in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Mardlein and family attended the funeral of their son, Geo. Mardlein, in Argyle Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus King and Miss Bugner of Argyle Sundayed at J. B. Pettinger's.

Elmer Hawthorth and family autoed to Uby Sunday and spent the day with his brother and family of that place.

Chas. Ewing of Cass City was a pleasant caller in this vicinity one day last week.

George Lowe, who has been quite sick, is much better at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Josiah Pratt and granddaughter called on John Pratt and other friends in this vicinity Tuesday.

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Read the Chronicle liners.

LOCAL ITEMS

Mable Crandell is ill. Farmers' institute at Cass City on February 9.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Hunt Tuesday, January 9.

Capt. and Mrs. H. A. Stewart of Algonac are guests of Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Treadgold.

Mrs. M. Bradshaw returned Thursday from St. Thomas, Ont., where she has been visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Brookins and family of Owendale called on Cass City friends Tuesday.

Miss Kate Oscarmiller of Casoville spent the week end with her sister, Miss Mollie Oscarmiller.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Dillon and family of Colwood were Sunday dinner guests at the Robt. Gallagher home.

Mrs. W. W. Bender and son, Austin, of Detroit are guests at the home of Dr. and Mrs. A. N. Treadgold.

J. B. Cootes left Wednesday for Detroit to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, Benjamin Jondro, who died in that city Monday. Mrs. Cootes has been at the Jondro home since Christmas.

J. C. Farrell sold his interest in the Farrell & Townsend Co. this week. Mr. Farrell will make Cass City his home but has no decided plans for the future. The firm name has been changed to C. R. Townsend & Co.

Miss Laura Gallagher entertained Sunday Miss Loretta Pholan, Miss May La Fave and Jewel Goseline, all of Gagetown, Archie High of Owendale, Miss Margaret Hurley and Michel Dobie of Glencoe, Ont., and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gallagher.

Byron W. King, lecturer, will not be able to fill his engagement here on the lecture course on Jan. 23 because of the death of his brother and sister. He will come to Cass City in March, the exact date to be announced later. Mr. King was scheduled to fill engagements in Florida during February and was obliged to cancel all dates in that state.

For the first time in years, the village president, at the last council meeting, was privileged to cast a vote. It came over the proposition to eliminate the electric light service from 12:30 to 5:30 a. m. owing to a shortage of coal. Three trustees favored discontinuing the service during those early morning hours for a period of 30 days, while the remaining three village dads thought 60 days too long a time and cast dissenting votes. This put it to President Striffler, who voted for continuous service. A car of coal was received at the power plant the first of the week, which relieves the situation for a short time.

Lost.

On January 4, black leather hand bag, containing small purse, mirror, and some money. Finder please leave at Chronicle office. Beryl Koepfgen. 1-12-1

Salesmen Wanted to solicit orders for lubricating oils, greases and paints. Salary or commission. Address The Harvey Oil Co., Cleveland, O. 1-12-1

Take your prescriptions and receipts to Burke's Drug Store. Careful attention and prices low.

The best in hot water bottles and other rubber goods at Burke's Drug Store. Every article fully guaranteed.

Wanted to rent a farm of 80 acres on shares. Write or call on Joseph Pati, R. R. 3, Cass City. 1-12-1p

Old Fashioned Horehound Candy at Wood's.

"Black Leaf" sheep dip at Wood's Drug Store.

Farm 2 1/2 miles north of Cass City for sale. Henry Blades. 1-5-2

Have you a friend or relative living in some other part of the state who is dissatisfied and looking for a more valuable farm? Why not write and tell him about the Hugh Seed farm which is to be sold at Public Sale to close Estate, on Jan. 20, at the premises one-half mile north of Cass City? 1-5-3

Wanted—Girls and Women. Steady work. \$1.00 a day to beginners, with advancement. We pay as high as \$2.00 to \$2.50 a day according to ability. Room and board, with all modern conveniences at the Company's boarding house at \$3.00 a week. For information write Western Knitting Mills, Rochester, Michigan. 1-5-26p

Perhaps your land does not suit you and you want a better place near good markets, schools and churches. Then don't fail to attend the sale of the fine Hugh Seed farm on the hill, overlooking the village of Cass City, on Jan. 20, at one o'clock p. m. 1-5-3

Collie pups for sale. John Jaus, Phone 131-28. 1-5-2p

One acre of good farm land is worth a dozen poor ones. There are 45 1/2 acres in the Hugh Seed farm. They will be sold Jan. 20, as per advertisement on another page of this issue. 1-5-3

Buy your potatoes—No. 1 potatoes—at Jones'. 12-15-

Span of mules for sale. Harry Young. 10-13-

For Sale or Rent. 80 or 160-acre farm for sale or will rent for cash or on shares. Alex Hamilton, 68 Raeburn Court, Pontiac, Mich. 12-22-4p

Farmers. We kindly ask that before buying barrels and kerosene from outsiders that you get our prices. We can furnish you with high grade products of the Standard Oil Co. and save you money. Satisfaction guaranteed. E. W. Keating, Agent. 12-1-13

HOW TO ECONOMIZE IN THE USE OF COAL.

—If the consumer is not getting his money's worth—and probably he is not—says the anthracite bureau of information, the fault may be with the stove or furnace, the kind of fuel used or the method of regulation.

Here are some of the don'ts picked from a pamphlet issued by the bureau: Don't put in too much coal or too little. Don't crowd it above the top of the fire brick lining.

In range, cylinder stove or hot air furnace. Fill the fuel space twice a day in winter weather. Heaping the coal slightly in the center.

Don't add small quantities of coal several times a day, with attendant shakings; that means loss in economy and comfort.

Shake the grate only twice a day before fresh coal is put in, and stop when a bright light shows underneath.

Don't leave the feed door open; it cools the heating surfaces. All checking of draft should be accomplished by shutting the ash pit door and opening the check damper in the stovepipe.

Don't neglect the furnace in mild weather. See that the coal is properly consumed and not shaken through the grate to pass out with the ashes.

Keep the ash pit empty. Don't let the ashes bank up under the grate; it not only shuts out air needed for combustion, but tends to warp the grate bars.

Remove the ashes regularly once a day, even if only a small amount has fallen.

Don't use the wrong size of coal. Ordinary domestic ranges require "chestnut," larger sizes can use "stove" coal, but "chestnut" will give satisfaction.

Fairly large steam and hot water boilers are best operated with "egg size" anthracite; larger sizes use "stove" alone or mixed with "chestnut."

Hot air furnaces of all sizes generally in use should be fed with "egg."

If the right size and quality of coal is used no ash stifier is required. The coal should burn to a fine ash, and its first trip through the stove or furnace should be its last.

Clinkers are usually a sign of improper use of the poker or improper regulation of drafts. Too hot a fire produces clinkers.

Dry air is a poor conductor of heat and is also bad for the health. Keep the air in the house reasonably moist. This can be done by placing an open vessel of water on or near each radiator.

All hot air furnaces and modern base burner stoves have receptacles for this purpose. They should be refilled every time the fire is replenished.

How to Rid Cats and Dogs of the Pest of Fleas. Attention has been called to the fact that care must be taken in using tar camphor on dogs to rid them of fleas, not to let them lick their fur before the tar camphor has been brushed off.

Tar camphor never should be used on cats, for they naturally lick their fur to keep it smooth, and in this way the camphor will get into the alimentary canal and poison the animal.

A valuable cat treated with the camphor had to be killed to put it out of its agony. But in the case of dogs this danger is slight.

Church Notes. Revs. Hallead and Voorheis will hold quarterly meeting this week at Wilmet, beginning Friday evening. Services on balance of circuit will be omitted on Sunday. W. J. Hallead, Pastor.

Card of Thanks. We gratefully desire to thank our friends and neighbors of Shabbona for their kindness and sympathy during our late bereavement the death of our darling babe. Also for the singing. Mr. and Mrs. Emery Meredith, Detroit, Mich.

Cass City Markets. Cass City, Mich., Jan. 11, 1917. Buying Price—Wheat 1.70, Oats .94, Beans .64, Eye .84, Barley Ovt. 2.00, Buckwheat ovt. 2.50, Peas 2.50, June or Mammoth .85, Baled hay—No. 1 Timothy 10.60, No. 2 9.50, No. 1 Mixed 9.50, Eggs, per doz. 38, Butter, per lb. 30, Fat cows, live weight, per lb. 4 1/2, Steers " " 5 1/2, Fat sheep, " " 8 3/4, Lambs, " " 8 3/4, Hogs, " " 8 1/2, 9 1/4, Dressed hogs, " " 10 1/2, Dressed beef, " " 10 1/2, Calves, " " 10, Hens, " " 12 1/4, Broilers, " " 13 1/2, Ducks, " " 13, Geese, " " 12, Turkeys, " " 22, Hides green, " " 15.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Herbert Tanner, 25, Ontario; Mamie M. M. Appenroth, 19, Crosswell. Wallace H. Massman, 21, Sanilac; Ina M. Stevenson, 18, Lexington township. Raymond S. Farley, 21, Lexington township; Elva Stone, 19, Lexington township. Sherman Samson, 23, Elk; Maud Wheaton, 20, Evergreen. Elden W. Dettweiler, 23, Ionia; Beatrice McNeil, 18, Columbia. John McCloy, 37, Fairgrove; Bessie A. Winter, 26, Grindstone City. Willard R. Soper, 22, Reese; Blanch Neveau, 18, Reese. James McCarry, 33, Bridgeport; Esther Bertha Irish, 19, Vassar. Fred H. Hitchcock, 29, Pontiac; Emma B. Guisbert, 24, Gilford. George Kinney, jr., 26, Watertown; May I. Kirk, 26, Fairgrove. Alvin B. Greenfield, 23 Colling; Goldie Burse, 22, Caro. Clark W. McKenzie, 36, Kalamazoo; Madeleine Auten, 29, Cass City. Ray C. Fox, 29, Postoria; Lucile Ingersol, 26, Mayville. John W. Schweigert, 19, Almer; Elsie May Marsow, 17, Almer. Edwin E. Chaffee, jr., 27, Dayton; M. Katherine Mead, 24, Dayton.

HOSPITAL NOTES.

Archie McLellan of Sheridan has been a patient at the hospital for a week and will return to his home Friday. Stewart Winsley underwent an operation for removal of tonsils and adenoids at the hospital Wednesday. Mrs. Clyde Quick is a patient at the hospital.

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ORDER FOR PUBLICATION.

Appointment of Administrator. State of Michigan, The Probate Court for the County of Tuscola. At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Caro in said County, on the 2nd day of January A. D. 1917.

Present, Hon. O. D. Hill, Judge of Probate. In the matter of the estate of Catherine Passage, Deceased. Adam Passage having filed in said court his petition praying that the administration of said estate be granted to Adam Passage or to some other suitable person.

It is Ordered, That the 29th day of January A. D. 1917, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

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

A true copy.



WINTER COMFORTS

There Is No Time of all the year when meal time is more appreciated than in winter. After hours of either snappy work or play to even the jaded appetite comes zest at mealtime. And even then the matter of quality is important.

WE OFFER THE BEST FOR ALL THE YEAR

Special for Saturday, January 13 Cranberries

Just purchased a fresh shipment of Cranberries. Now is your opportunity to can some of those beautiful Late Home Cranberries.

Listen! 3 qts. for only 25c

Special prices in peck and 1/2 bushel lots. Don't forget the date.

PHONE 86.



Read the Chronicle's Liner Columns.

Large advertisement for Townsends' Quality Merchandise at The Right Price. Includes text: 'Yours to Please and continuing the policy of Quality Merchandise at The Right Price. In Shoes, Clothing, Haberdashery and Boys' Wear. Watch for Our Ad Next Week. We are getting ready for a Big Money Saving Event. Townsends' The Quality Store. Successor to Farrell & Townsend Co.'